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# BLUES RIDDELL FESTIVAL GRESENT SAT. SAR LONNIE BROOKS BLUES BAND JIMMY JOHNSON BLUES BAND EDDIE SHAW and the WOLF GANG BIG DADDY KINSEY and the KINSEY REPORT OF PARTY OF SAR SONS OF BLUES/CHI-TOWN HUSTLERS AND SPECIAL GUESTS BIG TIME SARAH OTIS RUSH JOHN WATKINS GUITAR PARKIN and the STINGERS

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## SWEET HOME CHICAGO

### The News is the Blues

The blues are history, the blues are current, and the blues will always be part of the future — because the blues have an appeal that is universal. On December 13, 14, 15, the U.W.S.A. presents "Sweet Home Chicago", the second annual Blues Riddell Festival. Neal Kimelman, the U.W.S.A. programming director, describes the event as "the biggest exclusively blues festival north of Chicago." Groups and individual artists selected for the festival will play "fire band" blues. "It's up-tempo dancing music", Kimelman said.

The festival includes a series of performances at Le Rendezvous and at the Brittany Inn, with one band per night for three nights. "I expect about 3,000 participants", Kimelman said. The Blues Riddell Festival is a spin-

The Blues Riddell Festival is a spinoff of the Blues Riddell series, which itself was a product of other music series introduced by the U.W.S.A.. e.g. Jazz Riddell, Classics Riddell, and Reggae Riddell.

"Sweet Home Chicago" features an exciting array of talent from the windy city. Guests include the Lonnie Brooks Blues Band, Big Daddy Kinsey and the Kinsey Report, and world renowned guitarist Otis Rush. "We're renting a very large bus to bring everyone up", Kimelman said.

The Jazz Riddell Festival is an important contribution to The University of Winnipeg and to the Winnipeg music scene. "No one presents this type of event on a regular basis in Winnipeg", said Kimelman. "We have people coming in from all over the province, as well as from outside the province". Tickets are \$12.00 each, a choice of two nights for \$20.00, or three nights for \$30.00. Tickets are available at the Info Booth, ATO, BTO, and finer record stores.

### New Award Approved

The University of Winnipeg Board of Regents, at its meeting on November 25, 1985, approved the introduction of an annual award for Excellence in Scholarship and Research. The award will be presented to a faculty member at Fall Convocation and will involve a prize of \$1,000. The award for Excellence in Scholarship and Research will parallel the Clifford J. Robson Award for Excellence in Teaching and the Clarence Atchison Award for Excellence in Community Service.

Dr. Arnold Rogers, a long-time friend and benefactor of the University, has indicated his willingness to provide the funding for this award. It will be presented for the first time at the 1987 Fall Convocation.

A selection committee, chaired by the Chancellor, will be established to develop the criteria and procedures for selecting the winner each year, and then to make the actual selection. The Vice-President (Academic) will arrange the formation of this committee.

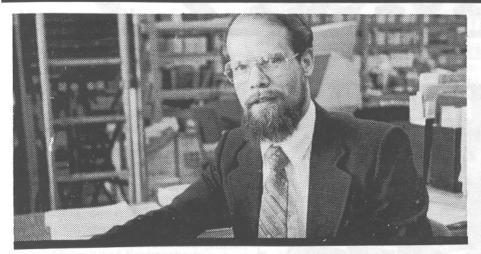
### In Edition

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### Music and Art Committee

You are invited to the opening of the exhibition of water-colour paintings by Kenneth Hamilton to be shown in the Library, December 2 to 6.

### LINWOOD DeLONG



Linwood DeLong is an articulate, soft-spoken reference librarian who takes an active interest in his work. In addition to performing reference desk duties and conducting classroom orientation sessions, Linwood enjoys making suggestions for book purchases. "Collection development is important. I watch for new Canadian books - we're always trying to make sure our Canadian collection is up to scratch", he said. Linwood is becoming increasingly involved in collections development. "There are a few projects I've dreamed up", he said. "I'm interested in collecting sets of campaign materials from provincial and federal elections.'

Linwood is a newcomer to Manitoba. Although his family is based in Halifax, he was born in India, where his parents worked as missionaries. A small town in India was his home for 15 years; during this period he attended a boarding school, "largely an international enclave", and visited Canada once at age 13. "I was acclimatized to living in India", he said, "but I wasn't really part of the culture. I didn't speak the language well—I thought of myself as a Nova Scotian in exile."

After graduating from high school, Linwood returned to Canada to study English and German at Mount Allison University in Nova Scotia. The University of Toronto was his next destination, where he commenced work on his Ph.D. in German. "I ended up moving to Germany for four years", he said. "The University Tübingen was very exciting, although less money is

spent on the physical planning of the buildings". "You'd never find a building such as Wesley there."

Linwood returned to Canada, completed his Ph.D., and was hired as an assistant professor of German at the University of Toronto. When his term expired, he found himself looking for another teaching job or another career. "It's hard for junior academics to get tenure. After some thought, I decided to try librarianship", he said.

