

# U BC REPORTS



## ANOTHER UBC BUILDING BOOM

A \$926,500 contract for construction of a new wing to the chemistry building at UBC has been awarded to Bedford Construction Co., President N. A. M. MacKenzie has announced.

Construction on the addition has begun and completion is expected in March, 1963. The wing will provide facilities for senior undergraduate work, including special laboratories for work in organic, inorganic and physical chemistry. The four storey addition will also contain two lecture theatres each seating 90 students.

The board of governors has also authorized the calling of tenders for a new building for the department of electrical engineering and the second unit of the fine arts centre.

The second unit of the fine arts centre will contain a theatre seating 400. Adjacent to the theatre will be a three storey classroom block. Total cost of the building will be \$500,000. The Canada Council has made a grant to cover half the cost.

The new building for the department of electrical engineering, to cost approximately \$1,400,000, will be constructed at the corner of Agronomy Road and the main mall at the south end of the campus.

The four-storey building will contain 75,000 square feet of floor space and will be constructed in the shape of an L. It will contain classrooms and laboratories for undergraduate teaching and advanced research.

This will be the second building constructed on a 15-acre site at the south end of the campus for various departments in the faculty of applied science. The first unit of the development, a building for the department of chemical engineering, was opened in September, 1961. When completed the development will consist of six buildings.

The board has also instructed the architectural firm of Thompson, Berwick and Pratt to prepare detailed drawings for six additional projects to cost a total of \$6,750,000.

They are an addition to the physics building, a new residence development, extensions to playing fields and a winter sports centre.

The addition to the physics building will cost approximately \$1,200,000 and will be constructed on the south side of the present building. The six-storey addition will contain laboratories and class-



B. C. BINNING, head of the fine arts department, has been honoured by the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada. See story on page 3.

rooms for undergraduate teaching and a large auditorium seating 400.

The new residence development will be located on Wesbrook Crescent on the east side of the campus on the former federal government wireless station which has now been turned over to UBC.

The development will be made up of two 10-storey residence units housing 750 students and a central dining and recreational building. Total cost of the project will be \$4,500,000.

Another residence unit, to cost \$500,000, will be constructed adjacent to International House to house 150 graduate students. Money for construction of the residences will be borrowed from banks and the Central Mortgage and Housing Corporation.

A total of \$50,000 has been allocated for extensions to playing fields and to provide for construction of dressing room facilities on the new Wolfson field at the south end of the campus.

The new Winter Sports Centre will cost \$500,000 and contain eight sheets of ice for curling and a hockey arena seating 1500.

UBC students have pledged \$250,000 toward the cost of constructing the building. A gift of \$100,000 has also been received from Senator Hartland deM. Molson and his brother Thomas, and the Molson companies of western Canada, to assist in the costs of construction.

A contract valued at \$7,754 has also been awarded to Roy B. Seney, of Fort Langley, B.C., for the clearing of 25 acres of land for the faculty of agriculture at the south end of the campus.

When the land clearing is completed experimental and laboratory facilities for the divisions of animal, plant and poultry science will be relocated in the area.

Dean Blythe Eagles, head of the faculty of agriculture, said some existing buildings will be moved to the area from the central campus and some new buildings will be constructed on the site.

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## graduates plan reception

Graduates will have an opportunity to say farewell to UBC's retiring president, Dr. N. A. M. MacKenzie, at a huge outdoor reception in the courtyard of the Buchanan building on Saturday, June 23, at 2:30 p.m.

The outdoor reception for Dr. MacKenzie has been organized by the board of management of the Alumni Association. In case of rain the event will be held in the lounge of Brock Hall.

The reception will follow Dr. MacKenzie's last official act as president of UBC — the turning of the sod for the new bio-medical library at the medical sciences centre at 2 p.m. Graduates are invited to attend this ceremony before going on to the reception.

The Alumni Association have also announced that they will rename their regional scholarships "The Norman MacKenzie Alumni Scholarships." It is hoped that more than 42 of these awards will be made in the coming year.

At the June 23 reception the Association will present to Dr. MacKenzie a book containing tributes from graduates. In order that the book may be prepared in advance, graduates and friends are asked to fill in the tribute blank on page four of this issue and return it to the Alumni office before June 23.

## bequest to aid press

UBC will use a \$125,000 bequest from the late Frank J. Burd, former publisher of the Vancouver newspaper, The Province, to aid in the establishment of a University Press, President N. A. M. MacKenzie has announced.

Dr. MacKenzie said the bequest, when received, would be invested and the income used to encourage and stimulate publication of books by faculty members and scholars in general. The president emphasized that UBC had no intention of establishing a printing plant.

## president and dean honoured

President N. A. M. MacKenzie and Dean F. H. Soward, head of the faculty of graduate studies, received honorary degrees at eastern universities in May.

The president, who received the only honorary degree awarded at UBC's spring congregation May 24 and 25, was also honoured at Memorial University in Newfoundland on May 19. The president delivered the congregation address at both events.

