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COLLEGE BOARD MEETING, 1980 MAY 21

Wednesday's meeting was, on the whole, a quiet peaceful one, almost devoid of controversy. The public was made up of one Dean, who was there to respond to questions on his contribution to the agenda, and a senior Regional Office person.

- 1) In the College Principal's Report (copy in the Library) mention was made of:
 - a) K.E.C. increase of enrolment from 3976 in May 1979 to 4785 in May 1980.
 - b) Secondment of Ted Anderson to the Ministry of Education to work on Facilitators and Instructors Skills Training.
 - c) Secondment of Mary Selman to the Ministry of Education as ELT consultant for another year.
 - d) Ministry of Education allocation of \$8,300 for development of an anthology for the Canadian Viewpoints courses.
- 2) The Comparative Financial Statement for the 1979-80 financial year, which showed King Edward Campus to have had a net surplus of \$16,000 in a \$6.4 million budget.
- 3) Education and Student Service Report. Langara Campus reported on how that campus intends to cope with students who are deficient in reading and writing skills.
- 4) Authorization was given for Langara Campus to get started on architectural work for campus expansion, although project approval is not anticipated before February 1981.
- 5) The College is pursuing alternative means of supporting Day Care facilities in the new campuses.

- 6) The Board approved the allocation of \$160,000 of earned interest to help cover the King Edward Campus budget shortfall.
- 7) The Board approved a R.A.C. for twenty more B.T.S.D. level 4 students for the current financial year, to bring the numbers in line with 1979-80.

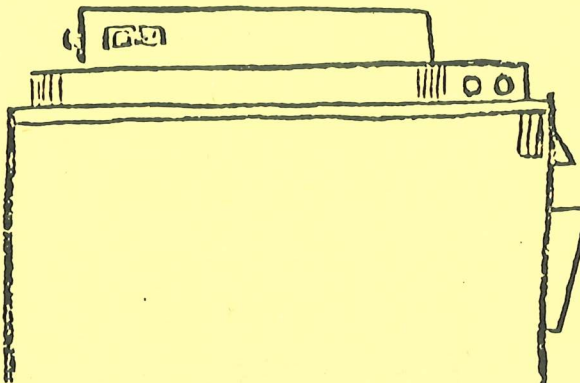
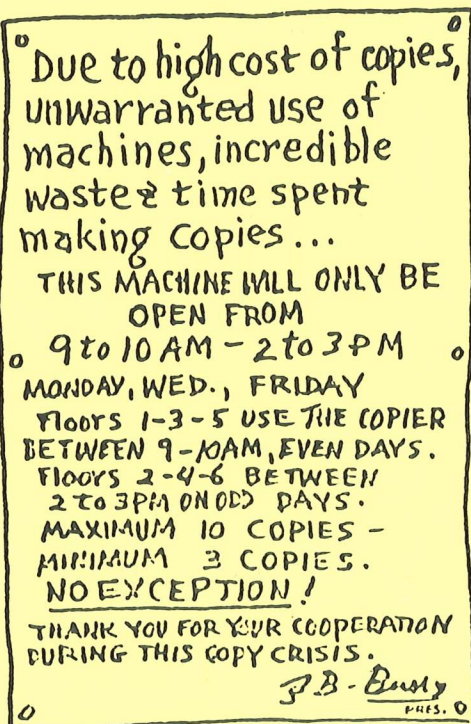
R.F.C.

BUDGET MANAGEMENT

As mentioned earlier, King Edward Campus ended the last financial year with a \$16,000 net surplus on a \$6.4 million budget.

Every person responsible for a budget is to be congratulated in undertaking effective financial responsibility on this campus. Particular credit must go to Doug Brown, Dean of Administrative and Student Services, who has overall budgetary responsibility, and who has kept a tight rein on our financial activities.

R.F.C.



