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Radar Inventor . . .



Caught by the **Brunswickan** photographer in a familiar pose is Sir Robert Watson-Watt, delivering his final lecture in a series of three.

Sir Robert, a famed scientist and the inventor of radar, presented the 8th Bryan Priestman Memorial Lectures.

Last Wednesday evening, Watson-Watt addressed a capacity crowd in the Teachers' College auditorium on the topic "Scientists and Statesmen of Physicists and Politicians".

The guest lecturer spoke on the subject "Physics is Not Enough" at the UNB Chemistry Building auditorium on Thursday night.

With lectures cancelled Friday morning, several hundred students took advantage and listened to the talk on "Radar's Birthday".

Photo: McQueen

World Refugee Campaign Slated for Next Week

In conjunction with World Refugee Year, UNB has joined the World Refugee Year Canadian University Campaign. Local WUSC, SCM, IVCF, IAC, Newman Club and Canterbury Club members will spearhead the campaign towards its national goal of \$100,000. Micheal Nyenhuis, local SCM chairman has been named campaign chairman. The SRC will be approached for official sanction.

From March 7-9 donation boxes will be in the Chemistry, Arts and Engineering Buildings and in the Student Centre. One professor from each faculty will be asked to canvass his fellow faculty members.

Each member of the faculty and student body will be asked to find at least one dollar for the fund, "find" meaning that if a person does not have this amount to spare he or she might obtain it from a friend or relative. From the total campaign objective of \$100,000, 75% will go to student relief in Algeria, Hong Kong and Korea, distributed on the advice of appropriate authorities in Geneva; 25% will be sent to the High Commissioner for Refugees to be used for the UN refugee program.

A reasonable estimate of refugee students from many countries would be 25,000. Nationalities are varied: over 7,000 students from the Hungarian revolution; 1,000 Algerian students; 7,000 students from Vietnam and Korea; about 3,500 student refugees from the Chinese mainland now in Hong Kong; many students who have fled South America because of their resistance to dictatorships; and many more from other countries. Refugee students, attempting to prepare for careers are as yet unable to support themselves. They must adapt to new university systems, and often they have to recommence their studies. Living conditions for these refugees are drastically inadequate and unsanitary. Against such adversities as famine, flood, war, oppression, the student is anxious to continue his studies and to adjust to the new conditions of his life.

Remember, every dollar contributed to the World Refugee Year Canadian University Campaign will help to provide food, accommodation, texts, medical supplies and scholarship funds for student refugees who so urgently need these necessities.

PANEL DISCUSSION

A panel discussion featuring two panelists, yet to be named Dr. Meagher, head of the Physical Education Department, Dave Folster, Brunswickan Editor and Joan Young, post graduate

UNB TO OBSERVE 160TH BIRTHDAY THURSDAY

by DAVE FOLSTER

The University of New Brunswick celebrates its 160th anniversary on Thursday and from all indications it will be its most splendid birthday party yet.

Included in the day's program are: An address by internationally renowned Ottawa journalist, Grattan O'Leary; a panel discussion featuring Mr. O'Leary along with a fellow newspaperman, representatives of both sides of the political fence, and a UNB student-journalist; the laying of the cornerstone for the new Arts Building; a buffet supper; and finally, the Founder's Day reception and dance which includes a special musical feature entitled "UNB Dances Through the Years".

The day's activities begin at 4.00 pm in Mem. Hall, with the panel discussion on the fireworks-inspiring question "The Maritimes in Confederation". Offering their opinions along with Mr. O'Leary will be outspoken Fredericton publisher, Michael Wardell, the Hon. R. G. L. Fairweather, the Attorney-General for the Province of New Brunswick, David M. Dickson, Secretary of the N.B. Liberal Association, and controversial *Brunswickan* columnist, Dave Fairbairn. Moderator of the panel will be Prof. W. S. McNutt, of the UNB Dept. of History.

New Council Takes Office

The newly elected SRC Executive and council will take office tomorrow night when retiring President Ted Boswell hands over the gavel to the incoming Chief Executive Steve Hart. Boswell and Treasurer Ed Daughney will present their final reports along with recommendations to the new council.

Members of the newly elected SRC for 1960-1961 are: President, Steve Hart; 1st Vice-President, Bob Soward; 2nd Vice-President, Marilyn Wiley; Treasurer, Courtney Alexander; Secretary, Mary Trites; Senior Reps, Wayne Barry, Steve Sadler, Carol Ann Brewer and Roy Davis; Intermediate Reps, Dave Fellows, Ivan Renton; Junior Reps, Derek Oland, Fred Eaton, Don Redstone; Soph Reps, Andy Cote, Sandy LeBlanc.

WUSC CHAIRMAN



Carol MacPherson, newly elected World University Service of Canada chairman who defeated Mike Denny 590 to 371 in recent campus elections.

At 5.30, part two in UNB's birthday celebration takes place with the laying of the cornerstone for the new Arts Bldg. The stone will be put in place by the Hon. Hugh John Flemming, Premier of New Brunswick. Also at this ceremony will be the provincial Liberal leader, Louis J. Robichaud. Both he and Premier Flemming will address the gathering.

At 6.15, guests to the anniversary celebration take time out to eat, with a buffet supper being held at the Student Centre for members of the Legislative Assembly, the Fredericton City Council, and the University Senate.

At 8.00 pm the scene shifts to Memorial Hall. There, amid the traditional ceremonies which link it with its pioneer days, UNB will formally become 160 years old. The formalities will proceed thusly; Following the academic procession, the Chair will be taken by the Hon. J. Leonard O'Brien L.D., Lieutenant-Governor of the Province and visitor to the university on behalf of Her Majesty, the Queen. Dr. Colin B. Mackay, UNB President, then makes his introductory remarks, which are followed by the payment of the Quit Rent.

It was just 160 years ago this coming July 18 that the Governor and trustees of the then College of New Brunswick received the first grant of land on which to construct their institution. In return, a yearly Quit Rent of one farthing for every one hundred acres was to be paid. Quit rents were abolished in this province in 1835 but UNB has maintained the ceremony. The token now paid is a 1854 New Brunswick ha' penny. It will be received by the Hon. Mr. O'Brien.

The financial transaction completed, the principal speaker Mr. O'Leary will then be introduced by Dr. Desmond Pacey, the Chairman of the Founders' Day Committee. The Address of Thanks to Mr. O'Leary will be given by Ted Boswell, outgoing President of the SRC.

At 9.30, the final slice UNB's big birthday cake is made with a reception and dance in the Student Centre. The four-instrument combo of Ralph Cambell along with the University Choral

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"Cuddles" Campus King



Crowned Campus King at the Ladies Society sponsored Apache Dance last Saturday night is debonair, part soap-box orator John Drew.

Monarch Drew is shown accepting a gift and congratulations from UNB's Winter Carnival Queen '60, Nancy Ellis. Master of ceremonies during the dignified and hallowed proceedings was head of the Classics Department, Professor R. E. D. Cattley.

An estimated \$225 was realized from the Campus King campaign and dance. This money will be used in the form of a Ladies Society scholarship, awarded annually to a deserving sophomore co-ed.

Photo: Archer-Shee

Economics student will act as moderator.

8.15 pm Wednesday evening, in the Tartan Room of the Student Centre will be the scene of action. Everyone welcome.