

Welcome Back!

Message from the President

To the Class of '92:

This is the fourth time that I have written a letter to those students entering the University of Prince Edward Island for the first time, and my first words must be the same as each previous occasion: Welcome to the University and may your time here be both pleasant and rewarding!

My first letter was my Freshman year as President and both that class and I entered the world that we did not know. This is my fourth year, my senior year as it were, but I am not so far from that first day that I cannot remember the doubts and hesita-

tions that inevitable accompany anyone beginning a new stage of life. And I am certainly not close enough to graduation to feel that sense of satisfaction and accomplishment of a stage completed. In a very real way I claim, because I was a Freshman so little time ago, that I can indeed sympathize with your feelings. But I can also, from one who has passed beyond that stage, tell you that the University is a benefit. And I beg you to become a full member of that community, to enjoy the spirit that unites us, and to walk with us towards that goal of an education that liberates.

Entering this year you will find that University's oldest building, Main Building, is now freshly renovated, hopefully able to serve faculty and students as classroom and office, seminar and reading room for the next several generations. At first it may seem a building still inhabited by workers, painters, hard-hatted men of construction. They will soon leave and make it a part of our purposes. I have high hopes that just as Main Building has stood over our quiet tree-filled quadrangle for almost one hundred and forty years, so it will for at least another century. For me at

any rate, to have spent my first three years here as part of a plan to see the heritage and traditions of the past renewed in this building has given me great pride. I hope you will share my pride in the University of Prince Edward Island and in its forbears.

Again, a very warm welcome to you. Quickly learn to enjoy your new surroundings and to make the best of you new opportunities. We are here to help you, and do not be afraid to make us your new teachers and friends.

Yours sincerely,
C. W. J. Eliot, President



WALK, RUN, JOG BUT PARTICIPATE!

The Terry Fox Run – Research Fact Sheet

Where do all the dollars go?

Since 1980, when Terry fox began his Marathon of Hope, The Terry Fox Run has continued to raise dollars for the fight against cancer. To date, over \$67,000,000 has been raised for cancer research. The money is used to help fund special programs and important research papers in the search for a cure for cancer. Such things as:

- Establishment of TERRY FOX REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND to stimulate cancer research in certain medical schools. Dalhousie University, Memorial University and the University of Saskatchewan have been recipients. The funds are used to recruit new young researchers to the field of cancer research.

- TERRY FOX CANCER RESEARCH WORKSHOPS that enable investigators to discuss problems and share up-to-date information on specialized aspects of cancer research. For example, a Palliative Care Workshop will be held in September '88 to discuss the best possible treatment of terminal cancer patients to ease their suffering and improve their quality of life.

- TERRY FOX PROGRAM PROJECT GRANTS which allow scientists to pool their research efforts. Team work is encouraged in cancer research. Currently, three doctors in Toronto have formed a team to study "retinoblastoma", a rare and hereditary type of cancer that affects newborn babies. This team approach brings together three types of expertise.

- Establishment of the TERRY FOX RESEARCH FELLOWSHIP PROGRAMME FOR PHYSICIAN SCIENTISTS which allows medical doctors to train in cancer research, thus providing a link between bedside and the laboratory.

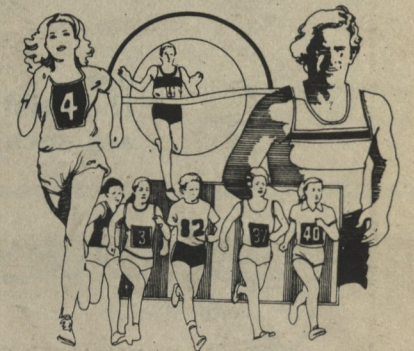
- Establishment of the TERRY FOX CANCER RESEARCH CLERKSHIP award which has allowed selected medical and dental students to obtain training in cancer research.

- The TERRY FOX PROGRAMME FOR NEW RESEARCHERS which assists new cancer researchers to obtain the necessary equipment to carry out their cancer research projects.

- Provision of support through the TERRY FOX EX-

PANSION AWARD to increase the scope of existing cancer research programs. At the Clinical Research Institute in Montreal the award made possible to expand the scope of the study of viruses which cause cancer and the way they bring about the transformation of normal cells to malignant cells.

- The TERRY FOX CANCER RESEARCH SCIENTIST PROGRAMME enables selected scientists in Canadian universities to devote themselves full time to cancer research.



On Sept. 18, 1988, Canadians everywhere will be helping to raise funds for cancer research. UPEI can help...

Pick up a pledge sheet in the Pit and join the effort.

Run: 1:00pm at the SU Barn on Sept 18, 1988!