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ACADEMY BOOK AWARD NOMINATIONS 1993

Spring is finally here. Accordingly the Publications Committee submitted the following information regarding this years nominations. Although the list is somewhat smaller than in recent years, it is distinguished by both its variety and depth of scholarship.

JULIS A. AMIN (University of Dayton), The Peace Corps in Cameroon, Kent, Ohio: Kent State University Press, 1992.

Amin's study, based on previously unused primary sources including the completed questionnaires of returned volunteers and the diaries and letters they donated to him as well as on extensive interviews he conducted in Cameroon, interprets the motives behind the development of the Peace Corps and analyzes the program and performance of its volunteers in Cameroon during the 1960s. The Peace Corps in Cameroon also contains a comparative analysis of the agency's work in the neighboring countries of Ghana and Guinea, where its efforts were not as successful.

CLIFTON CRAIS (Kenyon College), White Supremacy and Black Resistance of the Colonial Orders in the Eastern Cape, 1770-1865, Cambridge, England: Cambridge University Press, 1992.

Crais' monograph analyzes the emergence of a racially divided society. It investigates the creation of social boundaries and identities and examines the impact of British colonial policy, the role of cross-cultural trade and evangelical Christianity, the abolition of slavery and peonage, capitalist development, the state, and the creation of a racist ideology. Central to the work are ways in which Africans struggled against a colonization of the land and the mind. By the resourceful use of archival and other materials, Crais has been able to make this heretofore almost inaccessible side of the story come to life.

RAYMOND H. DOMINICK, III (Ohio State University), The Environmental Movement in Germany: Prophets and Pioneers, 1871-1971, Bloomington, Indiana: Indiana University Press, 1992.

The Environmental Movement in Germany: Prophets and Pioneers, 1871-1971 is the first systematic study of Germany's attempt to fashion a sustainable relationship between the human population and its natural surroundings. Using a wide range of published and archival sources, this book explores the political and socio-economic constituencies of the movement throughout its first century, demonstrating that nature has found determined defenders among persons whose political standpoints ranged from the Kaiser to factory workers.

DONALD RICHTER (Ohio University), Chemical Soldiers: British Gas Warfare in World War I, Laurence, Kansas: University Press of Kansas, 1992.

Chemical Soldiers examines British use of chemical warfare in the Great War as waged by the Special Brigade and critiques the performance of that unit and its controversial commander,

Charles Howard Foulkes. This unit history, based on official military documents as well as personal diaries, memoirs, and letters, details the formation of the gas companies, narrates in detail their initial use of cloud gas at the Battle of Loos, and follows the subsequent development of a wide array of gas weaponry. The book concludes with analysis of the strategy and tactics of gas warfare as waged by the British 1915-1918.

JAMES H. SATTERWHITE (Bluffton College), Varieties of Marxist Humanism: Philosophical Revision in Postwar Eastern Europe, Pittsburgh: University of Pittsburgh Press, 1992.

Satterwhite has undertaken the first comparative study of the revisionist thinkers in four countries (Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, and Yugoslavia), whose eminent critique of the orthodox, "official" Marxism, based on a humanist understanding of Marx, laid the philosophical groundwork for the 1989-90 upheavals in Eastern Europe and a reassessment of Marxist thought generally throughout the world.

ACADEMY BUSINESS

MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL

Friday, 16 October 1992

The meeting was called to order by James Hodges, president, at Cincinnati Historical Society, Cincinnati, Ohio. Members present were C. Alexander, J. Hodges, S. Givens, R. Lora, R. Spall, V. Steffel, and D. Van Raaphorst. Also present were T. Barnhart (Historical Societies).

1. President's Welcome

J. Hodges welcomed new members to the Executive Council. He then highlighted the key points that would appear in the fall issue of the Newsletter.

2. Minutes of Spring 1992 Meeting

The minutes were accepted by unanimous consent.

3. Committee Reports

A. Historical Societies and Archives

T. Barnhart, chair, noted that the committee had made progress in getting public historians to participate on the spring program. He was trying to get a real archivist on the committee. The Society of Ohio Archivists still has no representatives. As soon as he receives several names, he will forward them to J. Hodges.

