

FACULTY AND ADMINISTRATION REACH TENTATIVE AGREEMENT

A tentative contract agreement was reached last week between the University of Winnipeg Faculty Associa-

tion (UWFA) and the Administration after almost a year of negotiations.

While the Board of Regents has yet to ratify the proposal, the UWFA has already voted 117 to 12 in favour of the deal.

Carl Ridd, president of the UWFA, said this vote indicates how satisfied

the faculty is with the proposal. "I think faculty finds it a very good agreement and is relieved that it's over," he said. "I think everyone will be glad to get back to the everyday business of the University."

President Robin Farquhar said he -See *Tentative Agreement* inside

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FRENCH GOVERNMENT HONOURS UNIVERSITY OF WINNIPEG PROFESSOR

Carol Harvey, Chair of the French Dept. at The University of Winnipeg, will be one of the few Canadians to be presented with France's highest honour to an academic. It will be awarded by the Consul of France on Apr. 5 at the University.

Harvey will be bestowed with the Rank of Knight in the Order of Academia and a citation noting her outstanding contributions to the promotion of French language, literature and civilization in Manitoba.

"I was overwhelmed and, naturally, very pleased when I learned that I had been selected," she said. "The honour is usually reserved for citizens of France and is rarely awarded to foreigners."

Harvey has been involved in several projects that promote French culture in the schools and in the community.

"I think it is very important to support your own discipline," she said. "You must show by your own participation that good programs and extra-curricular activities are important to you."

As Chair of the Junior High French Curriculum Committee, Harvey

worked to develop and implement new French programs in Manitoba schools.

She has helped to implement the International Baccalaureate Program and has regularly adjudicated French Speech Arts at the Provincial Verse Competition and several festivals throughout the province.

Harvey, who has taught at The University of Winnipeg for 17 years, believes the French department of a university can set the tone for how people in the entire province feel about a language and culture.

"The study of French can lead to a greater understanding of French culture which helps us to build bridges between two solitudes," she said.

"In the past decade, French has been highly politicized and, consequently, people have become polarized. I believe that seeing literature and civilization only in political terms is a betrayal to the culture."

Harvey has been an active member of several organizations including the Manitoba Association of Teachers of French, the Canadian Association of Second-Language Teachers, the Linguistic Circle of Manitoba and North Dakota and the Alliance Francaise du Manitoba.

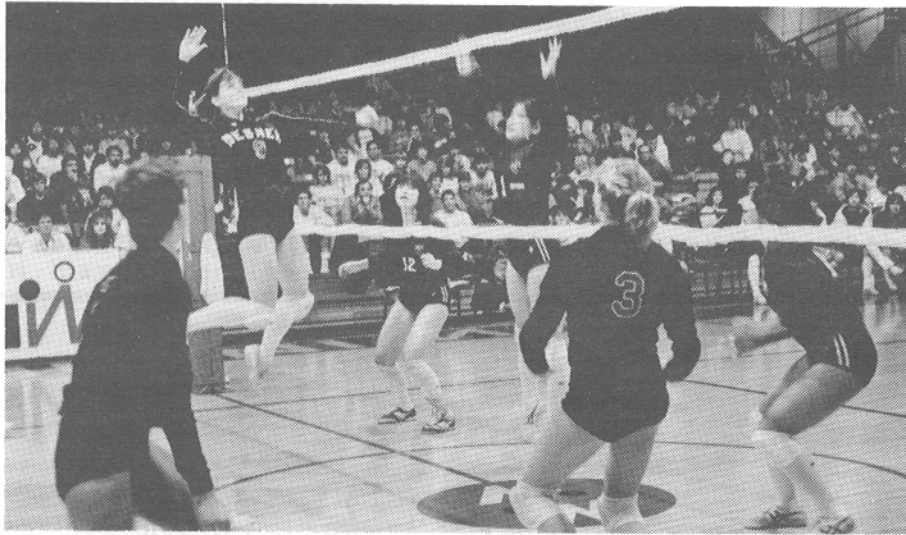
She has been a prolific writer and researcher producing 26 articles and book reviews in the past six years alone. In addition, she has presented



Carol Harvey of the French Department will receive France's highest honor to an academic.

numerous conference papers to local, national and international audiences.

