



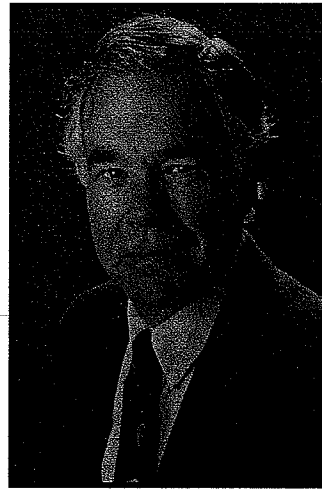
# Ohio Academy of History Newsletter

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## MESSAGE TO THE ACADEMY



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*Denison University*

This summer I had the privilege of participating in a travel seminar on the Holocaust with thirty-five other academics and several survivors. Our itinerary took us to Poland, the Czech Republic and Germany and more specifically to sites linked to the historic Jewish communities of these countries and to their tragic extermination. As a student of German history and a teacher of a course on the Holocaust, I found the experience to both extraordinarily rich and emotionally wrenching. One does not visit the old Jewish cemetery in Prague without a sense of great sadness over the destruction of what had been a vibrant element of civilization in Central Europe and one does not walk the ramp at Auschwitz-Birkenau without a sense of horror at what happened on that spot as the transports of Hungarian Jews arrived and were liquidated in the spring and summer of 1944. If the seminar proved a powerful intellectual and affective experience, it also highlighted specific issues central to all concerned about the presentation of history to the public.

As in the case with many members of the Academy, I am not a public historian and have no particular expertise in this field. I rely on my colleagues who have the training and are professionally engaged in our state, regional, and local historical societies, or at various museums, centers, and archives to preserve and make accessible our historical heritage and to use it in the continuing education of our citizenry. The Academy has attempted to emphasize the importance of that work and the wealth of our resources in Ohio by holding its fall meetings at the sites of museums and archives. Last fall, for example, we enjoyed the hospitality of the Hayes Presidential Center while this autumn (21 October) the United States Air Force Museum at Wright-Patterson will host us. These events have been and undoubtedly will continue to be most informative, but my experiences on the seminar sharply raised a number of the issues confronting the public historians of Central Europe, not entirely alien to our colleagues here in Ohio I suspect. Let me briefly explore these issues.

The signs of the historical Jewish presence in Central Europe consist largely of a small number of surviving synagogues--some serving as museums--cemeteries, and material artifacts. These are

generally tended by the Jews who remain in these communities. Primarily old and few in number, these Jews attempt to maintain the past for the sake of the future. But these persons are dying and while they hope for the miracle of rejuvenated communities that appears most unlikely. Who, for instance, will care for the overgrown, old Jewish cemetery in Lublin when its current caretaker, a survivor in his late 70s, passes on? One can not expect much from the state, whose resources are overtaxed and whose instinct is amnesia in the face of this painful heritage. If we are not confronted with such a stark predicament, I cannot help wondering how much of our own Ohio heritage is being lost for the lack of persons committed to preservation.

The death and concentration camps, offering mute testimony to the madness of the Nazi extermination system, present a number of serious problems for public historians. First, with the revolutionary changes that have swept over Central Europe, the communist ideology which shaped the presentation of public history has disappeared. Formerly the camps were presented as manifestations of fascist (read capitalist) tyranny whose victims were primarily anti-fascist resisters and other defined enemies of the system. Specific references to Jewish victimization were limited to both museum displays and memorials to the dead. The Jewish experience, obviously, needs more explicit attention, but the issue of whose history should be depicted is often complex. After the war, for example, the Soviets used a number of the former concentration camps, such as Sachsenhausen and Buchenwald, as internment sites for enemies of the emerging East German communist state. They imprisoned some former Nazis, as well as anti-Nazi opponents of Soviet policies. Prisoners suffered and died in these camps after 1945. Should the exhibits in the camps memorialize and reflect their experience? Would that cheapen and diminish the experience of those who suffered under the Nazis? The issues are politically explosive and representatives of both sets of prisoners are pushing for different manifestations of the pasts of Sachsenhausen and Buchenwald. As the past is freed from its ideological straitjacket, public historians face the challenge not only of

reshaping exhibits to reflect sound historical scholarship (which as we know does not always lead to a neat consensus) and the needs of more open, democratic societies, but also of dealing with the contentious issue of which victims deserve representation.

Second, as the future of these sites becomes a matter of public debate, a number of other difficult questions emerge. Should the camps and their artifacts be allowed to deteriorate as nature gradually reclaims them? There are those who believe that places of such horror should not be touched, that their silent witness should gradually alter with the passage of time. Others argue for the alternative, that is, the restoration or reconstruction of buildings and sites that the Germans had razed. For example, persons are advocating the reconstruction at Auschwitz-Birkenau of the gas chambers-crematoria, blown up by the Germans before their departure. While this might enhance realism and understanding of the camp as it had operated, critics fear the creation of a "Holo-Disney" where visitors simulate the Holocaust experience. The third position is that of those who would just preserve what is currently on site. This seems a pragmatic posture but one lacking in good theoretical justification since rather arbitrary factors have often shaped the sites as they are today.

Third, effective use of these sites to educate the public--and in passing let me note the prominence among the visitors of middle and high school student groups--requires modernization of the exhibits and methods used to present history. We saw nothing on our trip that approached the sophistication and effectiveness of the Holocaust Museum in Washington. The staffs of these sites are eager to carry out such a modernization but are lacking the expertise and the financial resources, especially in Poland and the Czech Republic currently undergoing difficult transitions to market economies. They turn eagerly to the West for assistance and fruitful collaboration. Fortunately, helpful links are being established, but the needs are overwhelming.

In Central Europe public historians and all those concerned with the past and its preservation for the future confront difficult questions. They seek answers in a process of dialogue and discussion with their fellow professionals and international experts, representatives of the victimized groups, and the officials of government and funding agencies. The process can easily become politicized. If in Ohio the challenges we face are modest in comparison, they are, nonetheless, clearly present and need the attention of not just public historians and the Academy Committee on Historical Societies and Archives but of all members of the Academy.

## The Ohio Academy of History EXECUTIVE COUNCIL Friday, 22 April 1994

The meeting was called to order by Stuart Givens, president, at Kent State University in Kent, Ohio. Members present were S. Bannister, C. Bouchard, J. D. Britton, S. Givens, J. Hodges, R. Lora, D. Schilling, R. Spall, and V. Steffel. Also present were J. Dorn (Nominating), J. Kesler (Program), B. Sternsher (Publication), and W. Chessman (Historian).

### 1. Minutes of 22 October 1994 Meeting

The minutes of the Executive Council for 22 October 1994 were accepted.

### 2. Secretary-Treasurer's Report

V. Steffel reviewed the Academy's financial position.

### 3. Committee Reports

#### A. Distinguished Service Award Committee

Dwight Smith had submitted a written report by post.

### B. Historical Societies and Archives Committee

V. Steffel reported that Jonathan Dembo, Cincinnati Historical Society, had requested the Academy's support for a proposal to the Ohio Historical Records Advisory Board to assess the strengths and weaknesses of historical archives in Ohio. This could also lead to a session at the spring meeting. J. Dembo was put in contact with Terry Barnhart, Chair, Historical Societies and Archives Committee. T. Barnhart, in correspondence, looked upon this proposal very favorably:

I think that it is important that we get professional historians involved in identifying the places where documents need to be gathered and systematically organized into working collections, as well as improving dialogue with archivists about the kinds of documents that are gathered and integrated at those repositories.

J. D. Britton underscored the importance of such a project.

### C. Nominating Committee

Jacob Dorn submitted a written report and announced the election slate. In the discussion that followed it was the consensus of the council that slates should be published in the Newsletter to reach the full membership before the election.

### D. Program Committee

John Kesler submitted a written report and noted that the program was ready to go.

### E. Teaching Award Committee

Ronald Lora submitted a written report.

### F. Historian

Wally Chessman raised the issue of getting someone to write a history of the Academy's last 20 years.

## 4. Constitutional Amendment

The draft of an amendment to establish a doctoral dissertation award was discussed. V. Steffel presented two concerns expressed by Dwight Smith. First, Smith thought that 'doctoral' should be substituted for 'PhD' to provide greater breath. Second, he was concerned that 'calendar year' would cause deadline problems for individuals completing their dissertations late in the year. After extensive discussion, it was agreed that 'doctoral' should replace 'PhD' and the reference to 'calendar' should be deleted. The amendment to the constitution:

Article VI, Section 8. The President shall appoint a Committee on Awards for the Outstanding Dissertation. The Committee shall be composed of at least three members, and shall select the winner of the Academy's annual award for outstanding doctoral dissertation in the field of history.

Article VII, Section 4. At the annual meeting the Academy may give an award for the outstanding doctoral dissertation awarded by an Ohio institution granted in the year preceding the annual meeting. If no person qualifies for an award in the particular year, no award shall be given. The person who has received the award will be provided the opportunity to present the findings at the following annual meeting.

## 5. New Membership Brochure

Stuart Givens presented a draft of the new membership brochure. A number of suggestions were made and additional ones were submitted in writing.

6. Resolution	Bluffton	92-93	S.S.	Major-53 hrs(q) + 7 in other area; strongly urge Hum. major--25-30 hrs(q) in HS
Robert Zangrando and colleagues submitted a resolution of friendship and encouragement to August Meier, Kent State, who was recovering from a stroke. The Executive Council endorsed the resolution and would convey our best wishes and concern to Professor Meier on behalf of the Academy. At the Business Meeting mention would be made and members asked to write to him.	BGSU	92-93	HS S.S.	Major-33 hrs(s) 21 hrs(s)
7. Fall Meetings	Capital	92-93	HS S.S.	Major-30 hrs(s) 21 hrs(s) HS
1994 -- Wright Patterson Air Force Museum, Friday, 21 Oct.				
1995 -- J. D. Britton invited the Academy to meet at the Ohio Historical Society. The invitation was accepted.	CWRU	91-93	HS	Major-30 hrs(s)
8. Spring Meetings	Cedarville	91-92	HS S.S.	Major-48 hrs(q) 30 hrs(q) HS
1995 -- Otterbein College, 21-22 April				
1996 --Richard Spall invited the Academy to meet at Ohio Wesleyan University. The invitation was accepted. He also raised the possibility of a joint meeting with Phi Alpha Theta, which was received positively.	Central St.	92-93	HS	Major-45 hrs(q)
	CSU	89-91	HS S.S.	Major-48 hrs(q) 30 hrs(q) HS
9. Other Business	Coll. of Mt. St. Joseph	92-93	HS	30 hrs(s) HS (Maj.=36 hrs)
The format of the spring program was raised. There was a question whether titles should be included. The consensus was that no titles should be used in the future, just name and institution.	Coll. of Wooster	92-93	HS	Major-10 courses
10. Adjournment	Defiance	93-94	HS S.S.	Major-30 hrs(s) 21 hrs(s) HS
The meeting was adjourned.	Denison	93-94	HS	Major-36 hrs(s)
Respectively submitted,	Franciscan U. Steubenville	92-93	HS	HS
Vladimir Steffel				
Secretary-Treasurer				

### Addendum

The following report by David Robson, chair, Standards Committee, arrived after the Spring Conference.

## OHIO ACADEMY OF HISTORY

### Report of the Standards Committee

#### Forward

Last year the Standards Committee undertook to survey the requirements necessary for secondary education certification in the fields of history and comprehensive social studies in order to determine how much history teachers being prepared by Ohio colleges were taking and by whom it was taught. The following information is based on a reading of the undergraduate bulletins of Ohio colleges and universities. This strategy was adopted both for convenience and because the bulletins are the institutions' official means of communication with the public.