Dean Soward, who is also head of the department of history and director of international studies at UBC, received his honorary degree from Carleton University on May 25.

## eye unit developed at hospital

Dr. Leon Koerner and the B.C. division of the Canadian National Institute for the Blind have each contributed \$25,000 for construction costs to develop an eye research unit in the UBC faculty of medicine at the Vancouver General Hospital.

The unit, which will initially study glaucoma and retinal diseases, will occupy 2400 square feet in a building at the northeast corner of 10th and Willow street. Space for the unit has been made available by the board of trustees of the VGH.

Dr. John F. McCreary, dean of the faculty of medicine at UBC, said most of the larger metropolitan communities in Canada, the United States and Great Britain had developed special ophthalmic diagnostic centres which have been of great value in the diagnosis and evaluation of treatment of certain eye diseases.

Glaucoma, he added, is the commonest cause of blindness in Canada and is becoming an important public health problem in that it is more common than diabetes in the population over 40 years of age. Glaucoma destroys the seeing parts of the eye as a result of increasing pressure within the eye. The disease can be checked if it is detected early.

Dean McCreary said the new eye unit would be used as a referral centre for indigent eye clinic patients and from private eye doctors for consultation purposes. The unit will be equipped with a Glaucoma Tonography Laboratory for the measurement of fluid pressure in the eye by electronic equipment. The Peter Larkin Foundation of Toronto contributed \$5000 for the laboratory which is already in operation in the faculty of medicine building at the VGH.

Captain M. C. Robinson, national director for the CNIB in western Canada, said there has been no such special eye centre in Vancouver to date, and it is hoped that the new unit will prove of tremendous value to the local community and the country at large.

During the current year approximately \$20,000 will be available for apparatus, technical equipment, and payment of personnel from two National Health Research grants.

# PRESIDENT'S FINAL SPEECH

(What follows are excerpts from the speeches given at spring Congregation May 24 and 25 by retiring President N. A. M. MacKenzie.)

I am indeed greatly honoured that on the eve of my retirement the Senate of this University should have asked me to give this Congregation address, and in addition decided to confer an honorary degree upon me. As most of you know, in my representative capacity as president of this University, I have received some other honorary degrees, but this degree from the University of British Columbia will be one that I will always hold in the highest regard and count as a signal honour because it will be associated with so much of my life and so many of my friends. . . .

My general theme is the future of the University itself and the role that it should play in the education, and particularly the higher education, of the people of this Province. . . .

. . . the number of those applying for higher education in British Columbia will be more than double over the next eight years, and by 1970 it will almost certainly be over 30,000. . . .

Partly as a result of this and partly because a conservative policy toward education is in the ascendant at the moment, the public, the governments and many of those in higher education itself are seeking solutions through the raising of standards and the limiting of the numbers of those admitted. Personally, I am not in favour of encouraging or admitting young people to our universities and colleges if they are not suited to that experience and not likely to benefit from it; but I do want to educate as fully and completely as possible the maximum number of young Canadian men and women, and I would rather err on the side of generosity than deprive young men and women of the opportunity for self-development and for making their maximum contribution to society and to their fellow-men. . . .

It is frequently said by those who would limit the enrolment of students in universities and colleges that the attendance of those who fail is an extravagant waste of substantial amounts of public monies. I would just like to note in passing two things: (1) that the individual concerned, either himself or his family, invests far more in his education than does the public; (2) and even in the case of those who fail I am enough of an optimist to believe that if the universities are as good and as valuable as we claim them to be and they ought to be, then for any student a year or more spent in the environment of a university, even if the student is academically unsuccessful, should not be and is not likely to be entirely wasted. . . .

But, coming back to the decentralization of higher education; when this is done I hope that the new institutions will be what I would describe as "community institutions" in the sense that the community in which one is located has a sense of and some actual responsibility for the institution. This responsibility should include an acceptance of a share of the costs of establishing and maintaining the institution, for administering it and of deciding upon the work it should do and the courses it should offer. If the institution is a public one, then it should share in the public monies made available for higher education, but on the basis of a carefully ascertained formula. If its students are to receive credit at this university for the work they have done, then the University should supervise this work and, in the final analysis, approve of it. None of this would be too difficult to achieve if we really wanted to do so.

As to the location of the institutions: because of the concentration of population in the Greater Vancouver and Lower Mainland areas, I suggest that a college giving the first two years of university work located in Burnaby might be more easily organized and administered than in any other part of the Province and serve a much larger and more populous constituency than would be possible anywhere else. But, for practical and political reasons, if this were done, I think it would be necessary to proceed with the development of institutions in other areas, and I would suggest another in the Fraser Valley, perhaps at Abbotsford; one in the Okanagan, probably at Kelowna because of its situation in the centre of that valley; another in the Kootenays, probably at Nelson; and one to serve the central and northern areas of the Province at Prince George. . . .

