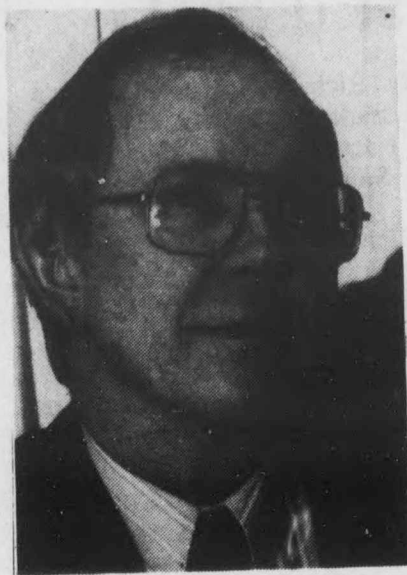


Honorary degrees to be conferred at Fall Convocation



Robin L. Armstrong

(UNB-PRI and the Bruns) The University of New Brunswick in Fredericton will officially install Robin L. Armstrong as its new president and confer honorary degrees on a Canadian social activist and an active and faithful alumna at its 1990 Fall Convocation ceremony.

In addition, an honorary degree may be offered to Alexandre Yakoulev. Yakoulev is Soviet President Mikhail Gorbachev's confidant. He is also a member of both the Politburo and the new president council.

It's unclear whether Yakoulev will be attending the Fall Convocation ceremony.

Dr. Armstrong, who was chosen as the new UNB president last March, took office on October 1. The university's fall graduation ceremonies will be among his first official duties.

Author and journalist June Callwood will receive an honorary doctor of letters degree, and longtime friend of UNB, Althea Macaulay, will receive an honorary doctor of laws before approximately 275 graduates in the ceremony to be held on Sunday, Oct. 14 at 2:00 p.m. in the Aitken University Centre.

June Callwood is an author, journalist and social activist who has become a Canadian icon. Born in Belle River near Windsor, Ont., she quit high school at the age of 16 and began her journalism career. She worked for two years as a reporter for the Brantford Expositor before moving to the Toronto Star and, soon after, to the Globe and Mail. In addition to writing a weekly newspaper column, she has authored or co-authored 27 books and made her mark as a television interviewer.

An indefatigable supporter of social causes, she has been involved in the establishment of numerous creative social action projects including a

refuge for battered women, a legal aid clinic, a shelter for pregnant teen-agers, and the world's first residential treatment centre for terminal AIDS patients.

Her long list of public service credits includes the Canadian Civil Liberties Association, the Writers Development Trust, Amnesty International, and the Canadian Society for the Abolition of the Death Penalty. More than two dozen organizations claim her as a founding member.

The recipient of numerous awards for her professional and humanitarian work, she has



June Callwood

twice been honored with the Order of Canada, as a Member in 1978 and as an Officer in 1986.

Alexandre Yakoulev, a confidant of Soviet president Mikhail Gorbachev might be offered an honorary degree at the fall convocation ceremony.

Althea Macaulay received her early education at Aberdeen School in Moncton and earned a bachelor's degree in biology from UNB in 1939 and an MA from Clark University in 1940. She worked as a research assistant at McGill University and the Harvard Medical School and lectured at UNB before continuing her studies at the University of Toronto, where she received a PhD in 1950. Following a year of postdoctoral work at the University of London as a Beaverbrook Overseas Scholar, she taught for many years at UNB.

Dr. Macaulay's enthusiastic and dedicated support of UNB has spanned five decades, including many years of service on the executives of both the alumni and alumnae associations. She has held the

office of president of the Associated Alumnae and, for the past eight years, has been the secretary of the Associated Alumni. She has also served as an alumnae representative on the university's Board of Governors and on the Senate. As a member of the Beaverbrook Scholars Committee, she assisted in the preparation of the Scholars' Directory.

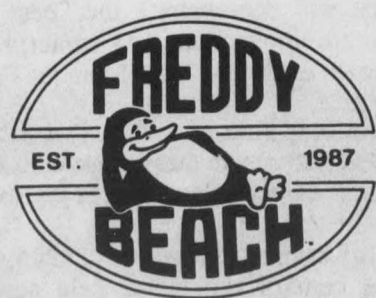
She is a life member of the Beaverbrook Art Gallery and has completed 20 years of active service in various capacities with the Girl Guides of Canada.



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