ENROLLMENT & REGISTRATION STATISTICS

May 14, 1980

Course	May 14, 1980		May 31, 1979		May 31, 1978	
	Reg.	Enrol.	Reg.	Enrol.	Reg.	Enrol.
College Foundations (9-12)	688	688	619	619	680	680
Basic Education (0- 8)	82	82	89	89	68	68
Total College Foundations	770	770	708	708	748	748
Music	-	-	-	-	-	-
ELT 059/098/099	FT 61	61	65	65		
	PT 64	64	74	74	127	127
ELT (Part-time) on Campus	1150	1150	1046	1046	1178	1178
Remedial English	66	66	101	101	-	-
ELT (Full-time) Manpower	82	457	44	138	32	179
Improve Your Pronunciation	81	81	86	86	109	109
Extension	-	593	-	514	-	567
Neighbourhood English	40	534	-	424	-	309
School Canadiana	472	472	372	372	317	317
B.T.S.D.	27	221	79	178	61	167
B.E.S.T.	1	40	13	13	-	-
V.O.H.I.	-	6	1	10	-	13
E.O.W.	-	16	-	11	-	13
Paraprofessional Worker with Deaf (Int. for Deaf)	1	13	-	4	-	6
Pharmacy	-	19	-	20	-	14
IHIA	-	11	-	11	-	11
Homemaker	-	26	-	25	-	-
Homemaker (evenings)	72	72	-	40	-	-
Sign Language (Part-time)	113	113	136	136	-	36
Provincial Homemaker	-	-	-	-	19	45
TOTALS	3000	4785	2725	3976	2591	3839

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FROM U.B.C. REPORTS

New UBC vice-president appointed

Dr. James M. Kennedy will become Vice-President, University Services, for UBC on July 1.

He succeeds C.J. Connaghan, currently Vice-President, Administrative Services, who will be leaving the University after a five-year term to return to private business.

The appointment of Dr. Kennedy, who has been director of the UBC Computing Centre since 1966, was announced by Leslie Peterson, Q.C., chairman of the University's Board of Governors, following a board meeting held in Prince George Monday.

Dr. Kennedy, a native of Ottawa who obtained his Ph.D. in theoretical physics at Princeton University, will assume responsibility for the University's non-academic support services, including Employee Relations, Physical Plant, Purchasing, Facilities, Planning and Traffic and Security. Overall responsibility for the UBC Computing Centre will also come under his new office.

UBC President Douglas T. Kenny said the University was fortunate to be able to call on Dr. Kennedy to provide leadership for University support services during the 1980s. "Dr. Kennedy's experience with computerized management information will be a great strength to the University administration in the years ahead," the President said.

Dr. Kenny paid tribute to the contribution Mr. Connaghan had made in the reorganization and guidance of administrative services since joining the University. "Mr. Connaghan is an outstanding example of a person who took five years out of a successful business career to serve in the public sector," Dr. Kenny said.

Mr. Connaghan, a former president of the Construction Labor Relations Association of B.C., and author of a major report on labor-management relations in West Germany, is leaving to form his own consulting firm in Vancouver. He is a former member of

the UBC Board of Governors and a UBC graduate.

"I fully expect," President Kenny said, "that Mr. Connaghan will continue his long and close association with the University, which began as a student when he served as president of the Alma Mater Society and which continued when he was employed in Eastern Canada, where he served as a contact person for our alumni association."

Dr. Kennedy, who received his B.A. and M.A. from the University of Toronto before going on to Princeton, spent 12 years with Atomic Energy of Canada before joining UBC in 1966. In addition to his duties as director of the Computing Centre, he served as acting head of the computer science department in 1968-69 during its development. He continues to hold the rank of professor of computer science.



Prof. James Kennedy

VICE-PRESIDENT

Dr. Kennedy served as special assistant to the president from October, 1979, to March, 1980, when he chaired the Information Systems Task Force which looked into information systems development at UBC. He served on the board of Vancouver Community College from 1976 to 1980 and was board chairman for two years.

Test your metric knowledge

WIN A PRIZE!

The highest score wins a prize. We will announce the winner in next week's TIMES.

E.C.C.

For each of the following questions, choose the answer you think is correct and put a check (✓) in the space provided.

