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I am convinced ve outlined is present one. It is too aring on this year, year, surely, some- e to improve our nd by asking you ggestion. Dispose ights of self and of the interests of and of university. urs truly, U.N.B. Freshman.

Slabs and Edgings

By Murph & Hatch Friday night saw another successful Forestry social evening at the Reading Room. The forty some persons in attendance were treated to a couple of films through the courtesy of Byron W. Fieger. "Operation Budworm" and a film of Wildlife of James' Bay were shown.

WARNING—Hunters are warned that deer seen sitting on stumps wearing red hats and carrying rifles are dangerous and are liable to shoot back.

Bounty payments on animal pests is a controversial issue at any time. It is the contention of these columnists that bounties, especially on porcupines are uncalled for and are just a handy form of quick cash to many. Take the 1948, '49, and '50 porcupine bounty figures for N.B. for example. The number of porcupines presented for bounty payments during these three years were 37,425; 39,902 and 46,944 respectively. This shows an increase of nearly 10,000 in only two years. If we assume that all these snouts were legitimate, bounty payments do not seem to be depleting porcupine population very much.

On the other hand, if these snouts presented for bounty money are Maine, Quebec and Nova Scotia products as well as New Brunswick's, and include the expected five "snouts" per porcupine, the bounty money is again wasted. So, from two views, the bounty is of no help. In 1950, \$23,472 in bounties was paid on porcupines. Were the results worth the expense?

If the porcupines are a serious menace, would not a few professional trappers hired to make an extensive extermination with traps, poison and other devices produce better and cheaper results? Or, since these rodents can never be made extinct, why not tolerate them and save the money? Trigger happy persons will always shoot a great number for free and the damage done to accessible timber by the rest will probably be considerable less than feared.

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C.O.T.C. On Parade

Saturday, November 15, marked the first field trip for C.O.T.C. At that time twenty members of the Canadian Officers Training Corps representing nearly every branch of the Canadian Army gathered at the Hut "Up the Hill". After the usual photo we embarked for camp Sussex as the guests of the 8th New Brunswick Hussars.

On arrival at the camp we found boys from the Mount Allison detachment, which also included the boys from St. Joseph's had arrived just minutes before. After the usual scramble after bed and bedding we all adjourned to the mess to renew old acquaintances and to make new ones. It was planned to have some films later in the evening on Korea, but these were delayed in the mail. This small setback meant nothing to the boys when they heard that there was a dance in the town. Of this dance only hazy accounts are available but it might be said U.N.B. enlivened the evening considerably. Sunday morning—early—very early—it was still dark out—a shout, half scream came from one of the rooms—one of U.N.B.'s Red Bombers was practicing blocking and the victim—a poor little mouse. Certain other members found the town of Sussex so bewildering that it took many hours to find "the way to go home".

With the dawn came the reason for the trip—a short course on Tank recognition—gunnery, and the high point of the day—a trip in the Tanks. Many of the boys saw the tanks up close for the first time others were glad to be able to show their knowledge of the giant steel fortresses. U.N.B.'s first year boys were much impressed as this was, for most of them, their first taste of Army life. There is still time to join C.O.T.C. If interested see the Resident Staff Officer at the C.O.T.C. Hut.

A sincere vote of thanks goes to Cpl. George and all the Officers and men of the Hussars for the hospitality and good time extended to us.

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There are a great many things which contribute to the overall state of mind of a male college student, but it is probably safe to say that the most outstanding of these coefficients are food, sleep and women. They have not necessarily been listed here in order of importance. Studies have been omitted as they assume importance only once a year. There has been a general feeling of dissatisfaction throughout the Residence since September, and no great amount of research was necessary to determine which of the aforementioned variables was the chief cause of this impression. Most members agree that sleep has been satisfactory, and women have been as satisfactory as could be hoped for, but meals in the Residence have been below par. With the aim of rectifying this situation, a house meeting was called last week and the following motion was presented by a certain literary member:

"Whereas the quality of food served in the Residence Dining Room since the beginning of the present academic year has been judged to be inferior by a majority of house members when considering the amount of board paid this year, and

Whereas no improvement has been noted since it was decided at a House meeting earlier this year to have Mrs. Neilson, the Residence Dietician, consult last year's menus with an aim towards serving the type of meals which the increased board would warrant,

Be it resolved that further recommendations be made to Mrs. Neilson in an attempt to rectify the present situation and also that an investigation be carried out to determine the cause for the existence of the present inferior meals."

