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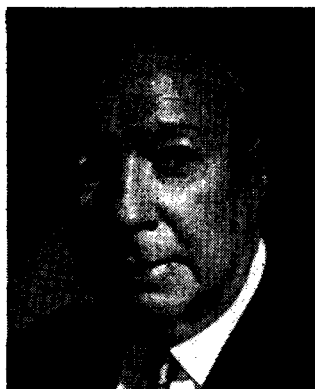
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# Convocation must choose

**T**HIS spring the members of Convocation will elect a Chancellor to succeed Phyllis Gregory Ross (B.A., 1925) who has served with such distinction since 1961. There are two candidates for the office, John Murdoch Buchanan (B.A., 1917) and Randall K. Enomoto (B.A., 1965). Simultaneously, the same voters will choose fifteen members of Senate from twenty-six candidates.

The situation facing the electorate is unique, not because there are two candidates (this has happened before) but because now for the first time an aspirant to the University's highest office is conducting a vigorous campaign.

Traditionally, the Chancellor of the University, along with the Chancellors of other Canadian universities, has been a prominent citizen with a record of eminent service to the University, the community, the province, and the nation. The Chancellor is the University's titular head. He presides on ceremonial occasions, such as Congregation, he bestows degrees, he sits on the Board of Governors and some of its committees, he represents in his person the full authority and dignity of the institution. Often, thanks to his known reputation, he is able to ease problems and to effect immeasurable benefits for the University. The tradition is an honourable one and worthy of preservation.

The members of the Executive of the Alumni Association have weighed the issues carefully and have concluded that they must, in the vital interests of the University, urge all Alumni to support John Buchanan.

The Association, of course, can understand the desire of the students to participate in the making of policy at their University. After all, the active members of the Association were once themselves active students. We do not, however, believe that the office of Chancellor is an appropriate goal for the students' ambitions.

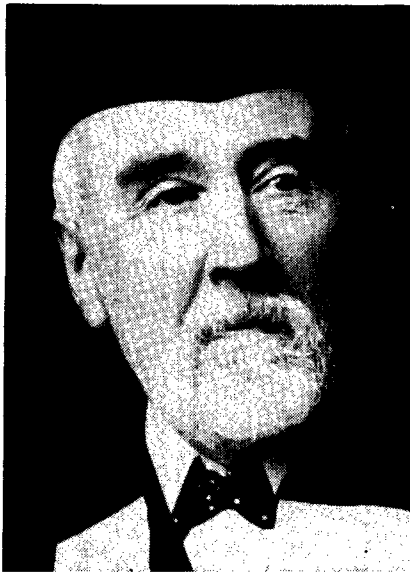
John Buchanan embodies all the qualities to which we have, happily, become accustomed in a Chancellor. He belongs in the company of those citizens who have preceded him in the University's senior Chair and who form the subject of an article elsewhere in this journal.

We once more ask our members to carry out their responsibilities: to consider the well-being of the University and to vote.

UBC Alumni Association Executive.

# Our Chancellors — 1912-1966

In May the Convocation of The University of British Columbia elects its seventh chancellor. This seems an appropriate time, therefore, for the *Chronicle* to bring before its readers a reminder of the six people who have already occupied the post of titular head of this University. Here are their pictures accompanied by a necessarily brief reference to each which attempts to indicate in the space of a few lines the special contribution that each made to the University.



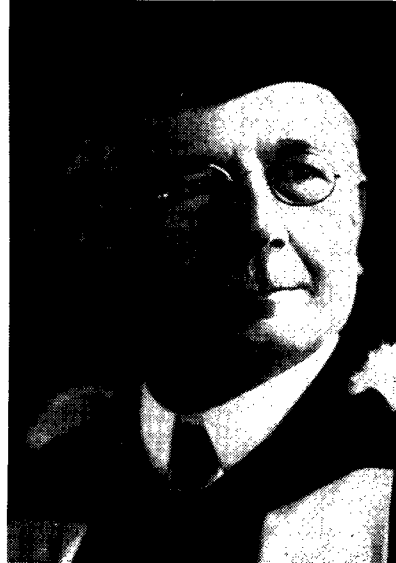
*The Hon. Francis L. Carter-Cotton, MLA. Chancellor 1912-1918.*

Mr. Carter-Cotton, who already held the office of Chancellor of McGill University College of British Columbia, was elected UBC Chancellor in August 1912 by a majority vote of the 739 registered members of Convocation.

"Few men have been more actively concerned with public affairs in British Columbia during the last quarter of a century than Mr. Carter-Cotton."—*British Columbia from the earliest times to the present.*

A gold medallist in Medicine at McGill with an established reputation as a surgeon throughout Canada, Dr. McKechnie was elected a member of the first Senate and was appointed to the first Board of Governors of U.B.C. in 1913. He was elected chancellor in succession to Mr. Carter-Cotton in April

1918. He died in harness, 26 years later. At the funeral service, held in Christ Church Cathedral, Vancouver, on May 27, 1944, President Klinck said of him: "He was gentle in disposition, constant in friendship, wise in counsel, tireless in devotion to duty."



*Robert E. McKechnie, CBE, MD, CM, LLD, FACS, FRCS (Can.). Chancellor 1918-1944.*



*The Hon. Eric Werge Hamber, CMG, BA, LLD. Chancellor 1944-1951.*

"It was the responsibility of Chancellor Hamber, with the newly-appointed president, Dr. Norman MacKenzie, to guide the University through the post-war period—the period of its greatest expansion, its largest enrolment, and,

to date, its most outstanding contribution in service to the youth of the province."—Sherwood Lett, in the *UBC Alumni Chronicle*, Winter 1957.

"It is difficult to think of any Canadian in public life today who has a greater record of service and accomplishment than Sherwood Lett, as lawyer, soldier and scholar, he has, throughout his career given without stint of his time and energy in unselfish service to his country and community."—The Hon. Mr. Justice Arthur E. Lord, in the *UBC Alumni Chronicle*, Autumn 1954."



*The Hon. Chief Justice Sherwood Lett, CBE, DSO, MC, CD, ED, BA, LLD. Chancellor 1951-1957.*

Of Chancellor Grauer Alumni President Mark Collins said: "It is significant that the highly successful Development Fund Campaign was initiated and conducted under his leadership."

"His deep faith in the worth of the individual, his warm and compelling confidence, and his superb faculty for unobtrusive leadership have kept him a delightful and approachable man known to hundreds simply as 'Dal'."—Lawrence B. Jack and Richard M. Bibbs, *UBC Alumni Chronicle*, Spring 1957.

Dal Grauer's second term of office was terminated tragically by his death on July 28, 1961.

# Chancellor Candidates



Albert E. (Dal) Grauer, BA, PhD,  
LLD Chancellor 1957 - 1961.

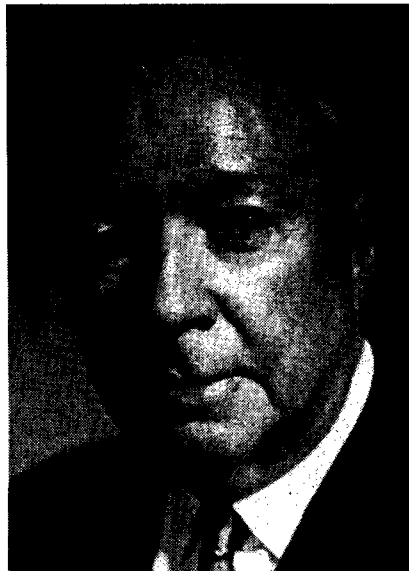
Dr. Phyllis Ross was already well known to UBC as well as to the people of the province when elected to the chancellorship on November 28, 1961.

She had been one of Canada's top administrators; as wife of the Lieutenant-Governor she had been First Lady of British Columbia; and she had been a member of the Board of Governors.

In the intervening years she has adorned the office of chancellor by her intimate knowledge of university affairs, and by her devotion to the interests of faculty, fellow-alumni and students.



Phyllis G. Ross, CBE, BA, MA, LLD  
(Bryn Mawr). Chancellor 1961 - 1966.



John Murdoch Buchanan

After taking his degree in 1917, Mr. Buchanan worked in fish canneries for two years and then in the lumber industry. In 1928 he returned to fish packing.

In 1946 he became president of British Columbia Packers Limited and ten years later rose to chairman of the Board of Directors of that company. In 1959 he combined the offices of chairman of the Board and president. He retired in 1964, but continues as a director of the company.

Mr. Buchanan is also a director of MacMillan, Bloedel and Powell River Ltd., Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, and The Pacific Coast Fire Insurance Co. He is also on the Vancouver advisory board of the Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation.

He was elected president of the Fisheries Council of Canada in 1948 and of the Fisheries Association of B.C. in 1952. Two years later he was named one of the four Canadian members of the newly formed North Pacific Fisheries Commission.

He has been active in University affairs for a number of years. In 1949-50 he served as president of the Alumni Association and during 1951 as chairman of the Board of Directors, UBC Development Fund. Also in that year he helped establish the Alumni Annual

Giving Fund and received the Great Trekker award.

From May 1951 to May 1960 Mr. Buchanan was a member of the University Senate, and from August 1951 to August 1957 a member of the Board of Governors.

In 1957-58 he served as chairman of the University Division of the UBC Development Fund.



Randall K. Enomoto

Mr. Enomoto graduated in 1965 with a B.A. degree in Honours English. He is presently in graduate studies in the English department.

In his campus activities Mr. Enomoto has been chairman of the Letters Club, 1965, of the Summer Symposium, 1965, of the conference "Education and Beyond, '66." He was program co-ordinator of the Academic Activities Committee '65-66 and a committee member for the Academic Symposium at Parksville, 1966. He was also a seminar delegate from UBC to Canadian Union of Students' "Democracy in the University Community," Fredericton 1965.

# Twenty-six nominated for Senate Election

THE RESPONSIBILITIES of the Senate relate largely to academic matters. It is this body which "provides for the government, management, and carrying-out of curriculum, instruction, and education offered by the University." It decides on the qualifications required of applicants for admission as students, it must consider and revise courses of

study in all faculties, and approve the establishment or discontinuance by the Board of any Faculty, department . . . bursary or prize.

The Senate is also the body responsible for determining which members of the teaching and administrative staffs shall be members of each Faculty; for the preparation of a calendar; for af-

filiation with other institutions of learning, and other matters.

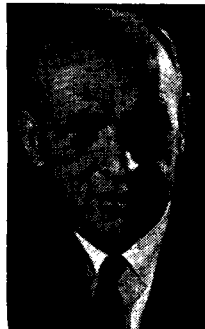
Membership of the Senate is quite diverse in origin, with a number of members sitting ex officio, others elected by various groups as provided for in the Universities Act, including the fifteen members shortly to be elected by Convocation.



Bibbs



Brousson



Campbell



Cairnie



Ellis



Goldie

Richard M. Bibbs, BAsC '45, West Vancouver. Executive Asst. to vice-pres. (Industrial Relations) MacMillan, Bloedel & Powell River Ltd.

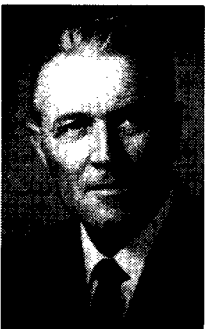
David M. Brousson, BAsC '49, West Vancouver. Vice-pres. & manager Century Sales Ltd.

Charles McK. Campbell, Jr., BA '38, BAsC '38, West Vancouver. General manager Western Mines Ltd.

Francis James Cairnie, BA '50, Victoria. School teacher.

Mrs. David C. Ellis (née Mary Margaret Buchanan), BA '36, Vancouver. Housewife.

D. Michael M. Goldie, BCom '46, Vancouver. Barrister and solicitor.



Guthrie



Hall



Hayes



Hunter



Keate



Keenleyside

John Guthrie, BA '39, MA '40, Prince George. Vice-pres. and general manager Prince George Pulp and Paper Limited.

Ormonde J. Hall, BCom '42, LLB '48, Vancouver. Lawyer.

Richard Daniel Hayes, LLB '65, Vancouver. Lawyer.

Michael William Hunter, BA '63, Burnaby. Law student and copy editor, *The Sun*.

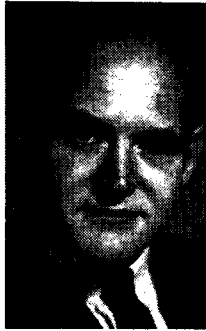
J. Stuart Keate, BA '35, Vancouver. Publisher, *The Sun*.

Hugh L. Keenleyside, BA '20, LLD '45, PhD (Clark), Victoria. Co-chairman B.C. Hydro and Power Authority.





*Lefeaux*



*Macdonald*

Stuart Stanley Lefeaux, BSc '45, Vancouver. Superintendent of Parks, City of Vancouver.

Mr. Justice James A. Macdonald, BA '38, Vancouver. Judge, Supreme Court of British Columbia.



*MacKay*

Mrs. Hugh J. MacKay (née Mary Gertrude Gibson), Revelstoke. Homemaker.

David F. Manders, BA '39, Lytton. Motel owner.



*Manders*



*Meagher*

Thomas William Meagher, BA '50, LLB '51, Lillooet. Barrister and Solicitor.

Donovan Francis Miller, BCom '47, Vancouver. Director & executive asst. to the president, The Canadian Fishing Company Ltd.



*Miller*



*Ovans*



*Plant*

Charles David Ovans, BA '40, Vancouver. General Secretary, B.C. Teachers' Federation.

Paul S. Plant, BA '49, Vancouver. Vice-president, R.S. Plant Limited.



*Rogers*

Joseph Victor Rogers, BSc '33, Trail. Manager, Engineering Division, Cominco Ltd.

Hugh Eugene Swayze, BCom '65, Kelowna (presently Vancouver). Student, Faculty of Law.



*Swayze*



*Trevino*

Benjamin B. Trevino, LLB '59, West Vancouver. Barrister and Solicitor.

Franklin Edward Walden, BCom '38, Chartered accountant.



*Walden*



*Wales*

Mrs. Bertram E. Wales (née Doris Grace McKay), BA '26, Vancouver. Housewife.

David Ricardo Williams, BA '48, LLB '49, Duncan. Barrister and Solicitor.



*Williams*



*R. W. Macdonald*  
**President**  
**Alumni Association**

# Review and Preview

FIFTY YEARS AGO last September the founders of our Association began their careers as students of The University of British Columbia. Their university home was the Fairview shacks in Vancouver and the great challenge they faced was to secure more adequate facilities for the University. One result was the Great Trek. From that time until now the strength of UBC has been in the consistent application of its motto "Tuum Est."

Shacks, when we come to think of it, have played an important part in the history of UBC. At another major stage of its development the army shacks, or huts, "borrowed" by Dr. Norman MacKenzie and Dr. Shrum made possible UBC's remarkable growth after WW II.

The history of the Association is now being written and will be published before the end of this golden anniversary year. It is a history worth the writing—interesting, always challenging and successful. Now UBC's youthful period has ended; the next half century promises even more challenge and more opportunity for her alumni.

Our Association, representing over thirty thousand graduates of UBC, has carried on a wide range of activities during its short fifty-year existence.

It is hard to realize that fifty years hence—in the year 2016, the end of the University's first century—UBC will probably have produced in excess of 200,000 graduates. The 1966 grad class alone will add some 3100 alumni to the rolls. Clearly the challenge of numbers, of space requirements and of excellence will continue for years to come.

We have here a pattern of growth that is being repeated all across the country. With this in mind I raise some questions for future consideration by the Alumni Association.