#### Listing of Colleges and Requirements:

College	Catalogue	Cert. type	Requirements
Antioch	92-93	HS	Major-60 hrs(q)
Ashland	92-93 S.S.	HS 21 hrs(s)	Major-30 hrs(s)
Baldwin-Wallace	93-94	HS	Major-45 hrs(q) + GRE

John Carroll	93-95	S.S.	HS 20 hrs(s)
Kent St.	93-94	S.S.	33 hrs(q)
Malone	92-93	HS S.S.	Major-27 hrs(s) 21 hrs(s)
Marietta	92-93	HS	Major-36 hrs(s)
Miami U.	93-94	S.S.	21 hrs(s)
Mt. Union	92-93	HS S.S.	Major-33 hrs(s) 20 hrs(s)
Mt. Vernon	92-93	HS S.S.	33-34 hrs (Maj=33 hrs) 27-28 hrs(s)
Muskingum	93-94	HS	Major-30 hrs(s)

Notre Dame	92-93	HS	30 hrs(s) as 2nd cert. (Maj=33hrs)
		S.S.	30 hrs
Ohio Dominican	92-93	HS	Major-30 hrs(s)
		S.S.	20 hrs
Ohio Northern	92-93	HS	Major-64 hrs(q)
		S.S.	HS maj
Ohio State	92-93	S.S.	Major-45 hrs(q)
Ohio University	92-93	S.S.	36 hrs(q)
Ohio Wesleyan	92-93	HS	Major-min 11
		S.S.	units(s)  listed as cert. field but no reqs.
Otterbein	93-95	HS	reqs. not listed
		S.S.	reqs. not listed
U. of Akron	92-93	HS	Major-32 hrs(q)
		S.S.	20 hrs(s)
U. of Cincinnati	92-93	HS	Major-63 hrs(q)
U. of Dayton	92-93	HS	33 hrs(s)
		S.S.	(Maj=36 hrs) req. not listed
U. of Rio Grande	92-93	HS	Major-45 hrs(q)
		S.S.	28 hrs(q)

## II. Findings

### A. Totals

# of institutions	# offering HS cert.	# offering S.S. cert.
37	33	25

### B. Average Requirements

1. Avg. hrs. req. in HS for HS cert., expressed in sem. hrs. (qtr. hrs)=32.74 (49.11). For all institutions where requirements can be determined, except the College of Mount St. Joseph and Notre Dame College, the requirement for HS certification is a history major. Significant lowside deviation from the average hour requirement exists only at The Franciscan University of Steubenville and at Malone College, almost a 9 semester-hour deviation in the first case and almost a 6 semester-hour deviation in the second.

2. Avg. hrs. required in HS for Social Studies Comprehensive certification, expressed in semester hours (quarter hours)=22.24 (33.38). Here, a significant lowside deviation appears possible only at Bluffton College, a deviation of almost 6 semester-hours. For four institutions, the required history hours are not determinable from the catalogue.

3. As far as can be determined, all history courses are taught in history departments or other relevant academic departments. No courses designated as history courses are taught in education departments.

## III. Commentary

This information, especially where it describes variations from

averages and norms, should be verified by inquiry at the appropriate institutions. It is entirely possible that bulletin information, often open to interpretation, has been misread.

We recognize that neither the Standards Committee nor the OAH as a whole can determine the curricula of institutions. What we can do is make information available with hope that it might be acted upon. The Standards Committee, with the approval of the executive committee, might consider sending the results of this survey to the history departments of all relevant colleges, in hopes that those colleges which deviate significantly from the norm in their requirements (failing to require a history major for secondary certification in history, or requiring substantially fewer than the norm in hours either for history or social studies comprehensive certification) might alter their requirements.

The committee might also inquire of the Ohio State Board of Education whether it mandates any standards for hours in history with respect to these certifications. (It is my current belief that at least for grades 9-12, the state does mandate that in order to teach any field within the comprehensive social studies, the prospective teacher must have completed the equivalent of 20 semester hours in that field.) If so, and if the institutions now deviate from state standards, the committee might so inform them.

Whether the OAH might wish to make recommendations to the State Board of Education for minimum hour requirements for these certifications is a topic that the Standards Committee might consider in the future.

## THE OHIO ACADEMY OF HISTORY

### Business Meeting

Saturday, 23 April 1994

#### 1. Welcome

Henry Leonard, chair, History Department, Kent State University, extended a welcome to the Academy.

#### 2. President's Report

Stuart Givens reviewed the past year's accomplishments and sorrows. The Academy joined efforts to ensure that history had a solid niche in the Ohio's education curriculum at grade levels, Kindergarten through 12. The Academy moved to create an award recognizing the outstanding doctoral dissertation granted in Ohio. A new recruitment brochure would be completed soon. The Academy provided additional support for the Ohio Newspaper Project. Harry Lupold, past president, died recently.

#### 3. Secretary-Treasurer's Report

Vladimir Steffel directed the membership to the Newsletter for a report on the current state of finances. On behalf of Robert Zangrando and the Executive Council, he conveyed the Academy's best wishes to August Meier, Kent State, for a speedy recovery from a recent stroke.

#### 4. Constitutional Amendment

Vladimir Steffel, on behalf of the Executive Council, presented a constitutional amendment to establish a doctoral dissertation award. He directed the membership to substitute 'doctoral' for 'PhD' in both articles and to delete 'calendar' in the third line of proposed Article VII, Section 4 in the draft on the ballot. The proposed constitutional amendment:

Article VI, Section 8. The President shall appoint a Committee on Awards for the Outstanding Dissertation. The Committee shall be composed of at least three members, and shall select the winner of the Academy's annual award for outstanding doctoral dissertation in the field of history.

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#### 5. Nominating Committee

Jacob Dorn, chair, place in nomination Samuel Chu for President elect/Vice President; Vladimir Steffel for Secretary-Treasurer; Donna L. Van Raaphorst for Editor, *Newsletter*; and Roberta Alexander or Christine Worobec and Charles Dickson or James O'Donnell for the Executive Council. There were no nominations from the floor.

#### 6. Publication Award

Bernard Sternsher presented John C. Burnham, Ohio State University, the Outstanding Publication Award for his work, *Bad Habits: Drinking, Smoking, Taking Drugs, Sexual Misbehavior and Swearing in America*. The citation referred to a book that is based on wide-ranging research in historical, medical, and behavioral studies, government reports and selected primary sources; that for the first time treats in a single volume several subjects each of which has been considered in a number of separate inquiries; that is original in its approach to certain human behaviors in moving beyond consideration of these behaviors themselves and efforts to control them to examination of the activities of those who, for financial gain, successfully advocated these behaviors as acceptable practices. This work will provoke controversy and discussion concerning historiography and some of the nation's major present problems.

#### 7. Distinguished Service Award

Dwight Smith presented the Distinguished Service Award to Albert Hayden, Wittenberg University, for his service to the profession and to the Academy. A summary of Hayden's achievements included:

he is motivated by "the highest sense of responsibility and uncompromising commitment to the standards of professional historianship and active membership in all the professional organizations to which he belongs." He has been an active member of the Ohio Academy of History for nearly four decades. Beyond presenting papers and serving as commentator, serving on and chairing committees, holding elective office, and chairing local arrangements, one of the Academy's officers testifies that he "has worked quietly and usually in the background to institute significant changes. While rarely in the limelight, he truly is a gracious scholar and gentleman."

#### 8. Outstanding Teaching Award

Ronald Lora presented David Sturtevant, Muskingum College, the Outstanding Teaching Award. The citation included a summary of some of Sturtevant's qualities:

The magic of good teachers is that they immerse themselves in commitment to both students and knowledge. They teach, and tell, and show, and analyze, and guess, all the while setting standards.

....  
[This year's Master Teacher] is variously described by students and colleagues as a "must take" professor on campus, and "energized mind" with "intellectual vitality," "infectious humor," all displayed in "picturesque language."

#### 9. Report from the Nominating Committee

Jacob Dorn reported the election results: Samuel Chu was elected president elect/vice president; Vladimir Steffel was elected secretary-treasurer; Donna Van Raaphorst was elected editor of the *Newsletter*; and Christine Worobec and James O'Donnell were elected to the Executive Council.

#### 10. Presidential Address

Donald Schilling presented Stuart Givens with a book as a small token of gratitude for his dedicated service to the Academy.

Donald Schilling's Presidential Address, "From Hilpert to Hitler: Questions of Continuity in German History", examined the northern Bavarian government district of Middle Franconia from 1890 to 1933 "in an effort to determine the prerequisites for Nazi political success." Western Middle Franconia was a heavily Protestant region with four districts whose modest central communities "were surrounded by small and middle-sized family farms." After analyzing political rhetoric and election returns, Schilling concluded:

As a right-wing populist, anti-Semitic, anti-Marxist, rural agitator, Leonhard Hilpert brought a political message and style which appealed especially to voters in the peasant communities of rural western Middle Franconia. Many of those voters apparently found it easy to shift their loyalties to the DNVP-MP in 1919. This party had a familiar message and was led by another Hilpert. The DNVP-MP continued to hold these voters until the 1930-1932 period when the NSDAP established its credibility as a party that could effectively represent the interests of agriculture and, as a result, recorded striking electoral success in each district in the July 1932 elections: Rothenburg--83.6%, Uffenheim--81%, Neustadt--79.2%, and Scheinfeld--62.3%. These results reflect, of course, the crisis conditions of the early 1930s and the organizational problems of the DNVP, but they would not have been possible without the similarity of the Nazi message to that of the Peasant Association and the DNVP-MP; nor would such results have been achieved had the NSDAP not established its presence in the region in the 1922 to 1924 period. Despite refounding, organizational problems, and the return to more normal conditions in the middle 1920s, the National Socialists would remain a factor in the district, maintaining a base from which expansion was possible when crisis once again weakened the Republic.

Another prerequisite for National Socialist success in the region was the destruction of viable liberal and socialist political alternatives. In terms of voter support the pattern for liberalism is one of a long decline stretching back into the 1890s, this despite the apparent reversal of fortune associated with Kerschbaum's victory in 1912. In this pattern of decline, the 1920 election seems most critical, for in that election liberalism witnessed the defection of voters in its traditional bastions, the larger and medium sized communities. This paved the way for the May 1924 election when the liberals were reduced to insignificance from which a painful decline into nothingness followed. For socialism the pattern is one of rapidly increasing growth to 1919, followed by an equally abrupt decline. After the May 1924 election, then, neither liberalism nor socialism offered an attractive or viable political option to most voters in western Middle Franconia. While the Catholic voters of the Scheinfeld district continued to support the Bavarian People's Party in substantial numbers, the Protestant voters essentially had two choices: the DNVP or the NSDAP. In "normal" times a majority of them preferred the former alternative for some of the reasons identified above, but in times of crisis, as hinted at by the May 1924 elections and confirmed by the elections from 1930 to 1933, they would seek the political kingdom in the arms of the Nazis.

The road from Hilpert to Hitler was not straight, nor, to judge by the length of my comments was it short. The twists and turns of politics in western Middle Franconia during the almost four decades which define the chronological scope of this examination make a simple continuity argument erroneous. Yet, as I have also attempted to demonstrate, an analysis of National Socialist success in western Middle Franconia which fails to consider the legacy of Hilpert and the Peasant Association misses an important part of the story.

#### 11. Constitutional Amendment

Jacob Dorn announced that the constitutional amendment to establish a doctoral dissertation award was passed by an overwhelming majority.

#### 12. Adjournment

Stuart Givens adjourned the meeting.