B. Standards Committee

V. Steffel, for D. Robson, chair, summarized a written report. He stated that he did not have a clear understanding of the activities of the Standards Committee or what had been determined at the Spring Meeting. As soon as he did he would call a meeting, which would be in November. He recommended that the Minutes of the Spring Meeting be sent to all new committee members in the future. He also recommended that committees be appointed as soon as possible after the April meeting so that they could be functioning by the beginning of the next year.

C. Teaching Award Committee

J. Hodges, for D. Kyvig, chair, reported that the committee was trying to reduce the burden of documentation.

D. Other Committees

J. Hodges reported that the Distinguished Service, Nominating, Program, and Publication committees were active.

4. Secretary-Treasurer's Financial Report

The Treasurer's nine-month report was received.

5. Newsletter

D. Van Raaphorst reported that the fall issue of the *Newsletter* was at the typesetters. She noted that an 'Archivists Corner' would appear. She suggested that the winter issue might be devoted to the National Council for History Education. The Executive Council supported the idea.

6. Ad Hoc Committee on Membership

J. Hodges reviewed the Executive Council's spring deliberations of the committee's report. He stressed that steps have been taken to try to distribute information about the Academy's meetings in a timely manner. He referred to the need for a new membership brochure. The Ohio Historical Society has offered to prepare camera ready copy if provided with text.

R. Spall moved, S. Givens seconded the motion, to appoint an **ad hoc** committee to draft a new brochure and logo. Motion passed unanimously.

Discussion centered on how to attract new members, including secondary school teachers, to the Academy. Spall suggested a program session that would focus on Advanced Placement which might include college and high school faculty who evaluate student papers. Barnhart recommended cooperating with the Ohio Council for Social Studies. Spall also suggested that new faculty (those in their first or second year of teaching) be encouraged to present papers.

7. Ad hoc Committee on the Future of the Ohio Academy of History

J. Hodges reviewed actions taken to respond to comments on location of spring meetings and improving fall meetings. He noted that meetings have and will be in a variety of locations; however, it might be appropriate to hold meetings in the central part of the state at least every other year.

In response to suggestions for improving the programs, Hodges said that it was necessary to encourage

teaching sessions; to get experimentation, the Academy would have to 'reach out' and it might even have to add the charge to the committee's duties.

Hodges noted that committees need to complete their job descriptions. He added that committee rotation continued to be a problem which needed to be addressed in a way that new blood and ideas were not locked out.

He then stated that he considered the report discussed.

8. Standard Committee's Spring Report Revisited

Issues related to Ohio History Day and high school teachers that had been deferred to the fall meeting were discussed. Barnhart said that the Historical Societies and Archives Committee would be willing to serve as liaison with the Ohio Organization of Historical Societies and Museums in running Ohio History Day in conjunction with the Ohio Historical Society's Educational Services.

The consensus was that the Academy would be willing to provide a 'one year free OAH membership to teachers who have students go on to the national competition' and publish annually in the *Newsletter* 'winning student and teachers names.' It was agreed that the Historical Societies and Archives Committee could serve as liaison with Ohio History Day if it was willing. It was stated the Academy already publicizes the theme of Ohio History Day. The executive council rejected the idea to tie the Ohio History Day theme into the Academy's spring program; however, it was suggested that teachers organize a session for the spring meeting and that J.D. Britton be asked to serve as liaison.

9. State Board of Education's Framework for Curriculum Development and Revision

After a spirited discussion on the State Board of Education's current low priority for history in the curriculum, it was determined that the executive council would encourage concerned members to engage actively in the curriculum debate and that Hodges would inform Carl Ubbelohde of the Academy's concern and request that any public meetings be truly public.

10. Fall Meetings

The fall 1993 meeting will be at the Hayes Presidential Center in Fremont, Ohio on Friday, 22 October.

The Academy would like to receive invitations for the fall 1994 and 1995 meetings.

11. Spring Meetings

The spring 1993 meeting will be at Wittenberg University, Springfield, Ohio on 23-24 April. The 1994 meeting will be at Kent State University, Kent, Ohio.

