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APPEAL FOR BLOOD

Next week the Red Cross again appeals for donations of blood from UNB students.

The cause is well worthy of support, for scientists have found no substitute for human blood in the treatment of many victims of accident and disease.

The need is also continuous, for blood is difficult to preserve and spoils if not used within a relatively short period after donation.

Those who know of loved ones saved by a blood donor need no reminder of the importance of next week's campaign. But many others do, because to them the blood service of the Red Cross is something obscure and too often forgotten.

We should remember, however, that some day our own lives may depend on another's blood, and that if we do not give, it will serve us right if no one gives for us.

STOP WATCH MORALITY

Too many people think human beings are little more than machines, whose character is measurable in precise mathematical terms.

Such are those responsible for enforcing a curfew on coeds in UNB's women's residence, the Maggie Jean Chestnut House.

This policy of stopwatch morality has only one advantage: it makes life easy for the residence's watchdogs. All they have to do is set a deadline for the students' return to residence. Coeds who beat the deadline are 100 per cent moral; for those who are tardy, even if only by a few seconds — well, improper is too mild a term and later confinement the only just punishment.

The logic behind the policy escapes us. It does not make moral people out of bad, but just puts a premium on hypocrisy. Truly good character needs no legal restraint to bring it to the fore.

The authorities should remember this:

If they don't act in an adult manner, it is highly unlikely that their charges will. —jos

Deadline Nears For Nominations

The fall SRC elections will be held October 29.

For the following positions nominations shall be in writing and signed by a nominator, a seconder, and eight other students:

Secretary of the SRC, who shall be a sophomore for the year in which he or she holds office; Secretary of AAA; Chairman of the UNB NFCUS committee; Chairman of the UNB WUSC committee.

Nominations for the following positions shall be in writing and signed by a nominator and seconder, who shall be members of the class concerned:

One sophomore representative, two freshman representatives, president of freshman class, vice-president of freshman class, and secretary-treasurer of freshman class.

Nominations should be handed to

Letters To The Editor

Sir: With reference to a letter published in your paper on Tuesday, we beg to differ in some respects with the writers. True, the modern university student's dress should be in keeping with his educational status, but we also think that it should fit the mode of his courses.

Consider, if you will, the forestry students who spend much of his time in labs, in the wood lot, and out surveying the campus; also the engineering students who invariably have a lab every afternoon where he may be called upon to crawl beneath a greasy machine to see how it works, not to mention surveying and drafting labs.

We are certain no economy minded student would relish the cleaning and mending bill which would stem from wearing dress slacks and sports coats seven days a week. Further, most students at UNB have not come into any money of late, and summer positions have been no help lately. Therefore, we would venture to say that only a very small number of students owns more than one sport coat. A quick check of enrolment would have pointed out to the writers of Tuesday's letter that the majority of students attending UNB are enrolled in the engineering and forestry faculties.

SRC President, Ron Manzer or the temporary secretary, Carol Ann Brewer, before noon, October 18.

Therefore we say with reservations, 'Chacun pour soi.'

Equally sincerely,
Dan Parada
Ian Lowe

Lady Beaverbrook Building.

Sir: As you know, I had the pleasure of participating in the seminar, "The Role of the University in National Development", sponsored by the Canada Council and splendidly arranged and directed this summer by our own National Federation of Canadian University Students.

A report of any value would be read by very few people because of its necessary length. Yet, the student body should benefit, but does it? No, very definitely. Indeed, none of the student body's delegates at national and international conferences has succeeded in sharing the impressions and invaluable experiences gained at such meetings with the students of this university.

I propose, therefore, that the Students' Representative Council arrange a Students' Night, at which interested students could hear their delegates report and discuss some of the interesting issues. May Ann Keith is eager to report on her WUS Conference in Yugoslavia; Ron Manzer and Joan Young have just attended the NFCUS conference in Ottawa; we are sending delegates to the World Conference at McGill this month. Personally, I am prepared to give a report at any time. With the interest shown by students so far, I cannot but help think that the Students' Night will become an anticipated, well-supported annual event—and it ought to be.

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"TOO CONSERVATIVE OLD CHAP?"



UNB Liberals Name Delegates

Two members of the UNB Liberal Club will be among some 1,300 voting delegates who will select a new leader of the New Brunswick Liberal Party tomorrow.

Joan Proudfoot, club president, and Steve Patterson were named voting delegates to the convention at a meeting held Monday evening in the Memorial Students' Centre. Nick Mulder and Steve Fay were chosen alternate delegates.

Hon. Lester B. Pearson, national party leader, will address the convention, which is scheduled for the Lady Beaverbrook

Rink. Miss Proudfoot and Mr. Fay will also represent the university group at a Maritime regional conference of the Canadian University Liberal Federation in Halifax Monday.

Reports of both gatherings will be given at the UNB unit's next meeting.

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