1. A gram is about the mass of:
 - (a) _____ an apple
 - (b) _____ a ten-cent piece
 - (c) _____ a pineapple
2. A metre is about the height of:
 - (a) _____ a door
 - (b) _____ a kitchen counter
 - (c) _____ the seat of a chair
3. Water freezes and boils at:
 - (a) _____ 32°C and 212°C
 - (b) _____ 100°C and 200°C
 - (c) _____ 0°C and 100°C
4. A measuring cup holds:
 - (a) _____ 2 mL
 - (b) _____ 20 mL
 - (c) _____ 250 mL
5. A new-born baby weighs about:
 - (a) _____ 3 kg
 - (b) _____ 30 kg
 - (c) _____ 300 kg
6. The height of a tall man is about:
 - (a) _____ 20 cm
 - (b) _____ 200 cm
 - (c) _____ 2000 cm
7. Normal body temperature is about:
 - (a) _____ 25°C
 - (b) _____ 37°C
 - (c) _____ 45°C
8. A regular-size soft drink tin holds about:
 - (a) _____ 1.5 L
 - (b) _____ 1 L
 - (c) _____ 0.3 L
9. A litre of water weighs about:
 - (a) _____ 100 g
 - (b) _____ 10 g
 - (c) _____ 1000 g
10. What speed limit, in kilometres per hour, would you suggest for:
 - (a) a residential area _____ km/h
 - (b) a paved two-lane road _____ km/h
11. Which is the best buy:
 - (a) 150 cm of material at \$6.00 _____ or
 - (b) 1 m of the same material at \$4.50 _____
12. A one-dollar bill measures about:
 - (a) _____ 15 cm x 7 cm
 - (b) _____ 20 cm x 10 cm
 - (c) _____ 100 cm x 70 cm
13. The thickness of a 10-cent piece is about:
 - (a) _____ 0.1 mm
 - (b) _____ 1 mm
 - (c) _____ 5 mm
14. The standard length in the metric system is:
 - (a) _____ the millimetre
 - (b) _____ the centimetre
 - (c) _____ the decimetre
 - (d) _____ the kilometre
 - (e) _____ the metre
15. The basic temperature scale used in the metric system (SI) from which the derived units originate is:
 - (a) _____ the Celsius scale
 - (b) _____ the Kelvin scale
 - (c) _____ the Centigrade scale
16. A new lead pencil measures about:
 - (a) _____ 50 mm
 - (b) _____ 100 mm
 - (c) _____ 200 mm
17. A teaspoonful of maple syrup would be about:
 - (a) _____ 0.5 mL
 - (b) _____ 1 mL
 - (c) _____ 5 mL
18. A professional football player weighs about:
 - (a) _____ 45 kg
 - (b) _____ 90 kg
 - (c) _____ 180 kg
19. Which is the better buy?
 - 3 L of milk at 90¢ _____
 - or 500 mL of milk at 20¢ _____
20. In measuring capacity, what metric unit is equivalent to:
 - (a) _____ 1000 cm³
 - (b) _____ 1 cm³
21. How many litres are there in a box measuring 20 cm x 40 cm x 20 cm?
 - _____ L
22. One tablespoon holds 15 mL. What is its capacity in cubic centimetres?
 - _____ cm³
23. How many litres are there in a cubic metre?
 - _____ L
24. The mass of an empty container is 10 kg; if it is filled with 40 L of water, what is the total mass?
 - _____ kg
25. An empty container weighs 200 g. When filled with water it weighs 1.7 kg. What is the capacity of the container?
 - _____ L
26. Which is the best buy?
 - (a) 300 kg of jam at 60¢ _____
 - or 1 kg of jam at \$1.50 _____
 - (b) 1 kg of sugar at 40¢ _____
 - or 2.5 kg at \$1.10 _____
27. What is the thickness of a 25¢ piece?
 - _____ mm
28. What is the thickness of a 10¢ piece?
 - _____ mm
29. What is the height of your chair?
 - _____ cm
 - _____ m
30. What is the length of your shoe?
 - _____ cm
 - _____ mm
31. A dollar bill is:
 - (a) _____ mm long
 - (b) _____ mm wide
32. What is the length of a pen or pencil?
 - _____ mm
33. What is the length of your stride?
 - _____ m
 - or _____ cm
34. What is the height of a normal door?
 - _____ m
 - or _____ cm
35. Indicate, using the numbers, the temperatures which correspond to each of the following on the Celsius scale:
 - 1 _____ beautiful summer day;
 - 2 _____ beautiful spring day
 - 3 _____ bitterly cold day;
 - 4 _____ water at maximum density;
 - 5 _____ normal room temperature;
 - 6 _____ normal body temperature;
 - 7 _____ boiling point of water;
 - 8 _____ freezing point of water.

