

157 this year compared with 1 in 1950; there has been a decrease in the number of late students, from 37 now.

It is surprising to find that educationists, who are predicting a general decrease in enrolments this year in the freshman class of the small number of school graduates. In the freshman class it is expected to be larger.

Mr. Rice's report gave the following figures for other classes: 143; juniors, 139; incoming, 177; seniors, 180. The Education class consists of 25 students. There are 10 at the U. N. B. Law School.



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# FRESHMAN ELECTIONS ARE HELD

## Rice Is Frosh Prexy

### Soph. Ballot Thrown Out

In Freshman elections held Tuesday morning on the campus John Rice of Fredericton was elected President of the Freshman for '51-52. In winning out over his opponents Rice, although the victor by a comfortable margin, did not walk away with a landslide victory. His edge was only slightly greater than that enjoyed by Vic Hatheway who nosed out Joe Whitley by a few votes to take the runner-up position.

The only landslide voting of the day came in the vice-President balloting as Margaret MacDonald, another Fredericton product, defeated Barbara Smith of Oromocto by a two-thirds majority. The two girls were the only candidates for the office.

In the most closely contested battle of the morning, Roger MacDonald, a Moncton boy, barely squeezed through to a victory in the running for office of Sec. Treasurer.

The Sophmores will go to the polls at a later date to elect their S.R.C. representative. Due to the fact that the Sophs managed to have more people to vote than were entitled to the privilege, the resulting slim margin of victory was declared invalid and the ballot thrown out.

Following more closely to the correct procedure the Frosh managed to get the votes and voters to balance, and went on to choose Barbara Fisher, Murray Cain, Bill Baker and Don Shorten as their S.R.C. representatives. All the newly elected officials will take office immediately.

### MORE SCHOLARSHIPS AWARDED AT U.N.B.

University of New Brunswick has announced the award of three more scholarships to freshman students. Miss Geraldine M. Jones, of Lower Lincoln, Sunbury Co., has been awarded the Frances M. Peters Scholarship and the Katherine E. Black Memorial Scholarship. Norval E. Balch, Fredericton, gets the Walter V. Donahue Memorial Scholarship.

The Frances M. Peters Scholarship was founded by the late Frances M. Peters, who bequeathed the university \$1,000, the interest on which goes annually to a woman student at U.N.B. The Katherine E. Black Scholarship, valued at \$50, was founded by the Imperial Order Daughters of the Empire and is offered in alternate years to a woman student entering the freshman class at U.N.B.

Miss Jones, the recipient of these two scholarships, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Jones, of Lower Lincoln. A graduate of Fredericton High School, she is enrolled in the science course.

The Donahue scholarship, amounting to approximately \$60, was established by Mrs. Agnes C. Donahue, of McAdam, N. B., in memory of her son, Walter V. Donahue, U.N.B. class of 1940, who was killed during an operational flight over Germany, July 31, 1942. Young Balch, the recipient, is 16, a son of Dr. R. E. Balch, of Fredericton, and a graduate of Fredericton High School. He is in the forestry course at U.N.B.

### DRAMATIC SOCIETY DECIDES ON PLAY

Further plans for the year's projects were discussed at the Dramatic Society meeting last Thursday night.

Professor Shaw has received consent to produce "An Inspector Calls" by J. B. Priestly, so this will definitely be the Festival entry this year.

The play, set in England in the early 1900's, has a cast of six. As there is no actual lead role in the play, the four men and two women involved have equal importance.

The dates of the play's presentation to Fredericton audiences have not been decided and Joan Golding was appointed to find out which nights the Teachers' College auditorium might be rented.

Plans for the bill of one-act plays were also discussed. It was hoped that these plays might be presented in the gym "arena" style. This style, new to most Frederictonians, involves a centre stage with the audience surrounding the players. The members felt, however, that the possibilities of securing the gym were none too bright, so various other sites down town were suggested in case of a refusal.