As for total enrolment, I prophesy that, unless arbitrary limits are imposed, within ten or fifteen years we will have at least 25,000 students on this campus at Point Grey. It is because of this that I urge that serious consideration be given to the maximum decentralization on this campus it is possible to achieve.

This brings me to the discussion of the role and the functions of modern universities. For me they are three-fold. The first and the most important is the teaching and education of students. Universities are among the oldest of human institutions that have had a continuing

and permanent operation. This I believe has been due to the fact that they are communities of scholars and their major concern has been and will I believe always be the education of students.

Research and scholarship are, of course, of major importance, not only in themselves, but because they are a part of and basic to all good teaching. In our world of 1962 research in the sciences has become of almost supreme and overriding importance, and it is both understandable and desirable that the attention of all of us in the universities should be directed toward its advancement and support. . . .

The third function or role of the universities is the continuing education of all citizens who may be interested and who are capable of further education. This obviously is a very general function and one that is shared by many other agencies. But again, in our contemporary society, and particularly if our society is to remain democratic and free, the universities must increasingly share in responsibility for the further education of all our citizens. . . .

Our own Board of Governors consists of a Chancellor and a President, both of whom are ex-officio but with votes, three representatives elected by the Senate of the University from its members who are not on the University staff or salaried employees of the government or school boards or members of the government itself, and six members appointed by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council. . . .

At the present time, and traditionally, our Board has among its members a representative of labour, of agriculture, of Victoria and of the Roman Catholic community. While I know it is a controversial issue, I do believe, on the basis of my own experience, that Faculty representation on the Board of Governors would be useful and constructive, provided certain conditions were accepted. In a Board of say 20 I would limit the number of Faculty to three. I would have them elected by the Senate from the Faculty members on Senate. I feel they should have attained the rank of full professor and have served with this University for a period of at least ten years. I think they should be appointed to the Board for a three-year period and be eligible for re-election for a further three-year period. I feel that they should be prepared to give up many of their own immediate interests so that they could spend the necessary time and energy on the work of the Board and, through the Board, of the University. They should not be responsible to or report back to the Faculty any more than the government representatives should in the case of the government. They should act, however, as representatives of the academic community though their concern should be for the general welfare of the University and not for any particular section of it. . . .

If the Faculty are to be represented, I suggest that the student body should also be represented. I would arrange this through the creation of a new office, one which is traditional in many universities in the United Kingdom and at Queen's in Canada. This office is by the appointment of some official equivalent to that of a Rector. The Rector would be elected by the current student population for a period of five or six years. He would be a distinguished citizen resident in British Columbia. His office and title would be largely honorary and his duties would include the giving of a Rectorial Address at least once each year and voting membership on the Board of Governors. He would not be responsible to or report back to the student body, save in the most general way, but he would in a sense be "the friend and advocate" of the students in the affairs of the University. . . .

In addition to the representatives of the Faculty and the representative of the students, I feel that the Board could usefully be enlarged to include a representative from those areas in which additional institutions are likely to be established, that is the Lower Mainland and Fraser Valley, the Okanagan, the Kootenays and the "central interior." Victoria and Vancouver Island, regardless of the future decisions made in respect of Victoria College, should continue to be represented on the Board.

In an address of this kind it is always the responsibility and the privilege of the speaker to say a few words of congratulations and of farewell to the members of the graduating classes, to their families and their friends. I have already done this in the little booklet prepared for the Class Day Exercises. Part of that statement I would like to include here.

"For the rest may I extend to all of you my congratulations and my very best wishes for your happiness and success in the future, and with that the hope that you will continue to feel yourselves active members of this University family, and will continue to contribute in the variety of ways that graduates can to its welfare and its development and high reputation.

"Mrs. MacKenzie and I have enjoyed our years at U.B.C. tremendously and we count ourselves among the most fortunate of people to have been here with you all at this particular time in history and in the history of the University. Naturally, we will miss our close and intimate involvement in University affairs and the opportunity that this has given us to work, I hope constructively, for its good. But, as with you, while the parting will in many ways be a sad one, we do not feel that it is the end for we expect and intend to remain, while not responsible, just as interested and in appropriate ways as active in the affairs and the fortunes of the University in the future as we have ever been in the past."

## summer calendar

JULY 3 — AUGUST 18: Fourth Biennial Sculpture Exhibition held in conjunction with North West Institute of Sculptors and the department of University extension.