12. Other Business

C. Alexander raised the question: 'Is this the appropriate forum to name the Distinguished Teaching, Distinguished Service, and the Outstanding Book Award after someone from the Academy?' It was decided to carry the question over to the spring meeting.

13. Adjournment
The meeting was adjourned.

Respectfully submitted,
Vladimir Steffel
Secretary-Treasurer

OHIO ACADEMY OF HISTORY TREASURER'S REPORT

January 1 - December 31, 1992

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1992		6898.34
Operating Funds	2706.47	
Reserve Funds	4191.87	
RECEIPTS		
Membership		
Regular	3035.00	
Joint	1657.00	
Student	165.00	
OHS	74.00	
OVWHA	200.00	5131.00
Annual Meeting		
Registration	0.00	
Luncheon	0.00	
Miscellaneous	300.79	300.79
Book Sale		443.50
Other		
Interest	299.50	
Sale Membership List	50.00	
Sale Roster	0.00	
Gifts (Reserve Fund)	200.00	549.50
Total		6424.79
Total Receipts and Balance		13323.13
DISBURSEMENTS		
Roster	0.00	
Newsletter	2195.87	
Annual Meeting	520.00	
Secretary's Office		
Postage	881.77	
Supplies, phone, etc.	1567.95	
Stipend	200.00	2649.72
		979.43
Ohio Assoc of His Soc (OAH mem)		20.00
Ohio Historical Soc (OAH mem)		32.00
Ohio Hist Soc (jt memberships)	64.00	
Ohio Valley WHA (jt memberships)	0.00	
BancOhio (service charge)	0.00	
Total		5481.59
Balance on hand, today 31 Dec. 92		7841.54
Operating Funds	3100.17	
Reserve Funds	4741.37	
NOW Account	5341.54	
CD	2500.00	

ARCHIVIST CORNER

The Mahoning Valley Historical Society
The Arms Museum and Library
648 Wick Avenue
Youngstown, Ohio 44502-1289

The beginnings of the library occurred around 1981 with a three year capital pledge-plan fund drive. Dedicated on April 30, 1983, the library opened officially on June 1, 1984. The physical structure that houses the library was once the "Greystones" carriage house. Formerly used as a garage, workshop, and workers' living quarters, the facility required extensive remodeling with offices, book cases, an archival storage room, a staircase, and an elevator added to the original floor plan.

Situated on the back of the museum's property, the library houses most of the Society's two dimensional collection consisting of approximately 36,500 items. The archival library offers an additional wealth of information including maps, journals, atlases, surveyors' records, family bibles, diaries, ledgers, letters, and other manuscripts dating back to the Valley's first settlers. Photographs, city directories (1869 to the present), biographies, periodicals, reference books, a small collection of yearbooks from various local school systems, and an extensive backlog of area newspapers are also available.

Some of the newest and most note worthy acquisitions are the archives of the Y.M.C.A., the professional papers of Edward Salt, Sr. (1901-1985), former editor of the *Youngstown Sheet and Tubing Bulletin* the Mahoning County Probate Records (1846-1910), letters and photographs of Charles F. Owsley, Sr. (1880-1953), architect of the Mahoning County Court House, and copies of the Mahoning County Court House blueprints.

The Archival Library is open to the public by appointment, Tuesday - Friday, 9-12 noon and 1-4 pm, Saturday, 1-5 pm. Contact: Elisabeth Spiro at (216) 743-2589 for more information about the collections.

NOTEWORTHY ADDITIONS

The Western Reserve Historical Society recently appointed Samuel W. Black as the Associate Curator of African American History. Black majored in African-American Studies at the University of Cincinnati. In 1991, he received a master's degree in African Studies from the State University of New York at Albany, concentrating on the historical experiences of people of African ancestry.

Mr. Black will be responsible for overseeing the collection and preservation of historical manuscripts, photographs and other materials relating to the African-American experience in the Western Reserve, and for making these resources available for research, publication, and exhibition.

The Lesbian/Gay Community Service Center of Greater Cleveland and the Western Reserve Historical Society have jointly established the Northeast Ohio Lesbian/Gay Archives housed at the Society's library. The archives will preserve original documents and publications pertaining to the history of the local gay and lesbian community.