Should the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada (AUCC) create within that organization an "Auditor General Group" of qualified persons to appraise the uses to which the many millions of dollars now being expended on

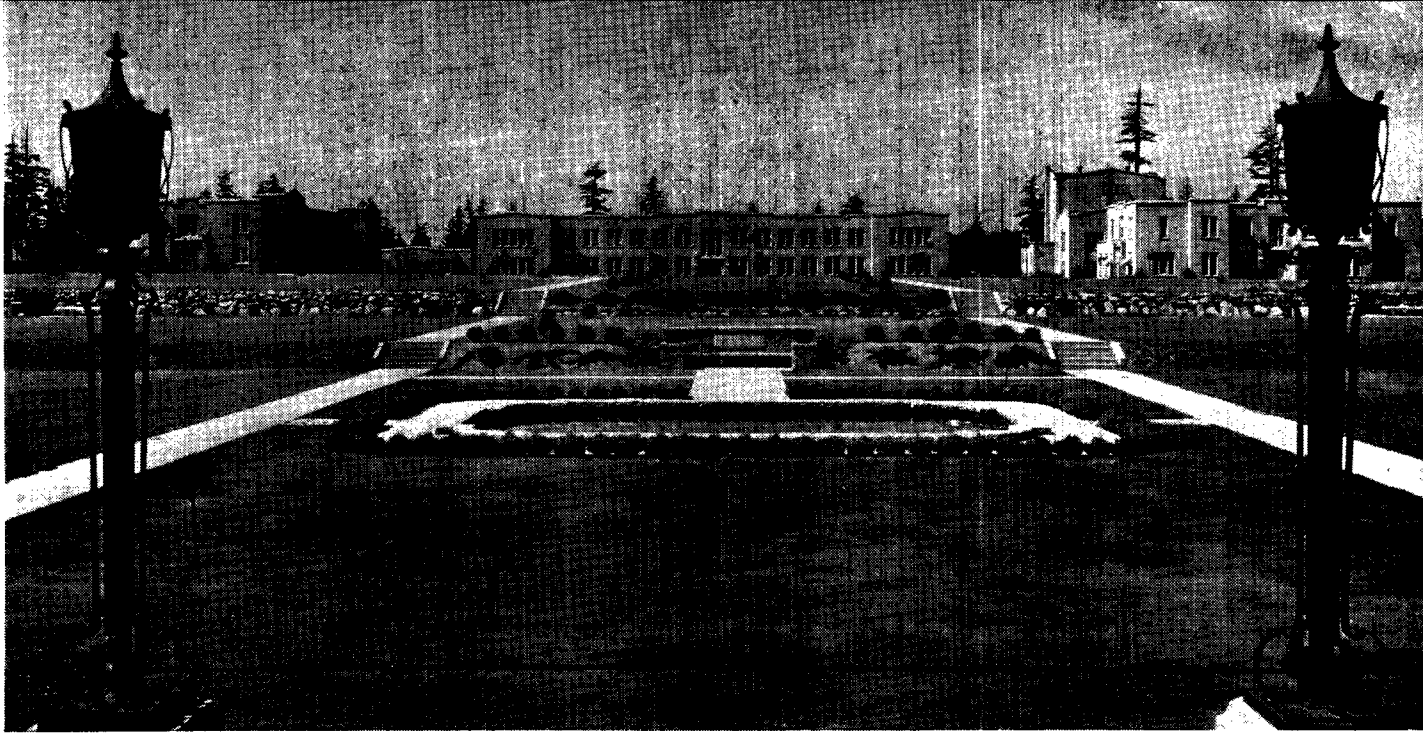
universities are put? The purpose of such a body would not be to inhibit the university programs, but rather to assure the public and the governments that these monies are being carefully husbanded and the expenditures wisely made.

What new responsibilities does UBC's Alumni Association have for the future? Should a national alumni association be created to focus the views of thousands of Canadian universities' alumni upon national issues?

The most pressing immediate need of the universities is to obtain recognition and acceptance by government of formula financing. In essence this means recognition of the reasonable and simple proposition that the cost per student for a PhD is substantially higher than the cost for a first year Arts student. A formula based on that premise has been recommended by the Bladen Commission and has been partially recognized to date by the Federal Government.

In considering the urgency of some such financing program it is well to appreciate that for many years universities in Canada have been able to look to other countries for faculty members, but that now the same desperate shortage of university faculty is general. Henceforth Canada must supply her own needs. We are far from that goal at present. In 1965 our country's total output of PhD's was less than 500. The projected needs for highly trained specialists, particularly for university faculty, are immense. How are these needs of the country and of the universities to be met? Chiefly, from the graduate schools of our own universities. It is imperative therefore that graduate schools be developed vigorously, and for this purpose that the principle of formula financing be recognized, accepted and implemented.

*President, Alumni Association*



*View from the steps of the library in 1927.*

# Growing Pains of yesteryear

*by Elizabeth Blanche Norcross*

**B**ACK IN 1920 when the five year-old University of British Columbia lured Frank E. Buck away from the Dominion Government, it got a two-in-one bargain—a professor of horticulture and a landscape architect. The lure was itself two-fold—a milder climate than Ottawa's and the challenge of shaping a raw campus.

"The difficulties Simon Fraser has to meet in landscaping on Burnaby mountain are nothing compared with the ones we faced out here at Point Grey," says Professor Buck who can produce an extensive photographic record to back up that statement.

At the time UBC acquired his services English-born and educated Frank Buck was in charge of landscaping for all Dominion experimental farms. The terrain with which he had to deal in his new job was swampy where it was not stony. Clearing operations had left deep water-filled holes where the giant stumps had been dynamited. The skeleton of the Science Building, erected six years earlier, was all the physical promise to be seen of a university on the Point Grey site.

It was to be another six years before an ornamental tree or shrub or strip of lawn could be set out to relieve the desolation of the campus site, but Professor Buck was ready with "instant gardens" when the time came. In his horticultural gardens at the south end he had prepared a stock of trees and shrubs. With no money for purchases he had acquired through gifts a good quantity of well-grown nursery stock, so that there were fairly mature trees available for planting in 1926. Where gifts failed, he had grown

stock from seed. The sequoia at the corner of the library steps was one of these.

Professor Buck was as ready as a man could be with lawns, too. Every lawn area, as he foresaw, would have to be given at least three or four inches of topsoil before it could be successfully seeded. To provide this he had used those years between 1920 and 1926 to build up great heaps of good soil by layering sod from wherever he could obtain it with manure from Agriculture's barns. The students of the day learned the method from Professor Buck's practical demonstration.

Landscaping included laying out the campus roads, and Professor Buck graded them all, with the late John Lee, responsible for the asphalt topping. His landscaping work also took him off the campus proper when he did the planting on University Boulevard, the access road designed by Dr. Ernest A. Cleveland.

A stroll around the core campus shows how much of Professor Buck's work remains in spite of new buildings and parking lots. The library lawn has those gentle banks against which students recline during sunny noon-hours because Frank Buck planned it that way for them. The formal pool which he placed in front of the building is in the Italian tradition; his informal plantings in the "wings" belong to the English. Incidentally, the pool in the north wing is formed by natural drainage; the campus was pitted with such pools before it came under the architect's hand.

"As a tribute to the work of Frank E. Buck, BSA" the Agricultural Undergraduate Society in 1949—the year of

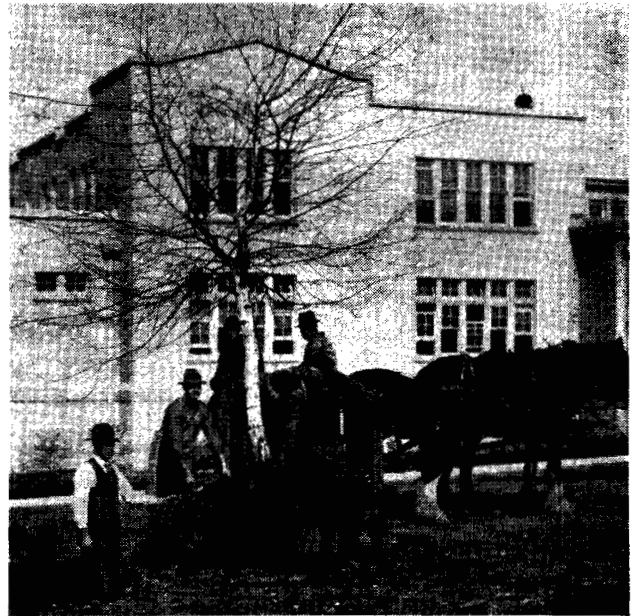
## Growing Pains



*Burning the stump of one of the original forest giants.*

Professor Buck's retirement—placed a fountain marker at the edge of the lily pond.

There are many other evidences of Professor Buck's work in the core campus, for basically it is his. Main Mall, for instance, was once a ridge which he cut down by six feet, using his gains as fill for the swampy ground that became the stadium playing field. Mature trees being removed today from one site—to make room for a new building—and transplanted to another were originally set out by him. The plaques set about the flagpole which tell the story of the University from its incorporation in 1908 to 1947-48 are his gift, and another is now in preparation to bring the story up to date. The unequalled history of student giving to the University he has memorialized in the plaques set into the great glacial boulder and marker on East Mall, opposite Brock Hall.



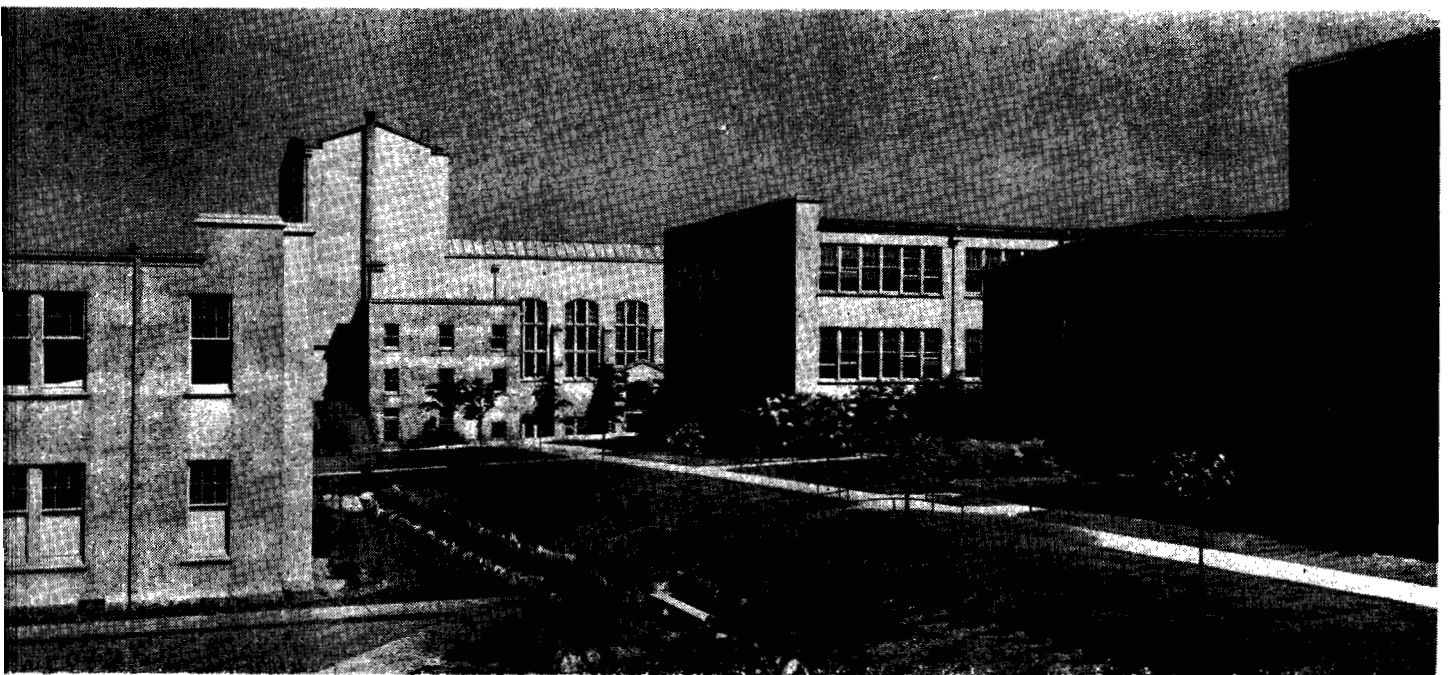
*A 10-year-old maple tree grown in the nursery is transplanted.*

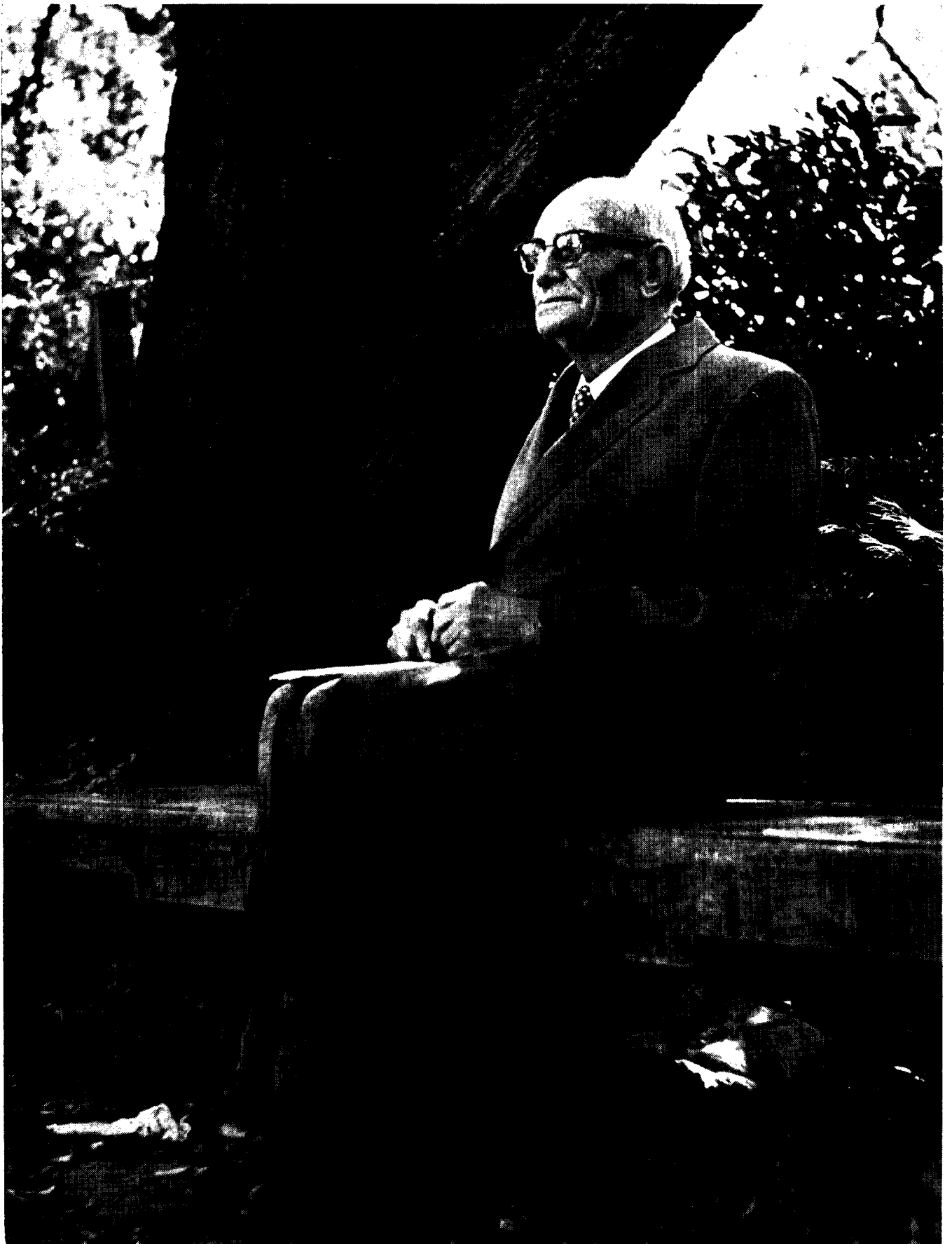
The present flagpole, by the way, is a rather meagre substitute for the noble spar the University almost had. At the time the move was being made to West Point Grey the forest industry gave the University a pole approximately 212 feet in length, just a few feet short of the Kew Gardens pole. It cost the donors \$5000 merely to bring it to the campus. Unfortunately a fault was found near the top of the pole, and instead of it being reinforced in some way, perhaps by a steel rod, it was discarded.

A tour of the campus with Professor Frank E. Buck is a tour through the University's history, and these are but a few of the highlights.

At ninety-one Professor Buck is still a frequent visitor to the campus, still vitally interested in the University to which he came more than forty-five years ago.

*Looking towards the cafeteria. About 1927.*





*Professor Buck surveys the library garden that he designed.*

## “Jack Lee—One of the “Originals”

ON DECEMBER 27 LAST John David Lee died, and the University lost not only a link with its earliest days but one of its most devoted servants.