A MUSIC STUDENT'S PROGRESS

The Director of the School of Music at Brandon University has announced that the first prize in the prestigious "S. C. Eckhardt-Gramatte Competition for the Performance of Canadian Music" - worth \$2,500 - was won by V.C.C. Music graduate, Nancy Herbison on Saturday, May 10.

R.F.C.

K.E.C. AT THE BAT!!

Do you know we have a baseball team at K.E.C. and that, so far, they have 3 wins and 1 loss????? Pretty good for a first year team, eh?

They call themselves the "Out to Lunch Bunch". Out to lunch they may be, but on the playing field they are! Their names:

Regular Team

Steve Baker
Lynda Kerr
Linda Murdock
Jan Venier
Bonnie Barron
Greg Green
Terry Smith

Borrowed Members

Mary-Gail Barabana
Ross Christensen
Joanne Krahmbiel
Horst Krahmbiel

Spare Members

Sandy Johnson
Lisa Cooke
Wayne Decle
Kim Adair
Roger Lambert
Dennis Brozic

We will keep you posted on their successes.

PLAY BALL!

M.G.

CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE COLLEGE PENSION FUND DURING UNPAID LEAVES OF ABSENCE

Personnel Director D.D. Jones sent the letter (which is printed on the next page) from the Pensions Commissioner. It is reproduced for the information of members of faculty.

H.E.P.



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IN REPLY REFER TO

May 9th, 1980

Vancouver Community College,
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675 West Hastings St.,
Vancouver, B.C.
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Attention: Mr. D.H. Goard,
Benefits Advisor

Dear Mr. Goard:

I refer you to your letter dated May 1, 1980, regarding the recent Order in Council providing for double contributions by teachers during periods of approved leave of absence, in order to have that leave of absence recorded for pension purposes.

I wish to confirm that Section 5(3) of the College Pension Act gives the Commissioner and the employer the authority to accept double contributions by employees covered by the Act during periods of leave of absence and have that absence recognized for pension purposes. The difference between the College Pension Act and the Teachers' Pensions Act is that the conditions under which a teacher may make double contributions is contained in regulation form, which becomes part of the statute, whereas the College Pension Act gives this authority to the Commissioner. Nevertheless, it is the intention of the Commissioner to exercise these powers in a manner similar to the regulations provided under the Teachers' Pensions Act.

Consequently, where an employee is on leave of absence approved by the employer, such requests should be forwarded to myself for consideration and action.

Yours very truly,

J.D. REID,
SUPERANNUATION COMMISSIONER

Per:


H.E. Turner,
Deputy Commissioner

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POSITION OPENINGS

V.C.C. Langara Campus require part-time instructors for the two-year Fine Arts Program. The appointment is from September 1 to December 31, 1980. Apply in writing by June 2, 1980.

Northern Lights College has the following position vacancies:

- Instructor - Business Administration
- Instructor - Music Department
- Audio Visual Technician
- Instructor - Business Careers
- Instructor - Adult Upgrading & Skills Program
- Instructor - Upgrading
- Chief Instructor - Performing Arts

V.C.C. Langara Campus requires a Clerk Steno III in Student Services. Closing date for applications is May 28.

V.C.C. Langara Campus requires a Data Processing Co-operative Education Officer. Apply in writing by June 6, 1980.

Please see bulletin boards for details on the above positions.

M.G.

EXCHANGE FOR A CHANGE?