The archives has already received several collections, including the papers of individuals active in the community, microfilm copies of local gay and lesbian newspapers, and the records of the community center. Dating from the 1970s, the center's records, which include minutes, photographs, and publications, document not only the center and its predecessor organization, the GEAR Foundation, but relate broadly to organizational growth and social activism within the gay and lesbian community. The Society expects to complete the cataloging of the center's records by the end of summer, at which time they will be open for scholarly research.

As is the case with numerous large metropolitan areas, Cleveland archivists have established an organization called the Cleveland Archival Roundtable. Their goal is to provide an opportunity for archivists and interested persons in the area to network, share ideas, experiences, and expertise in an informal and convivial setting. CAR also offers the opportunity to visit various archival collections and institutions in the city. Meetings are held quarterly and there are annual dues. Hiram College is the planned site for the forthcoming summer meeting. Contact: Anthony W.C. Phelps, 10109 Lake Avenue, Apt. #304, Cleveland, OH 44102-1262 for additional information.

EDITOR'S NOTES

This edition of the *Newsletter* marks the completion of my initial year as editor. It has proven to be a most enjoyable endeavor and I wish to thank all of you in the Academy for your responses to my calls for information and your words of encouragement and support. A special note of appreciation goes out to Elaine Wrisley Reed, Executive Secretary of the National Council of History Education. Without her co-operation, the Winter edition would not have been possible. Thanks also to Arthur Zilversmit for allowing me to include his article from the *Chronicle of Higher Education*.

In February I alerted you to a lengthy report produced by the Managing for the Future Task Force appointed by the Ohio Board of Regents at the request of Governor George Voinovich entitled *Managing for the Future: Challenges and Opportunities for Higher Education in Ohio*. The Board has responded with an equally interesting document - *Securing the Future of Higher Education in Ohio*. The Regents stepped away from some of the recommendations of the Task Force, but in turn have put forth ideas that merit your consideration. Most significant is that one that advocates increased faculty productivity (10%). Of equal importance to many of you is the retention of the Task Force's recommendation to merge branch campuses of four-year universities with nearby technical or community colleges.

As editor, I have been especially heartened by the favorable response to the new section entitled *Archivist Corner*. To that end I want to thank those who have supplied me with information this past year and encourage those of you who work in archives/historical societies to send me materials so that your facility can be featured. Lest I be accused of partiality to northern Ohio, I would like an archives from another section of our state for the Fall edition.

Correction: Inadvertently a line was left out if the first question addressed to Elaine Wrisley Reed, Executive

Secretary of the National Council for History Education. The error appears on the first page of Vol. XXIV, No. 1 of the *Newsletter*. Ms Reed completed her M.A. degree in Education Administration and Supervision at Baldwin Wallace College, not at the Educational Research Council of America.

APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS AND RESIGNATIONS

THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON

SHELDON LISS has been promoted to the rank of Distinguished Professor.

JOHN CARROLL UNIVERSITY

FRANCESCO CESAREO was promoted to Associate Professor with tenure.

ROBERT KOLESAR has been appointed Assistant Professor. His specialties are urban, immigrant, and labor history.

JAMES KRUKONES has been appointed Chairperson of the department, effective July, 1993.

ROGER PURDY was promoted to Associate Professor with tenure.

DAVID ROBSON was promoted to the rank of Professor.

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

ALLAN R. MILLETT has been elected to the Raymond E. Mason, Jr. Professorship in Military History.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO

GLENN AMES received tenure and has been promoted to Associate Professor of History effective 1993-94.

MICHAEL JAKOBSON received tenure and has been promoted to Associate Professor of History effective 1993-94.

JUAN LOPEZ Y MAGANA, the Latin American specialist, has resigned effective June 15, 1993.

YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

GEORGE D. BERLEN stepped down as chair after serving for three five year terms. During his tenure numerous innovations took place including a substantial updating of the history curriculum.

AMOS BEYAN was promoted to associate professor of history. His field is African history and black studies.

HUGH G. EARNART serves as acting assistant dean of the College of Arts and Sciences 1992-93.

WILLIAM JENKINS was elected to a five year term as chair of the History Department in the fall of 1992.

