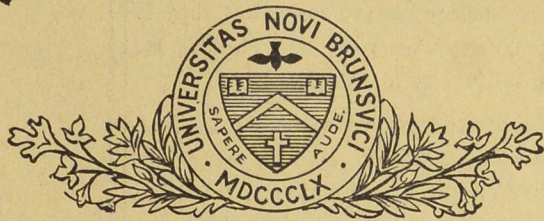


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U. N. B. WELCOMES LARGE FRESHMAN CLASS

114 New Students Register For Courses "Up the Hill"

Students Addressed by President MacKenzie in Memorial Hall

Addressing the assembled body of faculty members and students in the Memorial Hall on Monday last, Dr. MacKenzie, President of the University of New Brunswick, officially opened the academic year '41-'42.

Several changes or additions to the faculty were announced by the speaker. The new faculty members are Dr. Miller, Mr. Ryan and Mr. Dineen. The President welcomed these new members of the faculty and also welcomed back Professor Burton Kierstead who has returned after one year's leave of absence.

Mr. MacKenzie then spoke of "our guests" of the Royal Canadian Air Force who studied here this summer and who will be with us during the winter. He spoke very highly of their conduct and the manner in which they had applied themselves to their studies, saying that he was sure everyone would do his utmost to make their stay with us both profitable and enjoyable.

Since the afternoon laboratory periods were thought to be inadequate last year, it has been decided, announced the speaker, to start

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THREE NEW MEMBERS ADDED TO FACULTY

During his address to the student body in the Memorial Hall on Monday, President MacKenzie made special reference to the new members of the University staff. He spoke first of Dr. Carman E. Miller, who comes to the University from Toronto, and who will be attached to the department of mathematics. Dr. Miller is a graduate of the University of Toronto, and before coming to U. N. B. was a member of the mathematics department of that university.

Dr. MacKenzie then spoke of Mr. Howard R. Ryan, B.A., B.P.E., the newly appointed athletic director of the university. Mr. Ryan comes to us from Shawinigan Falls, Que. However, he is a Maritime man and received his bachelor of arts from Acadia. He later obtained his Physical Education degree from an American university, and since that time has been actively engaged in the work of physical director and coach.

The President also welcomed back James O. Dineen, Rhodes Scholar from U. N. B. in 1940, who will assist Dr. A. F. Baird in instructing both the Engineering students and the R. C. A. F. recruits. Mr. Dineen graduated in 1941 as a bachelor of science in electrical engineering.

This fall the position of university librarian will be filled by Mrs. Marjorie Thompson, due to the fact that Miss Mabel Sterling is still on leave of absence. Mrs. Thompson has had wide experience in this particular type of work.

President



DR. N. A. M. MacKENZIE

who addressed the students on Monday last.

More Airmen To Be Trained Here

48 Enter University for Special Courses

The second group of Royal Canadian Air Force members arrived on the university campus last Monday. About 48 men comprise this special class which will take advanced training for the next four weeks.

These are all members of classes which have taken a four months' preliminary training course in radio-location. Less than half the number are from the class recently concluded at the university, while the remainder are from Dalhousie University, as the latter institution is discontinuing the R. C. A. F. training course now that the university proper has opened.

The men will take this four week's advanced course and then will be sent elsewhere for further training, officials said. When the present group leaves another class for preliminary training will take over the premises for a regular four months' course. There will be about 75 of these it is anticipated, this being slightly fewer than the number in the first group of airmen which took this course.

At present the airmen are billeted in the Lady Beaverbrook Gymnasium and are having their meals at the Lady Beaverbrook Building. Their labs and lectures are held in the remodelled old gymnasium.

Mackay Acting House President

Metcalfe Elected Secretary

In the annual Residence election held at a meeting of the upper-classmen of the House, Colin B. MacKay was chosen acting President. Another election for this position will be held shortly, when all the residents have returned to college.

In the second election of the week conducted by the Junior members of the Residence, Donald Metcalfe was named House Secretary.

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FORMER U. N. B. STUDENT KILLED

Two Others Are Reported Missing

Word was received this summer that one more U. N. B. student with the R. C. A. F. had paid the supreme sacrifice and that two other former students are missing.

Sergeant-Pilot, Windsor Gilbert, was killed somewhere in England when his plane crashed into the woods from an altitude of 500 ft. Gilbert had joined the Airforce in 1940 after he had completed one year at the university. While here he studied forestry. He was from Douglas, N. B., and had many friends among the students and the residents of Fredericton.

