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## VARSIITY FULL TO CAPACITY

### Sudden Increase in Numbers

FIGURES for this year are not yet complete but so far about 880 students have registered. This represents an increase of 64 over last year's total, which can be accounted for by the increased number of first year students.

Not all students have registered, however, and some have yet to arrive. The results of the Rhodes and Matriculation supplementary examinations will probably balance things out by causing an equal number of unforeseen departures.

Already 740 students are in residence. Last year's figures for full-time (110) and part-time (25) oppidans are likely to be slightly exceeded this year.

Of the total number of students in residence, 440 are men and 290 women. Of these about 170 men and 150 women are new to the university.

#### BIGGEST STUDENT BODY SINCE 1949

The number at Rhodes this year is the greatest since the days of the ex-servicemen, immediately after the war. In 1947 there were 1100 registered students, of whom 950 were in residence. Accommodation was found for these hordes in Olive Schreiner, Milner, Drostdy Lodge, houses on the campus now occupied by members of staff and boarding-houses rented in town; all this in addition to the residences now in use. The numbers gradually decreased to an all-time low of 750 in 1950. This means that the last time the number was as large as this year's was probably 1949.

All the residences this year are full to capacity, and there are more men than can be accommodated in Smuts, Founders and Drostdy Halls, whose total capacity is 430. Some men are being temporarily housed in Olive Schreiner and the Sanatorium. This "san." accommodation is the most temporary, these students being officially on the books of Cory House, though they could actually move into any house of Founders Hall as soon as accommodation becomes available. The men in Olive Schreiner will eventually move into Drostdy.

Those who are living in the "san." are said to be reluctant to leave for the normal residences. Could the reason be that conditions there are so much more conducive to work, or possibly that they are allowed to entertain women students in their visitors' room until 8.30 in the evenings?

The women's residences, too, are crammed. St. Mary's Hall which last year housed 116, now has 127. This has meant that some rooms have been converted to doubles; visitors' rooms and senior studies are also occupied. In Oriel Hall bicycle rooms, the night warden's flat, inkettes' duty rooms, ironing rooms, and spare guest rooms have had to be occupied. There has been an increase

of 38 over last year's total of 137 students in the Hall. Of this year's total 81 are new to Rhodes (71 inkettes and 10 graduates from other universities). More students than usual have remained to do post-graduate courses this year.

In spite of the packed residences, classes could still have greater numbers.

In Jan Smuts House there are 137 men students, of whom 115 are inks and 22 freshers. This high proportion of freshers in Smuts is due to there being no accommodation elsewhere. In other residences there are 28 freshers, Cory being the only house with no new men.

Most of the freshers are either doing Pharmacy, Divinity or the course for the University Education Diploma.

The new course in Pharmacy is the only one leading to a University degree which is open to English-speaking students in the Union. The latter were previously only able to obtain a diploma in Pharmacy at a Technical College. A similar course is offered to Afrikaans students at Potchefstroom University.

The institution of this course is undoubtedly one of the main reasons for the high proportion of freshers among this year's new men. Since the two years' apprenticeship necessary may be served either before or after the first year of study, there are also a number of inks taking the course. In all there are 28 first year and two second year students who are doing Pharmacy, among these being eight women.

Of this year's new women, there are about forty who have enrolled for the course in Secretarial Practice which was inaugurated last year with 15 students.

#### INCREASE IN NUMBER OF RHODESIANS

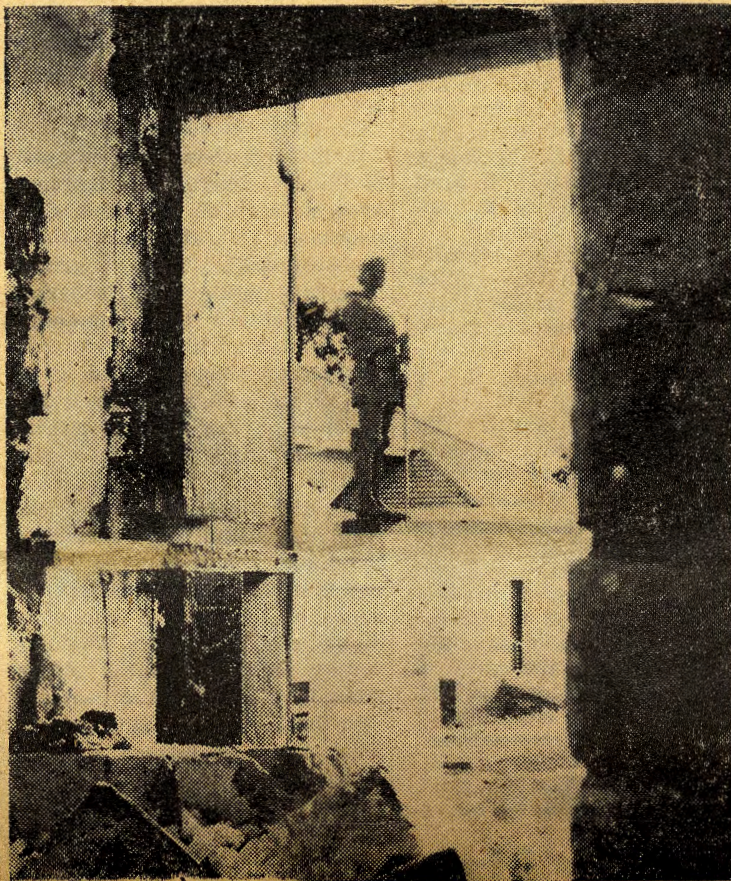
It may be of interest to Rhodesians to know that the number of new men in Smuts from the Federation is 35, an increase of ten on last year's total. Once the

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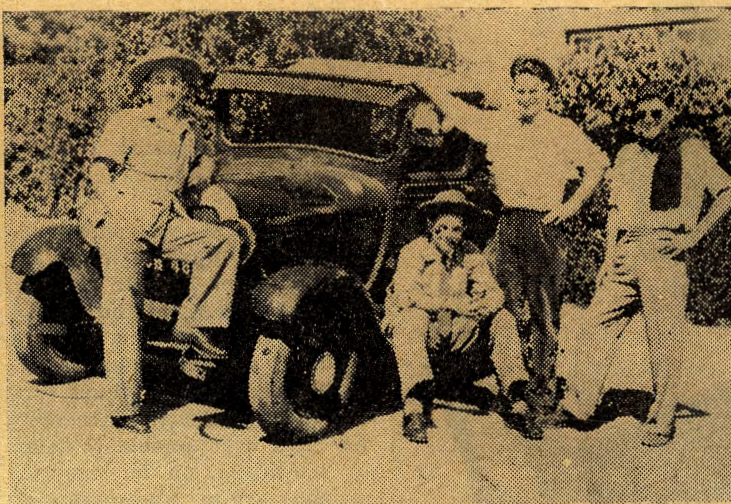
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### Action at S.R.C. General Meeting

At a general meeting of students in the GLT on Wednesday, 14th March, the question of Academic non-segregation was once again discussed... this time with an added urgency. After a spirited discussion an Action Committee was appointed, consisting of three members of the SRC, Jan Breitenbach, Bill Yeowart and Diana Hermans, mandated by the student body to act in accordance with the motion, passed earlier, protesting against the violation of University autonomy. A motion of full confidence in the Action Committee was passed from the floor.

