

COLOMBO PLAN STUDENT HERE

Beaverbrook Scholars



Left to right: John A. Edwards, John Little, James I. McAdam, Miss Mora Ross, Miss Joan McNutt, Morton Bain, Wendell Fulton.
These seven Mount Allison and University of New Brunswick Beaverbrook Scholarship winners sailed from Montreal en route to England aboard the CPS Empress of France this week. Mr. Edwards is from St. Stephen; Mr. Little, Campbellton; Mr. McAdam, Fredericton; Miss Ross, Sydney Mines, Cape Breton, N.S.; Miss McNutt, Moncton; Mr. Bain, Verdun, Quebec; Mr. Fulton, Lakeville Corner.

LORD BEAVERBROOK COLLECTION

Maine School Students Invited To Art Exhibit

New Brunswick's capital city becomes a centre of major importance in the world of art for a two-week period in October.

At this time, more than 100 valuable masterpieces of Canadian and British art will be placed on exhibition in the University of New Brunswick's Bonar Law-Bennett Library. The paintings are part of the collection belonging to Lord Beaverbrook, and they will be on public view from Oct. 19 to Nov. 4.

This is the second year that Lord Beaverbrook has consented to a public exhibition of his valuable collection, which has been carefully built up over many years. It is expected that His Lordship will be present at the opening ceremonies.

Visitors from many parts of Canada and the United States are expected to visit the temporary art gallery during the two-week period. Last year, close to 6,000 persons attended the exhibition.

This year, New Brunswick's director and chief superintendent of education, Dr. F. E. MacDiarmid, has issued a special invitation to Maine high schools in Houlton, Fort Fairfield, Presque Isle and Calais, to visit the exhibit. Provincial officials have arranged to give careful attention to visiting groups of students and others.

The university's library will be converted into a large art gallery to house the exhibition. Last year's exhibit, which featured 53 paintings, utilized only one wing of the library.

This year's exhibit will be equally balanced between Canadian and British works. About 45 paintings by Canadian artists will be on show, and they are representative of all types of Canadian art, from the early Colonial period to present-day non-representational art and surrealism.

Work of some outstanding New Brunswick artists will be on display, as Lord Beaverbrook has purchased paintings by Jack Humphrey, Alex Colville, Miller Brittain and Goodridge Roberts, among others.

For the second year, such famous British artists as Sir William Orpen, Augustus John, Sir Matthew Smith, Sir Joshua Reynolds and Sir Winston Churchill will be represented in the exhibit.

A study for a portrait of Lord Beaverbrook, painted by Graham Sutherland, will also be shown. Mr. Sutherland's recent portrait of Sir Winston Churchill created a lively controversy in the art world.

PICTURE of the WEEK



(This picture inaugurates a new series in The Brunswickan. Suitable photographs illustrating colorful aspects of UNB life will be welcome for this column.)

Colombo Student to Study for Ph.D.

The University of New Brunswick's first Colombo Plan student arrived here this fall to take up his studies toward a Ph.D. degree in Organic chemistry.

He is 35-year-old Abdue Khondker, of Rangpur, Pakistan, and he will study under Prof. Karel Wiesner in the provincial university's department of Chemistry.

A graduate of Calcutta University where he received his B.Sc. and M.Sc. degrees in 1940 and 1944, Mr. Khondker's attendance at U.N.B. was arranged through the International Economic and Technical Cooperation division of the Department of Trade and Commerce, which administers this phase of the Colombo Plan. U.N.B. was recommended to Mr. Khondker by Dr. Leo Marion, pure chemistry division of the National Research Council, when it was learned he wished to take his post-graduate work in organic chemistry.

Mr. Khondker, who was senior professor of chemistry at Rangpur Carnichael College in Pakistan from 1947 to 1949, will return to his country after his studies here, to teach post-graduate work at Rajshahi University.

In 1946-1947 Mr. Khondker was professor of chemistry at Saadat College in East Pakistan, and before that he served as assistant chemical engineer to the Government of Bengal.