The Society voted to begin preparations for the plays in hope of obtaining the gym, and decided "If Men Played Cards As Women Do" would be one of the three presented. The bill will contain drama as well as comedy.

The need for directors of the one-acts was expressed, and the members decided to ask Professor David Galloway for his assistance in this field.

A publicity committee was appointed with David Vine as chairman.

The next meeting of the Society is Thursday night at eight o'clock in the Ladies' Reading Room. Everyone interested in any aspect of dramatics is urged to be there.

### Sophtettes Hold Banquet

The annual banquet given by the sophtettes in honour of the freshmen was held in the Ladies' Reading Room last Thursday night.

Mrs. A. W. Trueman and the women members of the faculty, present as guests, were introduced to the Freshettes by the President of the Society, Mary Louise O'Brien.

The banquet was followed by the first business meeting of the year. It was decided the SADIE HAWKINS Dance would be planned for October 26, and a Dance Committee was formed with Audrey Baird as chairman.

The Freshettes were asked to sell apples at the football game Saturday. Proceeds of this sale will be given to the S.R.C. to defray costs of the Mt. A. train.

A vote was taken on a controversial topic on the campus these days, Fall Formal or Masquerade Ball? Only five of the co-eds preferred the latter.

The business meeting was followed by the customary initiation of the Freshettes into the Ladies' Society.

### TRACK MEET CANCELLED

The M. I. A. U. track meet has been cancelled. This was made known last week to Dr. A. P. Stewart, faculty adviser to the Amateur Athletic Association, by the M. I. A. U. executive. This news came as track team try outs were being carried out here.

The meet was scheduled for St. F. X. on October 25. This date was not convenient for U. N. B. since some of the track team members would be playing in the U. N. B.-St. Dunstan's rugby game in Charlottetown on October 24. Since a suitable date for all concerned could not be arranged and because other universities could not send complete teams the meet was cancelled. The M. I. A. U. executive stated that they would reschedule the meet for the spring.

### Fire Damage at St. F. X.

Antigonish, N. S., (CUP)—Fire allegedly caused by a blow torch, razed the recently opened faculty home, Xavier House at Westmount. Worst damage was done to the roof, while the newly decorated second floor was also gutted. Considerable damage was caused by smoke and fire. Xavier House is a residence for the faculty of Xavier Junior College in Sydney.

### MT. A TRAIN DEFINITELY GOING NOVEMBER 3RD

### Blood Clinic Turnout Poor

In the work-out room of the Lady Beaverbrook gym last Thursday and Friday, a great x-ray machine peered intimately through the chest regions of the University coeds, looked unemotionally into the manly expanse of each male student member, and occasionally had the privilege of gazing at the chalk-coated entrails of the faculty — 788 persons in all. This was the result of the Christmas seals of the Tuberculosis Association and Provincial Health Department.

In the same building, at the same time, a blood clinic was being conducted. During the day (Thursday) one hundred and twenty-five students each gave their 380 cc. of blood. Among these your reporter noticed an extremely beautiful young nurse standing by an array of "blood-containers" well stacked — (the bottles, I mean). She went from bed to bed lingering the longest where the blood flowed the slowest. It was noticed that after one of her visits the blood still flowed regularly from the veins or Arsmen, but overflowed the bottles of Engineers and Foresters (imagine Foresters and Engineers with full bottles and too weak to do anything about it!)

Unfortunately U.N.B. did not measure up to its expected two hundred donors. This blood goes to supply our local hospitals who have a signed agreement with the Red Cross that no one is to pay for a transfusion. "Blood," say the Red Cross workers, "is life, and you can't buy life." So the slogan about helping to save a life is a stark reality and not just another organization with an axe to grind.

For those who are worried about losing some of their precious fluid, they should realize that every precaution is taken to protect the donor. Both a blood count and a haemoglobin test are (Continued on page six)

### RADIO CLUB CONTACT

#### ACADIA

The second meeting of the UNB Radio Club was held on Thursday evening in the Forestry building. Seven new members were welcomed to the club and the location of the club rooms was described to them. It was reported that new tools had been purchased for the club work shop. A tour of CFNB's studios was arranged and took place Monday night. Possible sites for the Club Rooms "Up the Hill" were discussed and it was decided to move the rooms from Alexander College as soon as it was possible.