As the Separate Universities Bill had already come up before the House, the necessity was felt for vigorous and concerted protest from Rhodes students, together with the Senate and staff, if possible, and together with Fort Hare, which under the Bill is to be removed from Rhodes and placed under the control of the Department of Native Affairs. The Action Committee was mandated to visit Fort Hare as soon as possible to try and secure their support. Various courses of action were suggested from the floor, press statements, processions, a petition, even deputations to the Minister, and close co-operation with the student protest movement at Wits and UCT was urged.

The appointment of the Action Committee would seem to mark the turning point in the ebb-tide of Rhodes apathy. Students have shown that in a time of crisis they will not be prevented from choosing a side, and supporting it, by geographical isolation and the fact that they are not as directly involved as are Wits and UCT.

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## EDITORIAL

Graduation gives us an opportunity to welcome back those who have successfully completed their University careers. Academic maturity and friendly reunions will no doubt be celebrated with the usual high spirits. The editors congratulate the graduands and wish them every success in their future careers. We cannot expect every one of them to be the personification of Newman's ideal product of a University education, but we trust that in their dealings with the world, they will continue to make the name of Rhodes a byword for culture and courtesy. We sincerely hope that Grad will not be the last time that they are seen on the Rhodes campus.

For those who have just entered the University, Graduation represents, in one way, the goal to which they will be striving during their years at Rhodes. The Cap and Gown are the symbols of academic achievement only—we believe that a University education will equip them with more than the qualifications necessary for the calling of their choice: to use a rather hackneyed phrase, "it teaches one how to live."

Much has been said about the Separate Universities Bill throughout the country. By the time this paper appears, Rhodians will have been privileged to hear speakers from both camps giving their views on the subject. Whatever the eventual outcome of the various protests and appeals might be, the Editors of RHODEO wish to say that they fully support, in every aspect, the stand taken by the Universities of Cape Town and the Witwatersrand; that they most strongly deprecate the interference with the time-honoured traditional ideal of University autonomy; and that they offer as much of the space in the paper available to them to the cause of publicising what they consider to be the most dangerous and retrograde step yet taken in the field of higher education

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# The World With Us

By "NOD"

"Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of the party". The beginning of any university year is a time for celebrations of various kinds. There are Grad. parties, private Rag parties and parties for those who have just received the results of their supplementary examinations. The last-mentioned are held whether the candidate has passed or not, in jubilation or desperation.

But all this speculation is only misinterpretation of Paul Revere's famous typing exercise. What he had in mind was a POLITICAL party. This changes the whole complexion of the matter from one of celebration to one of alienation. For a politician is, by the very nature of his calling, a man alone; he is separated from his constituents by the barriers of democracy. These consist in the nomination, campaigning, election and, finally, his "seat" which for some years, at least, he alone may occupy.

Think then how lucky we are at Rhodes, where these barriers of democracy do not exist. Our politicians . . . live with their "constituents". This constant mingling with the common people delivers the university politician from his isolation, but at the same time does him out of the respect, false though it be, which seems naturally to accrue to the habitual politician of the outside world. This politician who enters in open competition, with a modicum of success has the dubious satisfaction of knowing that he has won the confidence of the weaker side of a motley crowd of voters. The university politician on the other hand in his race for a seat on, say, the S.R.C., is taking part in what might be termed a non-status race. The term "non-status" may need some explanation; I borrow it from rowing parlance. Oarsmen are of various statuses according to the number of races they have won. The only races which are called status-races are those in which participation is not restricted to a certain group of oarsman. Thus South African Intervarsity regattas consist of non-status races only. My point is that the university politician must look up to his counterpart in the field of open competition, without enjoying a reciprocal recognition.

Every student who enters a university is urged to make an effort to adapt himself to his new environment; at the same time everything is done to help him in his self-adaptation. Many are the sad stories which can be told of prospective students who have been unable to take this self-adaptation far enough, but many are the tragic tales of those who have practically sold their souls to their Alma Mater. The latter are those whose whole scale of values, whose whole physical and mental efforts are concentrated round their own university. The only solution to the problem which arises from these centrifugally-driven students' seizures, is to adopt an attitude of insularity. This would disregard completely the outside world.

One of the few contacts we would maintain with those not wholly involved in education could be by means of the cinema. Wynken, lately returned from a debauched vac. in Johannesburg and Durban, has been enthusing over the John Huston production of Melville's "Moby Dick". This version follows the book closely, and reflects the complete domination of Captain Ahab, who is brilliantly portrayed by Gregory Peck. Orson Welles as Father Mapple is

good Orson Welles! Leo Genn creates a Starbuck whose God-fearing humility shines through although it is not recognized by the demented Ahab. The film is full of exciting incident, and the reconstruction of the whale-hunting scenes is most convincing. Every part of the film adds to the dramatic effect; for instance, the colour technique is one of subdued yet living colours, the grey-green of the sea seems to reflect vividly the tragic tension which builds up through the film. At the H.M. in April. A must-see!

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

### Rhodes Senate

Dear Sir,

In this letter we are attempting to convey what we believe to be the general feeling of students towards the actions of the Rhodes Senate concerning student affairs. It is our opinion that absence of effective contact between Senate and students has been the cause of dissatisfaction and some irritation among the students.

Our presence at university undoubtedly implies a striving towards a rational and also responsible outlook. At Rhodes there is the situation where decisions of the Senate affecting students are unaccompanied by anything like a reasoned explanation. Consequently the student, without knowledge of the other point of view, is denied the opportunity to form a rational view of matters. He is conscious that this implies a contradiction of the aims of his university training.

We consider therefore, that to counter the appearance of high-handedness in the Senate's actions, there should be more effective liaison between Senate and students. We submit that two members of the S.R.C. should attend meetings of the Senate which concern the student body. Would not this have the effect of

(a) increasing the Senate's practical insight into student problems, and

(b) giving the students a confidence in Senate policy, bred by more intimate knowledge of the Senate point of view?

Yours faithfully,

D. P. DE WAAL,  
G. B. CRANKSHAW.

### General Meeting

Dear Sir,

Has Rhodes woken up at last? Since I have been at Rhodes I have seldom been to such a lively and successful General Meeting as the one in the GLT on March 14th. May I congratulate Jan Breitenbach on his tactful chairmanship and the students on the energy and high standard of their discussion.

Yours faithfully,

WILBERFORCE.

Give a woman an inch and she will wear it as a bathing suit.

# STEKEL RIDES AGAIN

Hail friends! This is your old enemy Stekel, groping her way through the influx of hooped petticoats and juvenile faces to bring you this term's news, views and clues.