### JULY

- 3—Public Affairs lecture series. Major issues of general concern to Canadians will be discussed by leading authorities on four Tuesday evenings in July. Lectures begin at 8 p.m. in Buchanan 106. Admission is 75 cents at the door, or \$2.25 for the series of four. The Hon. Georges Lapalme, minister of cultural affairs, Quebec, will discuss "French-Canada Today" tonight.
- 4, 5, 6—FRENCH CANADA SEMINAR. To ensure a greater understanding of a number of revolutionary developments in Quebec, the UBC extension department, with the assistance of a grant from the Leon and Thea Koerner Foundation, has invited a number of prominent members from the French-speaking community to participate in this seminar. Afternoon sessions, from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m., and evening sessions from 7:30 to 9:30 p.m., will be conducted daily at International House.
- 5—Fine Arts lecture series. Distinguished speakers, representing various fields of the fine arts will participate in the lecture series four Thursday evenings in July. Lectures begin at 8 p.m. in Buchanan 106. Admission is 75 cents at the door, or \$2.25 for the series of four. Dr. Louis Dudek, department of English, McGill University, editor of poetry quarterly "Delta," will discuss "The new phase in Canadian poetry" tonight.
- 9-20—EAST-WEST DIALOGUE—"An exploration of ideals and forces influencing 20th century patterns of Oriental and Occidental cultures." In an attempt to understand some of these motivating ideals and forces the 1962 Summer School on Public Affairs, in collaboration with the Summer School of the Arts, will present a program comprised of three correlated seminars dealing with Oriental, Occidental and Middle Eastern cultures which will be conducted Monday to Friday of both weeks in the new Frederic Lasserre building and in International House. There will be regular morning, afternoon and evening sessions.
- 10—Public Affairs lecture series. Buchanan 106. 8 p.m. Dr. Charles Wright, associate professor of Sociology, University of California at Los Angeles, will discuss "Mass communication and persuasion."
- 11—S.S.A. Concert. Auditorium. 12:30 p.m.
- 12—Fine Arts lecture series. Buchanan 106. 8 p.m. Pauline Kael, U.S. Film Critic and Dramatist, will discuss "A perspective of American and European films."
- 13—High school band concert. Buchanan quad. 12:30 p.m. Admission free.
- 16—Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Nathan Cohen, well-known radio and TV personality, will conduct a series of noon-hour interviews with visiting artists of the Vancouver Festival and faculty members in the fine arts and humanities. Previews will be held in Buchanan 106, Monday, Tuesday and Thursday at 12:30 p.m. from July 16 to August 2. Admission is free.
- 17—Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Public Affairs lecture series. Buchanan 106. 8 p.m. Dr. Amiya Chakravarty, professor of Oriental literature, Boston University, will discuss "The resources of modern democracy: east and west".
- 18—S.S.A. Concert. Auditorium. 12:30 p.m. High school orchestra concert. Buchanan quad. 12:30 p.m. Admission free.
- 19—Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Nathan Cohen. Fine arts lecture series. Buchanan 106. 8 p.m. M. Alain Danielou, world authority on Indian and Persian music who is being brought from Paris, will discuss "Improvisation in music: Indian and Middle East" (Illustrated).
- 20—High school band concert. Buchanan quad. 12:30 p.m. Admission free.
- 23—High school orchestra concert. Buchanan quad. 12:30 p.m. Admission free. Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Nathan Cohen.
- 24—Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Nathan Cohen. Public affairs lecture series. Buchanan 106. 8 p.m. Dr. Richard Thoman, associate professor, department of geography, Queen's University, Kingston, Ont., will discuss "The challenge to Canada from under developed lands."
- 25—S.S.A. Concert. Auditorium. 12:30 p.m. High school band and orchestra concert. Brock Lounge. 4 p.m. Admission free.
- 26—Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Nathan Cohen. Fine arts lecture series. Buchanan 106. 8 p.m. Nathan Cohen, leading radio and TV personality, will discuss "Criticism: the aesthetic fallacy."
- 30-31—Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Nathan Cohen.

### AUGUST

- 1—S.S.A. Concert. Auditorium. 12:30 p.m.
- 2—Festival preview. Buchanan 106. 12:30 p.m. Nathan Cohen.
- 6-7—Opera workshop scenes. Frederic Wood Theatre. 7:30 p.m.
- 8—S.S.A. Concert. Auditorium. 12:30 p.m.
- 9—Summer School of Dance production. Auditorium, 12:30 p.m. and 8:30 p.m. Summer School of Theatre scenes. Frederic Wood Theatre. 2:30 p.m.
- 10—Summer School of Theatre scenes. Frederic Wood Theatre. 2:30 p.m.

# faculty numbers increased

UBC will appoint between 50 and 60 new members to its faculty before mid-September when the 1962-63 winter session opens.

Scholars and teachers will come from South Africa, Japan, England, the United States and other parts of Canada to take up teaching and research posts at the Point Grey campus.

President N. A. M. MacKenzie has announced the following senior appointments.

**DR. JOHN TAIT MONTAGUE**, special assistant to the director of the economics and research branch of the federal department of labour, as director of the Institute of Industrial Relations.

**DR. GIDEON ROSENBLUTH** of Queen's University, as a full professor in the department of economics and political science. An expert in the field of applied economics, Dr. Rosenbluth was formerly with the National Bureau of Economic Research in New York.