LOWELL SARTRE serves as acting chair for 1992-93 while Dr. Jenkins is on sabbatical.

ANNE M. YORK joined the department in the fall of 1992 as assistant professor. Her specialty is French history. She received a Ph.D., M.A. and B.A. degrees from the University of California at Los Angeles.

AWARDS, GRANTS, LEAVES, HONORS, AND OFFICES

THE UNIVERSITY OF AKRON

H. ROGER GRANT has been elected chair of the Ohio Historic Site Preservation Advisory Board.

DANIEL NELSON has been reappointed to the editorial boards of *Business History Review* and *Labor History*.

JOHN CARROLL UNIVERSITY

RUSSELL DUNCAN will be on a research leave for the Fall 1993 semester.

UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

ROGER DANIELS was presented with the 1992 Ohioana Citation for Distinguished Service to Ohio in the Humanities at the Annual Meeting of the Ohioana Library Association in Columbus, October 31, 1992. He has also been elected to a second three-year term as a trustee of the Cincinnati Historical Society. DANIELS presided at the annual luncheon of the Society for Historians of the Gilded Age and Progressive Era (SHCAPE) and was installed as its president for a term ending in 1994.

UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON

IRVING E. BEAUREGARD has been appointed a member of the editorial board of *Research Review: The Journal of the Little Big Horn Associates*.

LORAIN COUNTY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

HOWARD ELLIS, Associate Professor of History, was named the 1992 Ohio Professor of the Year by the Council for the Advancement and Support of Education (CASE). The CASE professor of the year program selects the most outstanding undergraduate instructors in the nation. The program is recognized as one of the most prestigious awards honoring professors. CASE is an international association of colleges, universities, and independent elementary and secondary schools.

MIAMI UNIVERSITY

One semester research leaves during the upcoming academic year have been granted to CARRIE FOSTER, CHARLOTTE NEWMAN GOLDY, and JACK T. KIRBY.

W. SHERMAN JACKSON was commissioned in the Honorable Order of Kentucky Colonels by Brereton C. Jones, Governor of Kentucky, on December 29, 1992.

RONALD E. SHAW's book, *Canals for a Nation: The Canal Era in the United States 1790-1860*, published by the University Press of Kentucky, 1990, was named among the "Outstanding Academic Books for 1991" in *Choice*, 1992.

PHILLIP R. SHRIVER was honored with the presentation of a ceremonial gourd dance rattle by the chiefs of the Ottawa, Miami, Modoc, and Quapaw tribes at the Labor Day Weekend Pow-Wow hosted by the Ottawa Tribe at Miami Oklahoma.

OHIO UNIVERSITY

PHILLIP N. BEBB has been named editor of the U.S. section of *Scholars of Early Modern Studies*.

JOHN LEWIS GADDIS, currently of The Queen's College, Oxford, as Harmsworth Professor of American History (1992-93), returned to the U.S. to deliver his presidential address at the December meeting of The Society for Historians of American Foreign Relations. During his absence from Ohio University, CHESTER J. PACH, JR. is serving as Acting Director of the Contemporary History Institute.

THE OHIO STATE UNIVERSITY

JAMES BARTHOLOMEW was recipient of the Pfizer Award of the History of Science Society for his book, *The Formation of Science in Japan: Building a Research Tradition* (1989), December 29, 1992.

MANSEL BLACKFORD's *History of Small Business in America* (1991) was named an outstanding book of the Year by *Choice*.

MICHAEL BERKOWITZ received a Jesselson Foundation Research Grant in the Study of Philanthropy for his current project on Western Jewry and the formation of the Zionist project.

HAO CHANG has been elected a Fellow of the Academia Sinica, Taipei, Taiwan, the highest distinction in the Chinese intellectual world.

SUMIKO OTSUBO's paper, "The Central-Local Relationship in the Early Tokugawa Administrative System: The Case of Tsushima Han," given at the Midwest Conference on Asian Affairs, Oshkosh, WI, October 23-25, 1992, won the Percy H. Buchanan Prize as an outstanding conference paper.

JING-CHENG QU was awarded a Grant-in-Aid by the American Institute of Physics to support his research on Chinese physicists in the U.S. and Germany from 1900 to 1949.