Our new batch of chickens seems to be under the thumb of the S.R.C., which is making its influence felt in no uncertain manner—but don't worry, dears, you have your SHEPHERD to look after you. It's rumoured that the seniors will have to move the chairs after dances in future. After a hectic vac. and several firsts, HENRIETTA is still KUIPERING around, while KEN has become a permanent fixture using his ARM (STRONG) to lift the bottle! Who gave Little Joe the tip off, Ken? MARY BRILL doesn't buy expensive lipstick any more—she spends her money on stamps. There appears to be a BUDDING romance between FORMAN and the Austin-Healey, while JOAN has found a comfortable seat in a Peugeot! BERNEY'S Anglia echoes to the sounds of "NAY-OH-ME!" Poor MARGOT, she must find it difficult to last out until Wednesday nights.

Sportswoman of 1956, SUE has reformed—that's not very sporting, is it? BUNSEN and WYN-TOUN are challengers for this year's HAIG cup.

### INKY BALL

The highlight of the term so far has been Inky Ball, which attracted Inky Inks, Blotto Blots and Seniors who breathed fumes over the quailing Inkettes lining the walls. We saw SALLY-NAN STRUTTING with Rhodes' best dancers, but what is it about ROLEY she doesn't like? LEONIE was rather FOXY and made REIN her MARK, while JENNY PEARCED her way through the crowd to find GUS. DES COLBOURNE did the rounds—do you know all the Inkettes now, Des? If so, is LORNA your choice? LULU seems to fancy DIES, especially blonde, but he has found that there is someone finer than DINAH. LEIGH showed us a WALSH without shoes—remember, you're a big girl now!

The seniors were poorly represented this year, and conspicuous by their absence were LIL, AVRIL and SYLVIA; what seems to be the trouble; Inkettes? We noticed ANNE wasn't looking so GREEN with JAN. DIPPY tried to "veni, vedi, VICKY" but it was too LUYT. "Oh shock" is EDITH ALL-NUTTS over CHRIS? JEAN is really going through the ROLAND MILLS; BEEF was PARKIN' (S) ON HAZEL; consort NAGLE escorted Queen BESS; ROTH seemed loath to part with GILL so they're still making a virtuous couple.

### QUESTION CORNER

Question of the week: will BERNEY or THEO play wing for firsts this year?

Does POOF go as chaperone in the TR3? What's that GAL GLENDA GUT that fascinated ESSERY? and now HAMISH? Will the latest styles, v.z. spotted fingernails and artificial hair sweep the campus? Is JILL FOR(ANY)MAN or is she going DIPPY? Will CLIFF be a typical BOARDMAN this year with JAN? What's in a name? Quite a lot, apparently; we've noticed PETE's partiality for PAMS. Is ERICA as cozy as they make out, or is she just plain COLEY? Is it true that ANDRE is DI-ing—what does HELEN say?



# Marginal Comment

● — By "SPECTATOR" — ●

Had the text of the Separate Universities Bill been available before the General Meeting held on the 14th March, the question of Academic Non-segregation might have been discussed with still greater heat and conviction. The terms of the Bill make it clear that no member of any University can now pretend to be unaffected. In outline, the Bill lays down that the proposed new non-white universities may be established or disestablished by the Minister; that they should have a Council of not less than three, nominated by the Governor-General, a Senate appointed by the Minister, who will prescribe its functions, powers, duties and procedure. Fort Hare (like the Natal Medical School) will be transferred into the power of the Department of Native Affairs; its staff will be appointed by and may be dismissed at the discretion of the Minister. Section 21 (3) makes this clause retroactive, any past misconduct of a member of staff will be deemed as present.

Most offensive of all is Section 28 and what follows. In the new universities the Minister will have the power to "appoint, promote, transfer or discharge staff," or "transfer to a lower grade," and the definition of what construes 'misconduct,' and its consequences, make up a large portion of the Bill. Apart from negligence or indolence, inefficiency or incompetence, improper conduct, addiction to intoxicants or drugs, insolvency (or 'pecuniary embarrassment'), accepting bribes, disclosure of 'confidential information' — a member of University staff will be liable to dismissal if he "publicly comments adversely upon the administration of any Department of Government," causes, permits or connives at "prejudice or injury to any Government Department," "propagates any idea or takes part in or identifies himself with any propaganda or activity or acts in a manner calculated:

i) to cause or promote antagonism amongst any section of the population against any other section of the population of the Union.

ii) to impede, obstruct or undermine activities of any Government Department".

The Ministers involved, apparently, will interpret what constitutes 'propaganda calculated to undermine the activities of any Government Department'; in addition they will have to be versatile enough to decide the competence of a lecturer in, say, French, or Physics or Fine Arts. If such courses as Social Anthropology or History or Political Science are to be offered at all, only versions in accordance with Governmental or Departmental policy will be acceptable. How long will it be before this censorship is extended to the English-speaking Universities... all Universities? Can you have two versions of History being taught in the same country?

The closing of the Mission Schools, the Transvaal language medium school system, the dismissal of various University lecturers, have ceased to incense; now the freedom of the Universities to administer their internal affairs, to accept students or dismiss staff, is directly threatened. The progression follows a

pattern similar to that of anti-Semitic legislation in certain totalitarian countries. First of all, no Jew who openly opposed the Government was allowed to become a houseman at a hospital, lecture at a university, hold an official position, etc. At first there was an outcry; then the public became accustomed. Then no Jew who did not actively support the Government was allowed to become a houseman, then no Jew at all; finally, no one who did not support the Government could practise medicine or enter a University or hold any position at all.

We cannot counter extremism with moderation, and absence of active, vocal public protest means connivance and acceptance. This Bill does more than enforce apartheid: it countenances, even stipulates, indoctrination; it threatens freedom of speech and thought, imposes strict Civil Service limitations on knowledge. 'Separate but equal' now has a sinister ring: if the staff of the non-white universities are so dependent on the Minister for their positions, their salaries, their subject matter, there can be no question of equality. But if 'separate but equal' is to be taken literally, the same limitations are to be applied to us as well.

The silence of the Afrikaans-medium Universities, we presume, may be taken as agreement in a matter as vital as this. Since they are already segregated they are not directly involved: no Government has threatened them with enforced non-segregation, or laid down that a lecturer would be liable for dismissal if he did not teach freedom. There are several principles involved; even if they cannot oppose the Bill on the grounds of apartheid or infringement of University autonomy, surely they, with their fierce tradition of independence and non-compromise, are morally obliged to object to coercion?

The non-white will have no choice;...if he goes to University at all he will have to go to the one provided for his ethnic group, he will have to accept the doctrines of his ministerially-appointed lecturers or be sent down by his ministerially-appointed Senate. In view of the situation and outlook, any non-white support of the student protest is an act of tremendous courage...so much is at stake: probably his career, his chances of appointment, his prospects. The onus for concerted, unified, wholehearted protest rests with us.

If this Bill is passed, what will be the next step?

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## From Teddy Boys to Rhodes

Miss Joy Wheeldon, the new lecturer in Sociology, was herself a student at Rhodes, completing her B. Soc. Sc. here in 1944. Since then she has been doing social work overseas and in Johannesburg.