Linwood graduated from the University of Western Ontario library program in 1982. In September of

that year, he successfully applied for a position at The University of Winnipeg Library. "I really enjoy The University of Winnipeg", he said. "It's large enough to be an honest-to-goodness University, yet small enough to be convivial. It's a great place to learn the ropes."

Linwood likes Manitoba, and is eager to discover what the province is all about. "I was curious to know what Winnipeg would be like as a city", he said, "It's been quite exciting discovering the west." Linwood takes advantage of Manitoba's climate, swimming in summer and cross-country skiing in winter.

Music is another of Linwood's hobbies. An "amateur, but very enthusiastic violinist", Linwood will play a violin solo in the upcoming musical "Annie". Linwood is also active in the Augustine church choir and several church committees. He's a member of The University of Winnipeg European Studies Group, the University of Manitoba Orchestra, and Professor Heiderich's German conversation group.

It appears that Linwood circulates as much as his books.

### **Faculty and Staff Forum**

Approximately forty faculty and staff members attended the Faculty and Staff Forum, held at 3:30 p.m., November 22 in Theatre 3C00. The Forum replaces the General Faculty Council and is designed to improve life on campus by fostering fuller and more direct internal communications.

Dr. Farquhar, Chairman, cited registration figures (see Board of Regents highlights) and discussed recent and future activities at The University of Winnipeg, including the successes of National Universities Week and Homecoming, and forthcoming Christmas events.

In his remarks about the Silver Jubilee Fund-Raising Campaign (to be kicked off in early 1987), Dr. Farquhar said that the Campaign Committee, led by the Development Committee of the Board of Regents,

will explore what is needed at The University of Winnipeg and what is marketable. Dr. Farquhar also indicated an awareness of concerns expressed by faculty regarding recent renovations to the library. This topic was further pursued in a general discussion of the report of the Fund-Raising Campaign Planning Advisory Group—led by Dr. Wilson Brown.

Reports from the following committees of the Faculty and Staff Forum were approved: Collections Committee; Music and Art Committee; Religion and Life Committee; Social and Recreational Committee; World University Service Committee; Common Areas Committee; Representative to the Athletic Board; Representative to the Alumni Council.

### **President's Report**

### **Update on Enrollment**

Registration figures, as of the beginning of this month, are as follows:

Collegiate Division — There are 2,767.5 credit registrations in the regular session (an increase of 2.44% over last year). The attrition rate from mid-September has been 1.5% as compared with 6.9% last year); the attrition of Native students has been 3 of 59 (compared with 10 of 39 last year). Thus, there has been a big improvement in the Collegiate's retention, which is why the total enrollment is up rather than down a bit from last year.

Faculty of Theology — There are 140 students enrolled in degree credit programs, an increase of 23% over last year (more than half of whom have a denominational affiliation other than the United Church of Canada, which is true of the staff as well). In addition, 25 students are enrolled in the Certificate Course and 27 students in the Feminist Theo-

logy Workshop.

Faculty of Arts and Science — Total course enrollments are now up to almost 22,000. In terms of head counts, the total is 7,263, which represents a 2.9% increase over last year. Of the total, 4,145 are part-time students and 3,118 are full-time; 4,151 are women and 3,112 are men. Enrollment increases occurred for both part-time and full-time students, and for both female and male students.

### Meeting with Provincial Minister of Finance

I was invited to bring a colleague to a consultation meeting with the Honourable Vic Schroeder on November 18, and Vice-President Clake joined me on that occasion; the meeting was for those in the educational sector and included representatives from the public education systems, the University of Manitoba (only student leaders from there attended), the Chairman of the Universities Grants Commission, the Assistant Deputy Minister of Education

Responsible for Post-Secondary Education, Professors Bill Bell and Herb Mays of our Faculty Association, and Sean MacDonald and Carol Krebs from our Students' Association. The intention of the meeting was to facilitate two-way communication during the Minister's early stages of planning for the government's 1986-87 budget. He indicated that the financial outlook for the short and medium terms in Manitoba is moderately encouraging but he expressed deep concern about federal intentions in general and their relative unfairness to Manitoba in particular. He is looking to the upcoming First Ministers meeting for sufficient clarification to indicate what is really likely to happen in terms of federal funding to the provinces for health and education, and what the implications of that will be in terms of impact on our operations and possible need for action (he is hoping especially for tax reform at the federal level). Until federal intentions are clarified, he is in no position to provide any financial guidelines for us, although he suggested that next year will likely be similar to the current year in terms of funding; he is conscious of our need for some indication of its level as soon as possible for budget and planning purposes. Mr. Schroeder acknowledged that the fact that next year is an election year will likely have an impact (at least on the timing issue) but he would not speculate as to what that impact might be in terms of financial prospects for health and educational institutions.

### **Finance Committee**

The board passed motions approving the Collegiate budget for 1986-87, the establishment of Collegiate Students' Association fees, the formation of an Endowment Sub-Committee, and the establishment and temporary funding of an Award for Excellence in Research and Scholarship.

### Report of the Athletic Board

The board approved a motion to allow recreational user access for University of Manitoba students (maximum of 100) taking their program at the downtown Health Sciences Centre. This arrangement will expire June 30th and be reviewed.