CHARLES H. REIPER was awarded a Moody Grant by the Lyndon Baines Johnson Foundation for research at the Foundation on the topic of Lyndon Johnson and American economic diplomacy.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO

ALFRED A. CAVE, THEODORE NATSOULAS, and LARRY D. WILCOX were all granted sabbaticals for 1993-94.

MICHAEL JAKOBSON received a 1993 summer faculty fellowship and a Research Grant from The University of Toledo Research Council.

ROBERT FREEMAN SMITH received a grant from the Mexican Ministry of Foreign Relations and the University of California Consortium on Mexico and the United States to prepare an essay on the "United States and the Mexican Revolution, 1921-1950." The essay was presented to the conference, *Myths in U.S.-Mexican Relations* and will be included in the collection of conference essays to be published by the Mexican Ministry of Foreign Relations.

YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

FREDERICK J. BLUE received a sabbatical for 1991-92 and a research professorship for 1992-93 for his projected biography of Charles Sumner.

LS. DOMONKOS received a \$84,000 grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities for preparation of a bilingual, English-Latin edition of the *Medieval Laws of Hungary*.

SAUL FREIDMAN received a Distinguished Professorship Award for Scholarship in 1991-92.

DEATHS

JOHN W. HEVENER emeritus associate professor of history at The Ohio State University Lima campus died at the age of 59 on January 26, 1993, at his home in Lima. Dr. Hevener held the B.A. and M.A. degrees from Marshall University and, in 1971, the Ph.D. from Ohio State, where he held the William Green Memorial Fellowship as a graduate student. He taught high school in McArthur and Hamilton Township (Columbus), Ohio, and then from 1966 to 1970 was assistant professor of history at Wisconsin State University, Whitewater. In 1972, he became assistant professor. In the fall of 1975, he joined the faculty at the Lima

Campus, and he took emeritus status there in 1991 because of failing health.

Dr. Hevener was well known in the field of American labor history and was the author of **Which Side Are You On? the Hanlan County Coal Miners, 1931-39** (University of Illinois Press, 1979) as well as articles and reviews. He was a beloved colleague and teacher and an ardent Democrat. He leaves a wife and two children.

RETIREMENTS

MIAMI UNIVERSITY

THOMAS M. COAKLEY, who for thirty years taught Tudor-Stuart England at Miami University, retires from the classroom this June. Born in nearby Hamilton, he received his B.A. at Miami and then earned his Ph.D. at Minnesota where he wrote his dissertation on Robert Cecil under the W.H. Willson. After military service at Trieste and a first job at St. John's Winnipeg, he returned to Miami in 1963. With abundant wit and anecdotes, he taught a wide variety of courses in English and European history (and recently initiated an interdisciplinary seminar in culture and technology). For several years he served the department as director of undergraduate studies. In retirement he will continue to live in Oxford (and his wife Jean will continue to teach English at Miami's Middletown campus). Tom Coakley has devoted his life to the communities and places that he loves - Miami and its students, the city of Oxford, his church, and England. He is a man of wide learning, deep convictions, and many friendships. In the next few years he plans to complete his biography of George Calvert, first Lord Baltimore, and begin a history of Miami's history department.

THE UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO

MARVIN L. MICHAEL KAY, a specialist in U.S. Colonial History, took early retirement in June 1993. However, for the next few years he will teach one quarter per academic year on the University's early retirement program. He recently submitted a major manuscript on slavery in colonial North Carolina to a leading press.

YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

SIDNEY I. ROBERTS retired as a professor of American history in the fall of 1992. He continues to teach full-time for one quarter each year as part of the extended teaching program. Roberts received his Ph. D. from Northwestern University and joined the history department in the 1960s. He served as assistant dean of Youngstown University and more recently served as chief of YSU-OEA negotiating team.

