

UNB VOTES FOR NFCUS MEMBERSHIP

REVEREND MEETS SCM Council Reverses Original Position NFCUS to Receive 40c per Student



Above, left to right, O. F. MacGowan, General Secretary of SCM, David Lyons, Keith Jones, Bob MacLean and Dr. Templeton shown at an informal gathering before the evangelist spoke at a meeting of the SCM last Thursday, November 12th.

U OF BC NOW CONSIDERING A CESSATION FROM NFCUS

Vancouver (CUP) — Ivan Feltham, president of the Alma Mater Society here, warned at a meeting Thursday, Nov. 3, that he may ask UBC to withdraw from NFCUS. Feltham's warning came after the NFCUS convention adopted a budget based on a 50 cents per student for a levy although nine Canadian Universities, UBC included, had announced they could not pay any increase. Feltham and Vaughan Lyon, the conference representatives stated: "Rather than increase our contribution to NFCUS to 50 cents a head we should recommend withdrawal from NFCUS."

Biggest change would be installation of a full-time national president in addition to the present full-time secretary. Salary for such a president could be covered by a much smaller fee raise, it was felt by Feltham and Lyon.

"We feel the administration of NFCUS is costing too much," Feltham added. "The money could be better spent in other ways — even if it were only spent on this campus."

"Delegates to the conference seemed to have a pre-conceived notion that there must be an increase," said Lyon. "There is really no way to spend it," he declared.

Lyon suggested to council that UBC's Alma Mater Society withdraw from NFCUS rather than keep paying greater amounts for smaller returns.

Both delegates felt that in spite of the former increases in fees, from six cents to 20 cents in three years, there had been actually less service to students.

PREXY MACKAY ADDRESSES UIS

Fredericton (UNB) — President Colin B. Mackay addressed the weekly meeting of the University Investment Syndicate and discussed the coming possibility of UIS incorporation. Refreshments and a roundtable discussion followed. The previous week's meeting included an informative lecture by Prof. McMannon on a businessman's methods of obtaining capital. Stock reports were presented by Dick Hobart and Jack Foote in accordance with the club's policy of concentrating on New Brunswick Industries this year. Plans for increasing the club's finances have been developed and greater club stock market activity is anticipated.

Recent executive changes are Randall Dyer's election to the position of treasurer, which position was vacated by Alf Johnston in his move to club geologist.

FALL FORMAL
Fredericton (UNB) — The fall formal will be staged in the Beaverbrook Gymnasium on Friday night Nov. 20th, 9.30 p.m.-2 a.m. to the music of Paige Ormandy's Orchestra. Joanne Corbin, social committee chairwoman, has announced that the decorations will be on a carnival theme. Admission will be free to those possessing an SRC card. Non SRC card holders will be charged \$3.50.

Election Wednesday 3 By Acclamation

Fredericton (UNB) — Nominations closed Saturday for the five open positions on the Students Representative Council. Three positions were filled by acclamation. These candidates were: Earl Grant, senior rep.; Joanne Corbin, junior female rep.; Shirley Kitchen, sophomore rep.

The following were nominated for the remaining two positions: for junior representative, Bill Reddin, Dave Russell and Dave Snowball; for sophomore rep., Jim MacDonald and Irving Mitton. Bill Reddin is in 3rd year Arts and a resident of Fredericton, while Dave Russell, 3rd year Mechanical, hails from Rothessay, Kings Co., and Dave Snowball comes to UNB from Oakville, Ont., and is in 3rd year Arts.

The two sophomore nominees Jim MacDonald and Irving Mitton are from Toronto and Moncton respectively. MacDonald is in Forestry while Mitton is an Artsman. The elections will be held on Wednesday, Nov. 25.

Eleanor Gets Degree At McGill University

Montreal (CUP) — While visiting the campus of MacDonald College Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt was the recipient of an honorary Doctor of Laws degree from McGill University. While addressing the students and faculty of MacDonald College in the eighth of a series of annual War Memorial addresses, these addresses are a tribute to the 74 sons and daughters of the college who gave their lives in two world wars. Mrs. Roosevelt stressed that people must be able to accept more responsibility for preserving peace than ever before, if they are really in earnest in their tribute to war heroes.

She continued "It is a duty and a prime obligation for us to live in a way that the rest of the world may see the value of a democratic way of life. This calls for tolerance, understanding and continued aid for those less fortunate than ourselves."
Summing up, she said that "all the peoples of the world are watching the United States and Canada to see if we live up to the ideals that we champion."