Irish-born John Lee was a young lad when he first started to work for the University in 1912 as an assistant carpenter. After service with the army engineers from 1916 to 1918 he was asked by President Wesbrook to rejoin the staff, and from that point until his retirement in 1955 all his working life was given to UBC. In fact, his services did not end with retirement for he continued in a consultant capacity for three more years.

On the University's removal to the Point Grey campus in 1925 John Lee moved with it and began a close association with Professor Frank E. Buck who, along with his teaching duties, was responsible for campus landscaping. When Professor Buck had graded the roads, Mr. Lee took over and supervised the asphalt topping. When the Professor had designed the old Main Mall bus stop, Mr. Lee built it.

“He got along extremely well with both the administration and his men,” Professor Buck recalls, “and he was always very helpful in looking after any jobs the professors might want done.” Those jobs might include the building of cupboards or counters or the painting of them.

In 1930 Mr. Lee was appointed Superintendent of Buildings.

After WW II the Superintendent's responsibilities became very far-reaching indeed. On Little Mountain and on Lulu Island student veterans and their families were housed in army

huts, and John Lee had to see to the care and maintenance of those huts.

In 1947-48 a crash program known as “emergency housing” was carried through and the white huts were built, some on Main Mall, some in the orchard. Part of this work was let out to contractors but most of it was supervised by Mr. Lee, using hourly labour.



*John D. Lee*

With so much frame construction on campus there were fires, and Buildings and Grounds performed miracles in replacing almost overnight lost accommodation.

From President Emeritus N.A.M. MacKenzie has come the following tribute:

“Jack Lee was one of ‘the originals’ and he lived with and worked for the

University during all of the difficult years which were the result of WW I, the depression, and WW II. When I came to UBC Jack was Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, with a very small but most efficient and competent staff working under him. The full time winter session student body in 1944 was about 2400 and our facilities were inadequate for that number. Within 2½ years this number had increased to 9400. Most of the burden of providing the additional accommodation and services fell on Jack Lee and his staff, with the most able assistance of Gordon Shrum and some others of our senior colleagues.

“Jack worked literally day and night, and nothing was too difficult, too demanding or impossible for him. As for example, when all five huts in which Home Economics and their excellent equipment were housed were burned down one night, Jack Lee and Walter Gage had things organized at 10 o'clock next morning for these students, and Jack supervised the building of their present quarters in record time so that within a matter of months their building was complete and in use.

“Jack loved UBC and was proud of his association with the students and faculty. We shall miss him greatly, but the success of our post-war program for veteran students is a fine and permanent memorial to all that he did to make that possible.”

In April 1956 the Faculty Association made Mr. Lee an honorary member.

He is survived by his wife, the former Marion E. E. Falls, BA '33, and a son, John, a student in the Faculty of Commerce.



Professor C. L. Emery

# Tri-University Project for Mining Engineers

by Charles L. Emery

**"Graduate training in mining engineering and research into mining are all but non-existent in Canada today."**

I made that statement just one year ago. At that time three Canadian universities, of which UBC is one, were working out a co-operative program, between themselves and with the Government and the mineral industry,

to deal with the problem. This academic year now just closing has seen the plan in operation.

The Tri-University project was conceived to develop a new approach to the education of engineers for the mineral industry. The approach, it was realized, must develop new curricula that will present and apply all of the new technology that is available and applicable and must also provide real flexibility to permit broadening of outlook on the one hand and some extra depth in selected areas on the other. The new curricula must be attractive to students and effective in industry.

How to effect this? A dynamic faculty must be research based. Because engineering cannot be divorced from industry and because we need new knowledge and also graduates who understand the knowledge we must do research and apply it in industry. To date departments of mining engineering have not done research and a large capital investment will be required over a period of time in order to establish research facilities and staff.

Because of staff shortages and the financial aspects of research it seems better to divide the effort between several universities, and The University of British Columbia, Queen's University and Laval University are proposing a joint approach to the problem. For success there will be required extensive co-operation among the universities, the Government of Canada and the Canadian mineral industry. In addition to financial support there must be, as well as university education, summer employment for undergraduates and employment for graduates at all levels, planned to effectively develop high quality engineers through co-operative "on-the-job" training.

The total implementation of the Tri-University Project will probably proceed through the joint activities of an academic committee and industrial groups, each autonomous but agreeing to co-operate.

The three universities will work together in co-operation with the mineral industry to substantially expand and improve their graduate and undergraduate programs. Specific objectives will include:

- Provision for adequate research facilities and initiation of basic and applied research.
- The offering of graduate instruction at the most advanced level possible.

- Continual revision of undergraduate courses as new knowledge becomes available. This will ensure a challenging curriculum to students of good quality.
- The study of problems both theoretical and applied which have potentials, either early or long term, in the mineral industry.
- Development of a well-informed faculty, capable of keeping abreast of, and contributing to new knowledge and know-how.

To avoid unnecessary duplication of expensive facilities while promoting the independent development of each university, it is proposed that:

- The three participants will coordinate their individual plans of instruction and research through an academic committee of two representatives from each university.
- Interchange of faculty and students in the graduate programs of the three universities will be encouraged where such interchange can be expected to benefit the students, staff, or overall program.
- Each university will foster its graduate program to ensure, as far as humanly possible, that it yields enthusiastic and competent professional engineers.
- Co-operation will be sought from the industry on the basis of a national as well as a provincial interest. The three universities now in the plan represent Canada geographically as well as ethnically.
- There may be other universities interested in joining the project if early indications of success become apparent.

As I have said, the plan is now in operation, and though it is too soon to draw conclusions, some hopeful developments may be noted. A substantial graduate program is already in progress at two of the three schools, and current curriculum changes have resulted in increased undergraduate enrolment.

In addition we see industrial support swinging toward the plan, both in financing and in co-operative summer employment for students. The staff potential has increased substantially in the first year and the program is attracting applications for staff positions. Several Canadians of note who have been working in other countries are now interested in returning to Canada. The early results seem to warrant optimism for the future.

"The man who has no music in himself  
Is fit for treason, stratagems and spoils."

# Fifty years of Mussoc in Review

by John L. Gray, BSA '39

A BRIEF REPORT on the UBC Musical Society? Impossible, Madam Editor, particularly since I have had the opportunity, of rummaging through old scrapbooks.

We Mussoc (affectionate abbreviation) alumni, and there are thousands of us, have a special feeling for the Society, oldest active club on the campus and this year celebrating its fiftieth anniversary.

Wish all of you could have looked over my shoulder and soaked up the nostalgia in the voluminous records of press clippings, photographs, programs, ticket stubs, spanning half a century.

But the conductor alias editor is rapping the baton on the podium. On with the overture, opening the story of one of Canada's most successful student musical organizations.

People are the story. It begins in 1916 when a little group of students interested in music gathered in the old Fairview shacks. Their enthusiasm organized a campus musical society. Professor E. H. Russell of the fledgling university's mathematics department was persuaded to serve as director.

The initial group was composed of eight orchestra members and a handful of singers. In fifty years the group has grown into an organization of hundreds.

During February, 1917, with WW I reaching decisive stages, the young musicians embarked on their first public concert in the Hotel Vancouver to aid the Red Cross. Over the next thirteen years the annual concert became a regular feature.

In 1925, with the campus established at Point Grey, the now mature and active Musical Society hired C. Haydn

Williams as its director.

Here began an association that lasted twenty-six years. Some time ago Beverly Ann Wilson wrote of this key figure in Society history:

*"Beloved by his students and patrons alike, Mr. Williams is well-known for his excellent work in the Society . . . with his jovial manner, and painstaking direction of rehearsals this lively little conductor has given much of his musicianship to the Society."*

From 1925 to 1930, Mr. Williams directed his singers and instrumentalists in annual concerts of opera selections. Semi-monthly recitals with guest artists were introduced.

Exuding kindness, interest, and humour, this unselfish man was always ready to help his young people towards their goals—including the evolution of many a backstage romance. The lovelorn prompted his whimsical name for the club "the Musical and Romantic Society."

His contribution to campus life was recognized by the student body in 1949 when a special award was given for his "invaluable service to UBC students."

Another honoured name in Society annals is Dr. W. L. MacDonald, an English professor. In 1930 he became associated with the organization as adviser and assistant musical director. For many years he was honorary president, and is presently an honorary life member.

An historic event occurred in 1927 when orchestra member and trumpeter Harold King wrote 'Hail UBC.'

The year 1930 introduced a new policy. All musical groups were brought together into one entity to present the first full-length show, The

Garden of the Shah. Stars of the initial production were Betty Smith, Maysie Graham and Ed Horton. The opera was a success, both artistically and financially.

The Society was on its way. In the next two decades the gay Gilbert and Sullivan light operas were the bill of fare. The Pirates of Penzance, H.M.S. Pinafore, The Gondoliers, and Iolanthe were each shown three times. Yeomen of the Guard was twice presented, and Ruddigore and the Mikado found favour in single showings.

Interspersed with the G-S operas were de Koven's Robin Hood in 1937 and 1948; Victor Herbert's Serenade, 1939, and German's Merrie England and Tom Jones in 1946 and 1950.

Romberg's Student Prince, Friml's Firefly and Herbert's Red Mill were produced in the early fifties.

Two personalities long-identified with the Musical Society are the late E. V. Young and Dean Walter Gage. It was 1934 when "E.V." joined the Society as Dramatic Director. This distinguished actor-director devoted twenty years to the student organization. The Red Mill was his exit. He has left a rich legacy of memories among those privileged to associate with him.

Dean Gage, the perennial faculty popularity leader among students, also began his connection with the Society in 1934. He brought a ready, sometimes acid wit along with a vigorous competence to rehearsals. As assistant dramatic director he excelled as a morale builder, dispelling stage fright and smoothing frayed tempers, especially on those justly feared "student nights."

In the 1950-51 season a long-desired objective was reached when two pro-



ductions were presented in the season: Henry Purcell's serious opera *Dido and Aeneas*, directed by J. Reeves, was a successful "first" in the fall; the ever-popular *Gondoliers* was an equally successful spring show. It marked the last appearance of G. Haydn Williams as Musical Director.

A radical departure from tradition occurred in 1955 when the Musical Society offered its first all-Canadian operetta, *Bonanza*. The following year there was a return to the traditional with *Maid of the Mountains*.

Musical tastes change. Flexibility and versatility are requisites. The Musical Society has usually been in tune with the times and with its audiences, and so in 1957 came the revolution. A series of Broadway musicals began with a kick-off production of the Gershwin classic, *Girl Crazy*. Following its acclaim by critics the next nine years saw success after success run up with a *Who's Who* of Broadway shows added to the repertoire. Show-goers have applauded Mussoc productions of *Call Me Madam*, *The Boy Friend*, *Wonderful Town*, *Damn Yankees*, *Once Upon a Mattress*, *Bye Bye Birdie*, *L'il Abner*, *Bells are Ringing*, and *Take Me Along*.

Harry Pryce, well-known Vancouver musician-conductor, took over as Musical Director in 1952, joined by Grace McDonald, prominent dance teacher, as choreographer. James Johnston, distinguished as an actor-director, was named dramatic director in 1956.

An unfortunate illness forcing the retirement of Mr. Pryce in 1959, a new director of exceptional competence was hired in the person of Mr. Beverly Fyfe.



*Mussoc Headquarters — Room 207.*

And then there was backstage—a magic place! Every Mussocer has a treasured memory or two of the old UBC auditorium, and of Room 207. Here, in cramped quarters, was the club office and social centre, doubling as a dressing room and makeup room during the productions. From its environs a friendly rivalry was carried on with the Players Club, occupants of the Green Room above.

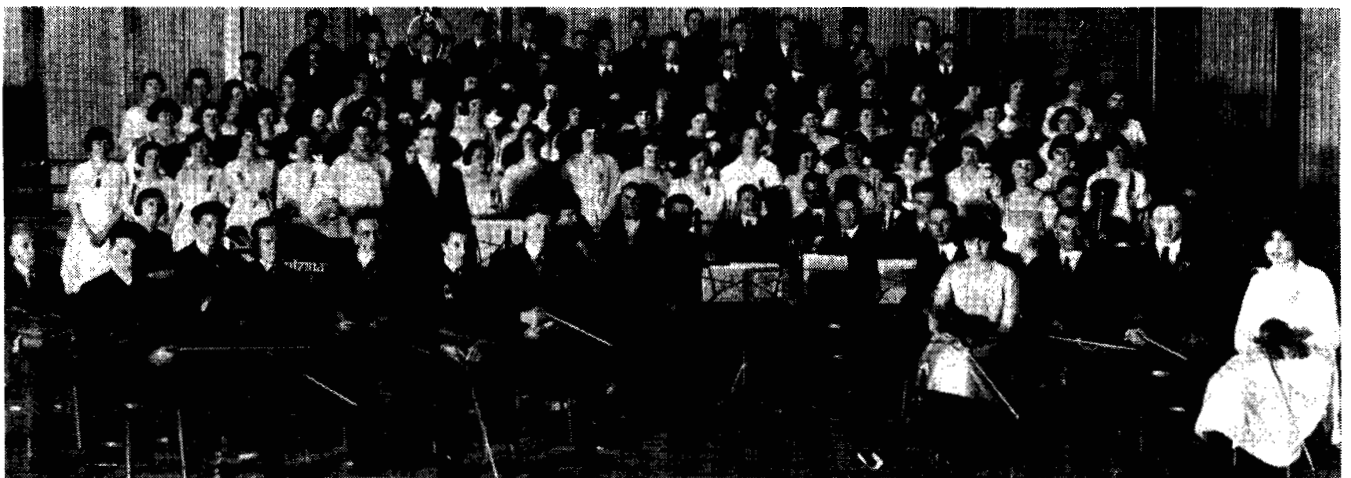
The files of the Society yield a few anecdotes that were not in the script. There was the 1949 *Iolanthe* episode when the fairy queen crowned the forgiven *Iolanthe* with the coronet upside-down. The points covered her eyes and she finished her solo in the dark. The 1933 production of the same opera had given the audience an unexpected thrill when one of the fairies became entangled with a huge tree in the woodlands scene and trailed the forest around the stage in a dance routine.

The writer recalls a 1938 *Yeoman of*

the *Guard* show when the leading tenor's garter became unfastened and dropped down his leg in the middle of his love duet with the lead soprano. The thirties also enjoyed a memorable moment when a dog strayed on to the balcony. A lovers' duet became a trio as the music-loving canine emitted soulful moans at frequent intervals. Also worthy of remembrance are the naval officers' buttons in *Pinafore* which were lettered, not 'RN' but 'CNR.' And there were other incidents down the years, awful for the performers, a delight to student audiences.

How many names we could list of alumni who have contributed to the 50-year success story of the Musical Society! They all deserve mention, the hundreds of people who have taken leads, applied makeup, operated the lights, sung in the chorus, built scenery and props, taken tickets, danced, worked on costumes, run the business end.

Let one alum represent all. In the



*Mussoc's Sixth Annual Concert, given in the old Vancouver Hotel Ballroom, March 15, 1922.*

## Fifty years

*Vancouver Sun* of February 1 this year a picture of Milla Andrew, Arts '52, appeared, with an accompanying article. She had sung leads in four Mussoc productions. Her story to-day: outstanding success in a Sadler's Wells Opera Company London production of *Madame Butterfly*, and to come a major role in *Die Fledermaus*, soon to be presented by this world-famous company.

What of progress?

In 1941, at the quarter-century milestone, a music critic wrote of the UBC Musical Society: "During this time it has built up a reputation for fine performances that is not surpassed by that of any other amateur society in the West."

In 1965, on the eve of the fiftieth year, another critic commented on the production "Bells are Ringing": "Young people, over 50 of them who sweated blood for over a month to make this one of the best musicals ever staged by the Musical Society of UBC . . . the young men and women are good—darned good."

Mussoc members, past and present, looking back on personal participation in an organization that has given them happy memories of campus life, might well say: "I'm darn glad the Musical Society did 'take me along.' It's been fun."



*Musical Society's first executive: Standing—L. Roberts, J. Abernethy, D. Geoghegan. Seated—C. W. Austin, K. Mutrie, Prof. Russell, H. J. Meredith.*

*An early production, The Garden of the Shah.*



# It's a good question!

## Are teaching assistants incompetent?

(reprinted from the  
"Ubysey")

by Charlie Boylan



Charlie Boylan, BA '64

*Freedom and ignorance make dangerous partners.*

So say the five co-authors of *Discipline and Discovery*, the controversial D & D report published last March.