Some of Harvey's many honors include the Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council of Canada's Travel to International Scholarly Conferences Award (1982) as well as the International Conference Travel Award (1980) and Robson Award for Excellence in Teaching (1980) from The University of Winnipeg. She has recently been named a Senior Research Scholar at Corpus Christi College, Cambridge, for the Lent term of 1989.



Brenda Boroski (No. 3) and Ardith Lernout (No. 9) of the Lady Wesmen volleyball team were named tournament all-stars at the C.I.A.U. championship in Sherbrooke, Quebec.

LADIES FIRST!

The University of Winnipeg Lady Wesmen volleyball team won their sixth consecutive Canadian Interuniversity Athletic Union (C.I.A.U.) championship by defeating the Sherbrooke Vert et Or in the finals on Mar. 12.

It was a perfect ending to a perfect season as the Wesmen captured the national title after finishing the season undefeated. The team's remarkable 58-0 record included victories over two world-class teams - Tsukuba University from Japan and the Minnesota Monarchs, a professional team from the United States.

Coach Mike Burchuk thinks his team's confidence, composure and unity were instrumental to their success throughout the season and in the playoffs.

"From a physical and technical standpoint, the Sherbrooke team and the Wesmen are at a similar level," he explained. "But when it comes to mental strength, we're a step ahead. It really showed in the first game of our match."

In the first two minutes of the game, the Lady Wesmen fell behind 6-0. The fans were cheering wildly for Sherbrooke, the host team for the tournament, but the Wesmen were still able to overcome the deficit to win the game and the match (15-12, 15-8, and 15-11).

In these kinds of situations, the Wesmen's winning record provides some reassurance. "It helps us with our confidence," Burchuk said. "There are times when things don't go well and we're behind in the score, but we believe that at the end, we will still win."

Another bonus of a perfect season is that the Wesmen's reputation precedes them wherever they go, often rattling the competition before the first serve. According to Burchuk, other teams want to beat the Wesmen too badly causing them to lose their concentration and make mistakes. "It's sort of a compliment to us that the primary goal of many teams is to beat the Wesmen," he added.

At the All-Canadian banquet held before the national tournament began, setter Brenda Boroski was named the C.I.A.U. Player-of-the-Year for the second consecutive season. Monica Lueg was named to the C.I.A.U. All-Canadian team and Ardith Lernout was an honorable mention.

Both Boroski and Lernout were selected as tournament all-stars and Lueg was chosen as the Most Valuable Player.

Burchuk has a tremendous respect for all the players on his team. "They are the best team I've ever coached from a performance standpoint," he said. "But what makes this team extra-special is that they are all pretty classy people off the court as well."

Tentative Agreement

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was relieved that the difficult process has almost come to an end. "It's been a very arduous and lengthy period of bargaining and I'm very pleased that our negotiators were able to reach an agreement that the Faculty Association has ratified," he said. "I'm hopeful that the Board of Regents will approve it as well."

Although details of the settlement can't be released until both parties ratify it, Dr. Farquhar said that he personally believes it is a reasonable and fair agreement.

He hopes the entire University community can now move on to the celebration of the University's significant anniversaries and to the successful completion of the fund-raising campaign.



STRENGTHENING THE LINKS

CAMPAIGN UPDATE

The University's Capital Campaign continues to edge toward its goal of \$10.5 million. As of Mar. 18, the total stood at \$6,245,102. At this time, a total of \$2.5 million in requests are awaiting decisions from potential supporters.

Since the last report, several major gifts have been received. The Winnipeg Foundation has pledged \$250,000 toward the campaign, Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce has committed \$57,500, Federal Industries \$50,000 and Wawanesa Insurance a gift of \$35,000.

In the coming weeks, several other large gifts are expected to arrive bringing us closer to our goal. Solicitation of Alumni and United Church members will begin in April.