In Johannesburg she came into contact with many different social problems, particularly those involving vagrants who are addicted to drugs and alcohol. These people, for whom work holds no particular attraction, find that begging is a lucrative pursuit—and a convincing beggar may collect as much as £4 on a good day.

In England Miss Wheeldon's work necessitated her mixing with Teddy Boys—the good and the bad. One cannot form an opinion of these youths unless one has had considerable experience in working with them, and Miss Wheeldon herself would not commit herself at all in this respect. Rhodians will no doubt be aware of the origins of the term "Teddy Boy," but may not know that some of them spend as much as £50 and more on their clothes. The original Ed-

Miss Wheeldon enjoys choral and dramatic work and is fond of modern dancing; she says that ever since she saw the musical "Salad Days" in London she has hoped to see it done here at Rhodes.

## NUSAS Letter

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ridicule in academic circles everywhere.

In addition, segregated colleges tend to become hotbeds of exclusive nationalism. Considerable research into this problem in the United States of America has revealed that: "Segregation leads to a social climate within which violent outbreaks of racial tension are likely to occur." (Article in "New York Times" 18/5/54, discussing the findings of sociologists on academic segregation in America).

In contradistinction to the likely growth of nationalism in tribal colleges, the students of the open Universities can testify to a long history of inter-racial understanding and harmony which can only have been for the good of South Africa.

We believe that the present situation in South Africa, in which there are Universities to suit all personal preferences, is conducive to tolerance and understanding. While there may well be a large section of the population which prefers segregation, there is also a considerable section of the South African population which has declared its preference for non-segregated higher education. Both sections of the population are adequately served by the existing Universities, and to force either group to accept the policy of the other is not in the best traditions of University practice.

The Government's policy in regard to the Universities offends against ideals which we, as students, cherish very dearly and sincerely, and we would accordingly urge you, even at this late hour, to consider the plea of the Students' Representative Council of the University of Cape Town, made yesterday, and adopt the statesmanlike course of bowing to public opinion and withdrawing this legislation.

Yours faithfully,  
E. M. Wentzel,  
President.

## PROFILE

JAN BREITENBACH hails from Fort Cox Agricultural College where his father is a member of staff. Jan went to Dale College where he was a school prefect ("very sober"), and where he obtained a first-class Matric. His hobby was Philately, which he was forced to abandon when he came to Rhodes: and he also indulged in river fishing during his holidays much to the disgust of his mother, who objected strenuously to the quantities of eels which he brought into the house.

He arrived at Varsity as an Ink in 1952 and was accommodated in Matthews House. His first and most shattering experience of the wiles of the Assass was to walk into his room to find that all the screws had been removed from his door. On opening said door, it fell violently onto his bedside table and smashed it. Ever since that date Jan has been noted for his caution.

In 1953 he began his career in the ranks of officialdom by being elected Chairman of the Afrikaanse Studentevereeniging, a post which he has held ever since. He has also taken leading parts in all plays produced by the Afrikaans Society, filling the position of producer as well in 1954. In his third year Jan was elected to the S.R.C. on which body he served along with such well-known Rhodians as L. C. Davies, Liz Naser, Murray Biggs and Di Hermans.

1954 saw him pass his B.A. with a double first in History and Maths, and in the following year he went off to Jan Smuts as a Student Counsellor and did U.E.D., obtaining a distinction in Practice of Teaching. At the end of the year he was offered the post of Senior Mathematics Master at Queen's College but on being awarded a Shell Graduate Scholarship he decided to return to Founders to do the Honours course in History.

At the end of last year he spent six weeks with Barry Goedhals in the U.K. on an Abe Bailey Travel Bursary. It was in London that Jan had his most embarrassing experience — on being jostled by a man in the Tube, he swore gently but fluently at the chap in Afrikaans only to be met with a stream of invective in the same language. One of his most enjoyable evenings was spent pub-crawling with Koos Gerber on Christmas Eve. When the two of



JAN BREITENBACH

them encountered a concentration of Teddy-Boys in Trafalgar Square Jan took shelter behind Mr. Gerber's broad back and says that he has never felt safer in his life.

While overseas he heard that he had been reawarded the Shell Scholarship and thereupon decided to return and read for the Master's degree in History. His thesis has the imposing title of "John Montague, Secretary to the Government of the Cape: 1843—1853".

In addition to being senior student of Founders Hall he is holding down the responsible post of Chairman of the S.R.C., and hopes to proceed overseas at the end of this year or next year to study for a Ph.D.

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# N.U.S.A.S. President Appeals to Premier

A copy of the following letter was received by the Editors a few days before "Rhodeo" went to press. In view of the wide publicity being afforded the question of segregation in the Universities at the present moment, it was felt well worth while to print the letter in its entirety. It is dated the 13th March, 1957, and is addressed to the Prime Minister.

Sir,  
This letter is addressed to you on behalf of the National Union of South African Students, representing over 10,000 students at Universities and Colleges throughout South Africa, to express our most solemn protest against the University Apartheid Bill, which was read for the first time in the House of Assembly on Monday.

We regard the question of segregation in the Universities as raising a matter of the highest public importance, and we feel obliged, therefore, to raise the matter with you as Prime Minister, and not merely with the Minister of Education, Arts and Science. In any event, our consistent appeals to the Minister of Education to give due consideration to our sincerely-held opposition, have all been of no avail. The Minister has told us that he will not discuss his policy with us because "apartheid is the declared policy of the Government," and he has recently stated that he would only receive representations through University Councils.

We consider, however, that the views of the student bodies are worthy of consideration on their own account, although, in the main, they may well accord entirely with the viewpoints of the respective University Councils.

As the responsible officer of the Government, you will undoubtedly want to give every consideration to that large body of public opinion which is so sincerely opposed to your policy of University apartheid. It is not unusual for Governments in de-

## SEVEN S.R.C.'s IN FULL SUPPORT

mocracies to ignore the viewpoint of any substantial section of public opinion, or even of minorities.

In the past few months, the following representative student organisations in South Africa have re-affirmed their opposition to any interference in the Universities:—

**University of Cape Town Students' Representative Council;**

**University of the Witwatersrand Students' Representative Council;**

**University of Natal (Durban section) Students' Representative Council;**

**University of Natal (Non-European section) Students' Representative Council;**

**University of Natal (Pietermaritzburg) Students' Representative Council.**

**Rhodes University Students' Representative Council;**

**University College of Fort Hare Students' Representative Council.**

In addition to the opposition to apartheid so consistently expressed over the past 9 years by the students at these Universities, all sections of the open Universities of Cape Town and the Witwatersrand — Councils, Senates, Lecturers, students and Convocations—are entirely opposed to any Government interference in the Universities. Moreover, the University of Natal, now that it is clear that its interests are also grievously affected by the legislation, has also added its weight to the considerable body of opinion against the legislation.

We would reiterate that the opposition of the open Universities and now the Universities of Natal and Rhodes as well, has always been based on a sincere regard for the highest principles of University education. It therefore disturbs us that the Minister of Education should hint at

there being a "leftish" element behind the students' protests. We take strong exception to this type of innuendo particularly in that there have been allegations in the Government-supporting press that the student campaign is being conducted by a minority of students, with Jewish students in the lead.

