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Singer Hall officially opened

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When Ethel Francis Singer graduated from UNB in 1935, she probably never dreamed that a 3.2 million dollar modern facility equipped with high-tech computers and spacious classrooms would one day bear her name.

Last Saturday, on October 17th, The Ethel Francis Singer Hall which honours the first Jewish woman to graduate from UNB was declared officially open. All this preceeded by a small dedication and ribbon-cutting ceremony.

Colin McKay, president emeritus at UNB and personal friend of the Singer family, explained that the new addition to Tilley Hall would have pleased Sadie Singer who had left a portion of her estate to the University in honour of her

sister. "Sadie was very interested in business affairs and loved to watch the stock market. She would have been impressed with Singer Hall." Dr. McKay told the audience that many proposals were presented to him since Sadie's death, but that finding a project that complied with her wishes had not been a simple task. President James Downer expressed his gratitude to the government of New Brunswick, the University and friends and alumni who helped secure the project with



additional funding. Dr. Downey excused the present condition of the new hall, saying that finishing touches had yet to be done and would be completed in about a month's time.

Dean of the Faculty of Administration, K.P.K. Nair was thankful that the dream for "a first real home" for the 40 faculty and staff of Administration had become a reality. He hoped that the cooperation of the alumni graduates of the faculty will make "lasting impressions for years to come."

The ribbon was cut by Lady Aitken, Helen Scott and Mrs. William Tautermaine, alumni and friends of the Singer family, actively involved in the project.

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APCS celebrates silver anniversary

Outstanding researchers and medal winners in the sciences and engineering are commemorating a silver anniversary for the Atlantic Provinces Council on the Sciences by speaking at universities in the region.

As part of the celebrations, Michael W. Gray of the department of biochemistry at Daihousie will speak at the University of New Brunswick in Fredericton on Thursday, Oct. 29th in Room 146, in Loring Bailey Hall. His talk, which is entitled The Origin of Mitochondria: 1987 will begin at 7:30 p.m. The presentation, which is geared for a general audience, will provide an update on these minute bodies

GSA elections held

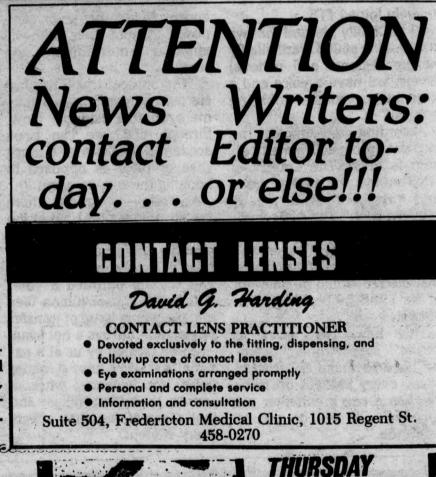
Following closure of the nomination period on October 1st, the following individuals have been elected by acclamation and, with the CSA President Denis Fillion, will form the 1987-88 GSA Council:

1st Vice President 2nd Vice President Treasurer Secretary Arts Rep. Education Rep. Eng./Comp. Sci. Rep Forestry/Phys. Ed/Bus. Rep Science Rep. Karl Walters (Forest Resources) Ian Hartley (Forest Resources) Jim Duncan (Forest Resources) Patrick Dallain (Forest Resources) Ugo Feunekes (Forest Resources) Shelley L. Darrah (Vocational Educ.) Rob Brown (Chemical Engineering) Dan McCurdy (Forest Resources) Lin Ying (Forest Resources) which occur in the cytoplasm of cells and which carry their own genetic information that is distinct from that found in the nucleus of the cell.

Dr. Gray is the 1982 winner of the APICS/Fraser Medal sponsored by Fraser Inc. of Edmundston and APICS. An annual honour, the medal recognizes outstanding research done in the Atlantic Provinces by scientists and engineers under the age of 40.

This event has been scheduled to coincide with National Universities' Week 1987, which is being observed nationally from Oct. 24 to Nov. 01.

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Mr. Ian Hartley is also *de facto* Graduate Student Senator. Graduates are advised that there are two seats still available on the Graduate Executive Committee. Nominations for these positions must be received by a member of the GSA Council before November 5th, 1987. Two supporting signatures are needed.

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