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U. N. B. VETERANS ENDORSE LEGION PLAN **Try For Increased Living Allowances**

LEGION BACKS 50% OF AMOUNT

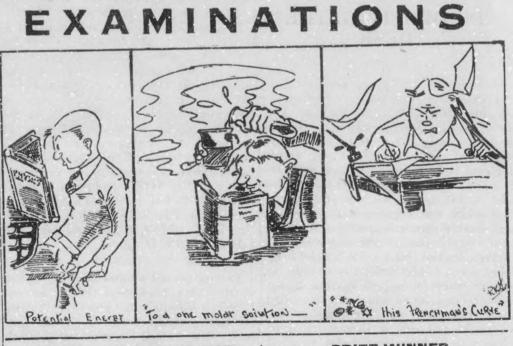
The Alexander College Veterans Club met in the Memorial Hali, University of New Bran-swick Campus, on Saturday 13th July to discuss an amendment of the plea for increased living allowance.

Last year delegates from this University went to Montreal to attend the Dominion Conference of Student Veterans, at which time a plea was put forward to the Government for plea was put forward to the Government for an increase of \$20.00 per month for single men and \$40.00 per month for married men attending University. This plea was based on the higher cost of living since the rates were approved, the critical housing situation nec-essitating higher rents and accomodation costs, and also necessitating some students living "out of the approved to the critical housing structure" of the state of the s of town" and having to pay fares to and from home each day.

Further consideration has led the National Council of Student Veterans to the conclusion that these amounts, while having a very small chance of being granted, are perhaps a little high. A country-wide survey showed that Stu-dent Veterans are new suffering considerable hardships from lowered living standards, and that an increase of \$10.00 per month per single st dent and \$20.00 per month per married student will, while not totally alleviating the condition, will go a long way to bringing things Editor, back to normal.

The Legion Convention in May, this year, endorsed a plea of \$10.00 and \$20.00 per month for single and married students res-pectively and the N. C. S. V. has decided to make a "drive" for these amounts. They contacted all Student Veterans' Groups thr-oughout the country, notified the leading daily papers and sent briefs to all Members of Parliament (Dcan of Alexander College) of Parliament.

On receiving notification of their intentions in this matter the Veterans Club of this Uni- The Editor, unhesitating and unanimously The Brunswickan. sed their plans and three members of the Club were appointed to see personally the Member Dear Sir: Single students, and while it was generally felt that living expenses were not as high in Fred-ericton as they might be, all admitted feeling the "pinch" of paying for rent, food (or board as the case may be), clothes, laundry, toilet necessities, barbering, and often bus-farme not of Parliament for this constituency. Various of the course of any separate rates for meals and cubicle rent,the only figure announced was \$9.00 per week for room and board. to mention those small and extremely expensive luxeries such as cigarettes, the odd "show" etc., out of \$60.00 or \$80.00 per month. As can readily be seen, these easily total the present allotted amounts and it was felt that students would be unable to finish courses owing to financial difficulties, unless the \$10.00 2. The caterer is not "credited with four of the students precious dollars" on long week-ends. The University gets that TRIFLE towards the cost of upand \$20.00 raise is granted.



LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

(Dean of Alexander College)

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PRIZE WINNER

We are happy to present \$5.00 to Mr. Robert Gould for his excellent cartoons which we printed in the third and fourth issues of the Brunswickan. If he will see the Business Manager he will be given a cheque and our most hearty ihanks.

We would like to thank the other

contributors for their efforts and we hope to see them again in the Brunswickan next year.

> 3- There is no "change in policy" or "new disregard for the student's fixed in-come". Board and lodging is still available and will continue to be avail-able at the LOW rate of \$9.00 per week.

D. Kermode Parr (Dean of Alexander College)