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Committee of 15

Committees of 15 members from both Lakehead University and Confederation College are presently being formed to meet together as a Joint Committee to study and comment on the recommendations of the Wright Commission on Post Secondary Education in Ontario. Following the visit of the Commission and the presentation of their First Draft Report, the University Senate agreed that it would be valuable for representative committees from both institutions to meet to discuss the further report that had been promised by the Wright Commission. Further consideration by President Bradshaw of Confederation College and President Tamblyn of Lakehead University, resolved that these committees be implemented upon the receipt of the Second Draft Report, and that meetings take place to discuss the viability and possible implementation of the Commission's recommendations with regard to cooperative and coordinated action by both institutions.

The membership of the Committee will include five members of the Board of Governors, five members of Faculty (to include one Faculty Dean, one Department Chairman and three other representatives), and five members of the student body to be selected through the A.M.S. The representatives from the Board of Governors were elected on Tuesday, December 8th and include Mr. J. M. Fleming, Mr. R. J. Flatt, Dr. M. W. Bartley, Mr. J. N. Paterson and Dr. W. G. Tamblyn. The election of Senate and Faculty representatives will be completed by Friday, December 11th, with all ballots to be received before noon of that day. Nominations for the Faculty Dean representative include Dean H. S. Braun and Dean T. Ryan, for Department Chairman include Dr. J. Engholm, Dr. T. B. Miller, Mr. H. North and Dr. J. H. Widdop. Other nominations include Dr. M. Elizabeth Arthur, Dr. W. Eames, Dr. G. Fleming, Mr. W. J. Hanley, Mrs. Linny Lyss, Dr. J. S. Mothersill, Miss V. A. Proyer, Dr. J. Whitfield, Mr. M. Zablocki, Mr. B. L. Benson, Mr. J. Coolen, Mr. S. P. Dromisky, Mr. T. Seuret and Mr. L. Firman.

The five student members of the Committee include Paul Paularinne, Arnie Anzew, Paul Kennedy, Bob Gibson and Marja Zajac.

The Committee to represent Confederation College will comprise the following representation: five members of faculty, five members of administration and five members of the student body. Selection of the personnel is in progress and should be completed within the week.

Commission Statement

"A Statement of Issues" prepared by the Commission on Post-Secondary Education in Ontario have been forwarded to the University. This document includes questions about basic concepts of education and the educational system posed by the Commission. Some of these include "Why do we keep piling one year of schooling after another upon our students? Why is it necessary to assume that 'learning' must take place only when institutionalized? Why should professional associations be allowed to stipulate formal educational requirements instead of administering tests regardless of educational backgrounds? Is there any justification for the 'academic year'? What are the true implications of the universality for post-secondary education?" A few copies of this document are available from the office of Mr. B. Mason, Executive Assistant to the President.

Philanthropy Committee Report

The following report was received from the University Philanthropy Committee regarding the 1971 campaign for funds which recently concluded. A total of \$3,995.00 was raised through contributions from members of faculty and staff, and a breakdown of these contributions was made in accordance with the indication made by the donors.

United Appeal	\$2,755.00
Salvation Army	816.50
C.N.I.B.	25.00
Y.M.C.A. "P"	10.00
Y.M.C.A. "F"	10.00
Canadian Cancer Society	165.00
Canadian Respiratory Disease Assoc.	6.00
Canadian Red Cross	20.50
Multiple Sclerosis Society	57.00
T.B. Soc. for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals	130.00

TOTAL 3,995.00

For those contributors who have indicated that they wished to have their donation deducted through payroll, deductions will begin in December for a period of ten months, ending in September, 1971. The Committee wishes to thank all those who supported the University in its endeavors to raise funds for these worthy causes.

Design for Development

"Design for Development - Phase 2: Policy Recommendations" is now available for distribution to the residents of Northwestern Ontario. "Design for Development" is a program for regional development in Northwestern Ontario being initiated by the Government of Ontario, currently being prepared by the Regional Development Branch of Treasury and Economics.

In the preface, the report points out, that despite many natural advantages which are found in the Northwestern region of Ontario only 3.2 percent of Ontario's seven million people reside in the region, and that at this time, more people are leaving the region than are coming to it.

The report credits this situation to the "narrow range of employment opportunities in Northwestern Ontario, compared with southern Ontario and other fast-growing regions of Canada. It points out that in post-war years especially, the demand for forest and mineral resources contributed to a substantial population increase in the area. Today, however, economic expansion has entered into a highly technological phase. Industry is proving to be more urban and market-oriented than in the past, making it difficult for smaller and more isolated communities to remain in a competitive position in the attraction of new industry.

The Report includes chapters on the following: Regional Problems and Potential - Summary; Selection of Centres of Opportunity; Goals and Objectives; General Strategy Alternatives; Recommendations.

The study was financed on a shared cost basis under the Federal-Provincial Rural Development Agreement, and acknowledgement is made of the input of material from various sources at Lakehead University.

Copies of "Design for Development" are now available from Mrs. K. Smith, N.W.I.D.C., Room 201, News-Chronicle Building, Thunder Bay "P". Further information can be obtained by phoning 344-6111.

Awards

Miss Rita Hunt and Mr. Martin Prashaw, students in the Faculty of Education have been awarded Lambton County Fellowships to the value of \$1,500. each. The recipients of these Fellowships have agreed to teach in Lambton County for a period of two years.