**LLOYD F. DETWILLER**, former assistant deputy minister of the B.C. Hospital Insurance Service, as consultant to UBC on planning of the UBC health sciences centre and hospital. Mr. Detwiller will become administrator of the University hospital when it is built.

Other appointments in economics include **DR. PETER PEARSE**, who is currently employed by the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development in Paris, and **DR. ROY A. CHURCH**, an economic historian currently teaching at the University of Washington. Both will be assistant professors.

In the department of zoology new work will be offered in the field of ethology, the study of animal behaviour as it pertains to mammals, as the result of the appointment of **DR. JOHN F. EISENBERG**. A graduate of Washington State University, Dr. Eisenberg is currently at the University of California in a research position.

**DR. THOMAS L. PERRY**, a graduate of Harvard and a former Rhodes Scholar, will join the department of pharmacology in the faculty of medicine. Dr. Perry, who has been at the California Institute of Technology in a research position, works in the field of biomedical studies in mental disease.

Appointments in mathematics include **DR. RICHARD CLEVELAND** from the University of California, and **DR. ROY WESTWICK**, who holds a Ph.D. in mathematics from UBC, and who has been doing postgraduate work in mathematics at University College, London, during the past year.

From Japan comes **DR. K. YANAGIHARA** to lecture in geophysics. A graduate of the University of Tokyo, he was formerly employed by the Kakioka Magnetic Observatory in Japan.

From South Africa, via London and Harvard University, where he is currently studying, will come **LEON GETZ** to lecture in the faculty of law, and joining the department of Slavonic studies will be a Russian literature expert, **J. B. WOODWARD**.

In the faculty and college of education **MISS DOROTHY WASHINGTON** and **MISS LEONE MARY SMITH** have been appointed assistant professors. Miss Washington is a graduate of Western Reserve University and an expert in speech correction, while Miss Smith is currently at the University of Illinois, where she obtained the degree of doctor of education. Miss Smith is an educational psychologist.

Other appointments in education are: **DR. TORY WESTMARK**, a



**JOHN T. MONTAGUE**  
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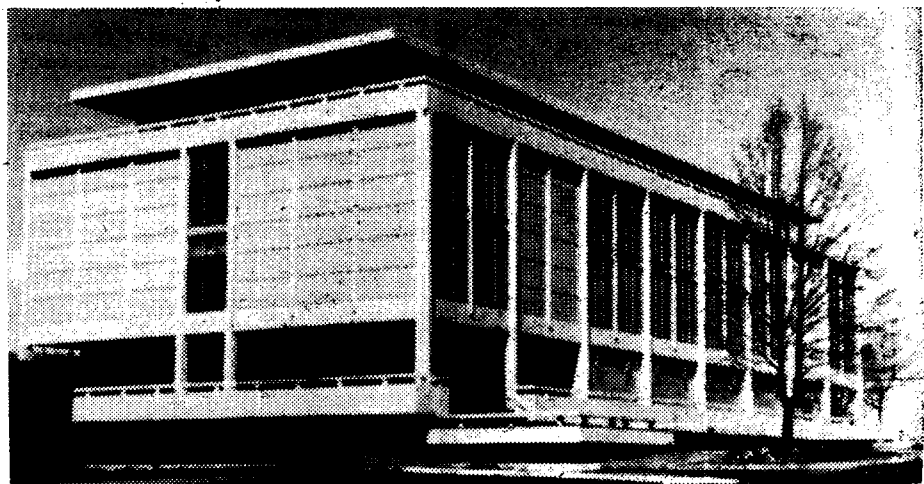


**LLOYD F. DETWILLER**  
hospital planner

Ph.D. graduate of the University of Oregon, to instruct in foreign language and English teaching; **DR. C. J. ANASTASIOU**, a biology specialist currently at Claremont University College, Los Angeles; **JOHN D. DENNISON**, an educational psychologist from Sydney, Australia, and **DR. CHARLOTTE DAVID**, a specialist in the teaching of handicapped children.

In the faculty of commerce **DR. MONTROSE S. SOMMERS** rejoins the staff as assistant professor after completing studies for his Ph.D. at the University of Colorado. **DR. VICTOR V. MURRAY**, who has also been appointed an assistant professor, is an industrial relations expert and a graduate of Cornell University.

**DR. REGINALD W. INGRAM** has been appointed an assistant professor in the department of English. Dr. Ingram is a graduate of the University of London where he obtained his Ph.D. in 1955. For the past two years he has been teaching at the University of Chicago.



THE FIRST UNIT of UBC's new fine arts centre has been named the Frederic Lasserre building for architecture, the fine arts and planning. The building, opened May 29 by Dr. A. W. Trueman, director of the Canada Council, is named for the late head of the school of architecture, who died in a climbing accident in England last year. The Canada Council made a grant to cover half the cost of the million dollar building. Other units of the centre on the north parking lot will include facilities for the school of music and the theatre department. An art gallery and anthropology museum are also planned.

## new labs at hospital

New research and teaching facilities costing \$41,000 have been opened for the University of British Columbia's department of paediatrics at the Vancouver General Hospital.

