

UN Rejects Canadian Proposals for Peace

FREDERICTON—The resolution put forward by the Canadian delegation at the Model UN was defeated Friday evening for lack of a two-thirds majority. The proposal, made before the Twelfth Annual Session of the Model United Nations held in the Legislative Buildings in Fredericton last weekend, called for the establishment of a permanent force to aid in the promotion of peace in the world.

The leader of the Canadian delegation to the Model UN, Mr. Ron Manzer, announced in the General Assembly on Friday evening that Canada would donate "that part of our territories known as the 'Maritimes'". In his speech to establish a permanent UN Police Force, Mr. Manzer suggested that a permanent Force of 700,000 to 1,000,000 men be established; and that when not needed in other areas, it would be billeted in the Maritimes. In this way the Maritime provinces would become a truly international area. He suggested that this would not require the severing of any ties between the Maritimes and its present associates because, "Maritimer's dislike for the Americans is equalled only by their apathy toward (Upper) Canadians."

Eire Critical

The Canadian resolution was the highlight of the debate on Friday evening. Most countries were in favor of a Police Force in principle, but criticisms were directed towards the size of the proposed force, its location, its cost, and its place in the present world setup. Finally Stephen Fay, the lone delegate for Eire, spoke deploring the indecision of the Assembly and speculated about the future of the UN in such circumstances. Canada was given a final word on the issue,

— DEJECTED DELEGATES —



Pictured above is the three-member Canadian delegation at the Model UN, sitting dejectedly as their motion goes down to defeat. They are left to right, Ron Manzer, delegation leader, Dick Steeves, and David Covert.

and the resolution was put to a vote.

A resulting 9 to 7 vote in favor of the proposal failed to obtain the required two-thirds majority, and so the proposal was dropped.

WUSC Sponsored

The Model United Nations session was sponsored by the WUSC and organized by its UNB committee. Brian Kempster and Zeta Rosenberg were in charge of preparations for this event.

Brian Kempster, Past President of the Assembly and delegate for Russia, opened the Twelfth Session by calling for nominations for a successor. Mr. David M. Dickson, Fredericton barrister and member of the University Senate, was elected to the position by a unanimous vote of the delegates.

Gregg Introduced

After thanking the members of the Assembly, Mr. Dickson called upon the Secretary General, Dr. Milton F. Gregg, recently returned from a tour of duty with the United Nations Technical Assistance Organization in Iraq, to give his annual report to the General Assembly.

Dr. Gregg addressed the Assembly on the activities of the United Nations in 1958, especially of the difficulty in its task of defining aggression, and gave a first-hand view of the UN Technical Assistance in action. The following session was occupied with the discussion of the Canadian resolution and its defeat.

Upon reconvening Saturday morning, the Assembly took up discussion on the Kashmir question. The USSR delegate, Brian Kempster amended the resolution to place Kashmir under the trusteeship of Russia and thus assure it of "peace". He was supported only by the Hungarian delegation, and thus the amendment was lost.

The next item of business was a discussion between the Indian and Pakistani delegations but the Pakistani, Dr. and Mrs. Manzuri-Khuda, appeared to have won the sympathy of the Assembly. On the suggestion of Pakistan, Canada moved an amendment arranging for a UN conducted plebiscite in Kashmir. This and the original resolution of the Pakistani Delegation were passed by the required majority and the session adjourned for lunch.

Reconvening, the General Assembly commenced debate on the admission of Red China to the UN. John Stockdale, a member of the United Arab Republic Delegation, gave an account of his harem problems to set the mood of the discussions on the China issue. However, the USA, Canada, Bolivia, France, and others opposed the motion, and it too was lost for the want of a two-thirds majority.

Mr. Dickson was thanked for the contribution of his time and effort and congratulated for the fine job he had turned in. With this ceremony, the Twelfth UNB Model UN came to a finish.

Play 'Vicki' Progressing

The rehearsals for Steve Patterson's musical comedy "Vicki" are now in full swing. However, casting for the chorus is not complete and anyone interested should see director Patterson. This year's production is a Victorian domestic comedy set in a small eastern Canadian town.