The club transmitter is now in operation on forty metres and contacts have been made with several stations in Nova Scotia, Quebec, Massachusetts and New Jersey. More operators are required to operate the club transmitter. Any licensed amateurs are urged to join the club. Any persons desiring to learn morse code and get their transmitting licence are also urged to join the club. Facilities are now available in the Electrical building for members to practise code.

Progress was reported in the formation of a Maritime university radio network intended to act as a medium for the exchange news between maritime universities. Stations willing to join in such a network are known to exist at Acadia and Mount Allison. On Friday evening contact was twice made with Gerry Gupit and Norman Jones at an amateur station in the Memorial Residence at Acadia University. Morse code was used at this end of the contact and radio telephone at Acadia. Items of news and several messages were exchanged. Reception conditions were good and the contacts lasted altogether about two hours. A further contact was made Sunday afternoon when Don McPhail, S.R.C. president, exchanged messages with Bill Hoyt, Maritime Vice-president of N.F.C.U.S.

### Sophomore Notice

Applications are invited from eligible sophomores for the Dr. C. C. Jones Memorial Scholarship.

Only sophomores who obtained a first division mark on their freshman mathematics examination last spring are eligible. Sophomores who already hold a major scholarship are ineligible.

The award to be made later this month will be the first for the scholarship which was established last year by the Associated Alumni. Its value is \$250.00.

Application forms may be obtained from Jack Murray, alumni secretary, whose office is on the second floor of the Arts Building. The deadline for the return of completed applications is October 26.

### An Appreciation

The tragedy that the Forestry Faculty suffered in the loss of Professor H. E. Videto and Professor C. G. Hadley is shared by all the university faculty and students.

It is, however, a most personal loss to their students in forestry and to their associates on the forestry faculty.

Professor Videto was with us first as a student, graduating with a first class record in 1943. He joined the Faculty that fall and assisted with drawing and other courses. During the heavy post-war enrollment he carried an extremely heavy load.

A year at the University of London as a Beaverbrook Overseas scholar enabled him to become acquainted with general economic and personnel problems and with the work in forest products going on in England, Finland and Sweden. He brought back to the University this knowledge and a widened vision on our usefulness to students and industry.

Last year was spent at Yale where he took his Master of Forestry degree. His work there was in the field of seasoning and forest products.

His latest project at the University has been the installation of a model dry kiln to be used not only in teaching but to help industry in solving seasoning problems.

During the summers he has been associated with the New Brunswick Resources and Development Board on problems affecting the forest products industry.

Professor Videto was a gifted teacher, painstaking, well informed and keen. He believed in the student having an opportunity for a broad education that would enable him to select the field in which he was interested and for which he showed any natural aptitude.

He was a sound student adviser and ever ready to help a student in trouble. To his faculty associates he was a warm personal friend and ever ready to shoulder an additional load for the good of the University.

His loss will be felt far beyond the halls of the University through his assistance and cooperation with the forest industry of the Province.

Professor Hadley was a graduate in Forestry of Toronto University of the class of 1941. He was a first class student leading his class during his last two years. As a student he worked during the summer months with the Spruce Falls Power and Paper Company.

Soon after graduating he went into the Canadian Army and served overseas with the Intelligence Corps being discharged with the rank of Captain.

Following his discharge from the Army he was employed professionally with the Spruce Falls Power and Paper Company at Kapuskasing, Ontario until joining the Faculty of our University in 1946.

He was extremely interested in his work in Statistics and Mensuration and was an excellent teacher, being extremely conscientious and having his work both in the classroom and in the field very well organized.

He was always ready to help a student who needed additional instruction and set high standards both for himself and for his students.

During the summer months he was employed by both the Spruce (Continued on page six)

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