

BEAVERBROOK AWARDS ARE ANNOUNCED

Seven new students on the campus this fall are the recipients of Beaverbrook Entrance Scholarships to UNB. These scholarships, seven in number, were founded by Lord Beaverbrook for the purpose of assisting needy and deserving students in obtaining a college education.

These scholarships have been the means of a great many students attending university, who would otherwise not have had the opportunity. This year's winners are: Robert Smith, Fredericton; Maynard Benwell, Campbellton; Lloyd Higgs, Gungahwille; Robert Staples, Saint John; David Betts, Millerton; Wayne Nightingale, Rothwell and James Forrest, Newcastle.

Students' Parliament

The Atlantic University Parliament Association at a meeting at U.N.B. on October 4, appointed the following officials:

Honorary Chairman Thomas R. Denton, of Acadia University, Chairman of last year's Parliament...

Plans were discussed for the forth coming Maritime University Students' Parliament, which it is hoped will be held at Fredericton, early in the spring.

Its objectives are to acquaint the students with Federal parliamentary traditions, procedure and practice; to bring them together in a common academic endeavour and thus, to enable them to discuss some of the common problems of the Maritime Provinces.

The great success of last year's venture was largely due to the splendid co-operation and assistance of the government of Nova Scotia and numerous Ottawa supporters.

NEW FACULTY APPOINTMENTS ANNOUNCED BY UNIVERSITY

Two arts faculty graduates of the University of New Brunswick, both Beaverbrook Overseas Scholars, and two other new professors, one from Africa and the other from Britain, are among several recent appointments to the faculty announced by President Colin B. Mackay.

Allan Donaldson, of Woodstock who has been named lecturer in the department of English, Dr. J. E. L. Peck, of Durban, South Africa and Dr. Ernest Bauer, a graduate of Cambridge University.



Prof. Whalen, who was born in Bathurst, received his arts degree here in 1949. He attended the University of Alberta, where he received his M.A. in 1951, after which he conducted research on Social Credit legislation for one year under a Rockefeller grant.

In 1952, Prof. Whalen received his Beaverbrook Overseas Scholarship and spent two years at the University of London. He is presently working toward completion of his Ph.D. degree.



Mr. Donaldson was born in Taber, Alberta, but moved to Woodstock at an early age. He received his B.A. at UNB in 1950 and was awarded his M.A. with honours in English in 1951.

From January to June, 1954, Mr. Donaldson taught at McAdam High School. He is the son of Mrs. D. V. Donaldson of Woodstock and is married to the former Marjory Rogers, also of Woodstock.



Dr. Bauer is a native of Vienna, Austria but he took up residence in Britain in Sept, 1938. He received his B.A. in 1947 and his Ph.D. in 1950 at Selwyn College, Cambridge University.

Since that time, Dr. Bauer has been research associate with New York University from 1952 to 1954, where he was also instructor in mathematics.



Dr. Peck, who was born in Pietermaritzburg, Natal, has been senior lecturer at the University of Natal since August, 1951.

It wasn't until 1946, however, that Dr. Peck took up his scholarship and entered post-graduate work at Yale University where he was awarded his Ph.D. degree in 1950.

FOUR STUDENTS AT U.N.B AS FOSTER SCHOLARSHIPS INAUGURATED

Dr. Colin B. Mackay, president of the University of New Brunswick today announced that the Sir George E. Foster Memorial Scholarship, which were established by the U.N.B. senate this year in memory of the distinguished Canadian statesman and U.N.B. graduate, have been awarded to four brilliant 1954 high school graduates.

Each scholarship has a maximum value of \$1900. Promising students from all parts of Canada who need financial assistance to attend university are eligible for these new scholarships.

The honour of winning them for the first time has been achieved by George C. Harper, Moncton; Leroy Y. C. Rankin, Pictou, N.S.; William E. Russell, St. Stephen and Robert H. Wightman, Fredericton.

Harper, who is 17, is the son of Mrs. H. C. Harper. Young Harper graduated from Moncton High School this year fourth in a class of ninety with an average of 85%. He made 674 marks on the matriculation examinations.

Leroy Rankin is the son of Mrs. H. D. Rankin of Pictou. His father is dead. He graduated from Pictou Academy third in a class of fifty-eight with an average of 83%. He was his class captain of both the football and hockey teams and winner of the Omer Richard Memorial Prize for high standard in athletics and scholarship.

