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# UNB PURCHASES THE FORMER FOSTER HOME

## FLASH

### SRC Cancels Mt. A. Train

After an emergency executive meeting Wednesday, October 9th, the Students' Representative Council announced that the Mount A. train, scheduled to leave Fredericton on Saturday morning October 12th, has been cancelled. The reason given for the cancellation is the epidemic of influenza which is currently sweeping the Mount A. campus. It is reported that there are more than three hundred and fifty cases of the illness at present.

It was expected that at least two hundred football fans would make the trip to Sackville by train, scheduled to leave on Saturday morning at seven and returning early Sunday morning.

The Faculty of Business Administration which was in charge of preparations for the trip had already sold over one hundred and fifty tickets and were planning a sales drive for Wednesday afternoon when the decision to cancel was announced. Money received for tickets will be refunded next week, Train Committee Chairman Bruce Gates announced.

### UNB Holds Its Fall Convocation

"We ask you that you bring enlightenment, vision and illumination to a troubled world, where the rock of our two nations' friendship must always stand firm", U.S. Senator John F. Kennedy left of photo, of Massachusetts told the audience at the Annual Fall Convocation in the Lady Beaverbrook Rink Tuesday afternoon.

During the colorful ceremony Honorary Degrees were conferred by Lord Beaverbrook upon Senator Kennedy and Hon. Alfred J. Brooks, centre, Canada's Minister of Veterans' Affairs. Also on the platform was Dr. Milton F. Gregg, former UNB President, and ex-minister of Labour. In addition to the Honorary Degrees, thirty-two degrees in course were awarded UNB students.

Citations for the Honorary Degrees were read by Prof. R. E. D. Cattley who referred to the Hon. A. J. Brooks, a UNB graduate, as an "athlete, scholar and statesman". Senator Kennedy was cited as a man "destined for the highest office in the Union" and mention was made of his many achievements in the political and literary fields.

At the conclusion of the ceremony the platform party led a procession to the MacLaren Gates which were officially opened by Dr. Ian MacLaren who, with his father, the late Hon. Murray MacLaren, donated them to the University.

Following the ceremony a tea was held in the Great Hall of the Arts Building for a large number of students, faculty and

New Women's Residence



It was announced by President Colin B. Mackay today that the University of New Brunswick has purchased the Foster House, home of the late Mrs. B. C. Foster as a new U.N.B. Women's Residence. The large dwelling on the corner of Church and Charlotte Streets will provide additional accommodation for the hard pressed Maggie Jean Chestnut House.

The building is expected to be quite easily adapted and will house approximately ten students at present. All residents will be sophomores. The residence will be under the administration of Dean Dr. M. E. Milham, assisted by a House fellow who will be appointed shortly.

In addition to student rooms the new building will contain a snack bar, reception room and light laundry facilities.

The home was formerly owned by Mrs. Berton C. Foster who passed away in August. She is remembered for her interest in the affairs of the University, being the donor of both the Dr. Berton C. Foster Scholarship and the Mrs. Agnes S. Foster Entrance and Undergraduate Bursaries.