My primary concern is how this report relates to the present system of teaching freshman English at UBC. The English department at UBC is the largest department of any discipline at any university in Canada. Its teaching staff of 132 persons is organized in an elaborate hierarchical structure from the head of the department at the top down to the teaching assistant at the bottom.

This structure is responsible for determining the course content and teaching procedures affecting the more than 7,000 students enrolled in English, some thousands of them in more than one course. They range in academic development from those in the 97 sections of freshman English to those enrolled in the 12 graduate courses offered by the department.

English 100, the compulsory freshman course, is described by the D & D report as "an excellent one, providing a stimulating introduction to the world of creativity." The Report notes, however, that it is also the responsibility of English 100 to teach the poorly equipped and trained B.C. high school graduate how to write simple, coherent prose.

The report suggests the task is too great for English 100. It proposes instead a core program for first year arts which will demand a written assignment once a week, these assignments to be spread over the whole faculty, with the various faculty seminar instructors responsible for "correcting these assignments and explaining, where necessary, what constitutes good composition."

The report then says: "It will also be an advantage that all the instructors will be members of the Faculty and in no case graduate assistants."

At present almost half, 43 out of 97 sections of the freshman English course, is taught by graduate student teaching assistants.

But is it fair to suggest that all T.A.'s are incompetent?

Yes! At least if you define competence as: (1) the fulfilment of certain academic qualifications, specifically a master's degree, and (2) the opportunity to devote the maximum working day to the task of teaching.

It is true, of course, that many T.A.'s are enthusiastic and some are even good teachers, but this doesn't justify the system. A medical intern might also be enthusiastic and even competent, but one would be reluctant to force the full responsibility of a doctor on him.

The University is growing larger and larger. There are not enough qualified teachers to fill the demands now made on the English department, and there is not enough money to pay them even if they were available. The cost above that presently incurred for T.A.'s of hiring an additional fifteen staff members—to handle the 43 sections of English 100 now taught by T.A.'s—would be approximately \$22,500.

But if the suggestions in the D & D Report were followed, of making the whole faculty responsible for teaching composition and of eliminating examinations, both the needs of staff and the financing of M.A. programs might be solved.

*"Although the system does indeed bring out the best in some students, for others it is a punishing ordeal that induces feelings of panic and despair; and for everyone, both student and instructor, this overwhelming emphasis on the final examination distorts the process of learning."* (The Report.)

The report therefore recommends dispensing "with the traditional Christmas and final examinations in favor of a system of continual review . . . every student should be allowed to pass despite his marks from the first to second year on two conditions: that his attendance at lectures and at discussion groups has been judged satisfactory; and that he has completed all his written assignments."

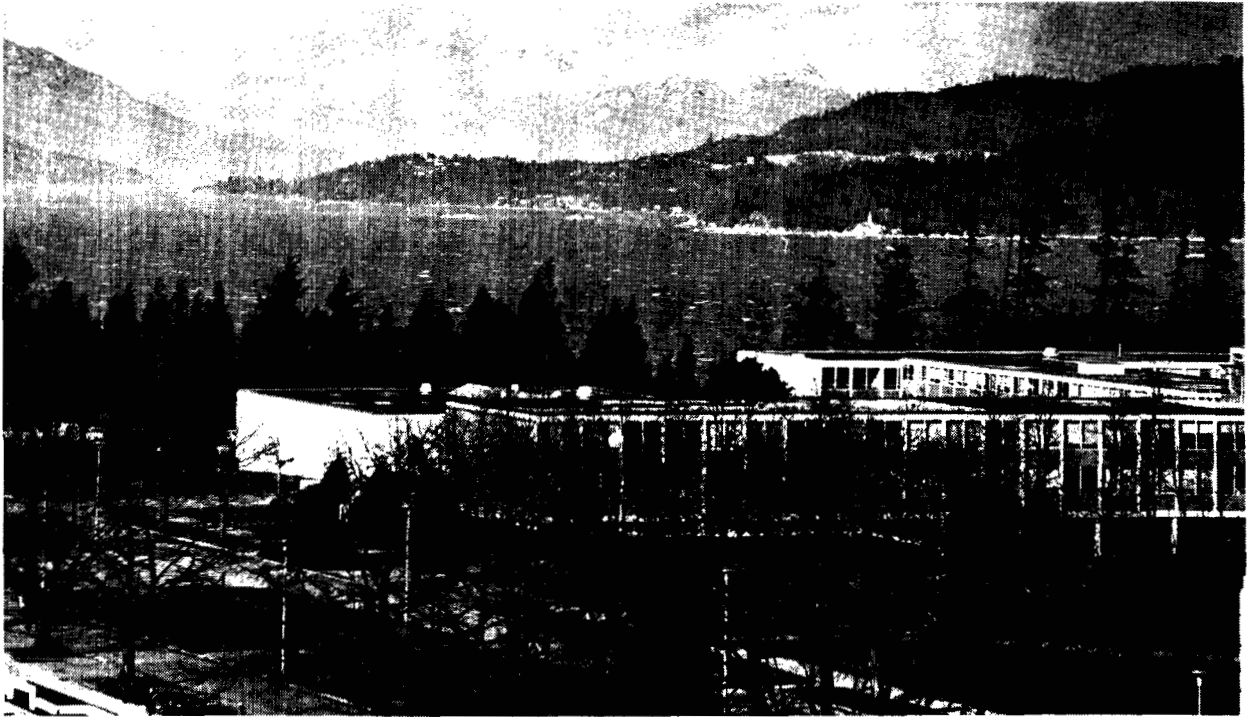
By adopting the D & D report, the time and energy would be available from the present faculty to teach an equivalent of to-day's enrolment at UBC without having to hire unqualified personnel in the guise of "teaching assistants." Also inherent in this solution for eliminating unqualified teachers is the solution to financing the M.A. graduate program.

The English Department budget presently allows \$77,400 to pay for its forty-three teaching assistants. Because the department will be able to cope with the problem of teaching freshman English without T.A.'s under the D & D recommendations, the money could be distributed into forty-three \$1,800 graduate student grants.

The money would be payable to a B.A. honors English graduate on a one-year M.A. program at UBC. The grant would be non-renewable. As a consequence, we would be able to graduate qualified teachers at a much faster rate than at present and hence be able to provide those qualified teachers necessitated by an ever expanding enrolment.

# The Henry Angus

*View north from the Henry Angus penthouse.*



*Among other things Dr. Roderick Wong studies the effect in rats of infantile stimulation on learning.*

RAT MINDS, human emotions and statistics are all being studied and analyzed these days under one roof. That roof covers the Henry Angus Building, most recently completed addition to UBC's campus, a building capable of providing working space for over 2000 students and some 130 faculty.

The students are registered in courses in the Faculty of Commerce and the social science departments of the Faculty of Arts, that is in psychology, sociology, anthropology, political science, economics and the Institute of Industrial Relations.

The working space includes, besides such things as regular classrooms and two large lecture theatres, facilities like seminar rooms and study carrels for graduate students, laboratories for the study, through one-way viewing glass, of the behaviour of people, and laboratories for the study of the behaviour of rats; two U-shaped classrooms with a special seating arrangement to facilitate discussion in certain course work; a large workshop which makes equipment to order for experimental work; a remote computer station, a statistical centre for the social sciences, and so on, and on.

Designers of the Henry Angus Building are Thompson, Berwick, Pratt & Partners. It is the first fully air-conditioned building on the campus, has a four-storey teaching wing, an eight-storey office wing, and from the top of this latter an incomparable view of the campus.

While it may be true, as one professor claims, that the most photogenic items in the building are the secretaries, the *Chronicle* photographer concentrated on some other subjects that he thought might also be of interest to our readers.

# Caught at Work

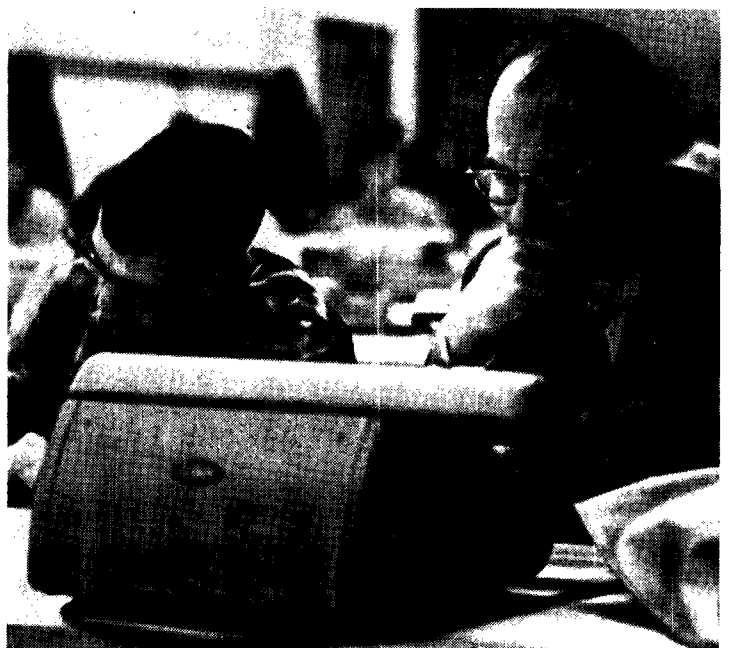


*There's a research project going on to study the personality factors in learning to avoid punishment. Here a graduate student works with an undergraduate volunteer.*



*Dr. Robert Hare explains the use of the Grass Polygraph (cost about \$7000), sometimes thought of as a lie detector. It is used in the study of psychopaths and in other ways important to psychology research.*

*All photocopying and mimeograph work for the building occupants, except the Commerce Faculty, is done by Miss Sharon Sutherland in this centrally-located room.*



*Students in a statistics lab. make use of the Friden calculator.*

# Class of '66 Decides its Program, its Gifts

THE FIRST SPRING GENERAL MEETING of the graduating class was certainly one of the most decisive and interesting meetings that has come along for some time. A petition signed by one hundred engineers and presented to the grad class council in the first days of January sparked considerable interest right then. It asked for a general meeting as early as possible. Purpose unknown. As it turned out, the meeting was petitioned because the engineers felt they had a unique gift suggestion, and unique it was. At the meeting Art Stevenson, Engineering Undergraduate Society president, presented the following motion:

WHEREAS, the EUS recognizes the fact that in the past year the graduating class gift has been significant and remembered *only* by that particular



*Art Stevenson, Eng. IV, presents a gift proposal to Grad Class.*

graduating class, we the graduating Engineers hereby resolve in our absolute and unfettered discretion that this year's graduating class gift be unique unto itself and thereby initiate a new concept in graduating class gifts.

AND WHEREAS, it is recognized by the campus as a whole that Engineers traditionally are the leaders in revolutionary thought, action, and provocation, it is therefore natural and fitting that the theme of this year's gift originate from within the ranks of the Engineering Undergraduate Society.

AND WHEREAS, the Engineers realize that the concept of such a unique gift must embody aesthetic appeal, historical significance, and patriotic fervour, we the 1966 graduating Engineers of The University of British Columbia do hereby move that the gift of the 1966 Graduating Class of The University of British Columbia be given in its entirety for the purpose of

erecting a monument in the image of our beloved and chaste patron saint, Lady Godiva astride a white charger, to be placed in front of the library."

Unfortunately for the Engineers, the Grad Class vetoed this suggestion. Their choice was also unique but less biased—an eight-man rowing shell—"Class of '66"—and a four-man shell—"The Lady Godiva" (a conciliatory gesture towards the Engineers)—with the balance of funds, about \$2,000, given to the CUSO-sponsored Home for Indian Girls.

Of importance also to the graduating class is the following resume of the graduation activities which are being planned as the *Chronicle* goes to press:

- May 6 Grad class cruise*
- May 31 Tree planting ceremony*
- May 31 Baccalaureate service 8:00 p.m.  
Brock Hall*
- June 1, 2, 3 Class Day Exercises,  
Auditorium, 11:00 a.m.*
- June 3 Graduation Ball—Showmart.*

Further details will be fully publicized so that everyone has a chance to attend the various functions. Ball tickets will be available in the Alumni Office at a date to be announced. (AMS cards must be presented in person when tickets are picked up.)

Queries may also be made to the grad executive or individual faculty representatives.

## GRAD CLASS EXECUTIVE 1965-66

*President: Keith Brimacombe, 3505 W. 37th Ave., 266-0935; Vice-Pres.: Robert B. Harris, 4456 Saratoga Court, S. Bur., HE 1-1538; Secy.: Gillian Eades, 4825 Drummond Dr., CA 8-8459; Treas: Jack Kraut, 368 Haida House, Totem, 224-9066; Social Co-ordinator Fred Nazaroff, 5661 University Blvd., CA 4-3084; P.R.O.: Dian Ulrich, 603 Rutland Cres., Coquitlam, 936-1715; Totem Rep.: Maureen Schultz, 4631 Blenheim, AM 6-0057.*

The Grad Council sincerely hopes that your graduation will be a memorable and enjoyable occasion. Good luck in the years to come!

J. Keith Brimacombe,  
President,  
Class of '66.



## The Day the M.P.'s Came

*Top: President J. B. Macdonald; Robt. Prittie, MP; Ron Basford, MP; Harold Winch, MP (almost hidden); Mrs. Grace MacInnes, MP; Tom Barnett, MP; Grant Deachman, MP; Rev. A. B. Patterson, MP; Rod Macdonald, Pres. Alumni Association.*



*Centre: Leaving International House for a bus tour of the campus.*



*Bottom: From a balcony of the Electrical Engineering Building the group viewed the new Forestry-Agriculture Building, now in an advanced stage of construction.*

THEY CAME, THEY SAW, and were (we hope) conquered.

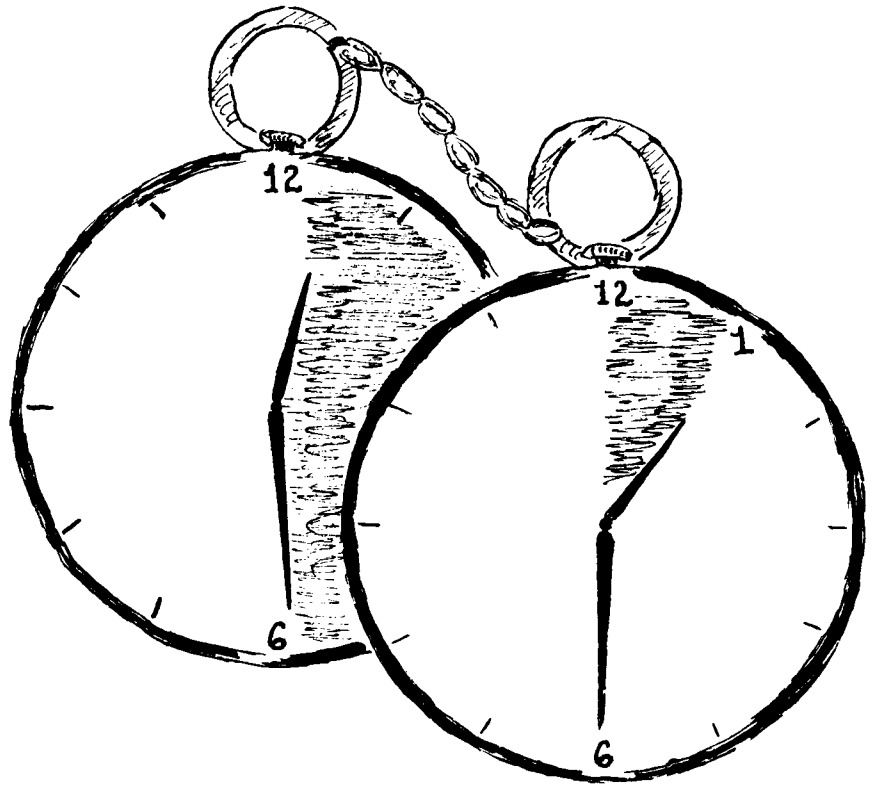
In a short breathing spell between party caucus and opening of Parliament seven British Columbia M.P.'s spent a day at UBC seeing for themselves what all this talk of the knowledge explosion was about.

On hand to meet them were representative alumni, faculty, and students.

UBC President Macdonald and Alumni President Rod Macdonald welcomed the guests; Dean Cowan of Graduate Studies told them of the program mapped out for the University in his area, and John Porter, architect-planner, gave a chalk talk on the physical lay-out of the campus to-day and the developments planned for tomorrow.