Respectively submitted,

Vladimir Steffel

Secretary-Treasurer

## OHIO ACADEMY OF HISTORY

### Treasurer's Report

Balance on hand Jan. 1, 1994		10569.45	
Operating Funds	5071.74		
Reserve funds	5497.71		
RECEIPTS			
Membership			
Regular	2170.00		
Joint		954.00	
Student	80.00		
OHS		25.00	
OVWHA		128.00	3357.00
Annual Meeting			
Registration	6.00		
Luncheon	0.00		
Miscellaneous	100.00	106.00	
Book Sale		339.00	
Other			
Interest	54.97		
Sale Membership List	25.00		
Sale Roster	0.00		
Gifts (Reserve Fund)	310.00	389.97	
Total			4191.97
Total Receipts and Balance			14761.42
DISBURSEMENTS			
Roster		0.00	
Newsletter		860.15	
Annual Meeting	431.98		
Secretary's Office			
Postage	1043.51		
Supplies, phone, etc.	0.00		
Stipend	0.00	1043.51	
Ohio Assoc of His (memb & gift)		20.00	
Ohio Hist Soc (memb)		35.00	
Ohio Hist Soc (jt memberships)		25.00	
Ohio Valley WH (jt memberships)		0.00	
BancOhio (service charge)		0.00	
Total			2415.64
Balance on hand, June 30, 1994			12345.78
Operating Funds	6458.10		
Reserve Funds	5887.68		
NOW Account	7345.78		
CD	5000.00		

## Ohio Academy of History OFFICERS AND COMMITTEES 1994-1995

### Officer and Executive Council

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 R. Vladimir Steffel, Ohio State University, Secretary-Treasurer  
 Donna, L. Van Raaphorst, Cuyahoga Community College,  
 Western Campus, Newsletter Editor.  
 J. D. Britton, Ohio Historical Society, 1995  
 Richard Spall, Ohio Wesleyan University, 1995  
 Constance Bouchard, University of Akron, 1996  
 Sharon Bannister, Findlay University, 1996  
 James O'Donnell, Marietta College, 1997  
 Christine Worobec, Kent State University, 1997

### Dissertation Award

Alan Booth, Ohio University, Chair  
 Jeremy Baskes, Ohio Wesleyan University  
 Susan Hartman, Ohio State University  
 George Vascik, Miami University

### Distinguished Service Award

Taylor Stults, Muskingum College, Chair  
 Ervin Beauregard, University of Dayton  
 Arnold Shrier, University of Cincinnati

### Historical Societies and Archives

Roger Bridges, Rutherford B. Hayes Presidential Center, 1995  
 Jonathan Dembo, Cincinnati Historical Society, 1997  
 Raymond Schuck, Allen County Historical Society, 1996

### Nominating

David Fahey, Miami University, Chair  
 Larry Gara, Wilmington College  
 Marian Morton, John Carroll University

### Program

Larry Wilcox, University of Toledo, Chair  
 Shelly Baranowski, University of Akron  
 Marcella Barton, Rio Grande University  
 Charles E. Dickson, Clark State Community College  
 James D. Striden, Ohio Historical Society  
 Warren van Tine, Ohio State University

### Publications

Otis Mitchell, University of Cincinnati, Chair  
 Mary Frederickson, Miami University  
 Mitchell Snay, Denison University  
 Vladimir Steffel, Ohio State University, Marion Campus

### Standards

William Jenkins, Youngstown State University, Chair, 1997  
 Tim Connell, Laurel School, 1997  
 Martha Pallante, Youngstown State University, 1996  
 Elaine Wrisley Reed, National Council for History Education,  
 1995  
 Carl Ubbelohde, Case Western Reserve University, 1995

### Teaching Award

Joan Cadden, Kenyon College, Chair  
 Gary Hess, Bowling Green State University  
 Glenn Sharfman, Hiram College

## MESSAGE TO MEMBERSHIP

The vitality of the Academy rests in its members and the various committees. For the organization to flourish these committees need membership input. This is especially true for the following, which earnestly solicit your aid:

**DISSERTATION AWARD.** The Academy will recognize a historian whose dissertation was completed at a university in Ohio during the calendar year 1994. The Committee will favor the well-crafted, well-written dissertation dealing with a significant topic and based on extensive research in primary sources. The Committee will also consider the well-written synthesis based largely on secondary sources but providing an interesting and original way of understanding the past.

Dissertations must have been accepted toward the doctoral degree by the department committee in order to qualify for nomination. Normally, dissertations will be nominated by the Department Chair, who will put forward no more than two dissertations from the Department in any year. To make a nomination the proposer must send one copy of the dissertation to each of the four members of the Committee. Nominations, together with a brief (50-75 words) synopsis of the dissertation for publication in the Academy's Newsletter must reach the Committee members by December 1, 1994. The Award will be announced at the Academy's annual meeting in the Spring of 1995. Dissertations should be sent to the following: Alan Booth, Department of History, Ohio University, Athens, Ohio 45701-2979; Jeremy Baskes, History Department, Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio 43015; Susan Hartman, Department of History, Ohio State University, 230 W. 17th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio 43210-1367; and George Vascik, Department of History, Miami University, Hamilton Campus, 1601 Peck Blvd., Hamilton, Ohio 45011-3399.

**DISTINGUISHED SERVICE COMMITTEE.** The constitution of the Ohio Academy of History provides for the conferring of a Distinguished Service Award to recognize "Distinguished Service to the historical profession to a person or persons who have actively contributed to the Ohio Academy of History through specific achievement." A three-person committee is responsible for making this selection.

The Distinguished Service Award Committee invites your nominations for this meaningful honor, to recognize their service to the Ohio Academy of History and to the discipline of history.

The award will be presented at the spring 1995 meeting of the Academy.

Nominations should include a clear descriptive cover assessing the nominee's qualifications and contributions. Other relevant documentation, including the nominee's professional vita, also should be submitted. Additional detailed letters in support of the nominee are highly encouraged.

Nominees are expected to be current members of the Ohio Academy of History, or (if retired) former members.

Please send these materials to Taylor Stults, Department of History, Muskingum College, New Concord, OH 43762.

**NOMINATING COMMITTEE.** Kindly send nominations for President Elect, Secretary-Treasurer, and two Council seats to David M. Fahey, Department of History, Miami University, 254 Upham Hall, Oxford, Ohio 45056 by January 16, 1995.

**PROGRAM COMMITTEE.** A call for either individual or session proposals is issued with a November 15, 1994 deadline. Send proposals or inquiries to Larry Wilcox, History Department, University of Toledo, Toledo, Ohio 43606-3390.

**PUBLICATIONS COMMITTEE.** Books may be nominated by any member of the Ohio Academy of History, postmarked no later than December 15, 1994. The committee will favor a well-crafted, well-written monograph dealing with a significant topic and based on extensive research in primary sources. The committee will also consider a well-written synthesis that is based largely on secondary sources but provides an interesting and original way of understanding the past. The committee will not consider books that are basically edited works or intended primarily as classroom materials. To make a nomination, the nominator or author must send one copy of the book to each of the three members of the committee. Nominations, together with a brief (50-75 word) synopsis of the book for publication in the Academy's Newsletter, must reach committee members by December 15, 1994. Books should be sent to the following: Otis Mitchell, Department of History, University of Cincinnati, Cincinnati, Ohio 45221-0373; Mary Frederickson, History Department, Miami University, Oxford, Ohio 45056-1642; Mitchell Snay, Department of History, Denison University, Granville, Ohio 43023-1372; and R. Vladimir Steffel, The Ohio State University, Marion Campus, 1465 Mt. Vernon Avenue, Marion, OH 43302.

**TEACHING AWARD.** For complete information concerning this award, please contact Joan Cadden, Department of History, Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio 43022-9623 by January 10, 1995.

## EDITOR'S NOTES

With the new academic year underway, it is time to reflect on our losses and prepare for the challenges of the year ahead. All of us were saddened to hear of the recent illness of August Meier, recently retired from Kent State University. On behalf of the entire membership, I wish him a speedy and full recovery. Even more profoundly did we feel the loss of our friend, colleague, and former Academy president and member, Harry Lupold. Our sympathy and thoughts go out to Harry's family and friends, of which we must include the membership of this organization. For myself I can only say, no Academy meeting will ever be the same without him.

## SYMPOSIA, WORKSHOPS, AND EXHIBITS

The following exhibitions at the Cleveland Museum of Art are of possible interest to historians:

Resist-Dyed Textiles of India, Indonesia, and Cambodia thru 1994.

Leo Rubinfren Photographs: A Map of the East, Sept. 16-Nov. 27, 1994.

New Objects/New Insights: Cleveland's Recent Chinese Acquisitions, The 1994 Asian Autumn Show, Oct. 18-Dec. 31.

The recent meeting schedule for the Ohio Association of Historical Societies & Museums will be as follows:

## 1995 OAHSM Regional Meetings

Region 1	Ohio Baseball Hall of Fame Maumee	March 18
Region 2	Milan Historical Society Milan	April 29
Region 3	Portage Lakes Historical Society Akron	April 22
Region 4	Tuscarawas County Historical Society New Philadelphia	April 1

Region 5	Noble County Historical Society Caldwell	March 11
Region 6	Tippecanoe Historical Society Tipp City	March 4
Region 7	Centerville Historical Society Centerville	March 25
Region 8	Washington County Historical Society Marietta	April 8

The next special exhibition at the Western Reserve Historical Society will open on October 4, 1994. It is entitled "Souvenirs: Time, Memory, and Travel." It will focus on items Clevelanders have collected over the years from travels, to remembered heroes, or special Cleveland-related events. There will be a related exhibition in the Chisholm Halle Costume Wing.

The American Studies Program at Case Western Reserve University presents its ninth annual Western Reserve Studies Symposium, Friday and Saturday October 7 and 8. National scholars will examine "Parameters of Faith: Religion in the Western Reserve" by looking at 19th and 20th century expressions of religion in this region.

"The symposium will allow people to raise questions about different religions, and it will provide an opportunity to learn more about the history and culture of religion in the Western Reserve," said Gladys Haddad, CWRU professor of American Studies and symposium director.

Registration for the symposium begins at 1 p.m. Friday in Amasa Stone Chapel followed by an architectural review of the chapel by Walter Leedy, professor of art history at Cleveland State University. He will explore the social history of the chapel, built in 1911.

History professors David Hammack from CWRU and Marian Morton from John Carroll University will examine church social action in a tribute to the late Michael J. McTighe, the author of A Measure of Success: Protestants and Public Culture in Antebellum Cleveland.

Judaic scholar Leatrice Rabinsky, a teacher at Cleveland Heights High School, and Rev. Nelson Callahan, pastor of St. Raphael Church, will examine Judaism and Catholicism. Rev. Marvin McMickle, pastor of Antioch Baptist Church and a Ph.D. candidate in American Studies at CWRU, will look at Black religions.

The Hiram Motet Singers will adapt music from the early hymnals to introduce each of the presentations, and the CWRU intercollegiate Gospel Choir will perform. Following a reception and dinner in Tomlinson Hall, Darrell Holland will reflect on his career as religion editor of The Plain Dealer.

The Saturday morning sessions begin at 9:30 a.m. in Adelbert Hall. They will focus on religious architecture in the Western Reserve, specifically the Old Stone Church, the Burnham stained glass windows in Trinity Cathedral, and pre-1850 Greek Revival Churches, which will also be featured in a photo exhibit. Presentations will examine New England's version of community and religion, and how Western Reserve settlers adapted this to their new home.

A series of talks at 10:45 a.m. will focus on pioneer Episcopalians, "Father Finney and Oberlin's First Church," and "Chagrin Falls, Luther Lee, and the Defense of John Brown." Scholars will discuss the Shakers, the Quakers, and the Mormons, and another series will provide a historical review by analyzing the roles of the Germans, Irish, and Polish in the region.

Rev. Claudia Highbaugh, chaplain and associate director of ministerial studies at the Harvard Divinity School, will be the keynote speaker following lunch and will explore "Faith and Education: Asking the Question." Following her talk, CWRU students will discuss the role of the campus ministry.