The students who are opposed to apartheid in the Universities feel that they have a right to express their legitimate opposition to the Government's legislation, and we regard any imputation of insincere motives on our part as being quite unjustified.

The announcement of the Government's intentions in regard to the Durban Medical School and the University College of Fort Hare have made it clear that the enforcement of University apartheid does not only mean an interference in the internal affairs of the open Universities. In fact, apartheid is certainly not the only principle involved in the legislation introduced on Monday. The Medical School at Durban is entirely segregated, as was arranged with the Government at the time of its institution, and Fort Hare is also entirely segregated. We consider that the Government's Bill establishes control over all higher education in South Africa. **It effectively removes any independence which the Universities had in the past, and puts them in a position of subservience to Government policy.** This will particularly be true of those Universities which will fall directly under the control of Government departments, a policy which seems unprecedented in the Western world.

The Minister of Education, Arts and Science himself admitted that the enforcement of apartheid by legislation would be a violation of the traditional independence of South African Universities. ("Cape Times" 19/9/51). We would suggest that the Minister's statement on that occasion accorded with accepted standards throughout the Western world. The late Dr. T. B. Davie, when Principal of the University of Cape Town, described the ancient autonomous rights of the University in the Western world as being "the four essential freedoms" — the **freedom of a University to decide what to teach, whom to teach, how to teach and who shall teach.**

In fact, the existence of corporations autonomous in their own spheres, has always been regarded as one of the guarantees of personal freedom and a safeguard for individual liberty which has become part and parcel of the Western tradition. The Universities have always been in the forefront of such independent corporations. The only precedent that comes to mind for interference in Universities

are examples from totalitarian regimes, notably Nazi Germany, Fascist Italy and the Communist countries, and the only examples of the exclusion of students on racial grounds in modern times would seem to be the Southern States of America and Nazi Germany.

Universities have never claimed an absolute autonomy. The State has a legitimate interest in the finance and general administration of a University, but Governments in the Western world, unless such Governments have shown unmistakable signs of totalitarian leanings, have only, with the utmost circumspection, ever interfered in the four essential freedoms outlined by the late Dr. Davie.

With respect, one would suggest that the onus lies very heavily with the Government to justify an interference in the Universities, as this University Apartheid Bill obviously implies. The Government have not yet stated those overriding considerations of public policy which justify them in disregarding this tradition. As was made clear by the University of Natal, the Government have not even consulted the Universities in regard to their proposed policies.

In their book, "The Open Universities in South Africa", the Universities of Cape Town and the Witwatersrand have stated that the aim and essence of a University is the search for truth. It is this aim which distinguishes the University from other corporations devoted to education. **The search for truth requires a high degree of honesty and an intellectual climate amenable to objective research. The open Universities consider that such a climate is only possible when the Universities include the widest possible cross-section of the population as students.** This desire of Universities for a cosmopolitan and heterogeneous character is a well-tried tradition in Western Universities, as is so aptly illustrated by the history of the ancient Universities of Europe, which even today lay great stress on the presence of foreign students.

This heterogeneous character is the ideal climate for preventing the development of conformity for conformity's sake, which is so stifling to independent thought. The fundamental purpose of a University education is to teach the student the power of independent thought, which is the basis of all progress in science and creative work.

**It is the considered view of the open Universities that their function in seeking the truth is best served when there is present on the campus a student body composed of students of all races, religions, backgrounds and cultures.**

Besides the purely academic

advantages to be found in the classrooms, it is the opinion of the students of the open Universities that the presence of Non-European students has produced an attitude of mutual respect which is found nowhere else in the Union. Only by this close association as students at the same University, can a proper respect for one another's ideas be fostered. **Whatever the future of our country may hold for us, it does seem obvious that**

Picture on right shows members of the swimming club who started training. They are Averil Dickens (vice-capt.), Brian Thiel and Brian Heath (capt.).

some co-operation and interchange of ideas between men of different races will always be required, and a University seems the logical place for this at least to start.

Probably the most serious objection of all to University apartheid is that the enforcement of apartheid by legislation will mean that the Universities are being coerced into supporting the racialist doctrines upon which this policy is based. The duty of a University is not to conform to any party-political ideology, but as has been so often repeated, to seek the truth.

Great play has been made in the Government-supporting press of the fact that there is a measure of social segregation at the open Universities. This social segregation has never been denied by these Universities, and was in fact openly admitted in their recently-published book. Particularly at the University of Cape Town, the social relationship of the students has been a matter for the individual conscience of each student and has never been the subject of University rules and regulations. A practice of social segregation has grown up, but nonetheless, the Non-European students are firmly of the view that they would rather go to an open University despite these drawbacks, than be forced to attend a segregated College. We would suggest that, if the Government are sincere in their desire to provide separate facilities of a true University character, they should establish these separate Universities and leave the choice to the Non-European students whether they would prefer to attend the open Universities despite social segregation, or a tribal college at which all facilities are available.

There is grave doubt in our minds whether these tribal colleges can ever be equal to the facilities at present enjoyed at either the University of Cape Town and the Witwatersrand or the University of Natal and Fort Hare. In their book, the open Universities clearly state that they consider separate facilities inherently unequal. **One finds it difficult to conceive of a true University education being fostered in a University controlled by a Government department, whether that be the Department of Native Affairs or the Department of Education.** The Universities controlled by Government departments would of necessity be forced to conform to Government policy. They would not have the independence of Universities throughout the Western world, and would be held in