Under the Colombo Plan arrangement the Canadian Government provides for Mr. Khondker's passage to and from Pakistan, his tuition fee, books, and an allowance of \$150.00 per month.

\$11,000 For UNB To Study Nursing

An \$11,000 grant to the University of New Brunswick to study future nursing practice in the province has been approved by the Hon. Paul Martin, minister of national health and welfare, it was announced here Wednesday by Dr. Colin B. Mackay, UNB president.

This grant comes to the provincial university under the sponsorship of the New Brunswick department of health and social services, with the approval and backing of the minister, the Hon. Dr. J. F. McInerney, Dr. Mackay said.

Under the direction of Dr. C. W. Argue, head of UNB's department of biology and dean of science, the project will get under way in September. It will survey nursing education in the province and will offer plans and suggestions for future nursing practice.

Appointment of a nurse educator to carry out the actual survey is expected to be announced shortly, Dr. Mackay added.

The grand in aid of research is the culmination of several years of planning by a representative committee under Miss Kathleen MacLagan, of the New Brunswick Association of Registered Nurses, which has been studying the problem of nursing education. The committee consisted of nurses, representatives of the medical profession, university, government, hospitals and other interested groups. News of the grant follows the presentation of a brief to the provincial government on the general problems of nursing education in New Brunswick.

Project's Objective

Main objective of the project is to explore what is valuable in the present system of nursing education and to look for answers to the problems that exist as it is carried out today. It has the firm backing of the Canadian Nurses Association.

"The fact that UNB is conducting the project doesn't mean there will be a scheme of centralized training in the province," Dr. Mackay explained. "But it is the trend in nursing throughout the world to think of the possibility of centralized training in some form or another."

Nursing leaders in Canada have realized for some time that a comprehensive survey of this sort should be undertaken, and it was most gratifying that it was being done first in New Brunswick, Dr. Mackay said.

PRESIDENT ANNOUNCES NEW UNB FACULTY APPOINTMENTS

Appointments of five new faculty members in the University of New Brunswick's departments of Engineering were announced here by U.N.B. president, Dr. Colin B. Mackay.

They are: Robert E. Burrige, J. Douglas Rogers and W. I. Smolinski, as assistant professors of electrical engineering; Eric C. Carland, and Fred B. Spinney as instructors in civil and mechanical engineering respectively.

Prof. Burrige graduated from U.N.B. in 1953 with his B.Sc. in electrical engineering. He was awarded an Athlone Scholarship and has been in England for the last two years studying at the Imperial College, University of London, and with the English-Thompson Houston Co. at Rugby. He comes from Plaster Rock.

Prof. Rogers is another U.N.B. graduate, having received his degree in 1943. After serving 2 1/2 years in the signals section of the R.C.A.F. he was employed by the N.B. Power Commission in construction, design and protection Sections of the engineering dept. He is a registered engineer of the Association of Professional Engineers of N.B., and is an active member of the Engineering Institute of Canada and the American Institute of Electrical Engineers. He is a native of St. Stephen.

Prof. Smolinski graduated from the University of Toronto in 1952 with the degree B.A.Sc. in Electrical Engineering. He has been with the Systems Planning Dept. of the Ontario Hydro Electric Power Commission and was assistant engineer with the Canadian National Telegraphs prior to his appointment here. Prof. Smolinski comes from Brantford, Ontario.

Mr. Carland, a native of Moncton, graduated from U.N.B. with a B.Sc. in Civil Engineering with first division marks in 1954. He won the Canadian Association prize for the best technical paper. Last year, he continued his studies at U.N.B. and was awarded a B.Sc. in Mechanical Engineering in May.

Mr. Spinney is a native of Saint John and received his B.Sc. at the Provincial university in Mechanical Engineering last May.

Vernon E. Johnson To Fill Vacancy On UNB Senate



VERNON E. JOHNSON

Appointment of Vernon E. Johnson, Montreal, as a representative of provincial government on the Senate of the University of New Brunswick was made public yesterday. The appointment was approved earlier at a meeting of the cabinet.

Mr. Johnson is President of New Brunswick International Paper Company. His appointment fills the vacancy caused by the death of Mr. Justice W. H. Harrison, Saint John.