A session at 2 p.m. will take a historical look at African-American migrants and their churches from 1915-1940 and African-

American Catholics from 1922-1961. Presentations will be given on the regional presence of major world religions--Islam, Hindu, Sikh, Baha'i, and Buddhism.

The role of women in Protestant religions, Catholicism, and Judaism will conclude the symposium presentations. The symposium will close with a liturgical circle dance led by CWRU American Studies graduate student Marsha Taylor.

A \$25 registration fee (\$15 for students with ID) covers attendance at all sessions, the publication of papers and abstracts, and parking in CWRU visitor lots. The dinner Friday night is an additional \$25 and lunch Saturday is \$10. Symposium attendees can park in Lot 34 between Cornell and Mayfield Roads, or next to Amasa Stone Chapel on Saturday only. For information call CWRU's Office of American Studies at 368-4117.

Contact: Kathleen McDermott for additional information  
(216) 368-6518

## POTPOURRI

The Organization of American Historians has published its 1994-95 Lectureship Program. If your institution is in the process of scheduling lectures and would enjoy programs featuring outstanding historians, as well as help in the support of this major national organization in the field of American history, write for additional information. Contact: Sharon Caugill, Lectureship Coordinator, Organization of American Historians, 112 Bryan Street, Bloomington, IN 47408.

The Women Historians of Greater Cleveland will sponsor, in conjunction with the Department of History at Cuyahoga Community College, Western Campus, the fourth annual celebration of Women's History Month for the northern Ohio area. The conference theme will be New Research in Women's History. The confirmed date is March 17, 1995. Paper proposals from M.A. and Ph.D. students from around the state are encouraged. Proposals from established scholars are also welcomed. Proposals should not exceed two double spaced pages and should be sent to Donna L. Van Raaphorst, Ph.D., Department of History, Cuyahoga Community College, Western Campus, 11000 Pleasant Valley Road, Cleveland, OH 44130. Deadline for submission is December 15, 1994, along with a current CV.

The Ohio Historical Society announces a new public service to the citizens of Ohio - "**THE SPEAKERS' BUREAU**." Members of the society's curatorial staff will be available to speak on a variety of topics related to their fields of expertise. The presentations will be of interest to service clubs, local historical societies, and other community groups. Speakers will travel to any part of Ohio for an engagement. The sponsoring organization, however, will be asked to cover transportation costs and to distribute Ohio Historical Society program information to the audience. Speaking engagements should be scheduled directly with the individuals listed below.

**Amos J. Loveday, Chief Curator**  
614 297-2600

**"Catching the Spirit:  
Archibald Willard's The Spirit of '76"**

Dr. Loveday explores the history of this patriotic image that everyone recognizes. Groups interested in patriotic themes or the history of popular art will find this presentation of interest. It builds upon the research conducted by the staff of the Ohio Historical Society while acquiring an 1892 version of this famous painting.

**"History of the Nail"**

The cut nail is an American innovation that revolutionized wood construction techniques. Dr. Loveday examines the history of the innovation and explains how nails can be used in dating structures.



The presentation is directed at groups interested in historic preservation or the history of technology.

**"Devil's Grease and Dynamite: Titusville to Teapot Dome"**

This presentation examines Ohio's contribution to the oil industry. It emphasizes how petroleum reserves were measured and what impact that measurement had on our reliance on petroleum. Audiences interested in the history of technology and public policy will find this presentation informative.

**"What You Didn't Learn About Presidential Campaigns  
in History Class:**

**From 'Mad Tom' Jefferson to FDR"**

The dirty tricks, rumors, and mudslinging incidents of the past may place recent campaigns into clearer perspective. This presentation will be of interest to mature audiences with an appreciation of adult subjects.

**TERRY A. BARNHART, Curator**  
614 297-2608

**"Peoples of the Lake and Valley:  
Ohio's Historic Indian Cultures, 1740-1843"**

Explore the rich and diverse cultural history of the Native American peoples who once resided in Ohio. Dr. Barnhart examines the "resettlement" of Ohio by refugee groups of Native Americans in the 1740s, their individual and collective experiences within present-day Ohio, and the circumstances that led to the end of Ohio's Indian reservations in 1843.

**"An American Menagerie:  
The Mound City Effigy Pipes"**

Explore the circumstances surrounding the discovery of these pipes in 1846, find out more about the Hopewell artisans who fashioned them, and learn why these ancient treasures today reside within the British Museum.

**"Muskingum Valley Landscapes:  
The Art and Artistry of Charles Sullivan"**

This presentation discusses the landscape painting of Charles Sullivan, placing his work within the larger framework of American cultural history and romanticism during the mid-nineteenth century.

**"A Building for the Ages:  
The Ohio Statehouse, 1839-1861"**

This presentation examines the history and architecture of the Ohio Statehouse, which was built in stages between 1839 and 1861. Ohio's Capitol is both the seat of state government and a symbol of Ohio statehood. The history of this magnificent structure is more than a local story.

**MARTHA POTTER OTTO, Curator**  
614 297-2641

**"Survey of American Indian Cultures in Ohio"**

This discussion summarizes the lifestyles of Ohio's prehistoric and historic Indian societies spanning nearly fifteen thousand years.

**"Adena and Hopewell Art"**

The artistic accomplishments of the prehistoric mound-building cultures known as the Adena and Hopewell are reviewed in this presentation.

**"The Adena Tablets"**

Examine a fascinating group of prehistoric artifacts known as the Adena Tablets. The discussion centers on the iconography of the tablets and their probable function within Adena society.

**"Masterpieces in Stone"**

A comparative analysis of effigy pipes from Mound City and Tremper Mound provides the framework for this program. These pipes, carved to represent animals, will be discussed as evidence of the artistic achievements of the Hopewell people and of the social and natural environments in which these ancient Ohioans lived.

**"The Late Woodland People"**

This presentation reviews new research on a comparatively little known prehistoric culture.

**"Prehistoric Ceramics"**

Learn more about pottery and its uses during the Woodland and Mississippian phases of Ohio's prehistory and discover how ceramic traditions reflect prehistoric foodways, settlement trends, and artistic skills.

**"Archaeology and the Public"**

This presentation surveys the methods used by archaeologists to learn more about the past, reviews recent developments in Ohio archaeology, and discusses the means by which concerned citizens can help preserve Ohio's cultural resources.

**BRADLEY T. LEPPER, Curator**  
614 344-1920 or 614 344-1919

**"The Burning Tree Mastodon:  
Opening a Window into Ohio's Ice Age"**

The well-preserved remains of a mastodon were discovered on the Burning Tree Golf Course near Newark, Ohio, in December, 1989. That discovery was a cause celebre among paleontologists and archaeologists. Learn why the Burning Tree Mastodon has generated such excitement within the scientific community.

**"The Newark Earthworks:  
Magnificent Legacy of Ohio's Moundbuilders"**

The prehistoric earthworks at Newark have been a source of curiosity - both popular and scientific - since the early nineteenth century. This presentation is based on the most recent research at the site and explains how current studies are expanding our understanding of the magnificent legacy of Ohio's ancient people.

**WILLIAM C. GATES, Curator**  
614 297-2607

Bill Gates has conducted original research into the history of East Liverpool, Ohio, and the nationally significant ceramics industry that earned the community the name of "Pottery City." His research has been embodied in several significant publications, which will inform his presentations on the following topics:

**"Lotus Ware"**

**"East Liverpool and Nineteenth-Century Ceramics"**

**"Ohio's Ceramic Legacy: An Overview"**

**"George Morley: East Liverpool Majolica Maker"**

**APPOINTMENTS, PROMOTIONS,  
AND RESIGNATIONS**

**BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY**

DONALD G. NIEMAN has been appointed Chair. He comes from his current position at Clemson University. His research interests deal with African-Americans and the law. He has written two monographs, edited two volumes, and written eleven articles.

**CINCINNATI BIBLE COLLEGE & SEMINARY**

JAMES B. NORTH was recently appointed Interim Dean of Cincinnati Bible Seminary, the graduate school of the Cincinnati Bible College & Seminary.

**CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY**

LUIS CORTEGUERA resigned to take another position in Kansas City.

**CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE-WESTERN CAMPUS**

DONNA L. VAN RAAPHORST was promoted to full professor. MARY HOVANEK was rehired for a one year lectureship.

**KENT STATE UNIVERSITY**

WILLIAM H. KENNEY has been promoted to full professor.

ISOLDE R. THYRET (Ph.D. University of Washington, Seattle) has been appointed assistant professor, effective in the fall semester 1994. Her specialty is medieval history, with particular interests in Russian women and the family.

**MIAMI UNIVERSITY**

MATTHEW GORDON has been appointed assistant professor with teaching responsibilities in the history of the Islamic world. He received his Ph.D. from Columbia University and was the recipient of the 1993 Malcolm H. Kerr Dissertation Award given by the Middle East Studies Association for his work on the history of the Turkish community of Samarra (212-264 A.H./833-877 C.E.). He is secretary of the Middle East Medievalists.

ANDREW R.L. CAYTON and ELLIOTT GORN have been promoted to the rank of Professor.

MURIEL BLAISDELL (School of Interdisciplinary Studies) History of Science; FRAN DOLAN (English) Early Modern English Literature and Culture; and PETER WILLIAMS (Religion and Director of American Studies) Social History of United States Religion, have all been granted affiliate status to the Department of History.

WIELTSE DE BOER, Hamilton Campus, has resigned to take a position as Assistant Professor at Indiana University-Purdue University at Indianapolis.

**UNIVERSITY OF AKRON**

Joining the faculty of The University of Akron in September are Assistant Professors ABEL A. BARTLEY and ELIZABETH MANCKE. Bartley received his Ph.D. from Florida State University in August. His fields are African-American and Urban History. Mancke received her doctorate from Johns Hopkins University and specialties in the Revolutionary and Early National Period and Canadian history. She has been a faculty member at Western Washington University.

**UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI**

WAYNE DURRILL was promoted to Associate Professor with tenure from Assistant Professor.

GEOFFREY PLANK (Ph.D. Princeton University) was hired as an Assistant Professor. His field is Colonial American history.

GEORGE W. REID, Vice President for Academic Affairs, Savannah State College (Georgia) has been appointed Dean of University College and Professor of History. He holds a Ph.D. from Howard University in American history and M.A. and B.A. from North Carolina Central University.

**UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO**

WILLIAM D. HOOVER, effective fall quarter 1994, has resigned as Chairman after serving 15 years. He will continue as a regular faculty.

**WRIGHT STATE UNIVERSITY**

DONNA AMOROSO has been appointed assistant professor. Her field of specialization is Southeast Asia with emphasis on modern Malaysia.

JOHN SHERMAN has been appointed assistant professor. His field of specialization is modern Mexico.

**YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY**

ALEXANDER PANTSOV, Ph.D., Moscow (1987), was a Visiting Professor of Chinese history while PEI HUANG was on sabbatical. The author of a number of books, Dr. Pantsov, participated in the spring conference on The Russian Revolution in Retrospect. He has recently received appointment to a tenure-track position at DePaul University.

**AWARDS, GRANTS, LEAVES, HONORS, AND OFFICES****BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY**

EDMUND J. DANZIGER received a \$3,500 grant from the Government of Canada to conduct research involving Walpole Island First Nation Post-Secondary Education.

FUJIYA KAWASHIMA received a grant from the Korea Foundation to continue study of Korean Yangbang Legacy.

**CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY**

KIMBERLY PHILLIPS has been named a Lilly Fellow and will be participating in the production of the National Public Radio's series on African-Americans in World War II.

**CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY**

ROGER B. MANNING is currently on a leave of absence to complete his research for a new publication. He recently was awarded a National Endowment for the Humanities Fellowship for college teachers and a summer grant from the Huntington Library in San Marino, California. Manning is also the current president of the Midwest Conference on British Studies.