Sergeant-Observer Graham Rogers was reported missing after air operations in the early part of the summer. "Wimpy" entered Forestry in the fall of '38. He remained at college for two years and in both these years was active on the tennis court, the hockey rink and basketball court. Rogers parents reside in Campbellton, N. B.

Sergeant Observer MacLaren Keswick was reported missing as the result of air activity on the night of September 7th. "Mac" left college in his Junior year after completing three years of the Forestry course. A member of U.N.B. championship Varsity Basketball team of '40, he had a great many friends while at the University. Keswick was from Hartland, N. B.

S. R. C. Holds First Meeting

Freshman Reception to be Held October 3rd

The Students' Representative Council, headed this year by President Alastair Cameron, held its first meeting of the year on Wednesday. This emergency meeting was necessary because of the fact that a meeting of the M. I. A. U. is to be held this Friday. Mr. Bunker, President of the A. A. A. asked for and received authority from the council to obtain the necessary money needed to make this trip. In addition the football manager was given the authority to purchase football sweaters.

The other matter before the Council was the setting of a date for the Freshmen reception, and the election of a Vice-president of the S. R. C. and a Secretary-Treasurer of The A.A.A. The date for the Freshman Reception was set at Friday, October 3rd.

The student elections will take place on Monday, October 5th. The council agreed that Freshmen would be declared ineligible for this election and that only those who paid their levies last year would be eligible to vote. The officials for this election are as follows: Returning officer: Stephen Weyman. Clerk, Sheila Lemont; Scrutineers, Arnold McAllister and Malcolm Mackay.

Death Removes Two Prominent Graduates

Killed in Crash



SGT-OBSERVER GILBERT

who was killed as a result of an air accident this summer.

Beaverbrook Thanks U. N. B. Students

The money that U.N.B. students contributed to this University's Spitfire Fund has been sent to England and has no doubt already been spent towards the buying of a Spitfire for the R. A. F.

The Council was assured that the fund had been received when the following memorandum was sent to them this summer by the Ministry of Aircraft Production. It read as follows:

"Minister requests that his warmest thanks be conveyed to the students for their generous contribution to the war effort."

It is hoped that in the near future some similar organization is again brought into being by this year's students to show that they realize the seriousness of the present struggle and are ready to help in any way that they possibly can.

S. R. C. President Extends Welcome

The following statement has been issued to incoming students by Alastair Cameron, president of the Student's Representative Council:

On behalf of the Students' Representative Council, I am very glad to welcome all new students to U. N. B. and to welcome back all those who have been with us before. The Council wishes success to the new class and hopes that its members will take an active part in students activities.

For the information of new students, the following section of the Constitution of the S. R. C. is reprinted:

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Dr. Watson and Dr. Ganong Distinguished in Many Fields

This summer, with the death of Dr. Oscar Watson of Saint John and that of Dr. William F. Ganong of Northampton, Mass., the University of New Brunswick lost two of its most brilliant and illustrious graduates.

Dr. Watson had won a high place in two professions—in newspaper life and the practice of medicine. Born in Saint John, he obtained his primary education in the schools of that city and in 1888 graduated from this university with the degree of Bachelor in Arts. Two years later he obtained his M. A.

He turned early to newspaper work, joining the staff of the Evening Gazette of Saint John

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Mackay Regional Pres. of C. U. P.

At the close of last term it was announced that the "Brunswickan" headed by Colin B. MacKay had been elected Maritime regional president of the Canadian University Press for the ensuing academic year. In 1938 this honor was also held by the "Brunswickan" then under the leadership of Lester G. Hoar.

For the second successive year the Toronto Varsity this year under H. Dent Hodgson, is national president of the C.U.P. The two other regional presidents are the McGill Daily in the East and the Alberta "Gateway" in the West.

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BRUNSWICKAN DANCE TONIGHT

The annual Brunswickan Dance, the first college social of the fall season will be held in the Memorial Hall tonight. This is the first time in the University's history that this function has taken place on the campus proper. Like its predecessors it will be informal.

Dancing will last from 9 until 1 and music will be provided by McGinn's orchestra. A large turnout is expected for this popular affair—where old acquaintances are renewed and new ones made. During the intermission, as in past years, entertainment will be supervised by the Sophomores.

Bob McLaughlin, Business Manager of The Brunswickan, assisted by members of the staff, is in charge of the dance arrangements. The chaperones will be Dr. and Mrs. N. A. M. MacKenzie, Dr. and Mrs. West, Professor and Mrs. Turner. In addition to the chaperones the reception committee will include Josephine Rowan, President of the Ladies Society, Alastair D. Cameron, President of the Students' Representative Council and Colin B. MacKay, Editor-in-Chief of The Brunswickan.