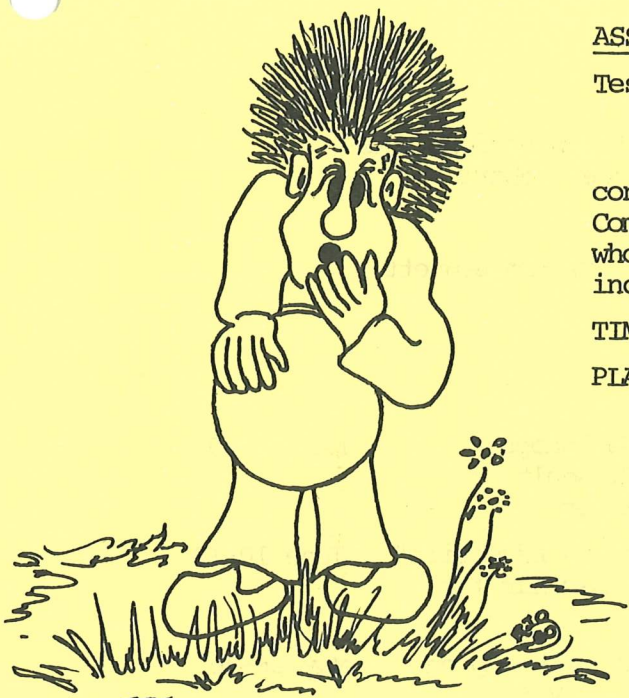
Lawrence Fast has forwarded details of a scheme whereby instructors at V.C.C. can exchange with instructors at other Colleges for a period of time (normally a semester or a year). If you are interested in such an exchange, Vi McKinnon has information on the instructors from other Colleges, financial assistance and salary arrangements.

B.B.

HOLIDAY AND P.D.

Rose Marie Watson will be away from campus on vacation and professional development from May 26th to August 8th. During her absence, Maureen Sawkins will be acting for Rose Marie.

R.M.W.



OOPS! YOUR P.D. IS SHOWING

ASSOCIATION OF B.C. TEAL -

Testing and Evaluation Workshop

Saturday, May 31

conducted by - Donna Ilyin from the Alemany
Community College Centre, San Francisco,
who has developed ESL placement tests
including the Ilyin Oral Interview.

TIME: 9:00 a.m. to 12 noon

PLACE: Teacher Centre, 123 East 6th Ave.

FREE to TEAL members.
Non-members \$2.00.

B.C. TEAL PRESENTS -

a Workshop on Writing for Publication

Presenter: Dr. Andrea Lunsford

DATE: Tuesday, June 17, 1980

TIME: 4:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

PLACE: V.C.C. Langara Campus
Room A253

B.B.

WANT TO RECEIVE ECOO???????

Gordon Pawelchak is a member of the Educational Computing Organization of Ontario (ECCO) and receives a monthly newsletter from this organization. Please see Gordon if you would like your name added to the circulation list for this newsletter.

G.P.

WANTED!

Are you interested in books? Are you interested in learning more about Learning Disabilities? We are in need of someone to take over the VACLD* Library. An honorarium for this job is available.

If you are interested, please contact Elinor Martin at the Resource Centre Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday mornings. Phones: 733-2321 and 733-3323.

* (Vancouver Association for Learning Disabilities).

G.N.

ODOC

I shall be away from campus, attending the CVA convention, from May 26th through to June 3rd. During my absence, Robert Cunningham or Doug Brown will be acting for me.

Miriam Bennett

K.E.C. FACULTY/STAFF ACTIVITIES

Battell, E.	Seminar - Present Workshops at Institute on B.C. Adult Basic Ed., Powell River	May 26-29
Benetti, J.	Seminar - "Newspaper in Education" Instructor Training Seminar for Educators; U.B.C.	June 10-12
Cant, M. and Kelly, G.	Conference - Present Workshop on I.E.P.A. at A.C.C.C./C.V.A. Conference; Wolfville, N.S.	May 26-30
Cunningham, H.	P.D. - Canadian Library Ass'n. Workshop on Literacy & Libraries Co-existence; Vancouver	May 16
Cunningham, R.	Conference - Inmate Basic Education Programs; College of New Caledonia, Prince George	May 28-30
Darville, R.	Seminar - Present Workshop at Institute on B.C. Adult Basic Ed. Curriculum Guide; Powell R.	May 26-29
Gibbard, R.	P.D. - Complete survey of P.D. activities at other B.C. Colleges and Institutes	May 27-28
Godfrey, J.	P.D. - Complete special curriculum project; K.E.C.	May 30
Little, B.	P.D. - Chautauqua: "Issues Facing the Adult Educator of the 80's"; UBC	June 6
Rike, J.	P.D. - Prepare Music English 127 course material	Aug. 26-29
Smith, T.	ODOC - visits to various Vancouver Island Secondary Schools re B.C. Cultural Fund	May 6-9
Thompson, D.	Conference - Attend meeting of Provincial Advisory Committee on K-12 English Curriculum	May 28

S.M.