JOYCE M. MASTBOOM is the Secretary-Treasurer of the Women Historians of Greater Cleveland.

DEBORAH L. PEARL was awarded a summer Research Grant from the Hoover Institute on War, Peace, and Revolution at Stanford University and a study grant at the Kennan Center, Washington, D.C.

DONALD RAMOS is just recently returned from a year in Portugal on a Fulbright Fellowship. He has also been elected chairman of the Ohio International Consortium composed of all Ohio State universities.

TIMOTHY J. RUNYAN, department chair, serves as editor of The American Neptune, a quarterly journal of maritime history, is Vice-Chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Great Laker Museum of Science, Environment, and Technology. He is, as well, president of the Great Lakes Historical Society, treasurer of the International Commission for Maritime History, and secretary/treasurer of the National Maritime Alliance.

WILLIAM I. SHORROCK continues to serve as editor of the Ohio Council for the Social Studies journal and is the president of the French Colonial Historical Society.

**CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - Western Campus**

DONNA L. VAN RAAPHORST was re-elected for a third term as Chairperson of the Western Campus Faculty Senate and continues to serve as editor of the Ohio Academy of History, Newsletter.

**KENT STATE UNIVERSITY**

JEROME FREIDMAN and ROBERT SWIERENGA will have

partial research leaves during 1994/95; S. VICTOR PAPACOSMA will be on sabbatical leave fall semester 1994.

CHRISTINE D. WOROBEC participated in a NEH Summer Seminar for College Teachers on "Church and Religion in Imperial Russia, 1860-1930," conducted by Professor Gregory Freeze of Brandeis University at the Russian State Humanities University in Moscow in June-July, 1993. That seminar permitted Professor Worobec to work in the newly opened Russian archives on her ongoing research project on popular orthodoxy in eighteenth and nineteenth century Russia. Professor Worobec was also awarded a KSU 1994 summer appointment to pursue further research in Moscow and St. Petersburg on "Faith Healing and Miracle Cures in Russia, 1760-1917." She has been active with the Association for Women in Slavic Studies, serving as both its Vice-President and Chair of the Heldt Prizes, awards for books and articles in Slavic women's studies as well as scholarly work by women in Slavic studies." She was recently elected secretary/treasurer of the Kent Research Group, a group involved in the sharing of scholarly work by KSU faculty.

#### MIAMI UNIVERSITY

SHELDON ANDERSON has been granted a one-semester research leave to complete work on his book on East German-Polish relations from 1945 to 1962.

RENEE BAERNSTEIN received a Miami University grant to pursue research in Milan and Rome during the summer of 1994. She is working on a book on nuns in Renaissance Italy.

JAY W. BAIRD was invited by the Holocaust Educational Foundation to visit the Polish death camps and pursue a month's course of study at Yad Vashem in Jerusalem during the summer of 1994. In October 1994, he will be a member of the American delegation sent to observe the climax of the German national elections.

MARY KUPIEC CAYTON received the Miami University College of Arts and Science Distinguished Educator Award for 1994-95.

W. SHERMAN JACKSON has been granted a one-semester research leave to complete his manuscript on "Lyndon B. Johnson, Civil Rights and the Era of De Jure Segregation."

JEFFREY KIMBALL received a grant for a Senior Nobel Seminar at Oslo for the Spring of 1995.

JACK T. KIRBY has been elected vice-president (and president-elect) of the Agricultural History Society.

MARJORIE McLELLAN has been granted a one-semester research leave to continue work on her project, "The past and the Construction of Family Identity."

YIHONG PAN has been granted a research leave for 1994-95. She will collect written materials and conduct interviews in China on the history of educated, urban youth going to the mountains and villages during the Chinese Cultural Revolution.

ROBERT THURSTON received an award from the American Council of Learned Societies (in conjunction with the Deutscher Akademischer Austauschdienst) for a collaborative German-American project on "Popular Response to World War II in the Soviet Union."

JUDITH ZINSSER was recently elected Vice-President and President designate for the World History Association.

#### UNIVERSITY OF AKRON

Professor CONSTANCE BOUCHARD has received a Guggenheim Fellowship. She will be in France conducting research in 1995.

Associate Professor JANE KATE LEONARD's faculty development leave for 1994-1995 has been augmented by a senior NEH award. She will be in London in the Spring of 1995.

#### UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

Associate Professor JOHN BRACKETT has received approval for a two-quarter academic leave (Winter-Spring, 1995) to continue research on perceptions of the poor in sixteenth and seventeenth

century Florence. He also received the Trinity College Barbieri Grant, administered by the Italian Historical Studies, Boston College, May 1994.

Professor THOMAS SAKMYSTER has received approval for a two-quarter academic leave (Winter-Spring, 1995) to work on a research project on "Documentary Films and Propaganda in World War II."

Associate Professor HILDA SMITH has received approval for a one-year academic leave (1994-95) to continue work on a project on European gender and citizenship issues.

Professor ROGER DANIELS was named the Charles Phelps Taft Professor of History this past spring.

Visiting Assistant Professor GARAY MERICUCCI received a summer grant from the Council of American Overseas Research Centers, as an affiliated fellow at the American Center of Oriental Research in Amman.

Associate Professor JOANNE MEYEROWITZ has been selected as a recipient of the McMicken Dean's Award for Distinguished Teaching for 1994. She will assume the post of Director of Graduate Studies in the Department.

Professor BARBARA RAMUSACK has been elected for a five-year term to chair the Taft Executive Board, a faculty committee which administers the Charles Phelps Taft Fund in the Humanities. Ramusack had served for the past five years, four years on an earlier occasion, as Director of Graduate Studies in the Department of History.

#### UNIVERSITY OF DAYTON

ERVING E. BEAUREGARD has been re-appointed as the Membership Director of the American Catholic Historical Association.

#### UNIVERSITY OF TOLEDO

GLENN J. AMES will be on sabbatical leave during the Winter and Spring quarters of Academic Year 1994-95.

DIANE F. BRITTON has been elected to the Board of Directors, National Council on Public History.

CHARLES N. GLAAB is taking the Spring 1995 quarter for his sabbatical leave.

WILLIAM D. HOOVER will be on sabbatical leave during the 1994-95 Academy Year. He will be conducting research in Japan.

GERALD THOMPSON will be on sabbatical leave during the Academy Year 1994-95.

#### WITTENBERG UNIVERSITY

CYNTHIA BEHRMAN, Professor Emeritus, won honorable mention in the competition for the 1994 Eugene Asher Distinguished Teaching Award of the American Historical Association. Professor Behrman, who retired from Wittenberg in 1993, after a distinguished career in British history, was nominated by a Wittenberg graduate, Kathryn Bernhardt, Associate Professor of Chinese history at UCLA and winner of the 1992 John King Fairbank Prize for a book in Chinese history.

JAMES HUFFMAN, Professor of History, has received a Japan Foundation grant to spend the 1994-95 academic year at Tokyo University, completing a monograph on the political history of Japan's early-modern press (1860-1918).

#### YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

GEORGE BEELEN is returning from a sabbatical this fall. His research topic was U.S.-Mexican relations since 1933.

FRED BLUE received a Distinguished Professorship for research from the university.

LESLIE DOMONKOS received a Distinguished Professorship for teaching from the university. In addition, Domonkos received a major grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities for the preparation of a bi-lingual, English-Latin edition of the Medieval

Laws of Hungary. Together with Professor J.M. Bak of the University of British Columbia, Canada, Domonkos coordinates a team of international scholars and will publish volumes III and IV of this series. This reference work will serve as a guide to researchers in comparative government as well as those interested in legal or constitutional history. The \$84,000 grant is for the period 1991-1994 and includes Federal matching funds for \$17,000. The Hungarian Academy of Sciences has recently pledged over \$12,000 toward the project. At the invitation of the Hungarian Academy, he presented a paper "The Hungarian Renaissance in European Perspective" in Budapest. While in Europe, he also attended the International Congress of Historical Sciences in Madrid and was elected Vice-President of the Commission on the History of Universities. As guest of Trinity College Dublin, he attended a conference and participated in the festivities marking the 400th anniversary of the foundation of Trinity by Queen Elizabeth I in 1592. Domonkos is also a contributor to the forthcoming five volumes Oxford Encyclopedia of the Reformation.

HUGH EARNHART was nominated for a regional PBS Emmy for his documentary, *Brandy Station*, which intertwines the issue of historic preservation with the events surrounding this Civil War battle.

SAUL FRIEDMAN was nominated for a regional Emmy for his PBS documentary on "The Collinwood School Tragedy."

PEI HUANG is returning this fall from a sabbatical. His research topic was "The Rise of the Manchu: A Study of Sinicization, 1583-1795."

MARTHA PALLANTE has been awarded a Research Professorship for the upcoming year to study Italian Immigration and the Niles Firebrick Company.

LOWELL SATRE has received a Research Professorship for the upcoming year to continue writing his biography of late nineteenth century British labor leader, Thomas Burt.

## ARCHIVIST CORNER

Archives of the Musical Arts Association/The Cleveland Orchestra  
The Cleveland Orchestra  
Severance Hall  
11001 Euclid Avenue  
Cleveland, OH 44106

Recently ranked as the finest orchestra in the country, the Archives of the Musical Arts Association/Cleveland Orchestra contain a treasure house of material documenting the ensemble's history as well as the Musical Arts Association, Severance Hall, and Blossom Music Center. As such it may be perceived as part of the reflection of the city of Cleveland's cultural heritage in the 20th century.

Included in the archives are programs of the Cleveland Orchestra (1918-present), the papers of its founder Adella Prentiss Hughes, longtime program annotator and editor, Klaus Roy George, and first music director, Nikolai Sokolof. Also included are extensive biographical files on conductors, guest artists, Orchestra musicians, trustees, and staff. Slides, artifacts, posters, and a photo collection are also found as part of the collection. Over 300 scrapbooks containing articles, clippings, and programs document the history of the Orchestra up to 1980.

The Archives of the Musical Arts Association/The Cleveland Orchestra are open Monday through Thursday, 9:00 am to 3:00 pm by appointment only. Special permission is required to access recent operational records. Contact: Carol S. Jacobs, Archivist at (216) 231-7300 ex. 3127 or write to the address listed above for further information.

## FOR YOUR INFORMATION

### NEW ACCESSIONS

#### OHIO HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Recent accessions of the Ohio Historical Society include a diary (January 1-September 25, 1862) kept by Isaac W. Leonard while serving with the 49th Ohio Volunteer Infantry; a two-page holograph document (January 24, 1799) certifying the results of the first election held in the Northwest Territory, written and signed by William Henry Harrison, secretary of the territory; a six-page holograph copy of the Standing Rules and Orders of the House of Representatives of the Northwest Territory (November 25, 1801) signed by Edward Tiffin, Speaker of the House; journals (1981-1987) of the Ohio Hazardous Waste Facility Approval Board; minutes (1983-1986) of the State Employment Relations Board; and director's files (1957-1983) of the Department of Rehabilitation and Correction.

### ET CETERA

**Public record legislation introduced.** Legislation addressing a variety of public records issues was introduced last March in the Ohio House of Representatives. The bill (HB 696) is the latest and most ambitious of several recent legislative proposals that would revise and expand the scope of Ohio's existing public records laws. Among a number of other provisions, HB 696, which is currently before a subcommittee of the House Ethics and Standards Committee, allows for the request of public records by mail, requires that custodians of public records respond to such requests within ten business days of their receipt, and provides for the award of statutory damages in cases of noncompliance. The proposed legislation also prohibits custodians from requesting that those wishing to use public records present personal identification, sets the cost that a public office or custodian may charge for the copying of a record, and specifically addresses the issue of copying records held in electronic format.