Mr. Johnson has been President of New Brunswick International Paper Company since 1953, but his association with the company dates back to its foundation. As a woodlands manager he was active in the early surveys of New Brunswick forests in the Restigouche watershed which preceded the building of the N.B.I.P. newsprint mill at Dalhousie. Before he became President he had been responsible for forest operations and wood procurement.

OTHER COMPANIES

In addition, Mr. Johnson is President of Miramichi Lumber Company (Limited), which also operates coal mines at Minto, N.B. He is President of Canadian International Paper Company, its subsidiaries and affiliates.

Mr. Johnson is a graduate of Lehigh University. In 1952 he received an LL.D. degree from the University of New Brunswick, and in 1955, a D.Sc. (Forestry) degree from Laval University.

Mr. Johnson is President of Forest Protection, Limited, a non-profit organization responsible for an organized attack on the budworm infestation in certain areas of New Brunswick.

Mr. Johnson has acted as Chairman of the Executive Council of the Executive Council of the Canadian Forestry Association, and as President of the Quebec Forest Industries Association, the Government of Quebec made him a "Knight of Conservation" for his activities in connection with 4-H Clubs, and the organization of a provincial federation of fish and game clubs. President of The Atlantic Salmon Association, he is active in many other organizations engaged in conservation of the forest and of wildlife.

Mr. Udd's interests are now doing active work on the Woodstock iron manganese deposits.

UNB Geologists Receive X-Ray Lab From Mining Exec

A gift of \$10,000 to equip an x-ray diffraction laboratory in the University of New Brunswick's Department of Geology has been made by John C. Udd, prominent Canadian mining executive.

In announcing the gift, UNB President Dr. Colin B. Mackay said the newly-equipped laboratory will provide the provincial university with valuable modern equipment to aid in the identification and study of minerals.

He explained the x-ray instrument assists scientists in the formulation of the internal molecular structure of minerals and chemical compounds. The equipment would also be available for use by other departments of the university.

Mr. Udd, who was associated with the early development of the Bathurst mineral deposits, is president of Strategic Metals Corporation. A subsidiary of this company, Strategic Metals Limited, has done much exploratory work in New Brunswick, together with another of Mr. Udd's companies, Stratmat Limited.

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Geology Appointment

Dr. Colin B. Mackay, president of UNB, has announced that a former Sir James Dunn graduate scholar in Geology, Dr. W. Ernest Hale, has been appointed assistant professor in the provincial university's department of Geology.

Professor Hale, who received his early education in the city schools of Saint John, was awarded his B.Sc. degree in Geology at UNB in 1948. He continued his work here under a Sir James Dunn Graduate Scholarship and received his M.Sc. degree in 1950.

His Master's thesis, entitled "Variation of the Calbroic Rocks, St. Stephen area, N.B." won the Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy prize for 1950 for essays by graduate students.

Professor Hale continued his studies towards the Ph.D. degree at Queen's University where he held the E. L. Bruce Memorial Scholarship, one of their best graduate scholarships, together with the Camrose Fellowship of \$1000.

At the same time, he was on the staff of the geological survey of Canada in the radioactivity department. He received his doctorate in the fall of 1953, and since then he had been employed by the Department of Mining and Technical Surveys, Ottawa.

GRAD RECEIVES PH.D.

Mr. D. MacMurray Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Young, Marysville, a graduate of The University of New Brunswick, has just received his Ph.D. degree from the University of London, according to word received here today.

Dr. Young, who graduated from the provincial university in 1949 with honours in History and English studied overseas on a Beaverbrook Scholarship. After graduating from U.N.B. Dr. Young studied for two years at the University of Toronto under Prof. Underhill. Then, at King's College, London, he wrote his Ph.D. thesis on "Origins and Expansion of the Colonial Office (1794-1828)" under the direction of Gerald S. Graham, Rhodes Professor of Imperial History. This thesis is now regarded as a reference work for students interested in the subject.

During the past year, Dr. Young has been a lecturer at the Memorial University at Saint John's, Newfoundland.

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