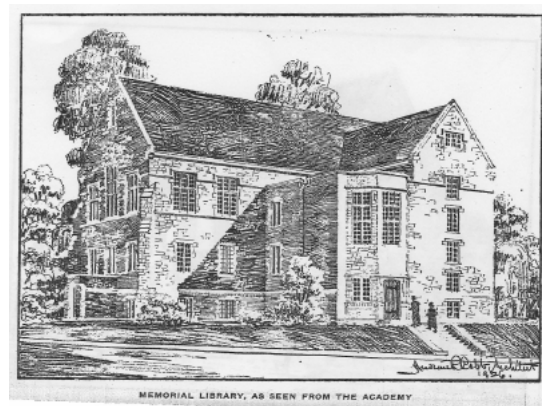
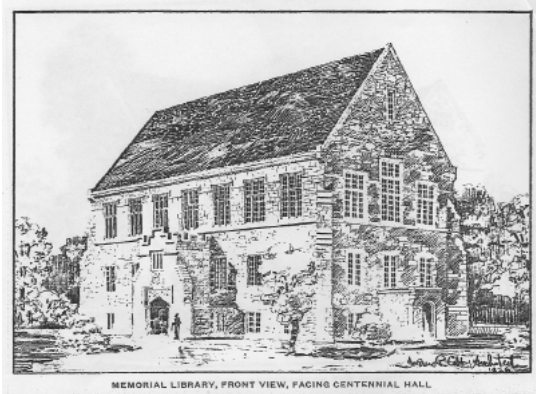


## *Support our Efforts to Save the Mount Allison Memorial Library*



*Just two weeks after the end of the Great War of 1914-1918 the Board of Regents of Mount Allison "heartily endorsed the proposition of erecting a Library Building as a War Memorial in honor of Mount Allison students who have made the supreme sacrifice in behalf of our country". The Alumnae and Alumni Societies and the Methodist Church determined "to erect a library as a memorial to the loyalty and heroism of Mount Allison men and women in the war" where names placed there will: "go down through the years cherished and revered by successive generations of grateful students".*

*In the Sackville Tribune Post of June 9, 1927, it was reported that "the cost has been something over \$100,000, of which amount \$80,000 has been subscribed and paid in" by the Families and Friends of the Fallen. As quoted in the campus newspaper, The Argosy, there was a recognized need "to keep forever in the mind and before the eye of coming generations of students" the sacrifices made by courageous Allisonians.*

Today the Administration and Board of Regents have decided to not honour the historical and physical continuity of the Mount Allison campus and will destroy this War Memorial to clear the land for the erection of a new Arts Centre on that site; the opening to be on the centenary of that catastrophic Great War.

Therefore as mentioned in our Update 8 the Save the Mount Allison Memorial Library Committee now invites your financial support to defray the legal costs incurred in their efforts to Save the Memorial Library. Some have already contacted us with offers to help and for that we are grateful. We have faith that our good friends, especially the Allisonian Alumni, will support these real costs. Your expression of generosity has enabled us to proceed without worry. We still hope and pray that before the building falls there can be found a solution that will keep and honour the Memorial Library and allow funds to be directed to its restoration.

Your cheque should be made out to:

"E. J. Mockler Professional Corporation In Trust" to "Save Mt A Memorial Library"

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The Save the Mount Allison Memorial Library Committee is thankful for your support.

*Above are two sketches of the proposed Memorial Library done in 1926 by architect Andrew R. Cobb*