An NRC Postgraduate Scholarship, valued at \$3,600 plus travel costs, was awarded to Mr. Peter Kaszar. Mr. Kaszar graduated from Lakehead University with First Class Honours in Psychology. He is presently studying Social Psychology at the University of Alberta in Edmonton. The Merit Award is renewable on the basis of continued high performance. Mr. Glen McLeod received an NRC Bursary of \$3,000 for research towards an M.Sc. in Chemistry. Mr. McLeod graduated with First Class Standing in the Spring of 1970, receiving an Honours B.Sc. in Chemistry. He is presently carrying out research under the direction of Dr. D. G. Holah and Dr. A. N. Hughes. Mr. McLeod plans to become a teacher upon the completion of his studies.

Appointment

Dr. Benjamin C. Y. Hui will be joining the Department of Chemistry on January 1st, 1971. Dr. Hui was born in Haiphong, Vietnam, received his Honours B.Sc. in Hong Kong and his Ph.D. from the University of British Columbia. Dr. Hui is presently with the Department of Chemical Engineering at the University of Waterloo.

Children's Party

The Lakehead University Women's Club is sponsoring the Annual Christmas Party for the children up to the age of 8, of all staff and faculty of the University. The party will take place in the Main Cafeteria on Sunday, December 20th, from 2:30 to 4:30 p.m. Entertainment and favours will be provided. There will be sing-songs and games for the kiddies, and Santa Claus has promised to drop in. In order that plans may be completed for this event, you are asked to notify Mrs. D. G. Holah of your intention to attend and indicate the number of children that will be coming. A small charge of 60¢ per child will help defray the expenses. Mrs. Holah's phone number is 683-8777 and she would appreciate your early response.

Alumni Society Meets

An executive meeting of the alumni society of Lakehead University was held last week in the council chambers of the university. The decision was made to continue with the annual award of \$600 in scholarships to students at Lakehead University, a continuation of the practice of past years of awarding money to a number of deserving students as an aid in continuing their studies. The names of those to whom the scholarships have been awarded will be released later.

A major policy change was made concerning the receipt of correspondence from the alumni society to the graduates of Lakehead. In previous years information was mailed to all graduates but because of an overwhelming pile-up of returned mail brought about by the lack of correct addresses, correspondence will be sent to only those alumni contributing membership subscription or to those indicating a wish to be on the mailing list.

All graduates are urged to make every effort to inform the executive of their correct addresses or those of any graduate whom they think will be interested in receiving information.

Membership subscriptions may be sent to the Alumni Lakehead University and a reminder of a couple of the benefits of being a card carrying member: admission to all A.M.S. functions at student rates and admission to all S.A.S. functions at student rates.

The next general meeting of the alumni will be on Tuesday, January 5th at the University (exact location to be announced later), all graduates are asked to make every effort to attend and also to inform others of the meeting.

France This Summer?

The French Department invites all students interested in the Summer School in France project to a meeting and film on Friday, December 11 at 7:00 p.m. in Room 1021, Main Building.

Members of the Department will be available to provide details, advice and answer any questions concerning the project.

The Summer School in France:

- will be offered at the University of Caen near Paris
- will cost each student a total of \$570.00 (including tuition)
- will offer university credits
- will include several weekend excursions to Paris, the Loire Valley, etc.

Coffee will be served and a French film, *La Chartreuse de Parme*, based on the 19th Century novel by Stendhal, will be shown to close the evening.

Campus Notes

Please note that the University will be closed on the following days:

Friday, December 25th, 1970

Monday, December 28th, 1970

Friday, January 1st, 1971

There are just a few tickets left for the University Christmas Dinner-Dance to be held December 19th. Dress is semi-formal. Tickets are priced at \$5.00 per person and are available from the Switchboard from Mrs. Linda Phillips and other members of Christmas party Committee.

The Lakehead University Women's Association will meet in the Faculty Lounge, Tuesday, December 15th at 8:15 p.m. Guests and members will be displaying various Christmas crafts, and there will be a raffle for some of these items at the close of the meeting.

LU WEEK takes a holiday break! The next issue will be published on Friday, January 8th. Information for this issue should be forwarded to the Information Office by 12:00 Noon on Wednesday, January 6th. We hope to be ready with a new and expanded format at that time. In the meantime from LU WEEK to every one of you, our Sincere Wishes for a Very, Very Joyous Christmas.

Weekly Events

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| Dec. 18 | 6 p.m. | Engineering Students Society Windup Aesthetic Lounge |
| | 8 p.m. | Nor'Westers Hockey vs. Alaska Methodist University Port Arthur Arena |
| | 8 p.m. | L.U. Basketball vs. Bethel College, Field House Faculty of Education Xmas Semi-Formal Dance. |
| Dec. 19 | 8 p.m. | L.U. Basketball vs. Bethel College, Field House. |
| Dec. 20 | 2:30 | Children's Xmas Party, Main Cafeteria. |
| Dec. 21 | 8 p.m. | L.U. Basketball vs. University of Guelph, Field House. |
| Dec. 22 | 8 p.m. | L.U. Basketball vs. University of Guelph, Field House |
| Dec. 27 | 8 p.m. | L.U. Hockey vs. Brandon University, P.A. Arena |
| Dec. 28 | 8 p.m. | L.U. Hockey vs. Brandon University, P.A. Arena High School Invitational Wrestling Meet, Field House |
| Dec. 29 | | High School Invitational Wrestling Meet, Field House |
| Dec. 31 | | AMS NEW YEARSEVE PARTY, Cafeteria |

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| Saturday | 9:30 | |
| Dec. 12 | a.m. | Meeting of the Senate, Senate Chamber |
| Tuesday | 8:15 | Lakehead University Women's Association |
| Dec. 15 | p.m. | Meeting Faculty Lounge |
| Wednesday | 10:00 | Faculty of Science Meeting, Senate Chamber |
| Dec. 16 | a.m. | |

Contact Lens - Would the student who reported the loss of a contact lens to the switchboard, please get in touch with them again. The lens has been located and is now being held at the switchboard to be claimed.

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