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LETTERS To the Editor

Mr. Editor,
Brunswickan,
UNB.

Dear Sir:—I feel this front page stuff
even thought it might be like locking
the barn door after the horse has
been stolen.

Also this is not by any means an
isolated opinion but that of, at least,
ALL THE SENIOR E.E.'s.

It seems incredible that the state
of affairs around here has gotten to
the point where the SRC is allowed
to cut the AAA budget and Non-
athletic awards without a word of
protest. The Constitution of the
SRC was written by farsighted stu-
dentsof former years to prevent the
saps that follow from doing just such
a thing but, our SRC just ignores
the Constitution and goes right
ahead. What have we got here?

Now someone will say, "We had
to do it to balance the budget."

That is no doubt the case now, but
nevertheless what has been going on
in the SRC when our backs have
been turned? (Don't one wise guy
up and say that our backs shouldn't
have been turned). Why is it that
now, though we have more money
than ever before, cannot afford to
give out distinctions or hold an Ath-
letic banquet? This, as you know has
been done in the poverty stricken
Pre-Post-War days, as a must.
There are no more teams represent-
ing the College today than then;
Therefore no more letters to be
given out and no more to attend the
banquet. It is true that there are a
few more societies on the Campus
but surely the corresponding in-
crease in the levies coming in take
care of that. The letters cost more.
Is that sufficient reason?

A mad stab in the dark and we
come up with the inspiring answer
that someone is spending too much
money and too freely—that is to say
"Foolishly."

Five hundred Rasbuckinks for a
literary magazine that is sure to die
a natural death a long with all its
other predecessors, much to the dis-
may of the few that labor for it and
in the end are the only ones to read
it anyway. The literary end of
things around here, it is apparent,
come under the English Depart-
ment. This is merely an isolated
case.

HAL SKOVMAND.

EDITOR'S NOTE:

We feel that this letter cer-
tainly portrays the shortcomings
of the modern university system.

U-Y HAS CO-EDS

U-Y Club, U. N. B.,
February 16, 1948.

The Editor,

The Brunswickan.

Dear Sir:—I wish to use this means
to draw attention to certain misrep-
resentations made in the Brunswick-
an edition of February 13, in the
article entitled "A Psychology Stu-
dent Looks at UNB" by Bill Hine.
Mr. Hine points out that the U-Y

Club has "no frustrating force, no
interference, no women"; and later
on "if there were no Co-Eds, meet-
ings would be well attended and in-
terest high, as does occur at U-Y
meetings."

Firstly, I would like to point out
that Co-Eds comprise over 25% of
the total membership in U-Y; and
secondly, the presence of Co-Eds
has definitely been an asset to the
club. Their interest is high and
they have contributed a good deal
without any detrimental effect upon
attendance. In the words of Mr.
Hine: "The U-Y Club is function-
ing with a widening range of ser-
vices and activities, and an ever in-
creasing rate of membership."

Mr. Hine seems to be defeating
himself in his presentation of "frus-
trations." The U-Y Club is progress-
ing very satisfactorily and credit is
partially due to the Co-Ed attend-
ance.

Sincerely yours,

W. D. MACAULAY.

President, U-Y Club.

EDITOR'S NOTE: In all fairness to
Mr. Hine, he wrote the article be-
fore Co-Eds were included in U-Y.

SCM PREXY OBJECTS

Beaverbrook Residence,
Fredericton, N. B.,
February 16, 1948.

The Editor,

The Brunswickan,

Fredericton, N. B.

Dear Sir:—In last Friday's issue of
THE BRUNSWICKAN there was an
article entitled "A Psychology Stu-
dent Looks at UNB." In it refer-
ence was made to the Student
Christian Movement on this cam-
pus. Our group feels that the writ-
er either intentionally or otherwise
expressed his thoughts in such a
way as to give a mistaken impres-
sion of SCM work here.

He stated in the article that the
SCM is "primarily a social group."
What did he mean? Perhaps he was
simply saying that, by virtue of the
fact that the SCM is an organization,
it must be described as a "social"
group. If so, all groups are social
and the statement is tautological.

Or, he may have used "social" in
the superficial sense of having a
good time. If so, I would not deny
the value of recreation nor would I
deny that it has a place in SCM life.
But to say that it has first place is
quite another matter. And to his
latter proposition no real SCM'er
could agree. If our function is

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simply to provide entertainment we
may as well fold up. We cannot
hope to compete with professional
talent in that field. But there are
a few of us on the campus who be-
lieve that the SCM has a different
role. We consider that the task of
the SCM is to bring students to
grips with the revelation of God in
Jesus Christ. AND WE STILL
DARE TO ASSERT THAT RELI-
GION IS AT LEAST AS IMPORT-
ANT AS A MOVIE OR A GAME
OF BRIDGE.

Lest these words seem unkind,
may I hasten to add that I enjoyed
the article and was glad to see it
published. I think that other writ-
ers should attempt to interpret UNB
to their fellow students and to raise
issues that may be controversial on
this campus.

ROBERT ROGERS.

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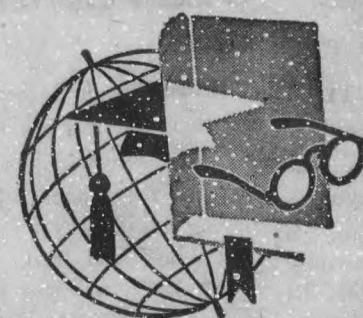
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could be seen dancing
about the halls and sitt-
ed corners. With the
a very few (these were
sonal troubles) every on-
ing a very enjoyable time.
It had been rumored
dance was also to be
Building, but no one could
there except the janitor.

NEWS IN BRIEF

(Continued from p. 5)
be made next year to
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ers in the debate will
Guntensperger, and Pe-

Varsity Singers

The meeting of Varsity
and Veteran Women
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memorial Hall, where find
the Founders' Day pro-
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planning to hold a
combined clubs in Al-
mon Room.

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age, and the father's
ulty. (McGill Daily).