CLASSICS DEPT. ORGANIZES SECOND SUMMER IN ITALY PROGRAM

The University's Classics Department is organizing its second Summer Program in Italy, a full-credit course open to any student of the University.

The course, which covers Etruscan civilization and history, begins on July 4 with two weeks of preparatory classes in Winnipeg. Students then depart for one week in Rome and four weeks in Perugia, a medieval city located halfway between Rome and Florence. From Perugia, students will go on field trips to Florence as well as to numerous Etruscan sites and museums such as Tarquinia, Cerveteri, Volterra and Vulci.

But this trip won't be just a sightseeing tour, stressed Classics Professor Iain McDougall, coordinator of the program. "The purpose is to provide students with an opportunity to study the ancient world close to the best resources," he said. "It is an academic program with a solid teach-

PROFESSOR TO SPEAK ON ALGONQUIAN FOLK HISTORY

Robert Brightman of the University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, will speak on "Cree Underwater Panthers: Evolving Images in Algonquian Folk History" on Apr. 4 at 12:30 p.m. in Room 1L06.

Brightman holds a Ph.D. in Anthropology from the University of Chicago. He has done extensive field and archival research in Manitoba and has written numerous papers on Northern Algonquian culture, language,

ing component."

In Italy, lectures and field trips will be scheduled during a four-day week leaving the students with three-day weekends to plan their own activities. Coursework will include a major project, a minor site report and a final exam.

McDougall said the trip will focus on the Etruscan civilization which first appeared in the 8th century B.C. As great technologists inhabiting a mineral-rich region, the Etruscans had an enormous effect on the Greeks, their major trading partner, and the Romans.

According to McDougall, the Etruscan tombs, which students will visit, are the historian's best source of information about the civilization. Many artifacts have been discovered as women were often entombed with their best dinnerware and men with their chariots.

McDougall said the program last year was very worthwhile and he was "absolutely delighted with the academic results." He saw students with ordinary grades improve a great deal which he attributed to the excellent resources, stimulating environment and close rapport that developed among the 29 travellers.

McDougall said last year's program cost \$1,900 and he expects this year to be about \$2,100. The fee includes all transportation, accommodation and courses. Students are responsible for all their own meals.

and ethnohistory.

Brightman is also in Winnipeg to launch a new book, co-authored with Jennifer S.H. Brown of the Dept. of History at The University of Winnipeg, entitled *The Orders of the Dreamed: George Nelson on Cree and Northern Ojibwa Religion and Myth, 1823*. The book is published by the University of Manitoba Press and the Minnesota Historical Society Press.

Members of the University community are invited to the launching of the book on Apr. 4 at Mary Scorer Bookstore. See "Coming Events" for details.

CAMPUS NOTEBOOK

- Margaret Mulder of the Lady Wesmen basketball team has been named to the C.I.A.U. All-Canadian team. Mulder has also been invited to try out for the Canadian National Team with hopes of going to the Olympics in Seoul, Korea this summer.

- Michael Stephens of the Wesmen volleyball team has been named to the C.I.A.U. All-Canadian team.

- Dean Goodbrandson of the Wesmen basketball team was the leading scorer in the Great Plains Athletic Conference (G.P.A.C.) for this season.

- John Conroy of the Biology Dept. has been invited to accept the position of Executive Secretary of the Congress of Acarology, the international organization of scientists who work on mites and ticks.

Conroy is well-known for his work and has published 22 papers in refereed journals. He plans to spend 1988-89 on study leave at the University of Buckingham, England, working with Dr. Roy Wiles on scanning electron microscopy of water mites.

ORGANIZATIONAL RESPONSE TO MULTICULTURALISM: THE DILEMMA OF FISCAL RESTRAINT

The Centre For Intercultural Development at Red River Community College is presenting a seminar entitled Organizational Response to Multiculturalism: The Dilemma of Fiscal Restraint on Apr. 11 at The Delta Hotel, 288 Portage Ave.

Dr. Pierre Casses, a Belgian sociologist specializing in the fields of training, management development, sociology of development and intercultural matters, will be the presenter.