**Records board presses initiative.** The Ohio Historical Records Advisory Board (OHRAB) met four times since the beginning of the year to refine and to facilitate implementation of "The Ohio 2003 Draft Plan," an organic document that outlines a series of strategic goals and objectives designed to foster the state's records program. Information on these discussions, as well as an update of other activities of the board, may be had by writing the Ohio Historical Society's Archives/Library Division (1982 Velma Ave., Columbus, Ohio 43211) or by calling the division at (614) 297-2510.

**Preservation agenda reviewed.** During April and May, five regional forums offered Ohioans an opportunity to participate actively in a major statewide preservation planning effort. Participants at the meetings, which were sponsored by the Ohio Historical Society and The State Library of Ohio, discussed a preliminary draft of the "Ohio Model Preservation Action Agenda," which, in its final form, will serve as a priority and strategy document for future preservation initiatives in the state. The public meetings were part of a twenty-two-month study funded by a \$49,279 grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. Those wishing additional information on current preservation activities in Ohio are encouraged to contact the Archives/Library Division of the Ohio Historical Society.

**Historical society included in capital appropriation.** On June 13 Ohio Governor George Voinovich signed HB 790, the \$1.76 billion capital appropriation bill for the state's 1995-1996 biennium. The Ohio Historical Society will receive \$14.3 million over the next two years, with the funds - the bulk of which will be raised through the issuance of bonds - going toward new interpretative programs, library and state archives automation, and the upgrade and reconfiguration of museum and records storage facilities.

**Grant funds awarded.** The Ohio Historical Society's Archives/Library Division recently received grants from the Nationwide Foundation of Columbus (\$60,000) and the Reinberger Foundation of Cleveland (\$128,000). The funds will be used to establish a digital imaging program. The society's Youngstown Historical Center of Industry and Labor also received a pledge of \$25,000 from the Pollack Company of Youngstown. The gift will underwrite the cost of reboxing and duplicating the company's photo archives which are now stored at the center.

**Newspaper project funding received.** The National Endowment for the Humanities recently awarded a grant of \$430,000 to the Ohio Historical Society. The funds, which will be administered by the society's Archives/Library Division, will support microfilming activities of the Ohio Newspaper Project through March 1996. During that time, project staff will film newspaper files held by repositories in central, northeastern, and southwestern Ohio. Among the larger and more significant runs recently microfilmed by the project were two German-language newspapers, the Fremont Courier, 1859-1907, and Der Deutsche Beobachter, 1869-1910, published in New Philadelphia.

**Bicentennial planning underway.** A bill (SB 208), which establishes the Ohio Bicentennial Commission, was recently passed by both houses of the Ohio General Assembly and signed by Governor Voinovich. The commission will be responsible for developing and implementing plans leading toward the 2003 celebration of the bicentennial of Ohio statehood.

## PERSONNEL

JOHN GRABOWSKI, formerly Curator of Manuscripts in the Western Reserve Historical Society's Library, has been promoted to Director of Research for the entire Western Reserve Historical Society.

A. JOSEPH ZAWATSKI has been appointed to the newly-created position of Director, Crawford Auto-Aviation Museum.

DR. W. RAY LUCE of Columbus, (835 McDonnell Dr., Gahanna), Ohio, is the new president of the National Conference of State Historical Preservation Officers (NCSHPO). Luce, who serves as Ohio's state historic preservation officer, is chief of the Ohio Historical Preservation Office, a division of the Ohio Historical Society.

Established in 1969, the NCSHPO represents state historic preservation officers from all 50 states, the District of Columbia, and the U.S. territories. A non-profit organization headquartered in Washington, D.C., its purpose is to support the National Historic Preservation Act and provide a forum for historic preservation program administrators at the state and federal levels.

Luce came to Ohio in 1981 from Washington, D.C., after seven years as a historian for the National Register of Historic Places, a program of the National Park Service.

He has written and lectured on history, architecture, and historic preservation, is the author of a book on the Supreme Court Case Cohens v. Virginia, and is coauthor of the National Register of Historic Places bulletin Guidelines for Evaluating and Nominating properties That Have Achieved Significance Within the Last Fifty Years. Luce is also the author of a chapter on Orson Squire Fowler, 19th century American advocate of octagonal houses, published in Master Builders: A Guide to Famous American Architects, and "Squaring the Circle: Octagonal Architecture" in the December 1989-January 1990 issue of the magazine Timeline.

He has taught classes in historic preservation and architectural history at The Ohio State University, and has been a guest lecturer at several other universities. Luce served as a teaching instructor at the University of Virginia, where he earned his Ph.D. in History, and at

Brigham Young University, where he earned B.S. and M.A. degrees in History.

An honorary trustee of the Ohio Preservation Alliance, Luce is a member of the Historic Preservation Committee of the National Council on Public History, the 2003 Committee in Dayton, the Community Advisory Board to the Junior League of Columbus, and the Exploring Committee of the Central Ohio Council, Boy Scouts of America.

## PUBLICATIONS

The Cleveland Archival Roundtable (CAR) announces the publication of an illustrated guide to over 30 archival institutions and collections in the greater Cleveland area and Northeast Ohio. The holdings of these institutions document all aspects of community life including culture, industry, medicine, government, education, religion and business. The aim of the guide is to raise awareness of these primary source materials in an area covering five counties. Increased awareness and use can only serve to heighten appreciation and stimulate interest in the historical heritage and resources of a major American metropolitan area.

Each of the entries in the guide contains information on location, contact persons, hours, restrictions and descriptions of holdings of over 30 archival repositories. This resource is a valuable tool for scholars, researchers, students, genealogists, and all who share an interest in history.

To obtain a copy of the Guide to Archives in Northeastern Ohio, please contact Anthony W.C. Phelps, 10109 Lake Avenue, #304, Cleveland, Ohio 44102-1262 [216/281-7890.] The cost of the guide is \$5.00 (includes postage and handling). Checks should be made payable to **Cleveland Archival Roundtable**.

The Cleveland Archival Roundtable (CAR), founded in 1989, is an organization of archivists, historians, and other interested in preserving and promoting the rich historical resources of greater Cleveland and the area of northeast Ohio known as the Western Reserve. CAR meets three times a year to share areas of mutual interest and concern and to promote professional cooperation. A highlight of each meeting is a tour of the host institution and its archival facilities. For further information, please contact Anthony W.C. Phelps, [216/281-7890].

## CLIO'S CORNER

### Collegians Look at the Past

..."Shoeless" Joe Jackson had a swing other super-stars of the time studied and tried to imitate.

...General Patton read among other things the *Lays of Ancient Rome*.

...The Iroquois fought back when Europeans attempted to cristianize them.

...At the state government it was run as a bicameral.

...The Intolerable Acts were produced because Boston threw the tea into the Hudson Bay.

...During the Depression bread lines became a very popular sight.

...12,000 Cuban defectives landed at the Bay of Pigs.

...Karl Barth wrote a study of Paul's Writings to the Epistles.

...Vincent Van Gogh ended his life by shooting himself in the hospital.

...FDR developed "The Raw Deal.."

...The Mooors invaded Spain through the Adriatic Sea.

...(An Insight) I'm not sure if the problems of disaster that lurk in the shadows are because of the advancement that has been made or from man himself.

## POSITION VACANCIES

### YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

**HISTORIC PRESERVATION.** Youngstown State University. Full-time, tenure-track position, pending budget approval, to continue developing a historic preservation program and to teach basic courses in historic preservation. May teach U.S. survey. Ph.D. in history or American studies required; experience in historic preservation/public history preferred. Assistant professor rank, appointment beginning September 15, 1995. Send letter of application, c.v., transcript and three recent letters of recommendation to William D. Jenkins, Chair, Department of History, Youngstown State University, Youngstown, OH 44555. Review of applicants will begin on November 15, 1994. Interviews will be scheduled for the AHA convention. AA/EOE.

**AFRICAN HISTORY/BLACK STUDIES.** Youngstown State University. Full-time, tenure-track position to teach courses in African history and Black Studies program. May teach World Civilization courses. Ph.D. in African history or African Studies required; experience in teaching preferred. Assistant professor rank, appointment beginning September 15, 1995. Send letter of application, c.v., transcript and three recent letters of recommendation to William D. Jenkins, Chair, Department of History, Youngstown State University, Youngstown, OH 44555. Review of applicants will begin on November 15, 1994. Interviews will be scheduled for the AHA convention. AA/EOE.

**AFRICAN AMERICAN HISTORY.** Youngstown State University. Full-time, tenure-track position, pending budget approval, to teach courses in African American history; secondary field in either 20th century U.S. history or American legal and constitutional history expected. May teach U.S. survey and/or introductory course in Black Studies program. Ph.D. in African American history required; experience in teaching preferred. Assistant professor rank, appointment beginning September 15, 1995. Send letter of application, c.v., transcript and three recent letters of recommendation to William D. Jenkins, Chair, Department of History, Youngstown State University, Youngstown, OH 44555. Review of applicants will begin on November 15, 1994. Interviews will be scheduled for the AHA convention. AA/EOE.

## DEATHS

**HARRY F. LUPOLD**, Professor of History at Lakeland Community College for twenty years and an adjunct professor at John Carroll University and Notre Dame College for Women, died last March after a lengthy struggle against cancer. Born in Treverton, Pa., he served three years in the army (two with the Security Agency in Ethiopia) before beginning his collegiate career. Mr. Lupold earned a bachelor's degree in history from Marietta College and taught in the Willoughby-Eastlake school district for seven years. During that time he earned a master's degree from Western Reserve University. He undertook additional graduate work at Kent State University and Wooster College of Oxford University, England.

Despite his heavy responsibilities in the classroom, Mr. Lupold found time to author The Latch String is Out, a history of Lake County, Ohio and The Forgotten People: The Woodland Erie. As well, he contributed to and edited other works. Lupold was the first representative from a two-year college to be elected to the Executive Council of the Ohio Academy of History and later served as president of the organization.

Surviving are his wife Kathryn; a daughter, Linda S. Yamada of Tucson, Arizona; his mother Bernice of Treverton, Pa.; two grandchildren; a brother; and a sister.

**DAVID C. ROLLER** who had been a member of the history faculty at Bowling Green for twenty nine years died in January. His interests were the political, economic, and intellectual history of the late 19th and early 20th century U.S.

He was co-author and editor of The Encyclopedia of Southern History, which was selected by Choice in 1980 for its list of best books. His great passions were the mind, students, and the Cleveland Indians. His creativeness, openness to colleagues, and sense of humor are deeply missed.

**OPHIA D. SMITH**, former Oxford resident and widely recognized researcher and historian, died at her home in Los Altos, Calif., on Feb. 23 just four days past her 103rd birthday.

Born in Walnut Grove, Mo., Mrs. Smith attended Drury College and the Kansas City Conservatory of Music and married William Ernest Smith in Springfield, Mo., on July 22, 1916. The Smiths moved to Oxford when Dr. W.E. Smith joined the faculty of Miami University, where he would remain for 36 years, serving as history department chair, head of the graduate school and research professor before his retirement in 1962.

Books by Mrs. Smith include, Fair Oxford, Old Oxford Houses, Giles Richards and His Times, and several works on which she collaborated with Dr. W.E. Smith. They were honored by the Ohioana Library Association in 1949 and their final joint work was the three-volume History of Southwestern Ohio: The Miami Valleys, published in 1964. Following Dr. Smith's retirement, the Smiths spent winters with their son, Joseph W. Smith, in California, and after Dr. Smith's death in 1969, Mrs. Smith moved there permanently. She returned to Oxford several times, including in 1976, when a revised edition of Old Oxford Houses was released.