Jim Banham, University Information Officer, took over then and acted as tour guide on a bus trip around the campus. The weatherman was kind, the snow had almost gone though the date was January 8, and the sun shone.

After lunch in the Totem Park dining-room the party broke up into small groups for visits to particular buildings. The *Chronicle* photographer tagged along for the whole day and this page brings you a little of the story he caught on film.



AN AWFUL LOT OF LIVING has to be compressed into one hour on the UBC campus these days. For thousands of students there's the little matter of finding a spot at a lunch counter to buy a sandwich. Others settle that problem by taking a bag lunch to a noon-hour lecture or other cultural event. Others again find it the magic hour to stage a stunt. And sometimes there is a crowd-drawing attraction like Dr. Macdonald's meeting with the students for an open question period.



*PhD candidates researching flying saucers.*

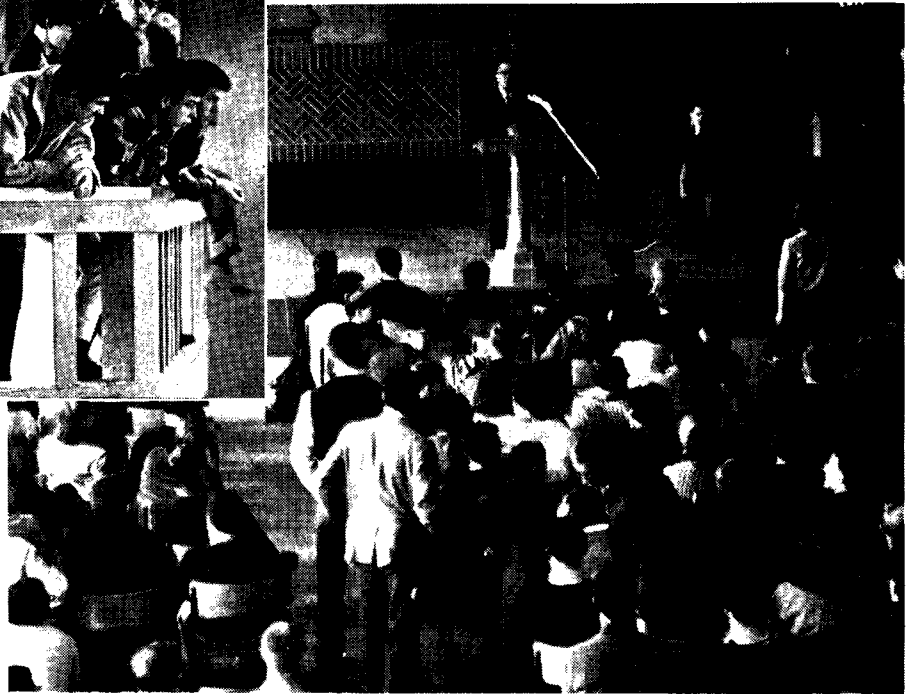


*Right: A fine January day brings serious discussion outdoors in front of Brock Hall.*





*President Macdonald meets the students for a noon-hour question period in Brock.*



*Lady Godiva rides again.*



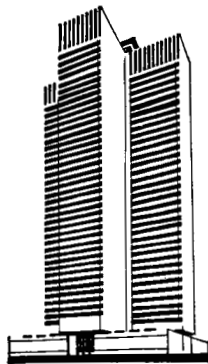


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# News of the University

## New Head for English Department



*Professor Durrant*

NEWLY-APPOINTED HEAD of UBC's largest department, the department of English which now registers more than 7,000 students, is Professor Geoffrey Hugh Durrant. His appointment takes effect July 1. In the meantime Professor Stanley E. Read continues as acting head.

Professor Durrant was for sixteen years at the University of Natal, in South Africa, becoming its Dean of Arts and serving in many leading capacities on the Joint Matriculation Board of South Africa. He left South Africa for political reasons in 1961 and comes to UBC from the English headship of the University of Manitoba.

## UBC Researcher wins major Award

SINCE 1925 the Research Corporation has made thirty awards for outstanding contributions to science. That is a measure of the honour which UBC's Dr. Neil Bartlett has received in becoming the recipient of the 30th \$10,000 award last December.

Thirteen of the past recipients, it might be noted, have subsequently won the Nobel Prize, usually in the field for which they received the

Research Corporation award.

Dr. Bartlett has been honoured for his 1962 discovery that the so-called "inert" gases can form stable substances. He was presented with the award at a dinner in New York. President Macdonald accompanied him to represent The University of British Columbia.

"Dr. Bartlett's work," says the President, "has received wide national



*Dr. Bartlett*

recognition and has created a whole new field of chemistry engaging scientists all over the world."

A number of honors have come Dr. Bartlett's way since announcing his work, the latest a National Research Council award of a share in the \$1200 Steacie Prize for 1965.

## Appointed to Board of Governors

Allan M. McGavin, co-chairman of the 3-Universities Capital Fund and honorary life member of the UBC Alumni Association, has been appointed by the provincial cabinet to the University's Board of Governors. He fills the vacancy created by the death of George Cunningham last year.

## Dr. R. M. Clark is University's Academic Planner

A UBC GRADUATE is the University's new academic planner. He is Professor Robert M. Clark, BCom '41, BA '42, one of Canada's best known economists. He received a doctor of philosophy degree from Harvard.

Dr. Clark joined the University's economics department in 1946 but more recently he has been on some special jobs for the Ontario government, as director of economic research for that government's Commission on Provincial and Municipal Revenues and as a member of the Ontario Commission on Portable Pensions.

As academic planner Dr. Clark's duties will include the study and preparation of recommendations on a variety of academic matters, including admission requirements, student fees, trends and proposals in curricula, failure rates and financial data.



*Professor Clark*

## Head appointed for Creative Writing

The first department of creative writing at a Canadian university was formed here at UBC last summer. Now Mr. Robert G. Harlow who has been acting head and associate professor since that time has been appointed the permanent head. He joined the UBC faculty in 1954 to teach creative writing within the department of English.

## Applied Science has new dean



Dean Armstrong

A UBC FACULTY MEMBER since 1946, William M. Armstrong, has been appointed Dean of Applied Science. In accepting this new post Dean Armstrong has resigned the headship of the department of metallurgy but will retain the title of professor of metallurgy.

Dean Armstrong sees two major problems facing engineering training in Canada—the low number of graduates and the necessity to develop systems to continue the training of graduate engineers and to retrain those in areas that grow obsolete.

“Industry, the universities and practising engineers agree on the need for retraining,” the Dean says, “but so far there is little evidence of achievement in this area.” He sees no possibility of the shortage of engineers being eased during the next decade.

Dean Armstrong is vice-president and president-elect of the 45,000-member Canadian Council of Professional Engineers and was president of the Association of Professional Engineers in B.C. in 1964.

## Briefly Speaking . . .

Now they've got the computer predicting tree growth for a century ahead! Professor Harry Smith of the Faculty of Forestry, using an IBM

7040 computer, can “grow” a 100-year-old stand of timber in 13 minutes. The programs, taking into account most of the known factors affecting tree growth, are loaded into the computer. The machine then studies the growth of individual trees to determine how various programs of thinning and replanting will affect growth rates and yields at different ages.

The research using mathematical models to predict forest growth was initiated as an extra-mural research project for the Canada department of forestry in 1963. Its object is to help the forest industry to make decisions about planting, replanting, thinning, and so forth.

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UBC's school of librarianship, the only such school in Western Canada, has almost tripled in size in its first four years, it has been announced.

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Last December Okanagan Regional College appointed its first full-time employee. He is Jim Bigsby and his job is Administrative Assistant to the College Council.

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IN A LITTLE OVER A YEAR FROM NOW the department of music can hope to move into its own building. Tenders have been called and it is hoped that the building will be ready for occupancy in the spring of 1967.

The cost of more than \$1,500,000 will be met with funds from the provincial government, the 3-Universities Capital Fund and a \$600,000 grant from the Canada Council.

At present the department of music is housed in an old forest products building, five army huts and a converted agronomy barn. The new quarters will accommodate 300 students under one roof.

The lower two floors will contain a recital hall for chamber music performances seating 285 persons, a large rehearsal hall for orchestra, wind ensembles and opera workshop, a small choral rehearsal hall, practice rooms, and administrative offices.

The upper two floors of the four-storey building will have approximately 30 teaching studios, theory and music history lecture rooms, practice rooms, a music library seating 100,

## Associate dean for Faculty of Medicine

THE EDITOR for the last five years of the “Canadian Medical Association Journal” has joined UBC's faculty as Associate Dean of Medicine.

Dr. Donald C. Graham, the editor in question, will assume a great deal of the load of administrative work for the Faculty of Medicine, leaving Dean John F. McCreary more time to devote to inter-relationships of the faculties and schools in the Health Sciences Centre and to the development of the teaching hospital.

Immediately prior to taking over the editorship of the Canadian Medical Journal Dr. Graham was a clinical teacher and associate of the Department of Medicine at the University of Toronto and a member of the staff of the Department of Medicine at St. Michael's Hospital, Toronto. Here at UBC in addition to his duties as associate dean he will be assistant professor in the department of medicine.

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CONTINUING EDUCATION, for many years a major area of activity with The University of British Columbia and becoming increasingly important with the other two public universities of British Columbia, will now be guided by a recently formed six-man liaison committee.

Each university has two representatives on the committee. UBC's are: Dr. Malcolm McGregor, department of classics, and Gordon Selman, assistant to the president.

The purpose of the committee is to examine the services of the universities in continuing education. In the course of this they will try to avoid unnecessary duplication of services, consider areas for co-operation among the universities, and look for gaps in the present services.

seminar and listening rooms, and a student lounge. Its library will contain books, journals, microfilm, microcards, records, and ample space for listening to recordings and tapes.

Architects for the Music Building are Gardiner, Thornton, Gathe & Associates.

# Alumni Association News

## Great Trekkers enjoy Reunion tea

GREAT TREKKERS have at least one thing in common, a devotion to their alma mater, and that is a fairly big common interest. Believing this the latest recipient of the award, Mrs. Sherwood Lett, arranged for a reunion of all Great Trekkers at her home one Sunday afternoon in January.

It seemed to the *Chronicle* that this was the time to review the history of the award. Here is what the December 1950 *Chronicle* had to say:

"One of the finest features of the 1950 Homecoming . . . was the spotlight thrown on the Great Student Trek of 1922. . . It was gratifying . . . to see a 'Mock Trek' at halftime of the football game, and to witness the first presentation of the Great Trekker Award, an annual award presented by the Alma Mater Society.

"This award is presented to an alumna or alumnus of UBC who has: (1) achieved eminence in his or her chosen field of activity;

(2) made a worthy and special contribution to his community, and (3) evidenced an especially keen and continued interest in his Alma Mater and rendered particular service to the undergraduate students."

'Joe' Brown, BA '23, was the first recipient of the award. He had been chairman of the Development Fund's Board of Directors since the inauguration of the annual giving program in 1948 and he was one of the eight members of the campaign committee to be decorated with a cairn pin when the Trekkers celebrated in 1947 the 25th anniversary of their march to West Point Grey.

Twice since then the students have bent slightly the rules governing the award and have given it to men who were not alumni of UBC. No one can quarrel with their selections, for the first was Dr. N. A. M. MacKenzie (1962), and the second the late George

*Front Row: John M. Buchanan, Mrs. Sherwood Lett, Miss Marjorie Agnew, Mr. Justice A. E. Lord. Back Row: Dr. H. T. Logan, Jas. Sinclair, The Hon. J. V. Clyne, Joe Brown, Dean Walter Gage.*

*Great Trekkers unable to be present: Aubrey Roberts, Dr. Phyllis Ross, E. W. H. Brown, Senator N. A. M. MacKenzie, Dr. A. E. Richards. Deceased: Sherwood Lett, Geo. T. Cunningham.*



Cunningham (1964).

Latest but not last of the Great Trekkers is Mrs. Evelyn Story Lett, BA '17 and once more a student at the University. She was a member of the committee that drafted the Alma Mater Society's constitution, served as a vice-president of the Alumni Association, and headed an advisory committee on women's residences which presented a brief to the provincial government in 1948. Currently she is a key member of the committee administering the Schwesinger bequest to the Alumni Association.

## AAG Chairman



*Frank G. Fredrickson, BCom '53*

NEW ALUMNI ANNUAL GIVING CHAIRMAN is Frank G. Fredrickson, BCom '53, succeeding Verne J. Housez.

Mr. Fredrickson is confident of another good year in Alumni Annual Giving and he offers sound reasons for his optimism.

"The record shows," he points out, "that graduates are becoming more and more aware of the tremendous needs and importance of education in to-day's world. Their support last year of Alumni Annual Giving and the 3-Universities Fund is a sure indication that they accept a responsibility in this field."

While the 1966 Alumni Annual Giving program will continue to stress support for the 3-Universities Capital Fund—a most pressing need, as the new chairman says—traditional Alumni Annual Giving projects will not be forgotten.

Victoria-born Frank Fredrickson received his public school education in Vancouver and Winnipeg. From 1943 to 1945 he served with the RCAF. He is presently associated with Forest Industrial Relations Ltd.

## Play festival will mark anniversary

SOMETHING NEW in Alumni Association activities is the sponsoring of a Festival of Original One-Act Plays, all to be written and produced by UBC students. This may well turn out to be one of the most widely popular of all the special alumni observances marking 1966.

For this, in case the fact has escaped any alumnus is the Golden Jubilee of the Alumni Association of UBC.

Early in the year UBC students, graduate and undergraduate, were invited to submit one-act plays to be considered for presentation to the public in the autumn. At time of writing a team of judges is in process of selecting not less than two, not more than four, plays for presentation. Out of the program one play will be chosen to represent UBC at the Canadian Universities Drama Festival which will be held in February, 1967.

In sponsoring this festival the Asso-

ciation considers it not only a worthwhile event to help mark an important anniversary but also a means of encouraging the fine arts at the University. It's one of those good causes that promises to be a lot of fun, too.

## The golden year has come!

It's TIME to ring that date on our calendars once more! What date? Why, HOMECOMING!

This year, the Golden Year of the Alumni Association, the big get-together will take place on Saturday, October 22. The Homecoming Luncheon and all class reunions—classes of '16 and '21 and all the subsequent sixes and ones—will be held on campus.

The usual wind-up event, the ball, will be very special, for this year it will be the GOLDEN BALL! celebrating the 50th anniversary of the Association.

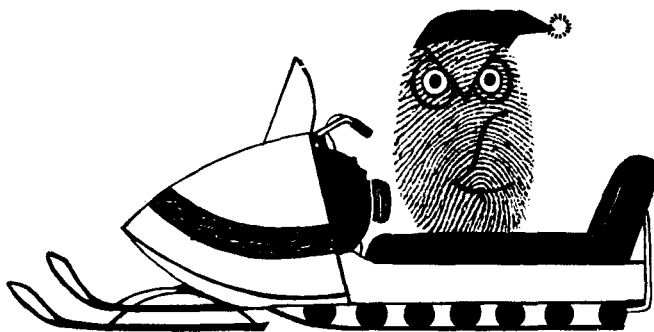
Art Woodland who made such a success of last year's Homecoming will again act as general chairman. Reunions chairman for 1966 is Barrie Lindsay.

## More about Alumni Candidates

The December issue of the *Chronicle* ran a story on the UBC alumni who had entered the November 8 federal election race. However, we regret that we failed to mention Tom Barnett, BA'28, NDP candidate in Comox-Alberni, who won out over the Liberal candidate there. Also missed—our apologies to them—were candidates Arthur McClellan, BCom '34, Raymond Parkinson, BA '50, MD '54, and Miss Mary F. Southin, LLB '52.

UBC grads in the new cabinet are John Turner, BA '49, minister without portfolio, and Arthur Laing, BSA '25, now minister for Northern and Indian Affairs.

Also successful in the election were alumni Ron Basford, BA'55, LLB'56 (Vancouver-Burrard), E. Davie Fulton, BA'36 (Kamloops), Howard E. Johnston, BA'57, BEd'58, MEd'61 (Okanagan-Revelstoke), Robert W. Prittie, BA'47 (Burnaby-Richmond), and David V. Pugh, BCom'34 (Okanagan-Boundary).