William E. Russell, 18, is the son of Mrs. Mary E. Russell of St. Stephen. He was valedictorian for his class, editor of both the school paper and the year book, active in dramatics, winner of the Earl Scovill Medal and an outstanding track and field athlete.

Robert Wightman, 17, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Wightman of Fredericton. He graduated from Fredericton High School second in the class and won the B. C. Foster Memorial Prize for mathematics with a perfect mark.

TO NFCUS CONFAB



Pictured above is Jim Kennedy, Vice President of the National Federation of Canadian University Students for the Maritime region. Jim will be attending the NFCUS national conference to be held in Toronto from Oct. 13 to 23.

Debaters Elect

Warwick Gilbert, a third year Science student from Saint John, was elected president of the UNB Debating Society at a meeting on October 4th.

Gilbert is filling the position of president which was vacated by Ian Mackeson Sandbach who did not return to college this fall due to illness.

At the meeting plans were made for the MIDL conference to be held at King's College, Halifax, on October 15th and 16th.

Gilbert, in a short talk, emphasized the value of speaking experience in the education of a university graduate. He said that the ability to express ones self well was a valuable asset to anyone.

RADIO CLUB HOLD THEIR FIRST MEETING

An interesting meeting of the UNB Radio Club was held in the Electrical Engineering Building at 7.30 p.m. October 6. This was the first meeting called and the president, Bob Scott, was in the chair.

Alex Cunningham and an assistant are finishing the building of the club transmitter, it was reported, and the "rig" will be in operation in about one month. Plans have been made for regular code practice sessions at which time members may master the key with a view to obtaining an operator's licence.

The next meeting of the club is on Monday, October 18th and any interested students are welcome.

Construction Proceeds Centre Opens in Spring



A steady but not spectacular rate of progress was made on the Memorial Student Center during the summer months. The contractor has estimated that the completion date will be towards the end of January.

As things stand now the foundation is in, the walls are up, the roof is on, the staging has been taken down. The heating, electrical, and plumbing services have been installed and the interior partitions have all been erected.

Students may therefore see the location and size of the various rooms in the building if they visit it. A spacious S.R.C. office and smaller offices for the Brunswickan and Year Book will be found on the up-hill side of the second floor.

The focal point of both floors of the building is the memorial wall which will be inscribed to the memory of the Alumni who paid the supreme sacrifice in the Second World War.

The general contract for the building and the boiler which is located in the Memorial Hall amounted to \$190,050. Since then extras involving an expenditure of some \$10,000, and it is estimated that the furnishings and equipment will cost in the vicinity of \$35,000.

The Memorial Student Center is a gift to the University from the Alumni and Alumnae. President MacKay has stated that it will fill a great need on the Campus, and it is hoped that the building will be the centre of student life and stimulate good fellowship among students, faculty, alumni and alumnae.

PLANS LAID AS UIS OPENS ANOTHER YEAR

At the second meeting of the U.I.S. an active programme entailing uranium staking, Year Book advertising, and a slate of speakers was planned.

Members are prepared to invade some favourable geological structure to stake claims for uranium. Included in this year's diverse programme are such items as: the joint purchase with the library of the Financial Post on microfilm, and the Canada wide promotion of new Syndicates on the camp of other universities.

For the information of newcomers, the U.I.S. is in effect an investment fund. Like its incorporated counterpart the U.I.S. has a diversified portfolio which is jointly purchased owned, and sold by the members.

To an investor the obvious advantages of an investment fund are: small risk of capital depreciation, and a diversified portfolio at a fraction of the cost by ordinary investment methods.

To a student the extra advantages of a campus investment fund are: 1) valuable investment knowledge necessary to professional people, 2) investment experience to supplement theoretical knowledge, 3) a voice in the selection of stocks, 4) accessibility to investment literature, 5) participation in social events.

The cost of participating in U.I.S. activities is negligible, but does involve an investment because that is the purpose of the organization. This investment is less than \$25. at present. The investment seems small when one considers that no further investment is necessary during a person's stay at U.N.B.

At Carleton College, Alfred Johnston, past member of the U.I.S., is actively promoting an investment syndicate modeled on the U.I.S. constitution. Alf in a letter to the Syndicate expressed his wish to contribute his share in the U.I.S. for the purchase of microfilm.

Potentially keen members are being sought. Interested persons are encouraged to attend the meetings at their earliest convenience.

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