For more information, please call Barbara Dixon at 945-8676.

COMING EVENTS

March 23 - April 8

The Widening Sphere: Women in Canada 1870 - 1940 exhibition will continue until April 8 in Gallery 1C03. Gallery hours this week: Mon. - Fri., 10 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Open Sun. 1 to 4 p.m.; Closed Sat. Next week: Mon. - Fri., 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.; Open Sun. 1 to 4 p.m.; Closed Fri., Apr. 1 and Sat., Apr. 2.

March 25

- The Season Finale in the Noon-hour Classical Music Concert Series features UW Alumnus, **Derek Tuba**, saxophone, assisted by Judith Kehler Siebert, piano, in **A Musical Tour Around the World** with music by composers from Brazil, Canada, France, Russia, Spain and the United States. This concert, sponsored by the University of Winnipeg Alumni Association, will be held 12:30 - 1:20 p.m. in Theatre 3C00.

March 25 - 31

- The play **Getting Somewhere** by Bruce McManus will feature University of Winnipeg fourth-year acting students. Performances nightly (except Sunday) at 8 p.m. in Convocation Hall. There is no admission charge,

but reservations are required. Please call Ms. Patty Hawkins at 786-9292.

April 4

- **Robert Brightman** of the University of Wisconsin, Madison, WI, will speak on **Cree Underwater Panthers: Evolving Images in Algonquian Folk History** at 12:30 p.m. in Room 1L06.

- A reception to celebrate the publication of **The Orders of the Dreamed** by Jennifer S.H. Brown, History Dept., The University of Winnipeg, and Robert Brightman will be held at 8 p.m. in Mary Scorer Bookstore, 103 Osborne St.

April 14

- **The University of Winnipeg Women's Auxiliary Spring Coffee Party** will be held 11 a.m. - 2 p.m. in the T. Eaton Company Assembly Hall. Admission is \$3.00. Proceeds in aid of scholarships.

April 21

- **Women's Association Annual General Meeting and Pot Luck Supper** will be held at 49 Oak. For further information, please call Joan Anderson at 786-9266.

April 24 - 27

- Advance registration is now being accepted for the conference **Global Faith and Justice: Focus Africa**. Held at The University of Winnipeg, this conference will feature public addresses and workshops examining some of the main issues affecting Africa today. Sponsored by the United Nations Association (Winnipeg Branch) and The University of Winnipeg in association with The IDEA Centre and The African Association of Manitoba. For more information, please call 489-8303 or 284-2158.

May 12 - 14

Celebration '88 - An Anniversary Homecoming. Graduates of The University of Winnipeg must pre-register for this special homecoming. Activities scheduled include a grand opening and reception, historical field trip, IMAX presentation and a dinner-dance at the Holiday Inn - Downtown. For more information, or to register for events, please call the Alumni Office at 786-9872 or 786-9122.

PRESIDENT'S BUDGET ADVISORY COMMITTEE

Members of the President's Budget Advisory Committee, to be chaired by John Law, Vice-President (Administration), with John Porter, Controller, as Secretary, have been announced as follows:

- Representative of the Vice-President (Academic)'s Office - Ross McCormack
- Representative of the Dean of Arts and Science's Office - Michael McIntyre
- Dean of Theology or designate - Harold King
- Members of the Board of Regents -

Bob Purves and Alan Hanna
- Members of the Senate - Brian Evans, Kristine Hansen and Brent Stearns
- Members of the Support Staff - Julie Crawford and Linda Jarman-Barnett
- Students named by the U.W.S.A. - Lee Holleron and Randy Selkirk

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CELEBRATION '88

In the early years of *Vox Wesleyana*, there was a section devoted to news of the College's alumni. Some examples from the early issues:

- W. T. Halpenny, '00, has gone east.*
- W. J. Parr, '99, was in the city for a few days.*
- Frank Mahers, '01, is still teaching at Austin. Congratulations!*
- D. L. Bastedo, '01, has mysteriously disappeared, probably in a hole in the earth.*
- Leech has a new hat. He likes to tell about it.*