The new facilities are located in the Health Centre for Children and will provide a more effective research and teaching program at the Centre, according to Dr. Bruce D. Graham, head of UBC's paediatrics department.

Dr. Graham, who is also paediatrician-in-chief at the Health Centre for Children, said the new facilities will bring together a number of scattered laboratories and create new facilities for research and teaching.

The \$41,000 needed to renovate the area on the fourth floor of the Centre was raised by the Health Centre for Children Society, which cooperates with UBC and the VGH in developing the Centre's program.

Major donors were the Rotary Club of Vancouver, \$15,450; UBC, \$10,000; and the women's auxiliary to the Health Centre, \$5,000. The balance was provided by members and Friends of the Health Centre for Children. The area donated by the VGH is the former central surgical supply room.

Included in the new development is a pulmonary function laboratory for the investigation for children's breathing problems. The B.C. Tuberculosis Society made a grant of \$15,000 to provide equipment for the new laboratory.

Grants for equipment in other laboratories have come from the Vancouver Foundation, \$14,000 for support of work in genetics and blood disease, and the Chris Spencer Foundation, \$6,000 for work in the field of endocrinology.

Matching grants for equipment have been received from the federal government's department of health for these laboratories and others specializing in research in neurology and cardiology.

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## Binning gets major award

Professor B. C. Binning, head of UBC's department of fine arts, has been awarded the 1962 allied arts award by the Royal Architectural Institute of Canada for his artistic contributions to architecture.

The award was presented to Prof. Binning at the closing banquet of the annual meeting of the Institute which met in Vancouver from May 30 to June 2. The award is made annually to an artist who has made an outstanding contribution to architecture and is considered one of the top artistic awards in Canada.

Prof. Binning has collaborated with a number of Vancouver architectural firms in designing murals and mosaics for new buildings for the Canadian Imperial Bank of Commerce, radio station CKWX and the former B.C. Electric building, all in Vancouver.

An article in the Institute's journal, announcing the award, said Prof. Binning "has lived the role of the all-round artist who has brought that much closer the possibility of an art, drawing on all kinds of artists, that will become one of real significance in Canada."

Prof. Binning taught in the UBC school of architecture from 1949 to 1955 when he became head of the department of fine arts. His work is in the permanent collections of a number of major galleries, including the National Gallery of Canada, and he has exhibited his work at many important exhibitions in North America and Europe.

## two deans reappointed for year

Two UBC deans who are due to retire on July 1 have been reappointed for additional terms of one year, President N. A. M. MacKenzie has announced.

They are Dean S. N. F. Chant, head of the faculty of arts and science, and Dean E. D. MacPhee, former head of the faculty of commerce and now dean of administrative and financial affairs.

Both deans have agreed to remain at their present posts for an additional year at the request of Dr. John B. Macdonald, who will succeed Dr. MacKenzie as president of UBC on July 1.

Dean Chant joined the UBC faculty in 1945 as dean of arts and science and head of the department of psychology. Dean E. D. MacPhee joined the UBC faculty in 1950 as head of commerce. He retired as dean of commerce in 1960 but continued on a full time basis as assistant to President MacKenzie in charge of administration and finance.



# the faculty

Six members of the UBC faculty have received research fellowships from the Canada Council.

Research fellowships for senior scholars, designed to allow candidates to devote full time to research, study and writing, have been awarded to: PROF. MARGARET ORMSBY, dept. of history; PROF. MARION SMITH and PROF. MOSES STEINBERG, both of the dept of English, and PROF. PING-TI HO, of the dept. of Asian studies.

Canada Council research fellowships were awarded to PIERRE ROBERT, dept. of Romance studies, and FRANK LANGDON, of the dept. of economics and political science.

DR. WILLIAM C. GIBSON, professor of the history of medicine and science at UBC, has been elected a member of the International Brain Research Organization.

Dr. Gibson, who is also director of the Kinsmen Research Laboratory, which is involved in an extensive program of neurological research, was elected in recognition of his scientific contributions to the understanding of the brain.

PROF. A. EARLE BIRNEY, of the English department, gave lectures on contemporary Canadian poetry at ten eastern Canadian universities in February and March under the auspices of the Humanities Association of Canada.

MRS. BERYL MARCH, a research associate in the department of poultry science, gave the key address at the annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Renderers' Association in Las Vegas, Nevada, in February. Mrs. March addressed the conference on the utilization of fats by poultry.

PROF. F. A. KAEMPFER, of the physics department lectured during April and May at three American institutions under the sponsorship of the American Association of Physics Teachers and the American Institute of Physics under a grant from the National Science Foundation.

The lectures were given at Brigham Young University, Provo, Utah; New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology at Socorro, New Mexico, and the University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona.

DR. N. A. M. MacKENZIE has been named provincial vice-chairman of the 1962 Heart Fund, which provides research funds for heart studies in B.C. and Canada.