### **Library Board**

After a lengthy discussion of the Library Board report, the Board of Regents referred the matter to the Property and Physical Planning Committee, the Development Committee, and to the Library Board for further study. To facilitate this request, Dr. Farquhar has asked the Chief Librarian to prepare a 10 year development plan for the library given certain assumptions about financial and demand parameters. The Chief Librarian has agreed to report to the Vice-President (Academic) by March 31, 1986.

# The University of Winnipeg Fund and Other Donations, October/85

The following is a report of donations to The University of Winnipeg from various donors for the month of October, 1985:

The University of Win	nipeg	
	\$ 704.00	*
MacBean Foundation	Entrance	
Scholarship	4,100.00	
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Booster Club	1,745.00	*
Wpg. RH Institute Sch	nolarship	
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Institute Inc.)	10,000.00	
Various Collegiate		
Scholarships	969.00	*
Various University		
Bursaries	75.00	*
Various University		
Scholarships	3,178.39	*
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Fund	475.00	*
Child Care Centre	6,350.00	
TOTAL:	\$27,596.39	

Detailed information on all reports are available in the Community Relations office.

\* Various donors

### **COMING EVENTS**

Arturo Chacon, Professor of Sociology and Ethics at Comunidad Theologica Evangelica De Chile will give a public address "Chile and the Struggle of the Church", December 5 at 7:30 p.m. in 213 Bryce Hall.

### **Faculty Activity**

THE NEW PEOPLES: BEING AND BECOMING METIS IN NORTH AMERICA, edited by Jennifer S.H. Brown, History, and Jacqueline Peterson, is the first title in a new series entitled Manitoba Studies in Native History. This volume is the first major work to explore, in a North American context, the dimension and meaning of the process fundamental to the European invasion and colonization of the Western Hemisphere: the intermingling of European and native American peoples.

Dr. Zbygniew Jan Gryz, Sociology, has completed a survey report "Heritage Preservation among Ethnocultural Communities in Manitoba". The report is jointly published by the Institute of Urban Studies and the Manitoba Multicultural Resources Centre. The first copy of this report will be presented to the Hon. Eugene Kostyra — Minister of Culture, Heri-

tage and Recreation.

Paul Redekop, Sociology, recently attended the Annual Meetings of the North American Society for the Sociology of Sport, where he presented the paper: "Finding the Sport in Sport Policy: A Survey of Policies Relating to Sport". Paul has also learned that his article: "Interorganizational Conflict Between Government and Voluntary Agencies in the Organization of a Volunteer Program: A Case Study" will be published in the forthcoming edition of the Journal of Voluntary Action Research.

### **Western Canada Pictorial Index**

The future of the Western Canada Pictorial Index at The University of Winnipeg is uncertain. In a letter to Dr. Clake dated October 10, 1985, President Farguhar indicated that University faculty use of the Index. both for teaching and research, has been negligible. Dr. Farquhar noted that if usage does not increase within the next two years, the University is certain to lose the Index. The Western Canada Pictorial Index comprises over 50,000 images and covers a vast number of topics concerning every facet of Canadian history, culture and life west of Lake Superior.

On November 20, interested faculty and staff met to discuss possible ways in which the uses and contributions of the Western Canada Pictorial Index could be maximized. At a subsequent meeting.

Dr. Jennifer Brown, History, announced the creation of an independent University advisory committee comprised of one representative from each interested academic department, division, or programme. Western Canada Pictorial Index personnel and University administrators concerned with W.C.P.I. affairs will each be requested to report regularly to this committee on W.C.P.I. developments. In turn, the committee will undertake to report to the W.C.P.I. staff and to the administration questions and issues raised by the University community. The committee will also examine ways to promote and facilitate use of the W.C.P.I., within the University as well as externally.

For further information, please call Jennifer Brown, ext. 385.

### Seminars for High School Counsellors

On November 21, 22, 28 and 29, the Admissions Office conducted a series of seminars for high school guidance counsellors. The counsellors received information on University of Winnipeg admission requirements, admission procedures, academic programmes and entrance requirements from Admissions Office staff. They were also given

important information on policies relating to student loans and bursaries, and Dean McIntyre outlined support programmes being developed for freshman students. The approximately seventy counsellors who attended the seminars expressed appreciation for the programme and for the information they received.

### **Staff Changes**

Name	Position	Effective Date
Appointments		
Valerie Anderson	Sect. I, CCWTP	Nov. 25, 1985
Judith Burnett	Asst. Bookstore	
	Manager	Nov. 18, 1985
Betty Fuller	Clk. III,	
	Anthro./Float,	
	Sec. Serv.	Nov. 20, 1985
Michael Lentowich	4th Class Power	
	Eng., Maint.	Jan. 2, 1986
Lori Porco	Clk. II,	
	Printing Serv.	Nov. 28, 1985
Change in Position		
Charlie Peters	Clk. II, Print.	
	Serv. to Clk. III	
	Reg. Office	Nov. 12, 1985

### **Positions Vacant:**

1/2 time Clk. — Steno, Development Centre 1/2 time Clk. — Steno, Community Relations Director of Continuing Education