



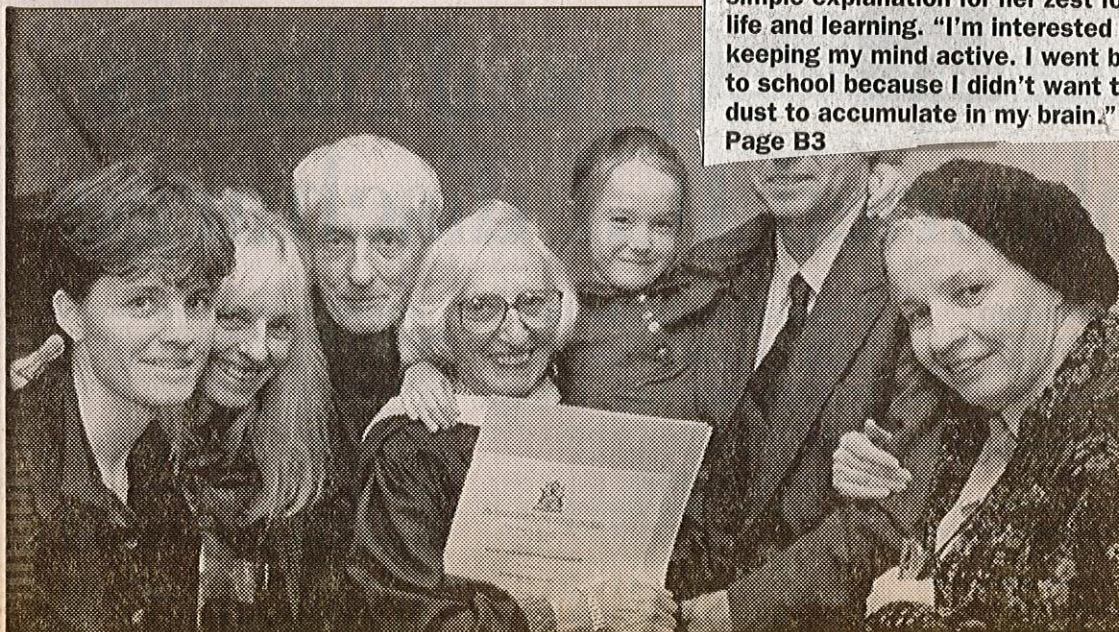
A philosopher in the works

You think Florence Boyd-Graham of London wasn't pumped for her graduation Thursday? The 82-year-old received an honors bachelor's degree in philosophy at the University of Western Ontario's fall convocation and doesn't plan to rest on her accomplishments. Boyd-Graham intends to start work on her master's degree in January and, after that, a doctoral degree. Boyd-Graham has a simple explanation for her zest for life and learning. "I'm interested in keeping my mind active. I went back to school because I didn't want the dust to accumulate in my brain."

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Surrounding Florence Boyd-Graham following convocation at Western Thursday are members of her family, from left, granddaughter Kim Hurst of Toronto, daughter Leona Graham-Elen of California, son Robert of Tweed, granddaughter Lara Graham of London, son Ian Graham of London and daughter Joan Doiron of Toronto.