



New Building Design Revealed

A New Adventure in campus architecture was revealed this week when the design of the Engineering Building was made public. The new facilities, now under construction, will more than double the space available for the faculty. Thursday marked the laying of the cornerstone of the edifice. (See story on page 2.)

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Finance Committee Slashes Budgets

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The Finance Committee's Preliminary Fall Budget has cut all the club and organization budgets on campus, except one. The Yearbook is the only organization not to have its submitted budget reduced.

Finance Chairman Beach said that this was necessary because the Yearbook had already signed contracts with the printer before their budget was submitted.

He stated six reasons why the budgets were cut. 1) There are grants that will have to be given out. 2) The SRC wants to hire an administrator. 3) Expenses for co-op housing. 4) The Drama Society will probably need an extra \$1500 for travelling expenses. 5) This year the SRC has to pay for a Yearbook that was published three years ago. 6) This year's Freshman Week will cost the SRC \$1,000 instead of being a credit of \$750.00 as it was last year.

Red Blot Erased

The Yearbook, under the editorship of Bob Burt three years ago, did not have a budget that reconciled with its bank balance, therefore a debt was carried over, somehow, as a deficit until this year. This means that the SRC will have to pay for two Yearbooks. The SRC bank account, instead of showing a surplus of about \$10,000, has a deficit of \$334.99. There is still \$1500 in revenues uncollected, from somewhere.

Beach also said that the

WUSC organization gets a grant of \$2,808 from the SRC. Then he said that they bring the Treasure Van on the campus with goods marked up 200-300% and send the profits to their WUSC central office in Toronto.

The Finance Chairman commented on the expenses that CUS incurred. He said that the CUS Congress and Seminar cost the students \$700. The meeting of the Association of Atlantic Students will mean even more money. Beach felt that students giving other students scholarships seems unnecessary and that it should be abandoned next year. Presently CUS awards a \$500 scholarship annually.

John Dawes, Secretary-Treasurer of the Sophomore Executive, said that the reasons for the \$1,750 difference between last year's and this year's Orientation Week could be due to this year's bigger program. He explained this

by saying that they had a bigger program with bigger entertainment. The Executive had planned to have Glenn Yarborough but after releasing this fact last spring, later found out that his appearance could not be arranged.

Dawes said that some students were disappointed with the Executive's replacement, the Serendipity Singers. He said that he was unofficially backed by "a couple of people who count" on the Council. He justified the financial situation by saying that "our aim was to break even with the \$1,000 SRC grant, and I think we did."

\$3,000 Error

The Beach Budget shows an enrollment of 273 graduate students. The Dean of Graduate studies, Dr. Pacey, said that the number enrolled is 303, and that the department expects the final number to approach 400.

This means that at \$25 per (SEE page 2, column 5)

A Poplar Decision

Last month's Supreme Court decision will be contested.

Three Lombardy poplars were cut down by the City of Fredericton. This was done so that Beaverbrook Street could be extended. It would have passed behind the gymnasium and connect with the provincial highway.

Further cutting of the trees was stopped by a sit-in protest by some UNB students. Later, an interim injunction which was filed by the University was granted.

The court ruled in favour of the University because the supposed deed of the dedication of this land to the City had never been signed by the Lieutenant Governor-in-Council.

James D. Harper has been engaged by the City to contest the decision of the Supreme Court which had said that the City did not even own the lands through which the extension would pass and that the City was thereby

prohibited from trespassing on the lands.

On September 29, Mr. Harper filed the notice of an appeal. The appeal division of the New Brunswick Supreme Court will hold its opening sittings on November 8. If the City loses, the appeal could go as far as the appeal division of the Supreme Court of Canada.

The poplars will remain for the winter but their budding in the spring will depend on the decision of the Supreme Court.

Convocation

This Week

This is Convocation Week. Every autumn at this time the University grants degrees to university students and to honoured guests.

This year the honorary degrees are being given to perhaps the most distinguished group of individuals in the University's history.

John Rutherford Gordon, Editor-in-chief of the London Sunday Express, is this year's Convocation speaker. Other honorary degree recipients are Miss Edith G. McLeod, the University's beloved registrar; Premier W. A. C. Bennett of British Columbia; industrialist Cyrus Eaton; and Mr. Philip Manderson Sherlock, Vice-Chancellor of the University of the West Indies.

At Queen's:

President Beaten, Robbed

KINGSTON (CUP) — A group of unidentified youths Monday night beat and robbed the principal of Queen's university while he was walking across his own campus.

Dr. J. A. Corry was reported recovering in Kingston hospital following the attack.

A university spokesman said the youths knocked the principal to the ground, cut his face and removed \$30 from his wallet before leaving it beside him.

Then they fled. Because of the darkness, Dr. Corry said he was uncertain as to how

many youths were involved. Their voices sounded like those of teenagers, he told police.

The principal was able to walk home and call police after the attack. He was later taken to hospital for treatment of his injuries.