The five performances will be held during the Winter Carnival in "Mem" Hall. Opening night is Tuesday, February 3 with the matinee on Friday afternoon, and the final performance being held on Saturday evening.

Janet McNair, who is in charge of costumes, says that she has no real problems at this time, but she will need help in making the children's costumes. Anyone interested in this is asked to call Miss McNair at 5-3164. Cathy Davis and her scenery painters are all ready to go to work; but Hugh Millar, who is in charge of Props, says he needs

about five people to help him. Any interested persons are asked to call him at 5-4112.

The Musical score will be played by the Collegians, who also played for last year's Patterson production—"Around The World In Eighty Minutes".

Course Resumes

Dr. Mary E. Milham's vocabulary course on Tuesday evenings will resume on January 20 at 7 p.m. in the Forestry Building. The classes will continue until February 10.



DR. MILTON F. GREGG Secretary-General of the Model UN is shown speaking to the Assembly about the activities of the United Nations in 1958, and his duties in the UN Technical Assistance Organization. Presiding in the background is Mr. David M. Dickson, the newly-elected President of the Model General Assembly.

Debates on Scholarships

The Debating Society will hold two debates at its next meeting on Thursday, January 22, in the new lounge of the Student's Centre.

The debate on the resolution "Resolved that this house approves of the principle of North American athletic scholarships" is the preliminary to an intercollegiate contest at King's College, Halifax, on January 20, when Peter Miles and

Brian Kempster will uphold the affirmative. The opposition for this preliminary debate will be provided by Ron Manzer and Stephen Fay.

The other debate of the evening will see Brigid Toole and Peter Kent uphold the affirmative and Eleanor Ewing and David Case the negative of the resolution "Resolved that the UN should possess coercive powers."

JONES HOUSE FORMAL PICKS PLAYMATE

Approximately sixty couples gathered last Friday evening at the new campus men's residence, Jones House, for a social formal which was climaxed by the selection of a Prom Playmate, UNB co-ed Miss Cathy Davis. The Formal, one of three to be held this year in campus residences, was sponsored by the House Committee of the Jones House for members and their guests. The theme of the dance was "Playboy" a prominent American magazine for men, which contributed to the enjoyment by donating decorations. Hence, the ball room was decorated with a gay profusion of rabbits and bunnies, the "Playboy" symbol.

Chaperones

Chaperones for the event were Dr. Mackay, Prof. and Mrs. I. M. Beattie, Prof. and Mrs. R. H. B. McLaughlin, and Mr. Don Nelson, House Proctor. Music was by Lloyd Crawford and his Orchestra.

The entrance to the dance hall was decorated in the form of a large winding rabbit tunnel, leading to the dancing area. A large dummy stood at the head of the 'hole', pointing the direction for guests.

Playmate Highlight

Highlight of the evening was the selection of a House Playmate by the chaperones from amongst the many pretty and charming dates present. Final decision was in favor of Miss Cathy Davis, a second year Arts co-ed, who received a bouquet of long stemmed roses from the House and a winner's ribbon and dance from President Mackay.

Refreshments were served at intermission, and guests were given the opportunity of inspecting certain sections of the building, formally opened for occupancy last fall. The formal was under the direction of House President, Merton Morlarity, with the assistance of Douglas Colwell, and the remainder of the House Committee. Despite a very uncooperative Mother Nature, the party proved to be well enjoyed by all present.

Extension Series Wednesday

The first course in Personal Finance offered by the UNB Extension Department, and sponsored by the Department of Business Administration, will begin tomorrow night, January 21, in Room 202 of the Arts Building from 7.30 to 9.30 p.m. Succeeding lectures in this course will be held the following four consecutive Wednesday evenings, concluding on February 18. Professor W. J. Reddin will conduct four of the five classes, while Mr. Morrison, insurance specialist, will conduct the remaining lecture.

Registration forms may be obtained from the Registrar's Office, the Book Store, or at the Library Desk. Fees will be collected at the first session.



Shown above is Miss Cathy Davis, UNB co-ed, and friend, following her selection as Jones House Playmate last Friday night during the residence formal.