Not only an historian, but also a skilled researcher, Mrs. Smith's efforts contributed to a number of Dr. Smith's publications as well. In the family name and as a tribute to Dr. W.E. Smith, Mrs. Smith and her son contributed the initial challenge grant as well as subsequent support monies for The Smith Library of Regional History, an archival and research department of the Oxford Branch of Lane Public Library.

Mrs. Smith is survived by her son, Joseph William "Joe Bill" Smith, with whom she made her home at 235 Lyell St., Los Altos, Calif. 94022.

## AROUND AND ABOUT THE PROFESSION

In January the history department of The University of Toledo assumed the editorship of the Northwest Ohio Quarterly, a journal that focuses on Ohio history and the old northwest. The quarterly, which began as a bulletin in January 1929, is a joint publication of the Maumee Valley Historical Society, the Toledo-Lucas County Public Library, and The University of Toledo. Dr. Charles N. Glaab and Dr. Diane F. Britton, professors in the history department, are serving as the Quarterly's new editors. The first issue under their editorship is Volume 65, No. 4/Volume 66, No. 1, Fall 1993/Winter 1994.

The journal appeals to a wide audience with various tastes and the editors hope to reach all of its constituents with new and provocative articles and features. "Northwest Ohio" is defined in broad terms, both as a region and as a historical field. The editors are looking for quality manuscripts, based on sound historical research, that may be of interest to the readers of the Northwest Ohio Quarterly. Authors are asked to submit three double-spaced copies of their manuscript prepared in accordance with the Chicago Manual of Style.

The editors are also interested in publishing documents of local significance and in receiving books to review. All submission and inquiries should be directed to the editors, Northwest Ohio Quarterly, Department of History, The University of Toledo, Toledo, Ohio 43606.



On April 29th the Department of History at Bowling Green University held its annual workshop for public school teachers. The workshop was attended by 70 teachers from Northwest Ohio and was split fairly evenly between elementary and secondary levels. The sessions were on: Women's History, Military History, Middle Ages, Asian History, British History, and The Middle East. The sessions dealt with both the latest scholarship in the various fields, but also on group discussion as to ways to present the topics in interesting and meaningful ways to students.

This past summer the Department of History offered three week long workshops for teachers and graduate students. The topics covered were: Hollywood and History: Framing Images of the American Past Through Movies, Russia and East Europe in Transition, and The U.S. Constitution: Origins and Impact. The three workshops attracted approximately fifteen students each.

One of Miami University's 1993-94 Dissertation Scholars, Susan Eacker, was awarded the Walter Prescott Webb Award for her work "'A Dangerous Inmate' of the Old South: Louisa McCord in Gender and Slavery." Her work will be published in a forthcoming volume in the Walter Prescott Webb Memorial Lecture Series.

The Departments of History and English at Youngstown State University will co-sponsor an interdisciplinary conference, June 9-11, 1995, on Working Class Lives/Working Class Studies. The conference will examine personal experiences and social and political strategies of the American working class from the past to the present. It will also discuss the practical directions working class life may take in the future. The conference organizers seek academic and non-academic papers, artwork, fiction, poetry and other representations of American working class life and culture for both formal and informal presentations, discussion and/or performance. Presenters should send abstract of between 250-500 words describing their project and some suggestion for the format in which it might be best presented. Proposals for panel session are also welcome. Deadline for proposals is January 15, 1995. Address correspondence to Dr. Bill Mullen or Dr. Linda Strom, English Dept., or Dr. William Jenkins, History Dept., Youngstown State University, Youngstown, OH 44555-0001.

Students from every state walked across the stage at the national contest's award ceremony to honor the founder of National History Day.

Dr. David Van Tassel, the program's creator, announced his retirement as president of the NHD Board of Trustees in June. To show appreciation for the almost four million students the program has reached, student representatives from each state presented Van Tassel with state-significant gifts.

Van Tassel's program began as a small contest with 129 students in Cleveland and developed into one of the best educational programs for students today. Last year alone, 400,000 students participated in History Day in 48 states and the District of Columbia.

After Case Western Reserve University lost its education department in 1971, Van Tassel wanted to find a way to continue to reach the Cleveland teachers and students.

He designed the competition so that any student could participate and learn--either individually or in a group, and within a medium that best complements the student's ability.

Van Tassel says his vision was to get his students to "re-enforce their ability to assess and put together elements of a story and communicate them in a logical fashion to the general public."

But the best part of the program for him is "seeing the excitement and enthusiasm that students have," he said. "Especially at the awards ceremony--it is infectious in its enthusiasm."

David Van Tassel has shown his excitement and enthusiasm for history as well. In addition to teaching at Case Western Reserve University, he has produced a significant record of scholarly publications. He is the author of twenty major articles in leading scholarly

journals, including The American Historical Review, Mississippi Valley Historical Review, and the Journal of American History.

He is also the author or editor of more than a dozen books on subjects as diverse as American thought and cultural life, aging and the elderly, Cleveland history, and the history of historical studies and organizations.

He has received recognition from his peers for this impressive scholarly record by being named a Guggenheim Fellow and elected vice-president of the American Historical Association. In 1988, he was awarded the National Endowment for the Humanities' prestigious Frankel Prize for his work with NHD.

Dr. Van Tassel will remain a part of History Day as President Emeritus. We look forward to his continued participation in National History Day.

David J. Goldberg, of Cleveland State University recently presented a full day workshop on "History and Myths in Cleveland," as part of the Ohio Humanities Council Institute for Cleveland teachers. In addition Thomas Hartshorne developed a new core course for the American Studies Minor entitled "An Introduction to American Studies."

## RETIREMENTS

### KENT STATE UNIVERSITY

**LOUIS PATRAS**, Professor of History, who received the doctoral degree from Ohio State and taught on the State Regional campus since 1963, retired on July 1, 1994. Interested in European socialism he published monographs and articles on the subject, including a biography of Jean Grave. His study of Grave and the anarchist tradition in France will appear in 1995.

**YEH-CHIEN (JEAN) WANG**, Professor of History, who joined the Kent campus faculty in 1968, also retired effective July 1. Awarded the doctoral degree in History and Far Eastern Languages by Harvard, he has specialized in Chinese economic history, writing numerous books and articles on the subject. Among the important monographs to his credit are Land Taxation in Imperial China, 1750-1911 (1973) and The Development of Money and Banking in China, 1644-1937 (1981).

### UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

Associate Professor **DAVID L. STERLING** joined the faculty of the University of Cincinnati in 1964. His field of concentration is U.S. Constitutional History. He taught hundreds of students in the survey classes in American History, and received the Cohen Award from the University for distinguished teaching. His most recent publication was as co-editor of a volume entitled I Belong to the Working Class: The Unfinished Autobiography of Rose Pastor Stokes published by the University of Georgia Press. Over the years he published articles in such journals as the William and Mary Quarterly, New York Historical Society Quarterly, Ohio History, the Journal of Public Law, and the Indiana Magazine of History.

### WITTENBERG UNIVERSITY

Professor **ALBERT A. HAYDEN**, who joined the Wittenberg faculty in 1995, is retiring at the end of this academic year following a career of rich service to Wittenberg and to the entire field of history. A graduate of the University of Illinois (BA, 1950), Bucknell University (MA, 1952) and the University of Wisconsin (Ph.D., 1959), he is author of New South Wales Immigration Policy, 1856-1900, as well as numerous articles, essays and reviews on British and Irish history. Since 1973, he has been the managing editor of Studies in British History and Culture, a monograph series of the North American Conference on British Studies. He has served also for two

decades as the Wittenberg History Department's prelaw and graduate school advisor, directing numerous students as they have moved into the professional world. Highly regarded on campus as a demanding yet deeply caring teacher, he has become particularly well known across the year for his reading colloquium, *The Irish Question*. Professor Hayden has for year been one of the most active members of the Ohio Academy of History--a fact that earned him the Distinguished Service Award at the 1994 spring meeting.

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### BOWLING GREEN STATE UNIVERSITY

Lillian Ashcraft-Eason

"African American Christians During the Colonial Era" in Encyclopedia of African American Religions, edited by Leroy G. Murphy, et al. New York: Garland Publishing, Inc. 1993. 193-202.

"Mythic Images of African Women in Marriage and Society Prior to the Trans-Atlantic Slave Trade," IFC Annals of the Institute of Cultural Studies, No. 4, 1993. 83-87.

Edward Chen

"Colonialism" Entry in Japan, an Illustrated Encyclopedia. Tokyo: Kachansha Ltd., 1993.

Lawrence Daly

"The Meeting of the Militia at Mytilene in 427 B.C." in Alpha to Omega: Studies in Honor of George John Szember, edited by W.J. Cherf. Chicago: Ares Publishers, 1993. 43-57.

James H. Forse

Art Imitates Business: Commercial and Political Differences in Elizabethan Theatre. Bowling Green: Bowling Green State University Popular Press, 1993.

Kenneth F. Kiple

"The Ecology of Disease" in Companion Encyclopedia of the History of Medicine, edited by W.F. Bynum and Roy Porter. London: Routledge, 1993.

"African-American Medicine" in Encyclopedia of the North American Colonies, edited by Jacob E. Cooke, New York: Scribners, 1993.

Scott C. Martin

"Temperance and Drinking" in Encyclopedia of Social History. New York: Garland Publishing, Inc., 1993.

Don Karl Rowney

"The Size, Authority, and Personnel of the New Industrial Commissariate in Historical Context" in Social Dimensions of Soviet Industrialization. Edited by W.G. Rosenberg and L.H. Siegelbauer. Bloomington: Indiana University Press, 1993.

### CASE WESTERN RESERVE UNIVERSITY

Patsy Gerstner recently published a biography on David Rogers.

Morrell Heald, Professor Emeritus has published an essay in the American National Biography on "John Gunther."

Alan Rocke recently published The Quiet Revolution: Hermann Kolbe and the Science of Organic Chemistry.

Jonathan Sadowsky published the article, "The Confinements of Isaac O.: A Case of Acute Mania in Colonial Nigeria," in the History of Psychiatry.

### CINCINNATI BIBLE COLLEGE & SEMINARY

James B. North published Union in Truth: An Interpretive History of the Restoration Movement (Cincinnati: Standard Publishing Company of Cincinnati).

### CLEVELAND STATE UNIVERSITY

James Borchert published "Culture of Poverty," and "Underclass" in the Encyclopedia of Social History (Garland Publishing) and "Visual Analysis of a Streetcar Suburb" in Seeing and Believing: Essays on the Interpretation of Cultural Landscapes (Yale University Press). His co-authored book Lakewood: The First Hundred Years will soon appear in a revised edition.

David J. Goldberg published "Ethnicity and Community," in Pathways. He has published an article entitled "Richard Feiss, Mary Barnett Gilson and Scientific Management at Joseph and Feiss, 1900-1925" in a Mental Revolution: Scientific Management Since Taylor (Ohio State University Press). His essay "Immigrant Workers and Labor Organization: Lawrence, Massachusetts and Passaic, New Jersey, 1912-1926," will appear in a volume published by Garland Press.

Thomas Hartshorne is editor of The Social Fabric, 7th ed., (Harper Collins) with John Cary, Julius Weinberg and Robert Wheeler.

Harry W. Langworthy published several articles including "Joseph Booth, God's Law and Man's Law," Proceedings of Conference on Christian Missionaries and the State in the Third World (London, James Currey) and "Notes in Northern Rhodesia cancellations on British South Africa Company Stamps," Rhodesia Study Circle Bulletin (U.K.)

Lee A. Makela published "Alien Land Law of 1913," "Alien Land Law of 1920," Reischauer, Edwin O., and "McClatchy, Valentine S." in Asian American Encyclopedia (Salem Press) and "The National Origins Act of 1924" in Asian American and Congress: A Documentary History (Greenwood Press).