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## Scholarship Tea held in Faculty Club

ON THE AFTERNOON OF FRIDAY, January 13, a representative group of alumni had the happy experience of meeting many of our Norman MacKenzie Scholarship winners at tea in the Faculty Club. The honoured guests were all the past and present holders of the scholarship now on campus, and included young people from across the border who had won American scholarships in this category.

From the United States we have: James Noel Crowley, Long Beach, Wash.; Harvey John Field, Atlanta, Georgia; Thomas E. Kiovsky and Edward Francis Ryan, both now of Vancouver, B.C.; and Ernestine A. Young, Nampa, Idaho.

A well-mixed party of close to 150 people—scholarship winners, faculty, alumni and student representatives were present at the gathering, the second annual event of its kind.

## Lett Scholarship terms decided

THE FIRST AWARD of the Sherwood Lett Memorial Scholarship will be made, it is expected, this spring. The young man or woman who is chosen to receive the \$1500 scholarship will be of top calibre, for the Selection Committee "in assessing the merits of candidates who are nominated, is concerned with qualifications such as those Sherwood Lett possessed—high scholastic and literary attainments, physical vigour, moral force of character and ability to serve, work with, and lead others."

The rules have now been drawn up for the composition of the Selection Committee and the basis of nominations. To be eligible a candidate must (a) have attended The University of British Columbia (by the end of the session in which the award is made) for at least two full winter sessions; (b) be qualified in the next winter session to enter the third or higher year of University studies; (c) rank academically in the top quarter of students in his year and faculty; and (d) give assurance that, if selected, he will continue in the next regular session in a full program of studies at



Senator N. A. M. MacKenzie chats with Pat Stewart (Penticton), Elizabeth Bradley (Kelowna) and Marion Ferguson (Vernon).

The University of British Columbia.

The winner, it is pointed out, is not precluded from holding other awards where the terms of these awards permit.

## Calling Pack Rats!

IN THE LAST ISSUE of the *Chronicle* we asked you to search in your attics. We sought "some rotten archive, rummaged out of some seldom-explored press" (Charles Lamb) to help us put together the history of the Alumni Association. We thank those who responded, including Connie Highmoor Adams who has sent Nos. 1 and 2 of Vol. 2 of the *Alumni Bulletin*, published in 1925.

That was a find. Evelyn Story Lett contributed a 1924 *Bulletin* Vol. 1, No. 2 (three pages mimeo'd). How many others were published? Has anyone other copies?

We have the *Alumni Directory* for the years 1922 to 1926. Were there more?

No minute books have been found yet for the years before 1935. Those years are like a jigsaw puzzle with too many missing pieces. Help us.

We don't need Annuals or *Chronicles* for our immediate purposes; we have complete sets.

We've been specific about some of our needs for the pre-1935 period. But remember, you may all have potential archive material. Anything about the Alumni Association will be of value for the history. Anything else, including mementoes from your undergraduate years, may give us clues and would find a place in our Alumni Archives. Write Frances Tucker, care of the Alumni Office.

Pack rats! Give us your treasures.

## NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Annual Meeting of the Alumni Association will be held at the hour of 6:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 11, 1966, in the Ballroom of the Hotel Vancouver, Vancouver, B.C.

Two members of the Association may nominate persons for the elective positions on the Board of Management pursuant to Section 8 of the By-Laws of the Association. All nominations must be accompanied by the written consent of the nominee, and be in the hands of the director of the Alumni Association, 252 Brock Hall, at least seven days before the date of the Annual Meeting.

T. Hollick-Kenyon  
Director.

# Dear Editor

## Loans vs Grants

I was interested in the article on fee increases and student support which appeared in the Autumn '65 *Chronicle*, especially in the light of the recent "threat" by the British Government to make the British students' fee and maintenance allowances repayable after graduation, that is, to make the outright grants into loans, comparable to the loans offered under the Canada Student Loans Plan.

I enclose a student paper "Gongster," report and comment on this government suggestion. British students have little to complain about if their financial circumstances are compared with B.C. students. The indignation reported by "Gongster" might encourage B.C. students to rebel against their less favourable circumstances with greater determination.

—Barbara Belyea, B.A.'65

## Shopland Fund still open

LAST SPRING I happened to give a drive to a woman student who was going my way to town. We fell into conversation. It developed that she was a third-year education student, mature and intelligent.

She explained that she was on her way to work to support herself at university. The job took Saturday afternoons and several evenings a week and was cutting into her precious study hours. But more, it was a distasteful job—she'd leave it at once if she didn't need the money.

She earned the large sum of \$1.00 an hour, but compared to baby-sitting this is good money. Can a cashier or waitress earn more?

A woman student who must earn her way seems to be financially at a great disadvantage to the male student. Compare her earning capacity with that of the young man who works in the forest, a mill, on the boats or as maintenance crew with the City of Vancouver.

Last June the Stella Shopland Memorial Fund was set up to earn annual income to aid university students. It stands now at \$679.01.

If further contributions could bring this sum up to a minimum \$1000 it could earn at 5% interest a sum of \$50 annually for a bursary for just such a woman student. A fund of \$2000 would yield twice that.

The \$10, \$25 or \$50 you give now means comparatively little to the established person, but can you remember what a pot of gold it represents to a girl who has nothing but a willingness to work and a determination to succeed?

You can still help by sending donations to: The Stella Shopland Memorial Fund, c/o Dean W. H. Gage, Inter-Faculty and Student Affairs, UBC. A receipt will be issued for income tax purposes.

—Jean Hardwick

## Wanted: male viewpoint

I read with interest the article in the last *Chronicle* on the pros and cons of working one's way through college.

Some of the views expressed were pertinent but, being women, I feel the authors failed to treat the issue from the point of view of a majority of students, that is, males. After all, ability is not an end unto itself. If a gifted student has not the ambition, the character and the guts to put a university education within his grasp without handouts, is the education going to benefit him at all?

It would be interesting to see some male opinion on this question in the *Chronicle*.

—Ken McQuhae, BASc'65

## And Bouquets

I want to thank you for sending me the winter copy of the *Chronicle*. As a Religious, I am unable, much as I would like to do so, to contribute to the annual giving program of the University; and so it was a very pleasant surprise to receive the *Chronicle*.

I think the editor, Miss Norcross, and her staff are doing a wonderful job on the *Chronicle*. It is full of interesting material, especially for

those of us who are out of the province and are not able to visit UBC very often.

—Sister Mary Elizabeth, S.S.J.D.  
(Elizabeth Brodie, BA '56)

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(The writer of the following letter is preparing a thesis on alumni magazines in the Northwest.)

. . . I hadn't planned on including your magazine, since you were really out of the United States and thus under a different system. But your magazine turns out to be one of the very few really good ones in the Northwest . . . and I therefore think it would be very valuable.

—(Mrs.) Aleen Holly

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. . . We were naturally most interested in the marked article, "Farewell to the Stadium," which was so well prepared by Mr. Osborne, Director of Physical Education. The photographs spanning the life of the stadium—1931 to 1965—are of great interest. I should like to express appreciation to Mr. Osborne, on Dr. Klinck's behalf, for the kind reference to himself.

Thank you again for this important chapter of campus history.

—Elizabeth B. Klinck  
(Mrs. Leonard S. Klinck)

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. . . I am sorry to see the "Old Stadium" go—but the memories remain. I wish to add also that the *Chronicle* in its present form is very pleasant to receive. I like it very much.

—F. M. Clement  
(Dean Emeritus)

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Thank you very much for sending me the winter number of your *Chronicle*. I read the piece about my Commission with interest and pleasure.

—Vincent W. Bladen  
Dean of Arts and Science,  
University of Toronto.

(We love bouquets, but if you are nursing a brickbat, send it along and we'll print it, too.—Ed.)



# *You are invited to the Annual Alumni Dinner*

commemorating the first graduation  
from UBC on May 4, fifty years ago.

McGill graduates now living in British Columbia  
are also being invited.

Speaker: Laurier LaPierre  
Co-host "This Hour has seven Days"

Topic: "Canada . . . 1, 2, 3?"

On Wednesday, May 11, 1966  
6:00 P.M.

Ballroom, Hotel Vancouver.

Dress: Informal

Tickets: \$6.00 each.

Advance ticket reservations for this important event are advisable, and may be made by writing or phoning the UBC Alumni office, 224-4366 or 228-2800, for further information. Friends and spouses are welcome.



Laurier LaPierre, BA, MA, PhD in history (U. of Toronto).

Laurier LaPierre is not making a secret of what lies behind that mysterious sounding title to his address. It's a three-part question, really, that he hopes to answer. Is it Canada's destiny to be one melting pot, or two melting pots, or does it lie in cultural diversity?

Mr. LaPierre, perhaps best known to British Columbians as co-host on "This Hour has Seven Days," is associate professor of history and director of the French Canada Studies program at McGill. He taught at the University of Western Ontario and at Loyola College before going to McGill in the autumn of 1963.

As an historian Laurier LaPierre has a long series of published articles on French Canada to his credit. He also wrote the story line for the Canadian pavilion at Expo '67.

As an academic, he is currently serving on committees of the Canadian Association of University Teachers and of the Association of Universities and Colleges of Canada.



*I don't care if it is an anniversary dinner—  
I say black tie is going too far.*

# Lost to our records!

*Here are the names of some old classmates who no longer have valid addresses in our files. Can you set us right on their present whereabouts?*

1916

Henry James Gibson, BA  
James Robert Galloway, BA

1918

Angus C. Broach, BA  
Gordon C. Castleman, BA  
R. Harold McIntosh, BA

1919

Mrs. Catherine Weir Baxter, BA  
Rev. Joseph T. Smeeton, BA

1920

Dr. Rena V. A. Grant, BA  
Junichi Hokkyo, BA  
J. Donald Siddons, BA

1921

Mrs. Norah V. McMullen, BA

1922

Mr. James Duffy, BA  
Raymond A. Fisher, BSA  
Harold Day Greenwood, BSA  
William H. Gray, BASc

1923

Miss Margaret Lindsay, BA  
Miss Vivian Helen McLoughry, BA  
Mrs. E. O. Robathan, BA

1924

Mrs. R. F. V. Cooper, BA  
Gordon Alan Lewis, BA  
Garrett S. Livingston, BA

1925

Mrs. J. Sutherland Anderson, BA  
Mrs. C. B. Crittenden, BA  
Miss Jeanette Weinberg, BA

1926

Helen Jessie Armstrong, BA  
Miss Sybil Bolt, BA  
Mark Hill, BA

1927

Jason Bloom, BASc  
Mrs. D. Donaldson, BA  
John M. Hockin, BA  
M. H. Clarke Wright, BA

1928

Mrs. David Yates Beach, BSN  
R. J. Bulger, BA  
Howard W. Sugarman, BA

1929

Mrs. R. Mathers Bird, BA  
David A. Lloyd-Jones, BA  
Frank A. Rouvier, BA  
Dr. James F. Sparling, BA

1930

Kathleen Frances Brain, BA

Donald Sutherland, BSA  
Allan Charles Young, BA

1931

Edwin Bernard Johnson, BCom  
Angus H. McLean, BA  
Charles Wong, BASc

1932

Ernest E. Hyndman, BA  
Clifford F. Parker, BA

1933

Kenneth W. Atkinson, BCom  
Mrs. J. Lakeman-Shaw Boyd, BA  
Daniel Wilcox More, BA

1934

William Eric Huskins, BASc  
Tom B. Niven, BA  
Robert Morris Wilson, BA



1935

Mrs. Martin Braverman, BA  
Vernon Koga, BSA  
Charles H. R. Pillar, BA

1936

Eldred K. Evans, BA  
James E. Hill-Tout, BA  
Robert McD. Thomson, BA

1937

J. A. V. Cade, BA  
Dr. Arthur B. Irwin, BASc  
Alan P. Morley, BA  
Sidney A. Swift, BCom

1938

Waldo J. Clarke, BA  
Alair Lips, BA  
Mrs. Mollie W. Sommer, BA

1939

Dr. E. Stewart McDaniel, BA  
John R. Meredith, BA  
Wilfred D. Stokvis, BSA

1940

John C. Campbell, BA  
R. A. Lamont, BCom  
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1941

Gordon Filmer-Bennett, BA  
Howard G. Hipkin, BASc  
Mrs. Charles Lowe, BA  
Brita Helena Vesterback, BA

1942

Mrs. J. Graham Finlay, BA

John Maxwell Granger, BASc  
Douglas L. Walker, BA

1943

Ronald Broadhead, BA  
Conrad N. Ferguson, BSA  
James Alex McAllister, BA

1944

Louis H. Gitterman, BASc  
Arne Henrickson, BA  
Rev. Edward W. Snyder, BCom

1945

Miss M. Anne Baker, BSN  
James P. Doyle, BASc  
Frederick Kanwischer, BA  
Miss Mary F. Norris, BA  
Atholl Wilson, BA

1946

Dr. Bert Auld, BASc  
Martin L. Brown, BA  
Mrs. Lewis Davidson, BA  
Dr. W. E. Matheson, BA  
Frank B. Pidgeon, BCom  
Mrs. R. G. Tye, BA

1947

Elmer Wallace Bates, BCom  
Miss R. Epstein, BA  
G. V. Goodwin, BCom  
John Campbell McNabb, BA  
Henry R. Simmons, BCom

1948

Brant Eric Bergstrom, BA  
Edward A. Capstick, BA  
Rev. John P. Gordon, BSW  
William H. Humble, BASc  
Gilbert Eric McMurtrie, MA  
Colin A. Sabiston, BCom

1949

Thomas J. Beeby, BA  
Miss Frances E. Chaplin, BSW  
Eric D. Dependleton, BA  
J. A. Eddleston, BASc

1950

Dr. David A. Aaronson, MA  
Peter Boyko, BASc  
Eugene W. Faryna, BSA  
R. H. Hollett, BCom  
J. D. Lamb, BASc  
Martin Martiniuk, BSA  
Mrs. Wanda Pearl Pearse, BA  
Mr. J. Tonzetich, BSA

1951

Cecil J. Bygrave, BA  
Isabelle F. Grant, BHE  
Carl R. Jokisch, BASc  
Mrs. Shirley Van Pilsum, BA

1952

W. Glen Archibald, BSA  
Thomas Ladd Goff, BSW  
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S. C. Barry, BSA '23

1923

**Sydney Clifford Barry**, BSA, was elected an honorary life member of the Canadian Seed Growers' Association recently. Mr. Barry, deputy minister of agriculture in Ottawa, has been with the department since 1925.

**Gordon Lorne Landon**, BSA, has retired as director of extension and agricultural development in the B.C. Department of Agriculture. During his 40 years of service with the Department he has held positions as poultry commissioner for B.C. and district agriculturalist for the Fraser Valley.

1925

**Arthur A. Lambert**, BAsC, has been appointed general manager of West Kootenay Power and Light Company. He has been with the company since 1926 and during that time has been closely associated with the design and construction of hydro plants and transmission systems.

1926

**James Wallace Millar**, BA, BAsC'27 has retired as manager of rail services for the Ontario Northland Railway, after 18 years of service with the firm. Mr. Millar was inspector for the British Columbia Department of Railways in 1943, and in 1947 became superintendent for the Pacific Great Eastern Railway. The next year he joined the staff of CNR.

1928

**William C. Brown**, BSA, recently joined the Superior Bulb Company as their representative in British Columbia. He was associated with Brown Bros. florists for over 20 years and has had 35 years' experience in all phases of the florist industry.

1932

**Gavin A. Dirom**, BAsC, has left American Mining and Smelting Co., with which he was associated for many years, to become a private geology consultant. Mr. Dirom was vice-president of the B.C. and Yukon Chamber of Mines in 1961.

1937

**Joan E. M. Adams**, BA, has become the executive director of the Vancouver Indian Society. After graduation she took teacher training and taught in ungraded schools on Indian reservations in the north for six years. In 1954 she became executive director of the first Indian Centre on the continent, at Oakland, California, remaining there for four years. She then moved to Winnipeg to help create the Indian centre there, but because of family illness she returned to B.C. and thus became available for her present post.

**Bernard F. Neary**, BA, has been named president of Science Research Associates (Canada) Ltd. Formerly president of Thomas Nelson and Sons, Ltd. he had previously handled distribution of sales for the firm, which is to be located in Don Mills, Ontario, and will serve as the base for SRA's international publishing activities.

