

Engineers visit Saint John

On Thursday, October 21st, a group of approximately one hundred Junior and Senior engineers visited Saint John. There they went on a conducted tour, through the kind permission of Mr. Russel Yuill, Port Manager, of the new 2 million dollar McLeod-Pettingill Wharf and Saint John Dry Dock. The students were shown around by D. M. Vye, Resident Engineer of the National Harbours Board, and D. W. Kirk of the E. G. M. Cape Const. Co., Ltd.

After visiting the Dry Dock the engineers were taken through the actual wharf construction site. Here with the tide down, could be seen the construction of the wharf in all its phases.

In the evening the engineers attended a dinner meeting of the Saint John Branch of the Engineering Institute of Canada in the Admiral Beatty Hotel. Col. Robert J. Casidy, O. B. E., associated with the E. G. M. Cape and Co., from Halifax spoke on "Engineer Preparations for D-Day Landings in Normandy". The meeting was presided over by T. C. McNabb, M. E. I. C. chairman. The visiting engineers from UNB were welcomed to the meeting by J. Turnbull, M. E. I. C., Donald R. Fonger, President of the UNB Engineering Society, replied on behalf of the Society, expressing their appreciation for the hospitality shown them on their visit.

Year Book Offers Two Prizes

It has just been announced that two prizes, each to consist of one 1949 Year Book are to be given to students this year, they are to be given:

To two students submitting the largest number of Hodge Podge photos to the year book by December 1, 1948. The Photo Editor requests that only negatives or reasonably large clear prints be included. Prints are to be faced in an envelope with your name, address and class year on it and the envelope put in the Year Book box near the reception desk in the Library. They will be returned to the owner as soon as the pages are made up.

Harvey's To Do Senior Portraits

It was decided at Tuesday's meeting of the Senior Class to accept Harvey Studio's bid for official photographer of the class. With this in mind the Year Book announces that portrait sittings will begin for the Seniors immediately.

The contract with Harvey Studio requires that each Senior pay \$3.00 to the studio at the time of sitting—\$2.00 to be placed on the students order and \$1.00 to pay for the print, chosen by the student, supplied to Year Book and a large composite group given to the University. Harvey's are giving a 20% discount to all seniors.

The attention of all this year's graduates is called to the notices in the Arts Building on the hill regarding the times of sittings. In order that these sittings may run as smoothly as possible, each Senior is asked to keep his appointment or if that is impossible, to switch his sitting time with someone who can come in his or her place. Each Senior's co-operation is essential in this respect.

Sawbones Have Bull Session

The members of the Pre-Med Society, having climbed down from their usual perch in the upper recesses of the Arts building, got together in the Physics lecture room last Thursday for a big feed and gab fest.

Bob Jones, the prexy of the ghouls, brought to their attention that a certain medical school is now looking on all prospective medical students from U. N. B. with a baleful and critical eye. The reason announced was that certain students, after having been accepted had turned the school down. A list was passed around to ascertain who was applying where.

Other pertinent business discussed was participation in the Red'n Black Revue, the appointment of Fred Murphy, the vice-prez as Lord Chief Producer of Medical Films, and Norm Williams, the Sec'y-treasurer of Omnipotent High Solicitor of Calendars. What raised vehement cries of "Hear, hear" was the statement advanced by several present, that courses for Pre-Meds should be better coordinated and that a complete clarification of the status of the Pre-Medical student "up the hill" should be attempted. Ben Goldberg was appointed chairman of a committee to look into the matter.

RADIO CLUB Slumming with Spicer DANCE NOV. 12

November 12 was the date decided at Monday night's Radio Club meeting for their first dance of the year. Discussion centered around the location for the dance, as the club had held successful dances last year both at Alexander College and up the Hill Alexander College was chosen because better music could be provided there.

Bert Cosman, head of the entertainment committee, informed those present that a door prize would be provided and that also a considerable sum would be spent in decorating the building.

Report was given that the club's new receiver was being set up with other equipment in building 39 Alexander.

After the business meeting, everyone carried on to CFNB's broadcasting house on Queen St. for a conducted tour of the studios and control rooms. Several of the announcers gave short talks on general program make-up procedure, and the station engineer demonstrated a new emergency power supply for the control room equipment. Much time was spent in the control room itself, where monitoring network hookups, recording, transcriptions, and remote broadcasting were explained. A demonstration of a wire recording unit was demonstrated with which it is possible to record an hour-long program on a reel of wire the size of a cigarette package, the wire used is only four one thousandths of an inch in diameter. The tour which lasted 2 hrs. was completed with a look at the record and transcription library where 80,000 records are kept.

Everyone interested is invited to gather with the club on November 15 when a tour of the transmitter at Maryland Hill will be given. Tom Dunwoodie or any club member will have tickets for the November 12 dance.

For the past fortnight the Hilltop has buzzed with activity. If you will forgive us, we will delve into the dim and distant past and mention a couple of affairs of two weeks ago.

First of all there was a Sadie Hawkins dance. Perhaps it is bragging but surely some others too consider it a big success. Report has it classified as such anyway. Memorial Hall abounded with Dogpatch characters, on the walls/paper ones there of or wandering around in the flesh.

Special congratulations are due Jean Hayden for her excellent management of the canteen; and also we would like to thank her and all the others who contributed their time and talents towards the decorations. Everything was over at midnight when the triumphant girls escorted their weary "catches" home; because of course they all had to arise bright and early for the Mount A. train.

It was nice to see so many of the co-eds at Mount A. The day was glorious - all twenty four hours of it and the Allison Hall girls really deserve a vote of thanks for their hospitality in inviting us to make use of their rooms. The gesture was appreciated.

The past week was Forestry week, and, while we weren't included in

the hammerfest, at least we can say thanks for the dance Friday night. It was another colossal success. It was impossible to recognize the drill hall in its forestry garb of evergreen. The animals (The taxidermist's products that is) and the camp fire all contributed immensely to the prevailing theme. Everything ran without a hitch, and one has to hand it to the foresters, when they attempt to stage a social function, they are not content with any half-way measures.

The next day everyone was out cheering like mad for our victorious teams. That night the drill hall saw a capacity crowd with the visiting Mounties and the victorious Hillmen all out to celebrate. Another successful dance, and the end of another week.

When this week's paper comes off the presses, everyone will be in a flurry of excitement because its the day of the Fall Formal. It has a high standard to meet in the way of entertainment, but just the fact that the dance will be held in the gym gets it off to a good start. What a day for the hair dressers.

Too bad all those engagements, marriages, and births have to go unheralded; but obviously the foresters don't appreciate such stuff, even among their own. Too soft no doubt.

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