Dr. MacKenzie was honoured recently by the Vancouver Board of Trade when he was presented with an honorary life membership in that organization. "The University has gained in world-wide stature under Dr. MacKenzie's alert, vigorous and wise leadership," the citation read. It also praised his "increasing effort to create a community of interest between 'town and gown'."

DR. GEORGE M. LING, of the dept. of pharmacology, participated in a closed international meeting on "Brain and behaviour" at Los Angeles in February. The meeting was sponsored by the Brain Research Institute of the University of California Medical Centre at Los Angeles. Following the meeting Dr. Ling spent the month of March at the Institute as a visiting research anatomist.

DEAN GEOFFREY ANDREW, who resigned recently to become executive director of the National Conference of Canadian Universities and Colleges and the Canadian Universities Foundation in Ottawa, was one of two faculty members honoured by the Community Arts

Council at the opening of the new playhouse at the Queen Elizabeth Theatre in February.

Dean Andrew, and MISS DOROTHY SOMERSET, former head of the theatre department, were presented with citations and scrolls appointing them continuing honorary directors of the CAC.

DR. J. D. WIGOD, of the English department, has been appointed visiting Fulbright lecturer in English and American literature at Hiroshima University, Japan, for the academic year 1962-63. Dr. Wigod will lecture on the modern American novel and hold seminars on Shakespeare and the Romantic poets.

JAMES A. S. MACDONALD, of the faculty of education, has been awarded a Canada Council senior arts fellowship which will permit him to tour the main American and European art galleries and museums in the coming year. He will also visit artists in the centres which he plans to visit and, for the balance of the year, establish a studio in Rome.

Fellowships in the science section of the Royal Society of Canada have been conferred on PROF. CHARLES McDOWELL, head of the department of chemistry, and PROF. SYDNEY FRIEDMAN, head of the department of anatomy.

DR. CHARLES BORDEN, lecturer in archaeology, has been appointed associate editor of 'Current Research,' a major part of the publication "American Antiquity," which is published quarterly by the Society of American Archaeology. The section reports on all current research taking place in the western hemisphere in the field of archaeology.

PROF. F. A. FORWARD, head of the metallurgy department, has been appointed an advisory member of the National Research Council to succeed DR. IAN COWAN, head of the zoology department, who has served on the council for the past six years. DR. SAMUEL ROTHSTEIN, head of UBC's school of librarianship, has accepted an invitation to serve as a member of the associate committee on scientific information of the NRC.

PROF. CHARLES BOURNE, of the UBC law faculty, has been elected president of the Faculty Association to succeed DR. D. T. KENNY, of the department of psychology, who will serve as past president.

Other members of the executive are: DR. R. A. H. ROBSON, vice-president; A. M. MOORE, secretary; DR. M. E. PRANG, treasurer, and DR. N. J. DIVINSKY and DR. D. V. SMILEY, members-at-large.

DR. E. S. W. BELYEA, of the psychology department, has been granted a year's leave of absence to investigate current industrial psychology in Great Britain and Europe. Dr. Belyea plans to visit industrial plants and government and university research facilities to gain a broad perspective of industrial psychology in the European area.

PROF. J. R. ADAMS, of the department of zoology, has been awarded a senior research fellowship by the National Research Council. He will attend meetings in the eastern United States before visiting laboratories in Britain. He will then spend five months at the Institute for Medical Research at Kuala Lumpur in the Federation of Malaya.

## alumni awards increased

High school students throughout the province are the big winners in the most successful Alumni annual giving campaign in the history of the University of British Columbia.

Alumni Association officials have announced that the number of Alumni regional scholarship given will be almost doubled, from 22 to 42 each year.

In past years, the awards have enabled many of the province's finest scholars to attend UBC. The new plan ensures that at least one scholarship will now be available in each district of the province. The \$300 Alumni award is a much coveted one.

Selection of the winners will continue to be made on the recommendation of the alumni committee in the area.

In addition to the scholarships, the alumni allocated over \$8,000 to the President's Fund, and gave increased grants to campus athletics, the library, Victoria College, and other objectives.

Mr. Alan Eyre of Vancouver, 1961 campaign chairman, stated that the total campaign receipts to Dec. 31, 1961, were \$30,378. However, further donations have since arrived at Association offices.

In making the announcement, Mr. Eyre praised university alumni whom, he said, "are almost without equal in working for their alma mater — not only while on campus, but also in their productive years after graduation."

He gave particular praise to the alumni committees which represent the association in their home towns. "They are absolutely essential to the success of the regional scholarship program," he said.

The annual giving campaign is conducted annually among the alumni to enable them to aid in the development of the university. Contributors become members of the Association and receive the Alumni Chronicle, and other mailings. The fund is distinct from the UBC Development Fund. Exact allocations were: Alumni Regional Scholarships, \$12,600; President's Fund, \$8,142; Library (special collections fund), Victoria College and athletics, \$3,000 each; other objectives, \$636.