We received the 1957 *Totem* for which we appealed in the last *Chronicle*, and are most grateful. Now we wonder if there is any early grad who is ready to part with a 1916 or 1918 *Annual*? They would be of tremendous value to the Alumni office.



W. N. Hall, BA '29

**Wilfred N. Hall**, BAsC, president of DOMTAR Ltd., has been named an honorary life member of the Alumni Association of Sir George Williams University, Montreal. He is the chairman of the Sir George Williams University building fund, and vice-chairman of the metropolitan board of directors of the YMCA and the corporation of SGWU.



NORMAN R. RICHARDS  
B.Comm., C.A.

Hooker Chemicals Ltd. is pleased to announce the promotion of Norman R. Richards to assistant treasurer, located at North Vancouver. Mr. Richards, former chief accountant, is a native of Chilliwack, B.C., and graduated from the University of British Columbia with a Bachelor of Commerce degree in 1951. He entered articles and was admitted to membership in the Institute of Chartered Accountants of British Columbia. Mr. Richards joined Hooker Chemicals Ltd. at North Vancouver in 1963.

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**Kenneth Albert West, BA, MA'39, PhD'42** (McGill), has been appointed to the newly-created position of vice-president of chemicals for Shell Canada Ltd. Dr. West was associated with Canadian Oil Companies Ltd. from 1951 until 1963, when he was elected a vice-president of Shell Canada Ltd.

1938

**Arnold B. Anderson, BASc**, was appointed manager of forestry and lands for Rayonier (Canada) Ltd., effective last November. Mr. Anderson joined the company in 1946, and has been engaged in logging engineering and forestry administration since that time.

**Rev. Callum Thompson, BA**, has been appointed to a position with the department of Indian Affairs of the Civil Service Commission, in which he will be a community development officer in the new national program of integrating the Canadian Indian into the total life of Canadian industry and culture.

1939

**Prof. Jack J. R. Campbell, BSA, PhD** (Cornell) has transferred from the Faculty of Agriculture to become head of the department of microbiology, UBC. Prof. Campbell has been active in improving standards for milk in B.C. and it was while he was chairman of a provincial government committee to establish bacteriological standards for milk that a laboratory was set up to analyze all B.C. milk.



*B. G. Sivertz,  
BA '40*

1940

**Ben G. Sivertz, BA**, is retiring next fall as Commissioner of the Northwest Territories. Following his retirement he will return to B.C. but will continue to advise the Minister of Northern Affairs in connection with implementation of the report of the advisory Commission on Development of Government in the Northwest Territories, currently under the chairmanship of **Dr. Fred Carrothers, BA'47, LLB'48**. Mr. Sivertz has been with the public service of Canada since 1946—five years as a foreign service officer and the last fifteen years at tasks in developing northern Canada. He has been head of the government of the Northwest Territories since 1963.

**Canon Edward Walter Scott, BA**, was

consecrated as the new Anglican Bishop for the Kootenay diocese on January 25, 1966.

Bishop Scott was rector of St Peter's Church, Seal Cove, Prince Rupert from 1943 to 1945, and later became the general secretary of the Student Christian movement of the University of Manitoba. He served as rector of St. John's, Fort Garry, and St. Jude's, both in Winnipeg. In 1960 he was appointed diocesan director of social service for the Anglican Church in that city.

For the past two years he has been assistant general secretary of social service at the Anglican Church House in Toronto.

The consecration of Bishop Scott, held at the Anglican Theological College, UBC, was the first service of its kind to be held in Vancouver in 15 years.

1941

**Sidney C. Kilbank, BA**, has been appointed manager of corporate marketing in Polymer Corporation's marketing division at Sarnia, Ontario. Mr. Kilbank has just returned to Canada after serving for 10 years in various positions overseas for the company, and was most recently stationed at Fribourg, Switzerland.

1942

**Dr. Charles David Fowle, BA, MA'44 PhD** (Tor.), head of the biology department at York University, Toronto, has been appointed master of the new Vanier College at that university. He is presently vice-president of the Royal Canadian Institute and honorary president of the Ontario Science Teachers' Association.

**Alan R. Fraser, BASc**, has been appointed technical service representative, explosives, for Canadian Industries Ltd., in Winnipeg. Mr. Fraser joined the company in 1959, and was previously technical services representative, explosives, in Newfoundland.

1943

**Stanley C. Roberts, BASc**, manager of power-switching equipment for I-T-E Circuit Breaker (Canada) Ltd. has moved up to the position of eastern region manager for the company. He has been with the firm since 1956.

1944

**Donald A. Livingston, BASc**, was recently elected executive vice-president of ESCO Ltd. He has been a director of the company since 1963, and vice-president of the western area since September 1964.

**George Gordon Manson, B.A., BEd'57**, a member of the Faculty of Education at Mount Allison University, Sackville, N.B., has been named professor of education and head of the department. Professor Manson was for several years a member of the Faculty of Education at

the University of Victoria.

**Nicholas Reimer, BA**, has been appointed director of western sales for Monsanto Canada Ltd. In this newly-created position he will be responsible for sales of all Monsanto products in Western Canada, and will also coordinate the company's resin and adhesives sales efforts in Western U.S.A. and Eastern Canada.



*Daniel Robert  
Alexander,  
BCom '45*

1945

**Daniel Robert Alexander, BCom**, is the new acting assistant deputy minister of finance for the government of British Columbia. Mr. Alexander, has had 17 years' experience with the provincial finance department, latterly as supervising auditor of the consumer taxation branch.

**William A. Ruck, BASc**, is the new plant manager of Western Co-op Fertilizers Ltd., Calgary. Mr. Ruck joined the company in 1964 as technical director.

1946

**Peter S. Howsam, BCom**, was appointed vice-president of Warner-Lambert Canada Ltd. and general manager of Warner-Chilcott Laboratories last De-

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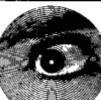
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ember. He had formerly been director of marketing and vice-president of Smith Kline and French Export Ltd., in Montreal, where he resides.

**Alan Norman Mearns**, BAsC, MASc '47, formerly refinery and wet starch superintendent for The Canada Starch Company in Cardinal, Ontario, has been promoted to the position of manufacturing superintendent, responsible for all process operations, production planning, shipping and stores. Before joining Canada Starch Mr. Mearns had been head of research and quality control for the B.C. Fruit Processers Ltd.

**Ronald S. Nairne**, BA, BA'47, BArch '51, was elected to his second year as president of the Architectural Institute of B.C. Mr. Nairne is also a member of the Alumni Association's Board of Management.

**William V. Nicholson**, BAsC, has been appointed to special duties in the engineering division of the Consolidated Mining and Smelting Co. at Trail, B.C.



*Dr. Anthony  
D. Scott  
BCom '47*

**Professor Anthony D. Scott**, BCom, BA'47, AM (Harv.), PhD (London), who has been a member of UBC's faculty since 1953, is the new head of the department of economics. Interestingly, in the year's leave of absence at the University of Chicago, which he completed last year, he was engaged in research on the economics of the migration of scientists and professionals between countries.

**Dr. Denis C. Smith**, BA, BEd'47, DEd (UCLA), of UBC's educational administration department, is now chairman of the special committee on higher education. He is presently engaged with other members of the Faculty in developing the field of higher education with emphasis on junior college work. The Faculty of Education is therefore now prepared to offer a special MA program for those who wish to specialize in junior college administration, counselling or teaching.

1947

**G. Vernon Wellburn**, BA, BAsC'48, was appointed manager of woods operations for Tahsis Company Ltd., in December 1965. He has been assistant logging manager for the company since January 1964.

1948

The appointment of **Gordon J. Chambers**, BCom, to the position of Secretary-treasurer for Columbia Beneficial Holdings Ltd., was announced by the president of the firm. Mr. Chambers will hold the same post on the board of the company's subsidiary, B.C. Life and Casualty Co., of which he is also vice-president.

**Albert E. Cox**, BA, of the University's counselling office has been elected presi-

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DOUGLAS C. WATT

### New Appointments Announced

Appointment of J. C. Carlile as Vice-President — Finance, and Douglas C. Watt as Vice-President-Staff Services is announced by J. Ernest Richardson, President and Chief Executive Officer of British Columbia Telephone Company. Both appointments are effective January 1, 1966.

Both Mr. Carlile and Mr. Watt are native British Columbians and both are graduates of the University of British Columbia.

Mr. Carlile has been Assistant Vice-President Finance and Mr. Watt has been Director of Staff Services since June 1 of this year.

In his new capacity Mr. Carlile will be responsible for financial and revenue forecasting and planning. Mr. Carlile graduated from the University of British Columbia in Electrical Engineering in 1944. He obtained his Commerce degree from U.B.C. in 1946 following service in the Canadian Army. His business career began in 1946 with Canadian Industries Ltd. From 1950 to 1954 he served with Brazilian Traction Light & Power Company in South America. He joined B. C. Tel on June 1, 1954 as an engineering assistant and has been promoted seven times previously. Among his posts were those of General Plant Supervisor, Coastal Division Engineering and Construction Manager, Director of Material Purchasing and Controls, and Director of Staff Services.

Mr. Watt will be in charge of future planning and engineering, plant and traffic and commercial operations. He attended elementary and high schools in West Vancouver and graduated with a Bachelor of Arts degree from U.B.C. in 1941. After several months on the accounting and payroll staff of Burrard Dry Dock Co. Ltd., he joined B. C. Tel on August 6, 1945 as a development engineering clerk. After a brief period with another company he returned to B. C. Tel in February 1948 and has served the Company since in various capacities, including General Commercial Engineer, Coastal District Manager, Coastal Division Manager and Assistant Director of Personnel.



dent of the board of directors of the B.C. Psychological Association.

**Thomas T. Dobie**, BAsC, has been appointed maintenance superintendent, zinc department, metallurgical division of COMINCO at Trail, B.C.

**Joseph Garner**, BA, has joined Core Laboratories - Canada Ltd., as supervisor of chemical analysis services. He has been associated with laboratory operations in the oil and mining industry in Canada for the last seventeen years.

**John L. Gourlay**, LLB, has been appointed executive vice-president of Taylor, Pearson and Carson (B.C.) Ltd.

**Albert F. Joplin**, BAsC, is the new Manager of Special Projects for Canadian Pacific, with headquarters in Vancouver. Mr. Joplin assumes responsibility for special development projects of CP in the various fields of the company's expanding activities.

**Edward (Ned) R. Larsen**, BA, headmaster at the Shawnigan Lake School for Boys has been elected president of the Canadian Headmasters' Association.



E. R. Larsen,  
BA '48

**William A. Laudrum**, BCom, formerly operating manager, Hudson's Bay Co., Winnipeg, has been appointed materials handling manager for the central division of the T. Eaton Co. Ltd. Mr. Laudrum assumes responsibility for all merchandise processing, distribution and warehousing for the company's operations in the Ontario central division.

**William A. McDill**, BAsC, has joined Engineering Institute of Canada Headquarters as assistant general secretary, and will serve as manager of technical services, wherein he will be primarily responsible for all matters pertaining to the Institute's technical programs.

**Dr. Fleming McConnell**, BA, MD'52 (Tor.), has been named the new director of the department of radiology at the University Hospital in Edmonton. Dr. McConnell had formerly been associate radiologist at Montreal General Hospital.

#### 1949

**Norman F. Cragg**, BSW, MBA (U. of Western Ont), a former executive director for the Vancouver Central YMCA was recently appointed director of unemployment assistance in the Department of National Health and Welfare at Ottawa.

**Leslie A. Garvie**, BA, is the latest appointee to the Board of Directors of S. F. Bowser Ltd., Hamilton, Ontario, who are manufacturers of gas processing and control equipment. He had previously been general manager of the firm, and also assumes the position of vice-president in his new post.



E. A. Gee,  
BCom '49

**Eric A. Gee**, BCom, is the new theatrical and television representative for the National Film Board in Canada. Mr. Gee is a past president of the Van-

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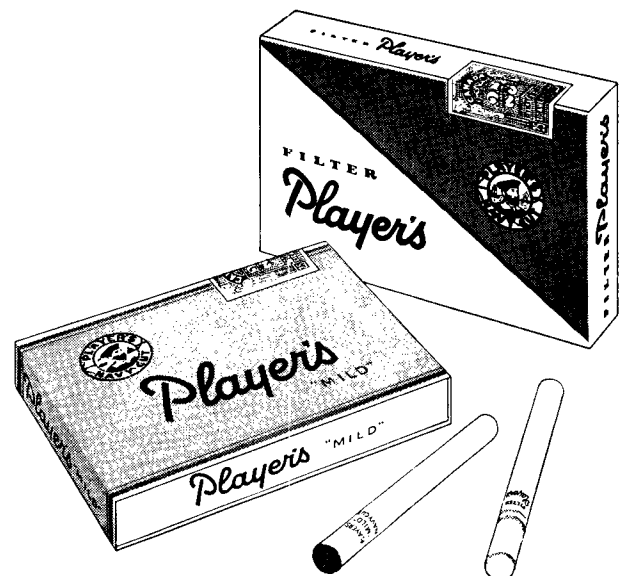
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cover International Film Festival and also held the post of chairman of the Pacific Federation of Film Societies.

**David Hunter, BSA**, was elected president of the Canadian Nursery Trades Association recently. Mr. Hunter was one of the original members of the B.C. Nurserymen's Association, and has been actively associated in the nursery and horticulture industry for over 15 years.

**Eugene M. Johnson, BAsC**, has been named manager of distribution, apparatus and supplies of the Canadian General Electric Co. Ltd. He had formerly been sales manager for apparatus and supplies in the Pacific District for the company.

**Walter R. Luyendyk, BA, MA'52**, has been appointed personnel advisor to E. A. Cote, Northern Affairs and National Resources deputy minister. The post was created following a study carried out in the department last year by a private firm.

**Douglas U. Tate, BSA**, has been appointed sales manager for McNeil Laboratories (Canada) Ltd., Don Mills Ontario.

**Ronald B. Thicke, BAsC**, recently joined the staff of John Brandlmayr Ltd., Consulting Engineers and Naval Architects. Previously he had been assistant chief engineer of Vancouver Iron and Engineering Works Ltd., Vancouver.

**Kenneth R. Weaver, BCom, MA (Colum)**, director of planning and building projects for the Vancouver General Hospital, is the recipient of the James A. Hamilton award, an honour bestowed on the graduate having completed with high standing all requirements for the degree of master of hospital administration, and who, by personal qualifications and accomplishments in the Hospital Administration program has shown the greatest promise of achievement in the profession of hospital administration.

Mr. Weaver was also the Commerce Degree Representative for the Alumni Association in 1960, and Chairman of the Divisions Committee in 1961.

1950

**Geoffrey Cue, BA, BSW'53, MSW'60**,

has been appointed regional program developer for the B.C. and Yukon area for the Company of Young Canadians, effective February 1, 1966. He had formerly been Executive Director of Cedar Cottage Neighbourhood House, Vancouver.



*J. L. Haar,  
BA '50*

**John L. Haar, BA**, has resigned as Director of Housing, UBC, to accept the permanent appointment as Director at the Elliot Lake, Ontario, Centre for Adult Education. He has been engaged in organizing Elliot Lake Centre on a leave of absence from UBC for the past year.

**Earle G. Bennett, BAsC**, recently assumed the duties of sales manager for Wismer Rawlings Electric Ltd. Prior to his new appointment he had held the position of general sales manager for Pioneer Electric Ltd., Vancouver.

**Knute Bjarne Buttedahl, BCom**, has been appointed the new Associate Director of the Extension Department, UBC. Before joining the faculty in 1957, he was executive director of the Vancouver Civic Unity Association. He has been active in labour, youth and adult education matters, holding many offices in organizations in these fields.

In the UBC Extension Dept., Mr. Buttedahl has been Director of Short Courses and Conferences.

**Harry L. Emerson, BAsC**, has been appointed project supervisor, in the acid plants, chemicals and fertilizers division of COMINCO at Trail, B.C.

**Alistair G. Fraser, LLB**, has been appointed clerk assistant to the House of Commons. In his new position Mr.

Fraser advises the Speaker of the House on matters of procedure and tallies votes. Mr. Fraser had been executive assistant to Transport Minister Pickersgill since 1963.

**Lewis H. Hughes, BAsC**, is now plant manager of the Edmonton, Alberta division of Fiberglas Canada Ltd. The new posting was effective January 1, 1966. For the past three years Mr. Hughes had been production manager of the Fiberglas Textile division in Guelph, Ontario.