WILMINGTON COLLEGE

LARRY GARA retired in the spring of 1992 as Professor of History and departmental chair. His career spanned 40 years of college teaching, 30 of them at Wilmington. In 1991 the University Press of Kansas published his book, **The Presidency of Franklin Pierce**, as part of its American Presidency series. In 1992 the Louisiana State University published a reprint and revised edition of **The Baby Dodds Story as Told to Larry Gara**, an autobiographical account of an early New Orleans jazz drummer that had long been out of print. Over the years he published numerous articles and three other books including **The Liberty Line: The**

Legend of the Underground Railroad. With his wife, Lenna Mae Goodson Gara, he lives in Wilmington, Ohio. He plans to continue to teach part-time and to pursue his interests in birding, writing, peace activity, and jazz.

FALL MEETING - 1992

In keeping with the Academy's decision to meet at sites other than colleges and universities and to hold gatherings all around the state, the Fall 1992 Ohio Academy of History met at the Cincinnati Historical Society, Museum Center, which is now housed in the nearby restored Cincinnati Union Terminal. In these delightful accommodations of the Queen City, a grand time was had by all those in attendance.

SYMPOSIA, WORKSHOPS AND EXHIBITS

The Cleveland Museum of Art has a number of exhibits on display of possible interest to historians.

The Forge of Vulcan: European Arms and Armor, through May 30.

Intimate Images: Portrait Miniatures from Europe and America, through October 17.

Textiles from Egypt, Syria, and Spain: 7th through 15th Centuries, - through May 30.

The German Traditions, and Contemporary Prints: Ten Years of Acquisitions, April 27-June 27.

POTPOURRI

The Western Reserve Historical Society Museum invites members of Ohio's community of Historians, as well as other interested individuals, to submit proposals for exhibition ideas. The Museum is organizing long range plans for appealing, high quality public presentations on aspects of the history of the Western Reserve and by association northeast Ohio and the state or region generally. (A special emphasis will focus on 1996 as the bicentennial of Cleveland.) The Museum will consider any exhibition idea that is academically sound and may be reasonably supported by appropriate art, artifacts and/or scientific collections. Proposals also have to be logistically feasible with the Museum's current or anticipated resources. Funding will be provided on a project basis within the Historical Society's budget guidelines. Additional information is available. Contact: Steven Miller, Museum Director, the Western Reserve Historical Society, 10825 East Boulevard, Cleveland, Ohio 44106 (216) 721-5722.

PUBLICATIONS

AMERICAN JEWISH ARCHIVES

JACOB R. MARCUS has recently published Vol. III. of his history on the American Jew. Volume III is entitled **The Germanic Period, Part 2.** The final volume entitled **The East European Period, The Emergence of the American Jew, Epilogue** will be available by the end of the year. All four volumes are published by Wayne State University.

JOHN CARROLL UNIVERSITY

FRANCESCO CESARO has recently published four articles. These include the following: "Charles V" and "Francesco Guicciardini" in the *Research Guide to European Historical Biography* (1992); "Humanist Spirituality and Religious Reform in Salerno: The Case of Girolamo Sepipando," *Augustinian Heritage* 38.2 (1992); and, "The Image of Bishop in the Sermons of Girolamo Seripando," *Augustinian Heritage* 38:1 (1992).

RUSSELL DUNCAN's book, *Blue-Eyed Child of Fortune: The Civil War Letters of Colonel Robert Gould Shaw* (1992) was published by the University of Georgia Press.

MARIAN MORTON's work, *Emma Goldman and the American Left* (1992) was published by Twayne. The Ohio State University published *And Sin No More: Social Policy and Unwed Mothers in Cleveland, 1855-1990*. (1993)

MIAMI UNIVERSITY

MARY KUPIEC CAYTON, ELLIOTT GORN, and PETER WILLIAMS edited, *The Encyclopedia of American Social History*. Charles Scribner's Sons, 1993. Contributors from Miami University included ANDREW CAYTON, MARY FREDERICKSON, JEFFREY KIMBALL, and ALLAN M. WINKLER.

ANDREW R.L. CAYTON, " 'Separate Interests' and the Nation-State: The Washington Administration and the Origins of Regionalism in the Trans-Appalachian West," *The Journal of American History* 79, 1992.

