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The Chancellors' Lecture Series - Professor Ramsay Cook of York University will give the first lecture of the Chancellors' Lecture Series, Thursday, March 7 at 8:00 p.m. in Theatre A. The topic of the lecture is "Religion and Social Criticism: The Progress of Three Modernist Pilgrims".

"Visible Minorities in Canada: Problems and Opportunities" - is the focus of a public lecture and a colloquium to be held March 14 and 15 at the U of W. The Public lecture will feature guest speaker Daiva K. Stasiulis from the Department of Sociology and Anthropology at Carleton University. The public lecture commences at 7:00 p.m., March 14 in Riddell Hall. Admission is free. For further information please contact Mavis Turner at 786-9232.

The Clifford J. Robson Memorial Award for Excellence in Teaching is presented annually to a member of the U of W faculty. Nominations are now being accepted from all segments of the University community. Nomination forms are available in the Awards Office, the Dean's Office, and the UWSA Info Booth. The deadline for submission of nomination forms is March 15/85.

Shanker Memorial Prizes - Awards will be given to two students, one enrolled in any U of W course and another from the U of W Collegiate, who submit the best essay emphasizing the essential unity of religions. Students or professors may forward essays to the Secretary, Department of Psychology, Room 4L02A by April 1, 1985.

"Costuming and Design for the Theatre" - is the topic of a lecture to be given by Mary-Jo Pollock, resident designer for Le Cercle Moliere, Thursday, March 14 at 12:40 p.m. in Room 1L06.

Lecture '85 presents - The Core Area Series; a three part series dealing with the people, politics and projects of the Core Area. Joe Zuken will speak about the residents of the Core Area and the effects of the Core Area Initiatives Project on their lives at 12:30 p.m., March 7 in Room 1L10. Lynda Newman, Research Officer for the Institute of Urban Studies, will speak about the politics of the Core Area Initiatives Project at 12:30 p.m. March 14 in Room 1L10.

"The Poet in the Poem: John Milton's Presence in Paradise Lost" is the title of a lecture to be given by Dr. John Shawcross of the University of Kentucky, Tuesday, March 12 at 12:40 p.m. in Room 2C14.

String Quartet - Four members of the Winnipeg Symphony Orchestra Boyd Mackenzie, first violin; Tom Watrous, cello; Suzanne McKegny, viola; and Elizabeth Lupton Enns, second violin will perform Tuesday, March 12 at 12:40 p.m. Theatre B. Admission is free. Sponsored by the U of W Music and Art Committee and the UWSA.

The Interfaith Pastoral Institute offers the following courses commencing in early March: Interface between Psychology and Theology; Helping Arts: Caring and Sharing as Christians; Parenting Adolescents: Finding the Way; Marriage Enrichment; and A Theology of Suffering. For details, please call 786-9251.

"Canada and the United Nations" is the topic of a lecture to be given by His Excellency Stephen Lewis, Canadian Ambassador to the United Nations on March 15 at 8:00 p.m. in Room 1L10. Sponsored by the Department of Political Science and the Winnipeg Branch of the United Nations Association of Canada. Admission is free.

"Neutrinos Matter?" - is the title of the Canadian Association of Physicists Lecture to be given by Dr. J.J. Simpson, Professor of Physics at the University of Guelph, March 6, 11:40 p.m. in Room 3M64.

BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

The following are highlights from the meeting of the Board of Regents held Monday, February 25, 1985:

President's Report - Dr. Farquhar reported on meetings with federal politicians in Ottawa last month. The delegation's purpose was to argue against the scheduled \$72 million reduction in equalization payments from the federal government to the Province of Manitoba in 1985-86. Finance Minister Michael Wilson expressed concern that to give Manitoba the special attention we requested would, if applied to other provinces in a similar position, extend the cost to the federal government to between \$400 and \$500 million. He recognized our problem but asked that we also recognize his.

As was the case last year, the University Grants Commission has asked us to make arrangements for it to hold a meeting on our campus. This will take place on March 22 and will include a guided tour of our new Athletic Centre for Commission members.

The Committee of Presidents of Universities in Manitoba met on February 13. Among the items discussed were: 1985-86 tuition fees (no decisions made as yet at any of the institutions); grants for 1985-86 (no indication yet of when they will be announced); the proposed co-operative program in Nursing; Inter-Universities North (we noted that the IUN Program Executive Committee is undertaking a review of its study skills program) and distance education.

Revised By-Laws - The Board unanimously approved revised by-laws. These by-laws detail meeting schedules and notices of meetings, establish officers of the Board, outline borrowing powers and signing authority and establish standing committees of the Board. These include: Executive, Finance and Investments, Property and Physical Planning, Nominating, Development, Non Certified Staff-Board Liaison, Relations with Members of the Faculty Association and Student Affairs. A by-law was also passed which defines conflict of interest and provides guidelines for the use of confidential information.

Board Highlights continued ...

Fund-Raising Campaign Advisory Group - The President is currently establishing an advisory group to determine priorities for a major capital fund-raising campaign. The Board agreed to name two representatives to this group and delegated that responsibility to the Nominating Committee.

Oral Presentation by Dr. Ross McCormack - To ensure a free flow of communication between senior staff and the Board, the President has scheduled a series of oral presentations. On this occasion, Dr. McCormack discussed recent developments and planned activities in the office of the Vice-President (Academic).

The U of W Media Department received a Canada Works Project grant of \$240,000.00 which enabled it to employ ten persons in the past year. Four persons catalogued and placed into the Computer Centre information available from the Media Department, i.e. videotapes, records, audio tapes, slides and films.

Six persons have researched and catalogued images from collections made available to the Western Canada Pictorial Index, including those of the Winnipeg Free Press, the University of Manitoba Archives (Special Collection) (Winnipeg Tribune), the Western Canada Aviation Museum, and the Canadian National Railway. This material is stored in the Media centre and is available to anyone engaged in Western Canada historical research.

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