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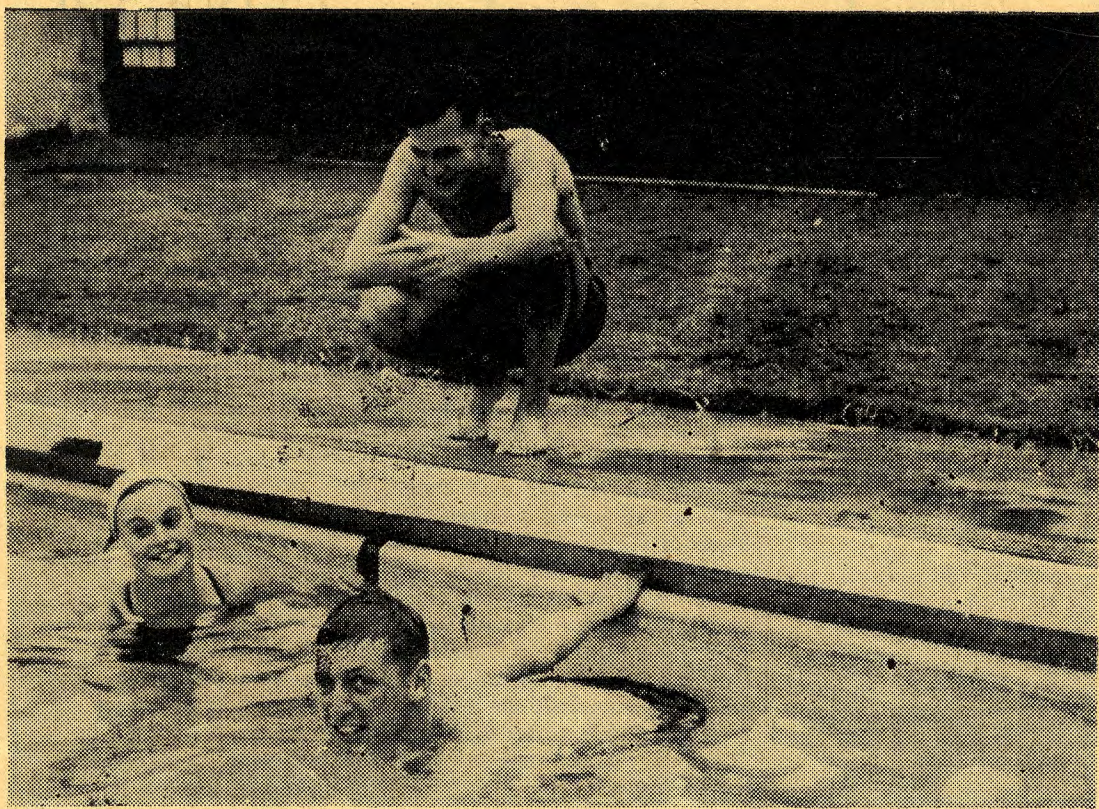
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## Swimming Intervarsity at Rhodes

The 27th Annual Swimming Intervarsity was held at Rhodes from Thursday 6th to Saturday 8th December, 1956. It was a gala which will be remembered for its social activity rather than for any notable achievements in the pool. This does not mean that there were no outstanding performances. "Buster" McLachlan of Natal broke his own S.A. Universities butterfly record and this was not the only record set up during the "meet". These were admirable performances as it rained during the three days of actual competition.

The only Rhodes swimmer to achieve real distinction was Averil Dickens, who came third in the women's 100 and 440 yards championships. Averil was also chosen for the Combined Varsity Team which met E.P. on the Saturday. Brian Heath made it a family affair by reaching the finals in the men's 220 and 440 yards championships. The remainder of the Rhodes swimmers put up indifferent performances with the exception of the divers, Phoebe Omer-Cooper and Neil Papenfus. Both dived well and were unlucky not

to be placed in their respective events.

Wits. were the winners of three trophies; the Roberts Shield for the overall competition (for the 23rd time in succession), the Harry Getz Trophy for the Water Polo and the Ferguson Cup for the men's competition. The women's competition was won by Pretoria, whose team included Santa Pienaar and Felicity Loveday.

The Rhodes water polo team, which was sadly depleted by withdrawals, was unable to hold its' own against more experienced teams.

Greatest praise goes to Brian Thiel and Phoebe Omer-Cooper for the heavy task of organising the gala so well. Their tireless efforts are known only to a few, and the success of the gala was a just reflection of their labours.

The new swimming season is showing promise of revival in the club. Under the very able captaincy and vice-captaincy of Brian Heath and Averil Dickens, and with a number of new swimmers among the first years, Rhodes should take its place among the leading swimming universities.

## A preview of 1957 rugby

With nine of last year's regular first team players back and Pete Snyder probably playing again the prospects certainly look good. Hamish McGregor could also be an asset if he gets fit and produces the form which earned him the Vice-Captaincy of E.P. U.19 in 1953. Lochardt Pringle (ex-Stellenbosch U.19A) might well fill the scrum-half position vacated by that plucky player Colin Wright. Derek Kyle seems to be a likely contender for the full-back position, but if we can find a faster centre Keith Starke would be an obvious choice. There seems however to be a complete dearth of locks that could add some weight to the scrum. However since Rhodes invariably has to combat the weight of Midlands packs with fitness and mobility one might well play Van Zyl and McGregor or Stone at lock.

Pete Searle's brilliant performances last year and the wealth of experience he must have gained on the Combined Varsity overseas tour earned him the Captaincy of the 1st XV. Rob Pringle's sterling performances as a No. 8 at the end of last season made him a popular choice as Vice-Captain. Bill Yeowart has taken on the onerous task of secretary and Arthur Cotton and Neil Jardine make up the rest of this year's committee. May we wish them and the rest of the Rugby Club every success in the coming season.

## TENNIS

The men's tennis club has the good fortune of having all of last year's first six back at Rhodes again. Apart from this we have two talented newcomers in L. Pringle and Comrie. With this material Rhodes should be able to field a good, well balanced team which, under the able captaincy of Colin Pringle, should produce excellent tennis.

The women's team has lost Margie Farrer and Jean Acheson but with Ruth Collett, Pam Sharp and the Neame sisters back and Inkettes Wendy Maclear (O.F.S. Juniors) and Lorna Vermey to fill in the gaps the team could be stronger than it has been for some years. Ruth Collett, Pam Sharp and Jennifer Neame are on this year's committee. They have already been busy sorting out a team to compete for the Knight Shield. Inkettes Kelly, Maclear, Tewinkle Davidson, Pallister and Taberer beat D.S.G. in the first match by 78 games to 43. In fairness to D.S.G. it should be said that the match was a good deal closer than the score indicates. The Rhodes team showed considerable enthusiasm and should be able to follow up this success by beating T.C. and V.G. in the two remaining matches.

### PROVINCIAL SELECTIONS

Towards the end of last year Pam Sharp represented E.P. in a match against Border. E.P. lost 4-18 with Pam featuring in two of the four by winning her singles and mixed doubles. Margie Farrer and Pam Sharp also played in an E.P. competition on the 18th November and won more than half of their matches.

## What's New

The latest in Rhodes Sport is the formation of a Gymnastics Club by Mr. Ken Armstrong, a Phys. Ed. student of some standing. The idea behind this move is to provide facilities for those outside the Phys. Ed. Dept. who are nevertheless interested in Gymnastics. At the moment there are twelve keen starters but another half dozen would be welcome. In time, if the standard is high enough members of the club might well compete in South African and Provincial Gymnastics Championships. Their activities will include demonstrations which are bound to be a great attraction.

## CLOSE-UP

As this Profile was being formulated the news came through that Millie Mankowitz has been elected a Rag Princess for 1957—congrats, Millie, it couldn't happen to a nicer girl!

Millie arrived at Rhodes fresh from Kaffrarian Girl's High School, where she was Head Girl. She was very reticent when questioned about her accomplishment there, but in the end admitted to having been Captain of Tennis and Netball and Vice-Captain of Hockey—as well as having played for Border Schools at Hockey for two successive years. She made a name for herself by being one of the most "talkative and naughty" girls at the school, but apparently this had no detrimental effect on her work for in 1954 she screamed home with a first-class Matric. She didn't spend all her time on the sports-fields or in the classroom by any means—Dramatics attracted her and she took the lead in a play which won the Border Area Drama Festival.

