

A Penny-to some just luck, to others education



A group of concerned students have again organized a penny drive to support a worthy cause, in this case the Wa Girama tribe in Coastal Kenya.

In 1975, \$1056 was raised to aid a South African orphanage facing eviction, last \$1230 was raised for the earthquake victims in Guatemala. The proceeds from these drives were sent through the Peace and Development Organization.

The Giriama people belong to the largest of the Mjikenda or Coastal tribes and are Bantu in origin and custom. They are warmhearted and stress conformity among themselves. In terms of progress, the Giriama are regarded as being behind other parts of the country in attitudes to health, education and commerce.

They are involved at this time in a project started in 1975 to provide a second-chance institution for drop-outs and adults in

the educational employment system. Previously, the organization The Mwanbayanyundo Community Centre has been supported locally by self help programmes and contributions from overseas. At the moment it can only be considered for government aid if it can survive until next year.

The institution serves two purposes. First, to recuperate drop outs in order to help them back into the mainstream of education and employment. The second aim is to aid those young people leaving education to adjust to employment.

Eighty-five percent of the youth in this area have the stamp of "drop out" attached to them. They then have to drift to Mombasa or Nairobi for work, most of them seldom get. Their education to date has in no way prepared them for employment opportunities in the rural area and in the informal sector.

The young people have reacted to this by organizing themselves into clubs. The aim of which is to plan the parts which the youth can play in community projects, sports and leisure activities. Among the problems these youths face are lack of support by adults, lack of continuity in leadership, peer group pressure to drift to the cities and most importantly inadequate funds.

The Peace and Development Organization feels that these people need help in order to continue their self help project. With additional funding they can continue to be self-reliant.

Collection tables will be set up in the SUB Lobby, the UNB bookstore and the STU cafeteria on March 16, 17 and 18 from 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m. Anyone interested in helping, either sitting at one of the tables or collecting from residences should contact James Krant at 455-7726.

BEAVERBROOK ART GALLERY MUSIC PROGRAMME

THE BRUNSWICK STRING QUARTET

March 15, 1977

noon-hour concert (12:30 p.m.)

Admission Free

Looking For a Summer Job?

The Canada Manpower Centre on Campus will be registering students seeking summer employment on March 17 & 18, 1977 between 8:30 a.m. and 5:00 p.m.

Our office is located in Annex B, Room 3.

Manpower and Immigration Main-d'oeuvre et Immigration Bud Cullen, Minister

Ted Logan takes over pre-med

Last week UNB's Pre-Medical society had a change in the executive. Stepping down from the President's position was John McClusky replaced by Ted Logan. The society's former secretary treasurer, Miss Tanya Barrett stepped down from the vice-presidents position and Mr. Sean Doland will now take on her responsibilities.

The society's secretary treasurer for the coming year will be Miss

Janet Jones. Tentative plans include a lecture with Dr. Everett Chalmers at the hospital which bears his name here in Fredericton. The public is cordially invited to attend. Further information will be published through the Bruns and on posters. Persons interested in a medical future are advised that information concerning the new Medical College Admission Tests (MEDCATS) can be obtained from the

office of the Dean of Science in the new science complex.

Those interested in applying to the Dental School at Dalhousie University have until May 1, to apply.

This past year Tanya, Ted and myself have enjoyed serving the Pre-Medical Society members. I, and I'm sure I speak for the others, when we took over our respective positions, had a lot to learn but we managed to both learn a lot and at the same time tried to pass on what we learnt to our fellow members. It is with regret that I give up my position for it was a pleasure to try and help out those seeking help or information about the possibilities of a medical career. I extend my best wishes to the new executive for a good year and to all those aspiring students who are applying to medical-dental, or any other medical profession.

This past month members of the society went on a tour of Dal's Medical and Dental facilities. It is unanimously agreed that every one had a very enjoyable and enlightening time. A more complete description of the tour events can be found at the SRC business office or if you are interested, approach one of the society members who attended the tour for a detailed description of what we saw.

Well, that's enough for now, again best wishes to executive members and applicants, see ya later.

The UNB Camera Club will be sponsoring an illustrated presentation by internationally-known New Brunswick photographer Freeman Patterson. Photographic interpretations of Africa and New Brunswick will be presented. The talk will be held Tuesday, March 15, at 7:30 p.m., in Room 146 of Loring Bailey Hall (Biology Building) on the UNB campus.

This will be a rare opportunity for all to meet the highly-acclaimed artist and view some of his work.

Proctorships ready

Candidates for Proctorships in the Men's Residences are available from the Men's Residence Office.

Candidates must be either a graduate, a law student, or a student in his last year of an undergraduate degree programme, but any outstanding candidate may apply. He should

have a CGPA of 2.50, or greater. Exceptions may be made for candidates with compensating abilities in other relevant areas. He should also be an individual with experience in the UNB Residence Programme.

Every applicant is asked to write a letter indicating the ways in which he feels he could best contribute to the Residence programme, and to provide a transcript of his marks. The names and addresses of three people who may be contacted for letters of reference must be included. For resident applicants, these referees must be

- A. a Don or Resident Fellow
- B. a House Committee Member or Proctor
- C. at least one other referee (Preferably from a person who knows the UNB Residence System)

Each applicant will be given the terms of reference for the position of Proctor when he gets his application form. The closing date for applications will be March 8, 1977.

Peter C. Kent
Acting Dean of Men's Residences

SUB Terrain

PRESENTS

March 11 and 12 (Fri., Sat.) 8pm-1am
PETER GRIFFIN

6 episodes each night of
"PHANTOM OF THE AIR"
(a 1932 Movie Serial)

March 16 and 17 (Wed., Thurs.) 8pm-11 pm
COME ENJOY NOSTALGIA