UIS CONTRACT CONSIDERED TONIGHT 25 PERCENT COMMISSION RECOMMENDED

Fredericton (UNB) — The finance committee of the Students' Representative Council in conjunction with spokesmen for University Investment Syndicate will propose to the SRC tonight a contract giving UIS 25% of all advertising revenue from the Year Book "Up the Hill", if the council sees fit to award the gathering of advertising to the UIS. A second recommendation to the Finance Committee will be that if the contract is accepted then the position of Business Manager of the Year Book for 1953-54 be abolished. These two recommendations were arrived at at a meeting of the Finance Committee of the SRC last Sunday when the UIS presented their original terms for the deal as requested by the SRC at its last meeting.

The original contract called for a payment of 15% of all revenues from advertising collected by the UIS printed in the Year Book, excluding expenses and providing for a business manager appointed by the SRC. The present contract would give the UIS 25% of the revenue and their organization would be responsible for all their expenses, this including the honorarium for the Business Manager at \$85.

The proposed contract to be presented by treasurer Bob Cass to the SRC for final consideration at tonight's meeting runs as follows:

1st Recommendation—
(1) 25% of all advertising revenue* to be awarded to the UIS.

* Advertising revenue—the total money received from advertising printed in the '54 Year Book.

(2) The UIS should pay all expenses in obtaining this advertising and distribute the 1954 year books (en toto).

(3) If the UIS obtains advertising revenues in excess of double the amount obtained in for the '52-'53 Year Book, then it be recommended that the UIS have first option on the same contract for the '55 Year Book.

2nd Recommendation—
(1) The position of Business Manager for the '53-'54 year book be abolished this year.

The findings of the Finance Committee will be presented for finalization when the SRC meets for its weekly meeting in room 106 in the forestry building.

Move Argued Heatedly SRC Splits in Voting

Fredericton (UNB) — The Students' Representative Council voted itself back into the National Federation of Canadian University Students at the latest council meeting last Wednesday. The move for amalgamation came in the Annual Budget Meeting in the form of a financial motion by Noreen Donahoe and Bill McEnery, Senior Class Representatives on the Student Council. The move came as a direct reversal of the Council's stand on NFCUS at the annual meeting in Montreal. At that time, delegates Dick Ballance, council president, and Jim Kennedy, UNB's NFCUS chairman, were explicitly instructed to subscribe to a twenty cent levy per student for NFCUS financing.

At the conference, Ballance and Kennedy were told that unless the levy was raised to forty cents UNB would lose all voting privileges at the next conference. This was, in effect, a warning that UNB would be removed from NFCUS for the following year if the college did not raise the levy to 40 cents.

Representative Fred Drummie stressed that since the AAA budget had been slashed the SRC should also effect cuts on useless budgets. "The SRC should spend money on the campus first and foremost and since we cannot give the AAA their complete budget, we should be honour-bound to keep the money on the campus. The NFCUS Budget if passed will be nothing more than funneling money into a useless organization," Drummie received a rousing round of applause at the conclusion of his speech.

Peter Trueman summed up the forty-minute discussion by saying that "NFCUS is the National Bond between Canadian students and we have not the right to break that bond. Granted that NFCUS is highly idealistic and we have no concrete evidence as to the actual work they have done, but, they are moving in the right direction for the Canadian University Student Body."

The motion was bitterly fought throughout the meeting, and after many rebuttals, recriminations and withdrawals, the motion was passed that NFCUS receive \$34.50, forty cents per student for the coming year. The voting went 9 for, 6 against and one abstention on the motion.

WORK BEGUN ON NEW CENTRE



Fredericton (UNB) — Work commenced last week in preparing the site of the New Memorial Student Centre on the south end of the campus. Bulldozers and ditch diggers moved earth and trees to clear and level the land on which the foundations will be laid.

It is expected that the Diamond Construction Co., holders of the building contract, will have the Centre ready for occupancy by the Fall of '54.

An interesting feature of the new building will be a section of stone, two stories tall, on one end of the structure which will bear

the names of those students from UNB who gave their lives in the two great wars and in Korea.

The funds, although still insufficient for the complete furnishing and equipping of the building, have been raised by the Alumni and Alumnae over a period of years.

PACEY AND CRITIC AND HOBOS AND BEES



Fredericton (UNB) — Professor of English Up the Hill, Desmond Pacey, is seen autographing his new children's book, Hippy Hobo and the Bee, for an intellectual member of the younger set. The new book, recently published by Brunswick Press Ltd., is a companion volume to

The Cow With the Musical Moo which met with such success throughout the country last winter. Dr. Pacey, who is fast becoming the king of Fairy Tales is also the author of Creative Writing in Canada, one of the first studies of the subject to be written by a Canadian.