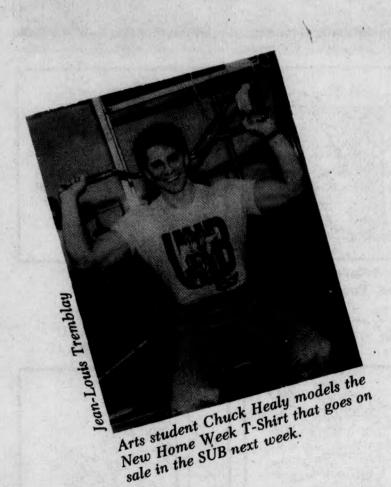


Singer Needs A Million





By Susan Montague

Singer Hall is on its way

Good progress is being made on the addition to Tilley Hall. The structural steel started going up last month and is almost completely in place. Students passing the site can now see what the building will be like--at least in outline.

Ethel Singer Hall should be completed by the fall of 1987. In addition to housing the faculty of administration, it will provide some office and classroom space for the faculty of arts and free space in Tilley for a computer facility to be used by both faculties.

Diamond Construction of Fredericton is doing the work on the \$3.3-million project.

Funding for project \$1 million short

UNB has about \$2.3 million of the \$3.3 million needed to complete Singer Hall.

A large portion of this money comes from the Singer estate.

The Singer bequest dates back to 1965 when Sadie Rebecca Singer wrote in her will that she would like the balance of her estate to go to UNB for construction of a new building or addition. The hall will be named in memory of her late sister, Ethel Frances Singer (BA'35, MA'38), the first Jewish woman to graduate from UNB.

New Home Week to help raise money for Singer Hall

New Home Week activities March 9 to 14 have been organized by a joint committee of the Business Society and AIESEC.

Proceeds raised from the sale of T-shirts and other items, pledges by students and the Dancea-thon will go toward completing construction and providing such classroom necessities as desks, chairs, drapes, computers and tables.



Singer Hall as it will look by September. Facing Harriet Irv ing Library, the addition to Tilley Hall will be a head quarters for the faculty of administration and the department. The university needs \$1 million to complete the \$3.3 million facility. DRAWING: Mott, Myles, and Chatwin, architects.

NEW HOME WEEK ACTIVITIES

March 9 - 14
Proceeds to benefit construction of
Singer Hall

March 9 - 13 10:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

- •New Home Week Booth
- •SUB Cafeteria
- •Indulge yourself for a good cause.
- •T-shirts and mugs with Ian Smith design, UNB credit card calculators, Singer Hall Time Capsule register.

March 13

2:00 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

•New Home Week Dance-a-thon Warm-up

•UNB Social Club, SUB

March 14

3:00 p.m. to midnight

- New Home Week Dance-a-thon
- •SUB Ballroom
- Free refreshments, top-40 music, square dancing, prizes.

 Sponsor sheets available from the SUB and Business Society offices.

HOW CAN IT BE BUILT ON \$1 MILLION?

It can't

Singer Hall is a \$3.3-million project. But the Faculty of Administration was in desperate need of a facility and the University decided to go ahead with it-even though it would mean raising \$1 million to complete it.

So far, UNB has secured funding from:

The Singer Bequest \$950,000
The NB Government \$828,000
Income from property rental \$560,000

TOTAL \$2,338,000

The University is working to raise the remainder from alumni, corporations, foundations, students and friends.



Singer Hall will house Administration Faculty

The addition will cover the entire south wall of Tilley Hall. Its architecture will match that of Tilley, complete with copper mansard-style roof and dormer windows.

The faculty of administration will be housed on the first three floors. The major advantage of Singer Hall is that it will bring together, for the first time, the 36 faculty members and the support staff of the administration faculty, said Ross Darling, assistant dean of administration. Faculty members are now spread out in Tilley and Carleton halls, a trailer, the Residence Administration Building and a house at 676 Windsor St.

"The addition will also provide a marked improvement in teaching facilities with respect to the case and seminar rooms," Prof. Darling said.

And it will mean a computer facility to be used with the faculty of arts. The 1,000 administration students now have access to eight terminals; the new facility will have 60.

Building will also benefit Arts

The economics department will be consolidated on the fourth floor of the addition. This is advantageous for two reasons, said Peter Kepros, dean of arts. First it consolidates the department, now located in three different sites on campus. Second, it places that department adjacent to administration with which it shares resources. Half of the students taught by economics professors are in administration.

The hall will also allow some consolidation of the mathematics department and will "produce a ripple effect through Tilley Hall," freeing up some space for some other departments, Dean Kepros said.