Millie continued her star-studded career at Rhodes while still an Inkette in J.K., playing 1st team Hockey and occasionally being seen with Pete de Jongh. Nevertheless she found it fairly difficult to settle down until her second year, when she went to both the Hockey and Squash Intervarsity. It was at the latter that she was initiated



MILLIE MANKOWITZ

into the noble art of beerdrinking by Pete Stokes and Rufus Dreyer—she swears blind that she hasn't had a drop since! While at N.U.C. for the Squash the girls had to make their own beds, and consequently they slept in unmade beds for the duration of the Intervarsity. At the Hockey Intervarsity Millie had her most embarrassing time—she got cut on the chin and was unable to speak for five days.

This year Millie is doing her B.A. finals, majoring in History and Politics, and is finding her leisure moments fairly crowded with her duties as House Committee Member in St. Mary's, Secretary of "The Rhodent" and Vice-Captain of the Squash Club. As a versatile sports-woman and an extremely attractive and popular personality, Millie should go far in later life.

**Likes:** Charles Fortune, loafing and laughing.

**Dislikes:** St. Mary's vegetables, Grahamstown weather and lectures.

**Inkettes:** Lucky men!

**Inks:** No comment.

**Rhodes:** Wouldn't change to a different University for the world.

**Pushing:** For the birds.

## RECENT CRICKET FIXTURES

### VS. ST. AIDAN'S

In an exciting finish Rhodes managed to beat St. Aidan's in their friendly cricket fixture played at the Great Field on Sunday 10th March. With the St. Aidan's last pair, Fitzsimons and Mcleish at the crease and the clock showing four minutes left for play, Bland succeeded in enticing Mcleish to give a difficult catch to wicket-keeper Harty—he took it and Rhodes had won by 82 runs.

The College captain McNamara won the toss and sent Rhodes in to bat on a tricky wicket. The University batsmen were soon in trouble against the really magnificent swing bowling of Pat Hilterman, and the first five wickets tumbled for a meagre 28 runs. Hilterman completed his long opening spell of thirteen overs with the good figures of 4 for 28.

A sterling seventh-wicket partnership of 66 between the Rhodesian Colin Bland and Ian Anderson rescued Rhodes from their precarious position. Bland hit a fine 61, including two fours and sixes while Anderson's 40 included one of each. Ashley-

Cooper contributed a useful 20

The Rhodes total of 153 on this tricky pitch proved far too formidable for the St. Aidan's batsmen. The schoolboys crumbled before the Rhodes attack and were dismissed for 71 runs, with only Day (19) entering double figures. Ashley-Cooper was the most successful Rhodes bowler taking 4 for 17 in 13 overs; he received fine support from Bland (2 for 9), Emslie (2 for 11), and Couzens (2 for 14).

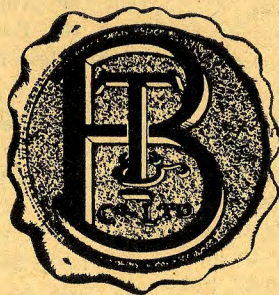
### VS. FUGITIVES

Batting first, the University team managed to total 126 against some good bowling. Skipper Derek Varnals was top scorer with 28, while both Borman and Anderson contributed a valuable 26 runs apiece. Hawley was the most successful Fugitive bowler, taking 4 for 37.

Scores in brief: Rhodes first innings 126 (Varnals 28, Borman 26, Anderson 26, Hawley 4 for 37).

Fugitives first innings: 78 (Ford-Howarth 21, Anderson 4 for 24, Howard 4 for 37).

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## CLOSE-UP

Gordon Phillips, the "scourge of Junior Grey" also plagued Guinea Fowl school in Southern Rhodesia. Here he became a very bad prefect; took major parts in all school dramatic productions; presided over the Debating Society; captained the 2nd XI, and played a desultory part in the 2nd XV. Among other exploits, he is very proud of his near-expulsion for being caught "flagrante delicto", climbing the fence around the girls' hostel. Although his usual self, he managed to pass both the Cambridge School Certificate and the Higher School Certificate.

At Rhodes he was a loud Ink, who moaned continually at everything, and regarded everything with a cynical eye. He soon became a focal point of "Tonk" Currey's invective—and that was the days when the Assas was an Assas.

Shorty soon became a long standing member of the Apathy Club, one of those who have put absolutely nothing into the university, but cash into Kaif. To this date he has not attended a society meeting. He had to be coerced into a part in "A Mid-



GORDON PHILLIPS

summer Night's Dream", but once in, surprised himself and the critics with a relatively fine performance.

The academic and statistical side of sport is his bread of life, but this has not prevented him from criticising the cliquish attitude to sport at Rhodes.

Purely as a sideline, he majored in English (loved it), and Law (hated it). After several false starts he obtained his B.A. degree, and is now off to join the Manchester Guardian as a sports and dramatic critic.

Christmas 1956 found him on the Continent, where it would appear he had a glorious time touring all the more bizarre night-clubs. It would appear that no man is complete without a short stay in Paris—or so he would have us believe.

**Likes:** This profile; Britons, Jingoos and the Union Jack; his "pet fairy"; Barracking Bailey; the Windmill Theatre; Noel Coward and wearing a hat indoors.

**Dislikes:** Maartens; "Rain stopped play"; all nationalities but British; Tight-head forwards discussing tight-head forwards; people who go to breakfast, and shaving.

**Paris:** Censored by the Editor!

**Inks:** Huh!

**Inkettes:** Huh, Huh!

**Rhodes Women:** Teenagers, squeezed into jeans, do it.

**Rhodes Sports:** Jobs for pals.

**Botha:** Chaos with the lid off.

**Rhodes:** "This other Eden, demi-Paradise."

**Advice:** Be British.

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# Disappointing performance by Rhodes XI at Bloemfontein

From the Rhodes point of view the Cricket Intervarsity was not a success. With one of the strongest potential cricket sides since the 1946-48 era all Rhodians expected the team to meet with a fair measure of success, and not a few expected Rhodes to win the shield.

But both supporters and players were shocked, to say the least, by the seemingly inexplicable performance put up by their team. Little more than a week prior to leaving for Bloemfontein the Rhodes first XI had soundly defeated a Stanley side containing 7 provincial players including two ex-internationals. Thus it was with considerable confidence that the team departed for Bloemfontein.

The first match was against Stellenbosch, supposedly an "easy" game since it is understood that the Afrikaans Universities have as yet not had as much experience at wielding the willow as the English Universities. The system at present is that Rhodes, Wits., U.C.T. and Natal play against each other and have a fourth match against one of the Afrikaans Universities.