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**Delmar Douglas Johnstone**, BA, formerly the United Church minister at Langley, has moved to the Shiloh United Church in Sapperton.

**Earle F. Mahaffy**, BA, has been appointed manager-geophysics for British American Oil Co. Ltd., Calgary. Immediately prior to his appointment he had been interpretation supervisor in the Calgary office of the firm.

**George C. Olson**, BAsC, of Atkins, Hatch and Associates Ltd., Toronto, was the general chairman of the First Annual Operating Metallurgy Conference and Exposition, held in Pittsburgh, November 29 to December 3, 1965.

**Frederick R. Riddell**, BAsC, has returned to Canada after 12 years in the United States, where he was latterly general manager of the Tulsa, Oklahoma division of AVCO Corporation. He is now the executive vice-president of Canadian Aviation Electronics Ltd., Toronto.

**Reginald H. Roy**, BA, MA'51, a history professor at the University of Victoria, has written a history of the British Columbia Dragoons, nicknamed the "Whizzbangs", who fought as infantry in the first world war and as a tank regiment in the second world war. A specialist in Canadian military history, Prof. Roy has also written a book on the history of the Canadian Scottish Regiment. At present he is working on a biography of Lt.-Governor George Pearkes, which he expects to have completed within a few years.

**Arthur H. Whistler**, BAsC, for the past six years a mechanical engineer with the department of buildings and



1956

**Mrs. Howard J. Hamilton (née Rendina Mary Hossie)**, the Law Society Gold Medal winner and head of the graduating class in law for 1956, has been elected president of the University Alumni Association of Penticton and district.

grounds, UBC, has moved to the post of superintendent of maintenance for the Coquitlam School District.

1951

**Andrew J. Kyle**, BAsC, an engineer with International Minerals and Chemical Corporation (Canada) Ltd., since 1960, has joined that company's plant at Cutarm, Sask. as project manager.

**Richard G. Lipsey**, BA'51, MA (Tor.) Phd. (London), a charter member of the staff at the University of Essex, England, is now that university's department of economics head. The challenge of a new university appeals to him. "It's good to be setting a pattern as you go along and not have to worry about following one set by somebody else."

**David Stewart Owen**, BA, LLB (Col.) will supervise one of the boldest construction projects for Toronto in recent years. It is the new \$260 million, 20-acre T. Eaton centre that will likely include two high-rise office towers, as well as shops, theatres, restaurants and a giant Eaton's department store. Mr. Owen has worked on a number of major Canadian shopping centres.

1951

**William G. Smith**, BSA, has been named manager of operations for Sun-Rype Products Ltd., Kelowna.



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BA '52*

1952

**Paul H. Christensen**, BA, has been named manager of a newly opened midwestern regional marketing office for Sperry Rand Corporation's UNIVAC Systems Division, at Dayton, Ohio. In his new position, Mr. Christensen will be responsible for all marketing activities relating to computer centred defense and aerospace systems.

**Rowland F. Grant**, BA, MSc'55, has been named head of the chemistry and chemical technology department at the



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# SEE IT IN THE SUN



Rev. M.  
Garvin, BA  
'56, and  
family.

Rev. Murray Garvin, BA, BD(Knox), is returning to Canada this year on a furlough from the Presbyterian Church in Taipei, Formosa, where he and his wife have been working as missionaries since 1961. Two of their three children, David and Anne were born in Taipei. His brother, Rev. Robert Garvin, BA'60, is the minister for the Presbyterian church in Creston, B.C.

West Kootenay Regional College, Castlegar. He is presently a professor at Royal Roads College, Victoria, and his new appointment will be effective in September, 1966.

Walter Rudnicki, MSW, is the director of planning for the Indian Affairs branch. In this newly-created position, he will prepare long-term plans for achieving greater independence for the Canadian Indian.

Dr. Wilfred E. Razzell, BA PhD. (Ill.) has been appointed associate professor in the department of bacteriology and immunology, UBC.

1953

John A. Macdougall, BA, was recently promoted to assistant kraft superintendent for British Columbia Forest Products Ltd. at Duncan.

The appointment of Richard (Dick) I. Nelson, BAsc, as president of Nelson Brothers Fisheries Ltd., has been announced by the directors of the company. Mr. Nelson has had broad experience in the fishing industry, having managed

the company's plant at Port Edward, B.C., and the cannery at Bristol Bay, Alaska.

Robert William Rush, BAsc, has been transferred from Tahsis to Vancouver, where he will be project engineer for Tahsis Co. Ltd., on construction of the "instant town" of Gold River.

1954

Alex J. Macdonald, BAsc, has been appointed manager of operations for Cameron McMynn Ltd.

1957

Allan R. Archer, BAsc, and Robert J. Cathro, BAsc'59, have retired as chief geologist and acting mine superintendent respectively, at United Keno Hill Mines, Elsa, Yukon and have formed the firm of Archer and Cathro, Consulting Geological Engineers, with offices in Whitehorse.

1958

Harold R. Doxsee, BSW, MSW'61, writes us that he is leaving his position as acting director of the Social Service Department at the University of Alberta Hospital to assume the position of treatment supervisor, Social Service department of the Glenrose Provincial General Hospital at Edmonton, Alberta.

Don Harford, BA, has been transferred from the department of Northern Affairs in Ottawa to Banff, where he will assume duties as the assistant superintendent of Banff National Park.

Henry Minto, BEd, has been appointed to the staff of the Mackay Centre for Deaf and Crippled Children, Montreal. He taught for seven years at Jericho Hill School in Vancouver, and prior to that had been at the Ulster School for the Deaf in Belfast, Ireland.

Hugh Roy Sutherland, BA, has been named supervisor, agency department, at the Seattle, Washington office of Aetna Casualty and Surety Co. Prior to this appointment he had been a field representative for the firm.

Fraser Gill Wallace, BCom, MBA (UCLA), PhD (UCLA) has been appointed to the position of marketing representative for IBM, Los Angeles, for the south-western U.S. district.

Gordon L. Wilcox, BAsc, has joined Hooker Chemicals Ltd., North Vancouver, as technical service representative. Prior to joining the firm he had been a sales engineer for six years.

1959

Hugh J. Bankes, BAsc, has been made chief process engineer for Mon-Max Services Ltd. Montreal.

Donald A. Blood, BSc, has been appointed regional game biologist for Vancouver Island for the B.C. Department of Recreation and Conservation, with headquarters in Nanaimo.

Alan Hewlett, BCom, was recently appointed to the position of marketing manager for Andres Wines Ltd. His responsibilities will include the expansion and distribution of Andres Wines throughout Canada.

Robert Porter, BA, BSW'60, is now executive director of the Social Services Planning Council, Belleville, Ontario. Prior to his move to Belleville he was consultant for the Addiction Research Foundation, Ottawa.

1960

Robert Walter Jenkins, BSc, has taken up the post of Research Associate at the



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University of New Hampshire. Mr. Jenkins has just completed requirements for his PhD at the University of Alberta at Calgary.

**Takashi (Tak) Negoro**, BSc, has been appointed an associate in the firm of Hoyles, Niblock and Associates, Engineers, and will open a branch office for the firm in Ottawa.

**Dr. June M. Whaun**, MD, was recently appointed a fellow of the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons of Canada at the Convocation ceremony held in Places des Arts, Montreal. Since 1965 she has been a clinical fellow of the department of pathology at the Hospital for Sick Children, Toronto.

#### 1961

**James David Meekison**, BA, was recently appointed to the position of Manager of the Quebec and Eastern Division, of the Business Development department of Nesbitt, Thomson and Company Ltd., Montreal.

**John Huberman**, MA, was a key speaker for the second consecutive year at the 9th Annual Congress on Administration, sponsored by the American College of Hospital Administrators, held in Chicago in February.

#### 1962

**Andrew Ervin Barlay**, MSc, LLB'65 (U. of San Fran.) has been admitted to the California Bar. He is presently working in the patent department of Kaiser Aluminum and Chemical Corporation, Oakland, California.

**John Fawcett**, BSc, has been awarded a University of Cambridge post-doctoral

research fellowship in x-ray crystallography.

**Robert L. Felix**, MA, assistant professor of law at Duquesne University, Pittsburgh, has been promoted to Associate professor of law at the same university.

#### 1963

**C. Wilson Baker**, BSc, MSc (Stanford), has returned to the General Engineering Company of Canada Ltd., as a computer systems analyst after completion of his master of science degree in computer science at Stanford.

**Chin Tang (Tom) Chao**, BA, MSc, (Guelph), recently appointed to the Dairy Branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, will be engaged in an extensive program of milk analysis, using the infra-red milk analyzer at the Kemptville Agricultural School, Kemptville, Ontario.

**Ronald G. Ostic**, PhD, has been appointed an assistant professor in the college of Engineering and Science at the Carnegie Institute of Technology, Pittsburgh, PA.

**Yoginder N. Sadana**, PhD, has been appointed a research engineer in technical research and corporate development for COMINCO, Trail, B.C.

#### 1964

**John Charles Armstrong**, LLB, who articulated with Chambers, Saucier and Company, Calgary, was admitted to the Alberta Bar Association recently. He will continue to practise with the same firm in Calgary.

**Richard P. McBride**, BCom, and his

bride Phyllis (née Ackland, BA) are on a nine-month tour around the world. The unusual item about their trip is that the major part of it will be on a tandem bike, which they had especially built for them. After their tour they will stay in England, where Dick will be studying for his PhD.

**Byron Olson**, BArch, is the new architectural project co-ordinator for the regional college to be built in Kelowna. Working in conjunction with three architectural firms in the Kelowna area he will be responsible for designing the college and establishing the educational program for the college in architectural terms.

#### 1965

**Gwynneth Davis**, BA, is teaching in Uzès, France on a special program sponsored by the French Government. She had previously been awarded a \$3,200 General Motors Scholarship for her four years at UBC.

**Pamela Dickinson**, BMus, graduated at the top of her class at the age of 18. Her major was piano performance, and she has been a consistent winner of contest festival awards for many years. She is now working towards her master's degree at UBC.

**Susan R. Elliott**, BPE, one of Vancouver's outstanding swimmers, has joined the Montreal YWCA as assistant Health and Physical Education Director.

**Robert Jeppesen**, BSc, has joined the staff of the Whiteshell Nuclear Research Establishment at Pinawa, Manitoba. The centre, which went into operation last November, is the newest in Canada.

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## Births

- MR. and MRS. COURTNEY S. BROUSSON, BEd'64, (née Ann Johnstone) a daughter, Michele Avis, January 1966, in Gisborne, New Zealand.
- MR. and MRS. JOHN D. DENNISON, BPE '59, MPE'60 (née Linda Catherine Wright) a daughter on September 2, 1965 in Vancouver.
- MR. and MRS. DONALD GRAHAM BASc'62, MASc'64, (née Colleen Gilker) a son, Ian Ross, on December 4, 1965 in Merritt, B.C.
- MR. and MRS. WILLIAM J. MCARTHUR, BSc'63, (née Pamela Temple, BA'55) a daughter, Jessica Louise, October 12, 1965 in London, Ontario.
- DR. and MRS. GORDON R. MUNRO, BA'56 (née Virginia Eaton) a son, Edward Gordon Eaton, on August 14, 1965 in Vancouver.
- MR. and MRS. HAROLD G. SHELDON, (née Kayla F. Christie, BEd'60) a daughter, Melody Cairine, on December 10, 1965 in Vancouver.
- DR. and MRS. DONALD E. TOWSON, BASc '61, PhD'64(Birmingham) (née Anne Rosalie Johnson) a daughter, Donna Anne, on December 10, 1965 in Calgary, Alberta

## Marriages

- BAWLF-NEILSEN. Nicholas Robert Bawlf, BArch'63, to Greta Erhorn Neilsen, December 1965 in Copenhagen, Denmark.
- BIRD-MURRAY. Geoffrey Bird, BSc'65, to Bridget Murray, December 1965 in Vancouver.
- BLAIR-BURT. Andrew Dryden Blair, BSP '64, to Jacqueline Antoinette (Toni) Burt, January 1966, in Vancouver.
- BOISVERT-GOODMAN. Stuart Reginald Boisvert, to Shelagh Margaret Goodman, BA'64, December 1965, in Vancouver.
- CLARK-FLOOK. Brian John Clark, BSF'65, to Adrienne Marie Flook, BSc'64, BLS'65.
- COLEMAN-ABRAMOVITZ. John Evander Coleman, BA'61, to Katherine Paula Abramovitz, in February in New York.
- DONEGAN-KEIR. Gerald Donegan, LLB'63, to Margaret Juliet Keir, December 1965, in Vancouver.
- EVANS-DUNSTERVILLE. Donald John Evans, BSc'47, MSc'49, to Valerie Jane Dunsterville, January 28, 1966 in Victoria.
- FANDRICH-BUSCHKE. Helmut Edward Fandrich, BASc'60, MASc'62, to Gerda Heidemarie Buschke, in Vancouver, December 1965.
- FOLEY-VAN LAARE. Kirk Williams Foley, BCom'64, to Reta Marie Van Laare, November 1965 in Vancouver.
- FRASER-FRAGOSO. John Quainton Fraser, BASc'64 to Marta Fragoso, December 1965 in Vancouver.
- HANNA-RITSCH. Kenneth George Hanna, LLB'62, to Sigrun Ritsch, October 1965 in Vancouver.
- L. DENIS HOW, BEd'64 to M. Carlynn Ingledew, BHE'62, December 28,

- 1965 in Vancouver.
- HUGHES-GROULX. Ralph William Hughes, BArch'62 to Mercedes Groulx, December 24, 1965 in Montreal, P.Q.
- INGRAM-RICE. Robert Ingram to Gretchen Rice, BA'63, August 1965 in London, England.
- KOSKITALO-PREFONTAINE. Leslie Norman Koskitalo to Lavonne Prefontaine, BSA'62, August 1965 in Vancouver.
- LANG-SHARP. G. Roy Lang, Q.C. to Eleanor Lea Sharp, BA'33, December 23, 1965 in Vancouver.
- MACGREGOR-CRAWFORD. Alexander MacGregor to Susan Louise Crawford, BSA'63, December 1965 in Vancouver.
- MOLSON-RENNIE. David H. Molson, BCom'47, BArch'52(McGill) to Jean Marie Rennie, BA'47, BLS'64, January 22, 1966 in Vancouver.
- PARROTT-BROWNING. Kenneth Sidney Parrott to Sandra Jean Browning, BMus '62, January 1966, in London, England.
- WILLIAMS-LEE. Parker Gordon Williams, BSc'64, to Ann Marie Lee, BA'63, BLS'64, in Calgary.

## Deaths

- 1931
- Christy H. Madsen, BA, BASc'32, January 4, 1966 in Houston Texas. He had formerly been production manager of the Nangautuck Chemical Division of the U.S. Rubber Company, and was active in Masonic and Rotarian organizations. He is survived by his wife, one daughter, and one son.
- 1935
- Canon Leslie T. H. Pearson, BA, November 1965 in New Westminster. Canon Pearson was rector of Holy Trinity Church in New Westminster, and honorary chaplain of the New Westminster Regiment and a member of the board of governors of the Anglican Theological College, UBC. He is survived by his wife, two daughters two brothers, and two sisters.
- 1947
- Kenneth H. Deane, BCom, November 1965 in Los Angeles. He was superintendent of agencies for Sun Life Assurance Company of Canada at the time of his death. He is survived by his wife and three children.
- 1949
- George Allison Greene, BCom, January 17, 1966 in Vancouver. He was

manager-owner of George Greene Insurance Services in Burnaby at the time of his death. He is survived by his wife, two children, his mother, and three brothers.

John Robert Drury Paton, BA, BSW '54, MSW'55, on December 25, 1965 in Vancouver. Mr. Paton had been a social worker with the Children's Aid Society in Vancouver. He is survived by his wife and one son.

1950

William M. Kellerman, BSW, MSW '60, October 1965 in Willowdale, Ontario. He was executive director of the Family Service Association of Metropolitan Toronto at the time of his death. He had formerly been executive director of the Catholic Children's Aid Society in Vancouver and later became associate director of the Catholic Family Services in Toronto, and became executive director in 1963. He is survived by his wife and six children, his mother and four brothers.

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