JEFFREY KIMBALL published the following articles: "The Historiography of the Vietnam War." *Instructor's Resource Manual to Accompany America's History* by James Henretta, et al, Worth Publishers, 1993; "Peace with Honor": Richard Nixon and the Diplomacy of Threat and Symbolism." Chap. VIII. *Shadow on the White House: Presidents and the Vietnam War, 1945-1975*, David L. Anderson, ed. Kansas State University Press, 1993; and, along with Richard Dean Burns, "The United States." *Encyclopedia of Arms Control and Disarmament*, Richard Dean Burns, ed. Charles Scribner's Sons, 1993.

MICHAEL O'BRIEN, ed., *All Clever Men Who Make Their Way: Critical Discourse in the Old South*. Brown Thrasher Books. The University of Georgia Press, 1992.

PHILLIP R. SHRIVER published *Miami University, Then and Now* and the following articles, "Fewer Than a Thousand Left! The Continuing Destruction of Ohio's Prehistoric Mounds," *Ohio Archeologist* 42:2, Spring, 1992; and, " 'Sacred Enclosures' and Platform Mounds of the Ohio Hopewell," *Ohio Archeologist* 42:3, Summer, 1992.

GEORGE S. VASCIK, "Sugar Barons and Bureaucrats: Unravelling the Relationship Between Economic Interests and Government in the Modern Germany, 1799-1945," *Business and Economic History*, Sec. Series, 21, 1992.

ALLAN M. WINKLER, *Life Under a Cloud: American Anxiety About the Atom*. Oxford University Press, 1993.

EDWIN YAMAUCHI, "Ahasuerus, Assos, Astyages, Herodotus, Myra, Troas, and Tyrannus," *The Anchor Bible Dictionary*, edited by David Noel Freeman. Doubleday, 1992.

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University, 121 South Greenwood Street, Lebanon, TN 37087; (615) 444-2562, ext. 57.

Dept., The University of Massachusetts, Boston, 100 Morrissey Blvd., Boston, MA 02125.

May 30-June 12, and June 14-26 - The Columbia University Oral History Research Office will offer two summer institute terms in oral history. Contact: Oral History Research Office, Box 20, Butler Library, Columbia University, New York, NY 10027; (212) 854-2273.

November 19-20 - The Civil War Round Table Associates and History Tours will host a symposium in Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. Proposals for presentations on Lincoln should be sent to CWRT Associates, Box 7388, Little Rock, AR 72217. **No deadline given.**

June 3-5 - The Lowell Conference on Industrial History, "The Meaning of Slavery in the North," will explore the links between slavery and the textile industry. For information contact: Marty Blatt, Lowell National Historical Park, 169 Merrimack Street, Lowell MA 01852; (508) 459-1025.

June 4-5 - The Conference on New York State History convenes at the Women's Rights National Historical Park in Seneca Falls, New York. Contact: Stefan Bielinski, Conference on New York State History, 3093 Cultural Education Center, Albany, NY 12230; (518) 474-6917.

June 6-11 - A one week peace studies summer institute on the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee campus. The institute will describe the main academic tenets of peace studies and introduce this field to professors who would like to develop a program on their campus. Contact: Ian Harris, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, P.O. Box 413, Milwaukee, WI 53201; (414) 229-4724.

June 15 - Auto/Biography Studies calls for papers and suggestions for book reviews for a special issue on "Feminist Biography." **Deadline June 15, 1993.** Contact: Janet Sharistanian, Department of English, 3116 Wescoc Hall, University of Kansas, Lawrence, KS 66045-2115; (913) 864-4520.

June 21-July 16 - "Traditions: China and India," an NEH-sponsored Summer Institute for Teachers. Contact: Katharine Wardle, Ctr. for South Asia Studies, 201 Moses Hall, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720; (510) 642-3608.

August 26-29 - The symposium, "Was There a Conspiracy to Murder John F. Kennedy?" will be held in Sudbury, Ontario. Call for papers. **No deadline given.** Contact: JFK Symposium, Box 278, Chelmsford, Ontario, Canada, POM 1L0; (705) 670-1282.

September 30-Oct. 2 - "Race, Ethnicity, and Nationalism at the End of the 20th Century," at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee. Contact: Thomas Tonnesen or Judy Treskow, UW System Inst. on Race and Ethnicity, at (414) 229-6701/4700/4804. Fax (414) 229-4581.

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