## STELLENBOSCH WINS FIRST MATCH

This match was played on the Railway Ground in perfect weather on a pitch that was soft in the morning but later dried out and became easy-paced. Stellenbosch won the toss and decided to bat. This seemed a justifiable decision, but some accurate fast bowling by Anderson in the opening overs backed by some keen fielding put Rhodes on top. In his second over Anderson had Galgut (attractive sister!) caught behind the wicket, a skying catch which Skipper Campbell took much to his delight. Two quick wickets by Theron off successive maiden overs put Rhodes in a commanding position and Stellenbosch were all out for 59 despite some dogged batting by Rushmere. Varnals and Henderson opened the Rhodes innings, but unfortunately Henderson was run out off the first ball. This incident spurred the Stellenbosch bowlers to greater efforts and invited some indecisive and timid stroke play from the Rhodes batsmen. After 25 minutes play in the innings the Rhodes score stood at 13 runs for 5 wickets. A stand of 24 by Clarence and Anderson raised Rhodes hopes until Anderson attempting to hit out skied the ball and was caught for 12. Clarence was out soon afterwards. The rest of the batting collapsed pathetically and Rhodes was out for 46. No excuses can be offered for the deplorable performance of the Rhodes batsmen and all players were determined to atone for this debacle in the next game which was against Natal.

Campbell, to his chagrin and the good-natured jokes of his team, again lost the toss and Natal went in to bat on as plumb a wicket as could be. Again some good bowling by Anderson and Ashley-Cooper caused the Natal score to stand at 44 for 4 after an hours play. But some sound batting assisted by some indifferent fielding allowed Natal to arrive at a total of 145. Steady bowling by Howard earned him 5 wickets for 29 runs.

**RHODES WICKETS CRUMBLE** Batting carefully, Varnals and Henderson pushed the score along until Henderson was out for 12 with the total at 44. A typical batting collapse then set

in and for the addition of only 16 runs Rhodes lost a further 5 wickets. Spirited tail-end batting by Anderson and Jardine improved the position but against accurate bowling it could not last and the innings closed at 108.

Campbell at last won the toss against U.C.T. and Rhodes batted first on the Ramblers featherbed. Intelligent batting by Varnals, Garner, Emslie and Campbell was encouraging but each batsman seemed to get out when set for a big score. A somewhat unsatisfactory innings ended at 159. On this plumb wicket many more runs should have been made.

## FIELDING ERRATIC

Good bowling by Anderson and the indefatigable Ashley-Cooper made U.T.C.'s efforts unimpressive. Rhodes looked set for victory when the Cape Town score was 97 for 7 but dropped catches swayed the issue and U.C.T. won by 3 wickets. The Rhodes fielding had been erratic but very keen.

The remainder of the matches for the week were washed out by rain and Rhodes was denied the opportunity of showing its true mettle in the match against Wits.

Following some good performances during the week it came as no surprise when Derek Varnals was chosen to represent Combined Varsities against O.F.S. and later against the M.C.C. Ian Anderson was decidedly unlucky not to be included.

Rhodes' failure was obviously due mainly to rank bad batting resulting partly from lack of practice on a good turf wicket during the year. Dropped catches were also contributory factors in our failure.

## Varsity Full to Capacity

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Federal University in Salisbury has passed the initial stages of development, the high percentage of Federal students here at Rhodes—last year it was 20% of the student body—will eventually decrease. However, Rhodesian scholarships and bursaries are still tenable at Rhodes and have not yet been restricted to the new University.

It is rather surprising to find that the proportion of Rhodians from the Eastern Province is slightly less than half.

The exact reason for the suddenly accelerated increase at Rhodes is rather difficult to pinpoint. There are probably several governing factors, one of which could quite possibly be the new rule instituted at Natal University that no student will be accepted who has had supplementary examinations to write. Here is an excellent opportunity for the Social Scientist to carry out some useful research: is the increase at Rhodes a reflection of a general increase in University attendance throughout the Union, or are some particular factors acting in favour of Rhodes—and if so, what are they?

## Congratulations Derek Varnals

After missing the first two E.P. matches against the M.C.C. and Border, Derek was selected for the match against Western Province played at Newlands. Opening the batting with Peter Jamieson he scored a chanceless 85 out of E.P.'s total of 265. The opening partnership itself put up 79 runs. Western Province had made 256 for 8 at the close of play—it will be remembered that rain at the beginning of the match curtailed the action.

## ELECTED CAPTAIN

Derek's next match was against Border, where he had a bad patch—scoring 17 in the first knock and being caught in the slips off the first ball in the second innings. However, Eastern Province managed to make the 330 runs which were required for a win with two wickets still standing. Derek was Vice-Captain for these two games, and was then elected Captain when Old Rhodian Harry Birrel left for Rhodesia. Thus he became one of the youngest E.P. Captains ever, and certainly the youngest Provincial Captain this season.

In the game against Free State he produced some fine batting and fully justified his selection by scoring 55 and 77 in the two innings, leading his team to a moral victory when the O.F.S. last man was dropped off the last ball of the day, with the scoreboard showing E.P. to be still over 100 runs ahead. This gave him an average of 46.8 in five innings—a very creditable performance.

## FIFTH TEST

Derek's fielding is also outstanding, and it is largely due to this that he was selected as 12th man in the 5th Test against England. In this match an injury first to Tayfield and then to Waite made it necessary for him to do a considerable amount of fielding. One can quite understand his nervousness and after several days in the pavilion it is not surprising that his fielding was not up to its usual standard. Despite a dropped catch, however, it was a competent performance and excellent experience.

In the first week of term Derek played for Combined Varsities against the M.C.C. at Newlands. Varsities were unlucky to be put in to bat on a bad wicket, and although beaten by an innings, their scores of 142 and 165 were quite reasonable under the circumstances. Derek contributed 12 and 53 in his two knocks, batting for nearly an hour for the former score.

His meritorious performances throughout the season have made him the obvious choice for the Captaincy of the Rhodes XI. May we wish him every success for 1957.

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## CLOSE-UP

"Bunsen" came to Rhodes in 1953 from the Grey High School, P.E., having in his last year there obtained a first class Matric.

Starting University life at the tender age of 16 as an inconspicuous ink in Jan Smuts—a different variety to the type bred nowadays—he soon made a name for himself around the campus. On the Sportsfields he made the first XI as second-string "off-tweaker" to Derek Playford, and he has played for firsts ever since. With Sam Trocki he won his way through to the Men's Doubles Tennis Championships in the same year. Academically, his first-year results were good enough to win him an Alfred Beit Scholarship.

After two years in Planck Fate decreed that Arthur should move to Graham, and he took the transition in his stride. In fact Drosty elected him to its House Committee, with the somewhat dubious portfolio of Catering Member. With the departure of Mike Clarence, Bunsen was elected Senior Student this year and has also stepped into the ranks of the S.R.C.



ARTHUR HOWARD

Apart from regularly playing first-team cricket and tennis he has also tried his hand at hockey—2nd XI in 1954; squash and table tennis. Recently he made a come-back to hockey and is now the star attraction of the Graham Hawks. Perhaps his greatest achievement to date was to gain a place in the 1955 Combined S.A. Varsities Cricket Team.

At present Bunsen is doing research in Chemistry, having obtained first class passes in both the ordinary and Honours degrees. His future plans at the moment are rather vague, except that he is contemplating studying for a Ph.D. overseas within the next few years.

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**Dislikes:** Aftermath of above celebrations, getting up early, lorry trips and pushing . . . Dracula.

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