This motion was unanimously carried, receiving special support from the undernourished Residence Ramblers who expended so many precious calories climbing to their rooms that they suffered an ignominious basketball defeat recently at the hands of the Residence Scappers who are all first floor men. We hope that this state of affairs will be improved in the near future.

Another cause of irritation to House Members is the rumour currently making the rounds that the Residence will be used for a short period during the Christmas as a rooming house for those attending the S.C.M. conference on the campus at that time. This would necessitate the removal of all personal belongings from the rooms during the vacation period, and thus would greatly inconvenience the permanent residents. In fact, a number of the residents have threatened to leave the house should the rumour be confirmed.

Two weeks ago we had the effrontery to insult a certain Scottish lad whom we described as a sort of Black Murdoch wielding a broom instead of the conventional claymore. However, an apology is due to this bairn. Evidence has been forwarded by him which shows beyond the shadow of a doubt that he combines the sprakling wit of Sir Harry Lauder with the poetic fluency of Burns.

Here is the evidence: There was a lazy young blither Who fancied himself a writer If he came out of his room And pushed on the broom To win a degree he MIGHTA —Hielan Laddie.

Our man of the week award goes to John Ronan for his excellent portrayal of the great Gandhi at supper on Friday. Assuming his position at the table with a plate before him having nothing upon it except the insignia of our alma mater, he began stamping his feet rhythmically on the floor in some obscure Hindu fasting ritual known only to a few intellectually elevated artists-men who had read the first chapter of Rudyard Kipling's "Kim". —TOBICLES & EUREKA.

Dr. Trueman Elected Chairman

Dr. A. W. Trueman, president of the University of New Brunswick, was elected chairman of the Central Advisory Committee on Education in the Atlantic Provinces, which concluded its annual conference at the university here last week. Dr. Trueman, chosen at the final session to succeed retiring chairman Dr. Watson Kirkconnell, of Acadia University, Wolfville, N.S., will select a secretary to help administer the group. Next year's conference will be held at St. Francis Xavier University, Antigonish, N.S.

Delegates from most of the colleges and universities in the Maritimes, and representatives of provincial departments of education, attended the one-day conference. Meetings were held in the Beaverbrook Recreational Reading Room of the Bonar Law-Bennett Library, on the U.N.B. campus.

Edith G. MacLeod, registrar, and Prof. R. J. Love, head of the department of education, were U.N.B.'s official representatives on the committee. In addition, other U.N.B. professors and the deans of the faculties sat in on some of the sessions.

The conference opened at 9:30 last Thursday, with an address of welcome being given by Dr. Trueman. The morning was taken up with a report on the International Conference on Education, held last July in Geneva, Switzerland, given by Dr. L. W. Shaw, deputy-minister of education for Prince Edward Island, and a round table discussion on Federal aid to education. The afternoon discussions were held on the function of an university in an industrial society, given by Dr. Kirkconnell, and on the articulation between the secondary school and the university. To conclude the conference, delegates were guests of U.N.B. at a buffet supper.

Margot Roach Receives Scholarship

Miss Margot Roach, a sophomore science student from Moncton, has been awarded the Dr. C.C. Jones Memorial Scholarship for 1952 by the U.N.B. Associated Alumni. This was announced last week in Moncton at a meeting of the Moncton U.N.B. Club, by Jack Murray, alumni secretary.

Miss Roach, a student with an outstanding academic record, is a daughter of the late Dr. R. D. Roach and Mrs. Roach. She lives at the Maggie Jean Chestnut House.

The Jones Scholarship, valued at \$250, is given to a sophomore student on the basis of standing attained in the freshman year, particularly in freshman mathematics. Dr. Jones was president and chancellor of the university from 1936 to 1940.

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