Donations from faithful alumni came from practically every corner of the globe, including the Middle East, India, Africa, and Australia. A large number of graduates now living in the United States also contributed.

## where are these grads now?

The graduates whose names appear below have neglected to inform the University of changes of address.

Do you know the whereabouts of any of them? If you do, fill in the coupon at the bottom of this column and mail it to the Information Office, UBC, Vancouver 8, B.C.

Roderick R. H. MacLeod, BA49; Vivian Helen McLoughry, BA23; Wm. Francis McMillan, BCom50; Hugh John McMillan, BSP49; Mrs. Norah V. McMullen (Jones), BA21; Gilbert Eric McMurtrie, MA48; John Campbell McNabb, BA47; Kathleen E. Macnaughton, BA24; Mary M. Macnaughton, BA47.

Annabelle D. MacNeill, BA35; Roland McPhee, BSc21; Dugald McPherson, BASc48; George Stewart McPherson, BA32; John Wallace McPherson, BASc25; Jessie Mary MacRae, BA37; Noburu Abe Nakana, BA26; Tisutomu Thomas Nakano, BA31.

Mrs. Frank G. Newton (Eugenie Alice Cantwell), BCom35; Harold Edward Newton, BA17; June Newton, BA43; Howard C. Nicholson, BCom50; Harry Nikaido, BA41; Frederick Twao Nishi, BA40; Graham Wilfred Nobbs, BCom48; Kit-chi Noguchi, BA42.

Clifford Gordon Norris, BSA50; Alex John Nykolyn, BCom49; Hiroshi Okuda, BCom35, BA36; Mrs. Florence E. Olivier, BA47, BSW48; Mrs. Harry Osborne (Jean E. Alin, BA36; Kazuhiko Oyama, BCom40; Michael John Ozeroff, BA46, MA48; Norman Merricks Parker, BA52; Kenneth John Parry, BA47, MA49; Margaret E. Partridge, BA31.

Muriel M. V. Partridge, BA35; Roderick David Peterson, BEd48; Joseph Pauker BA49; Arthur T. Paul, BA50; Donald Keith Paul, BA49; Joan Shirley Peacock, BA51; Mrs. Wanda Pearl Pearse, BA50; Gwendolyn M. Pearson, BA48.

Mrs. K. G. Pearson (Mary C. Mathews), BA36; Mrs. Cecil Penland, BA49; Maurice Fred Perkins, BA39; Maryan Andrey Peterson, BA43; Barbara D. Pettipiece, BA35; Albert Homer Phillips, BA47; Thomas Arundel Philip, BCom50; Dorothy Jean Philpot, BA40.

Jerzy Pohosky, BA51; James Polos, BASc51; John Burton Poole, BA39; Arthur Richard Porter, BCom50; Charles Potter, BASc38, MASc42; Duncan Franklin Prentice BA33; Lawrence Wm. Prowd, BA45; James J. Purdie, BA50; Wm. J. S. Pye, BSA23; Wm. John Pynch, BA47; Mrs. A. E. H. Ramsay, BA49; Lillian Mae Rathbone, BA41.

Wm. P. Randall, BA35; Mrs. Cranston Raymond (Olive Tufts), BA38; Mrs. Nicholas C. Read (Mary Eliz. Butters), BA40; Peter David Redecopp, BA49; Kenneth W. Reed, BCom47; John Arthur Relf, BASc50; Maurice Rodney Reynolds, BA51; Mary Rezos, BSW52; Geo. B. Rich, BA50; Frederick Richards, BASc35; Christopher P. Rigby, BASc33; Josephine C. Riley, BSW52; Frank Joseph Ritsa, BCom40; Arthur Kenneth Roberts, BSA48.

Harry Nash Roberts, BA34; Kathleen Ethel Robertson, BA35; Laurence Rodgers, BCom50; Mrs. Helen M. Roedde (Gowans), BA49, BSW50; Ernest Rolia, BA49; Annie Moore Rowbottom, BA31; Ann Louise Roy, BA51; Maria W. Ruardi-Wichers, BA42.

Alois Henry Rudnicki, BASc29; Wm. Lorne Rush, BCom47; Eileen Rushworth, BA42; Robert Arnolds Russell, BA50; Hugh Cecil Russell, LLB53; Walter Scott Ryder, MA20; Nancy Patricia Sadler, BA39.

Alexander Sand, BSA24; Alan Lloyd Sanderson, BA44; Tatsuo Sanmiya, BCom41; Frederick Y. Sasaki, BCom42; Genevieve L. Saunders, BA39; Frances Irene Schroeder, BA31; Norma Marie Schroeder, BA36.

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## Tribute to Dr. MacKenzie

Please write your personal message to Dr. MacKenzie on the form below, sign it, and mail to The U.B.C. Alumni Association, room 252, Brock Hall, UBC, Vancouver 8, by June 23 if possible.

Dear Dr. MacKenzie:

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