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ROBIN H. FARQUHAR APPOINTMENT EXTENDED

The Board of Regents of The University of Winnipeg is pleased to announce the extension of Dr. Robin Farquhar's appointment as President of The University of Winnipeg. The term of the extension begins September 1, 1986 and ends August 31, 1991.

In making the announcement, Board Chairman Alan Hanna said "that in light of the overwhelmingly positive response from the University community, the Board officers' own assessment and the President's interest in continuing, I am delighted to announce the extension of Dr. Farquhar's appointment. We remain impressed with his leadership qualities, demonstrated administrative ability and understanding of the University and its role in the community."

In accepting the Board's offer, Dr. Farquhar spoke about the role of the University and his commitment to its healthy development. "This is a very exciting time for our city and neighbourhood and I am looking forward to the important role The University of Winnipeg will play. I am determined to ensure that The University of Winnipeg continues to be a leading corporate citizen and that we establish a clear plan of development which will take us into the 21st century. Our challenges for the coming decade will focus on the enhancement of our capital facilities and the confirmation of our international academic reputation," he said.

Dr. Farquhar spoke about his affection for the City of Winnipeg and for the unique role he sees for a university in an urban setting. "The University of Winnipeg is a fine institution which can become even better," Dr. Farquhar said, "and I appreciate the opportunity to continue working toward that goal."

## BOARD HIGHLIGHTS

The following are highlights from the Board of Regents meeting held Monday, June 24, 1985:

The President's Report: The Committee of Presidents of Universities in Manitoba met on June 7 at the University of Manitoba. Subjects dealt with were: the study of university-level distance education needs; an analysis and preparation of a statement on the ramifications of making possible for the universities the early retirement arrangements recently approved for school teachers; resolutions forwarded by the Manitoba Association of School Trustees in which the Minister of Education and the University Presidents are urged to give Canadian students first priority on student spaces at the university; a questionnaire the CAUT had sent to its Member Faculty Associations in an effort to determine Boards' plans with respect to mandatory retirement pursuant to the equality rights section of the Canadian Charter of Rights and Freedom.

Other items in the report were: Honorary Degree Recipients for Fall Convocation; coming events; a review of the year; undergraduate enrolment in the Faculty of Arts and Science; course registrations; enrolment in Joint Master's Programs (with the University of Manitoba); Faculty of Theology; Collegiate Division; Senior Citizens' Program; Research Grants from National Granting Councils; Alumni Entrance Scholarship Program; Student Performance: Inter-University Athletics; Gifts and Bequests; Honorary Degrees; Special Events; Promotions of Academic Staff; Appointments to Teaching Positions; Resignations of Staff; Retirements; and Deaths.

Reports of the following boards and committees were submitted: Appointment, Advancement, and Retention of Members of the Faculty Association; Information Services, Institute of Urban Studies; Interfaith Pastoral Institute; Pension Committee; Property and Physical Planning; Research and Travel; and the Western Canada Pictorial Index.

The following members of the Board of Regents have retired: Loris Dumanian, William Gray, Richard Sandhurst, Robert Siddall and Gaylene Van Dusen.

Hubert Mayes of the French Department gave a paper entitled Colin Maillard, Louis Hemon's "existentialist" novel at the annual October meeting of the Linguistic Circle of Manitoba and North Dakota. On October 29 he was the guest speaker at a meeting of the University Women's Club. The subject of his illustrated talk was Memories of Lord Selkirk - France and Scotland. On November 24 he gave a lecture entitled Le Sacre de Mgr Tache a Viviers-sur-Phone at the fourth annual colloquium of the Centre d'Etudes Franco-Canadiennes de l'Ouest.

Dr. William Glasser, a world renowned, Board-certified psychiatrist and educator, will be presenting his latest ideas on Reality Therapy and Control Theory Psychology in a full day seminar sponsored by Manitoba Association of Certified Reality Therapists, P.O. Box 932, Brandon, Manitoba, R7A 5Z9 (725-0941). Dr. Glasser is the President and Founder of the Institute of for Reality Therapy, Los Angeles, California. His presentation will be from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. on November 21, 1985 at the International Inn, 1808 Wellington Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba.

Day 2, Reality Therapy in Action, will offer mini workshops in areas of specific interest to your group. (as listed in our brochure)

For further information about Dr. Glasser's full day lecture call or write:

Institute for Reality Therapy  
P.O. Box 932  
Brandon, Manitoba. R7A 5Z2  
(204) 725-0941

Attention Profs! News stories relating to science, arts, and technology are constantly in demand by the media. The following persons have recently expressed a desire to be informed of any interesting developments at The University of Winnipeg:

Peter Winter, Science Column, The Winnipeg Sun

OR

Winter House Scientific Publishing, P.O. Box 246,  
St. Norbert Postal Station, Winnipeg, Man. R3V 1L6

Ms. Michelle Metivier, C.T.V. Live It Up,  
c/o The University of Winnipeg Community Relations Office

Gilles Provost, Science-Realite, P.B. 6000,  
Montreal, Quebec. H3C 3A8

COMING EVENTS

National Universities Week - An exciting week of conferences, concerts, displays and community outreach activities, held on The University of Winnipeg campus October 19 through 27, 1985.

Homecoming Weekend - Come home to the heart of the continent. Come home to the heart of the city. October 18 through 20, 1985.

The Canadian Urban Studies Conference - Will take place August 14 through 17 on campus and at the Hotel Fort Garry. The theme of the conference is "The Canadian Experience - Past and Present". The conference is an opportunity for Canadian urban specialists to communicate their research results.

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Christopher Dafoe, Editor of The Beaver, presented on behalf of The Hudson's Bay Record Society a set of volumes containing a history of The Hudson's Bay Company. The volumes have important scholarly value and will be stored in the Rare Book Room in The University of Winnipeg Library. The University of Winnipeg is grateful for this generous donation which enhances our body of scholarship in this field of Canadian historical research.

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This will be the final issue of In edition for the 1984-85 academic year. Look for us again in September in a new format. Any submissions over the summer months should be directed to the Community Relations Office, Room 421, Wesley Hall.

If summer comes, do enjoy it!!