Roger B. Manning has published Hunters and Poachers: A Cultural And Social History of Unlawful Hunting in England (Oxford University Press) and "Unlawful Hunting in England, 1500-1640" Journal of Forest and Conservation History. Six articles will appear in The Historical Dictionary of Stuart England (Greenwood Press).

Joyce M. Mastboom published "Agriculture, Technology and Industrialization: The Textile Sector in the Netherlands, 1830-1860" Rural History: Economy, Society, Culture and "Guild or Union?: A Case Study of Rural Dutch Weavers, 1682-1750" International Review of Social History.

Deborah L. Pearl published "Tsar and Religion in Russian Revolutionary Propaganda" Russian History and "Educating Workers for Revolution: Populist Propaganda in St. Petersburg, 1879-1881" Russian History which was selected for inclusion in



Articles on Russian and Soviet History 1500-1990 (Garland Publishing), an anthology of the most significant recent research in Russian history.

Allan Peskin published "James A. Garfield," "Winfield Scott Hancock," and "Charles J. Guiteau" Encyclopedia of the American Presidency and has many articles in press including "Lee Has Escaped! Civil War Letters of Lt. Col. James H. Campbell, 39th Regiment, Pennsylvania Militia Infantry" (Pennsylvania History), "James A. Garfield" Encyclopedia of the United States Congress, and "James A. Garfield" American National Biography. He published a book, Volunteers: The Mexican War Journals of Private Richard Coulter and Sergeant Thomas Barclay, Company E 2nd Pennsylvania Infantry (Kent State University Press).

Donald Ramos published "From Minho to Minas: The Portuguese Roots of the Brazilian Family" Hispanic American Historical Review.

Timothy J. Runyan published "The Navy" and "Ships and Shipbuilding" Encyclopedia of Medieval England (Garland Publishing) as well as "Preserving Great Lakes History: The Case of the William G. Mather" Bermuda Journal of Maritime History and Archaeology, "Wine and War: The Anglo-Gascon Wine Trade in the Later Middle Ages," Maritime Food Transport (Cologne, Bohlau Verlag), "Naval Logistics in the Late Middle Ages: The Example of the Hundred Years War," in Feeding Mars: Logistics in Western Warfare from the Middle Ages to the Present (Westview Press), and co-edited To Die Gallantly: The Battle of the Atlantic (Westview Press), a selection of the Military Book Club.

William I. Shorrock published "Habib Bourguiba" and "Franz Omar Fanon" The World Book Encyclopedia.

Joyce Thomas published "The Protest Against 'Insult': Black Soldiers, World War II, and the 'War' for 'Democracy' at Home in Felton Best" (Edwin Mellen Press).

Robert A. Wheeler completed a new edition of The Social Fabric: American Life from 1607 to 1877, 7th ed., (Harper Collins) and completed a revision of Cleveland: A Concise History, 1796-1990 (Indiana University Press).

#### CUYAHOGA COMMUNITY COLLEGE - WESTERN CAMPUS

Donna L. Van Raaphorst prepared Document Exercise Workbook to Accompany World Civilization by William J. Duiker and Jackson J. Spielvogel, Vol. I: To 1800 (St. Paul: West Educational Publishing Company) and Document Exercise Workbook to Accompany World Civilization by William J. Duiker and Jackson J. Spielvogel, Vol. II: Since 1500 (St. Paul: West Educational Publishing Company).

#### KENT STATE UNIVERSITY

Frank L. Byrne wrote eleven entries (including the major articles on prisons and prisoners of war) for Richard N. Current, et al., eds., Encyclopedia of the Confederacy (1993).

Felix Ekechi published "The Medical Factor in Christian Conversion in Africa: Observations from Southeastern Nigeria," in Missiology: An International Review, XXI, No. 3 (July 1993).

Jerome Friedman published The Battle of the Frogs and airford's Flies: Miracles and the Pulp Press During the English Revolution with St. Martin's Press in New York and, under separate publication, Miracles and the Pulp Press During the English Revolution: The Battle of the Frogs and Fairford's Flies with University College Press, London.

Leonne M. Hudson published "Gustavus W. Smith and the Battle of Seven Pines" in Confederate Veteran (March-April 1993).

William Kenney's Chicago Jazz: A Cultural History was republished in a new edition by Books for the Blind.

Hongshan Li published "The Modernization of the Chinese People" in The Chinese Intellectual.

S. Victor Papacosma edited Problems of Transition: From Communism to Democracy, Lemnitzer Center Occasional Paper No. 2.

Louis Patras, with Russell L. Ensign, edited Challenging Social Injustice: Essays on Socialism and the Devaluation of the Human Spirit (Lewiston, New York: Edwin Mellon Press, 1993), one of the eight articles was authored by him, "Faces of American and English Utopianism in the Last Two Centuries"; and Louis Patouras (ed.), Debating Marx (Lewiston, New York: Edwin Mellon Press, 1994).

Julio César Pino published "Notes on Teaching Comparative Modern Latin American History," The History Teacher 27:1 (November 1993) and "Teaching Radical History: History of Civilization," Radical History Review, No. 58 (Spring, 1994).

Robert P. Swierenga has published "The Delayed Transition from Folk to Labor Migration: The Netherlands, 1880-1920," International Migration Review 27 (Summer 1993); "Samuel Myer Isaacs: The Dutch Rabbi of New York City," American Jewish Archives 44 (Fall/Winter 1992); "Captain De Groot's Account of the Tragic Voyage of the April, Amsterdam to New Castle, 1817-1818," The Palatine Emigrant 18 (March 1993), 82-91; "A Partial Passenger List of the Dutch Ship April to New Castle, Delaware, June, 1817," in *ibid.*, 76-81; and "Identifying and Using Historical Materials: View from the Classroom" (with Jane A. Rosenberg), in Charles D'Aniello, ed., Teaching Bibliographic Skills in History: A Sourcebook for Historians and Librarians (Westport, CT: Greenwood Press, 1993).

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David L. Johns, "Everett L. Cattell and the Formation of the Institutional Identity of Malone College," Chapter Four in David Johns, editor, Hope and a Future (Richmond, IN.: Friends United, 1993).

John W. Oliver, editor, J. Walter Malone: The Autobiography of an Evangelical Quaker (Lanham, MD.: University Press of America, 1993); and "The Formation of a Training School in Cleveland, Ohio: Urban Culture, Gender, the Poor, and Praxis," Chapter Three in Hope and a Future (Richmond, IN.: Friends United, 1993).

#### MIAMI UNIVERSITY

Andrew R.L. Cayton, Elizabeth Perry, and Allan M. Winkler, America: Pathways to the Present, Prentice Hall, 1994.

David M. Fahey, The Black Lodge in White America: "True Reformer" Browne and His Economic Strategy, Wright State University Press, 1994.

Michael O'Brien, "Getting at Jefferson," Times Literary Supplement, January 21, 1994.

Carl Pletsch (with A. Dwight Baldwin, Jr., and Judith de Luce), editor and contributor, Beyond Preservation: Restoring and Inventing Landscapes, University of Minnesota Press, 1994.

George Vascik, "Diederich Hahn and the Politics of Radical Agrarianism, 1859-1918," Between Reform, Reaction, and Resistance: Studies in the History of German Conservation from 1789 to the Present, edited by Larry Eugene Jones and James Retallack, Berg Press, 1993; and, "The Hindenburg Plan, 1916," Great Events from History: Business and Commerce, Salem Press, 1994.

Edwin Yamauchi, "Cyrus," "Darius I," "Nebuchadnezzar II," and "Xerxes" in Historic World Leaders, edited by Anne Commire, Gale Research Inc., 1994; and "Pergamon Library" in Encyclopedia of Library History, edited by W.A. Wiegand and D.G. Davis, Garland Publishing, 1994.

#### UNIVERSITY OF AKRON

A. Martin Wainwright published Inheritance of Empire: Britain, India, and the Balance of Power in Asia, 1938-1955 (Westport, CT: Praeger Publishers, 1994).

#### UNIVERSITY OF CINCINNATI

Daniel Beaver has published "Logistics", in John Jessup (ed), The Encyclopedia of the American Military, Scribners (1994).

John Brackett published "The Florentine Onesta and the Control of Prostitution, 1403- 1680," Sixteenth Century Journal (Summer 1993).

Roger Daniels has published "United States Policy Towards Asian Immigrants: Contemporary Development in Historical Perspective," International Journal (1993).

Joanne Meyerowitz published an edited anthology, Not June Cleaver: Women and Gender in Postwar America, 1945-1960, Temple University Press (1994).

James Murray has published two articles in The Legal History Review, "The Profession of Notary Public in Medieval Flanders," and "Notaries Public in Flanders" (1993). He has also published "the Liturgy of the Count's Advent in Bruges from Galbert to Van Eyck," in City and Spectacle in Medieval Europe, University of Minnesota Press (1994).

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Britton, Diane F. and J.D. Britton, eds., History Outreach: Programs for Museums, Historical Organizations, and Academic History Departments, Krieger Publishing Co., 1994.

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Charles Chatfield, professor of history, coedited (with Ruzanna Iluhina, professor of history at Moscow University) Peace/Mir: An Anthology of Historic Alternatives to War, published by Syracuse University Press in April 1994. The book also was published in January 1994 in a Russian edition by Nauka Press. This represents an unprecedented collaboration between American and Russian scholars in both the research and the joint publication. The volume has been underway since Professor Chatfield's participation in 1987 in an international conference in Moscow, The Idea of Peace in History, Past and Present.

Professor Chatfield is guest editor of the spring 1994 issue of the Magazine of History, published by the Organization of American Historians. The issue, which carries the annual National History Day supplement, is dedicated this year to the theme, "Peacemaking in American History."

#### WRIGHT STATE UNIVERSITY

Edward F. Haas contributed an essay on Mayor Robert Sidney Maestri of New Orleans to the Dictionary of American Biography. He has also had book reviews published recently in the American Historical Review and the Journal of Southern History.

#### YOUNGSTOWN STATE UNIVERSITY

Fred Blue. Charles Sumner and the Conscience of the North. Harlan Davidson, 1994. Part of the American biography series.

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## CALENDAR

October 6-9, 1994 "The Architecture of Community: Religious, Social, and Economic Dimensions" is the theme for the twenty-first annual Communal Studies Conference, which will be held at the Oneida Mansion House in Oneida, NY. For more information, contact Mark Weimer, Program Chair, E.S. Bird Library, Syracuse University, Syracuse, NY 13244-2010. (315) 443-2697.

Oct. 7 - "The History of Northeastern Pennsylvania: The Last 100 Years" will be held at Luzerne County Community College, in Nanticoke, PA. The college's social science/history department will sponsor the conference. Contact: Sheldon Spear, Luzerne County Community College, 1333 S. Prospect St., Nanticoke, PA 18634-3899. (717) 821-1511.

Oct. 7-8 - The Midwest Popular Culture Association and the Midwest American Culture Association (MPCA/MACA) will hold their annual meeting in Pittsburgh. For general information about MPCA or MACA, contact: Carl B. Holmberg, Executive Secretary, MPCA/MACA, Popular Culture Dept., Bowling Green State University, Bowling Green, OH 43404. (419) 372-8172. E-mail: cholm be @ andy. bgsu. edu.

Oct. 13-15 - The Midwestern American Society for Eighteenth Century Studies will meet at Illinois State University in Normal, IL. For more information, contact: Richard H. Dammers, Department of English, 4240 Illinois State University, Normal, IL 61790-4240.

Oct. 13-16 - The 19th Conference of the Society for Utopian Studies will be held in Toronto. SUS is an international, interdisciplinary organization devoted to the study of literary, social, and communal expressions of utopianism. Contact: Kenneth Roemer, Dept. of English, University of Texas, Arlington, TX 76019-0035. (817) 273-2692.

Oct. 14-15 - The Midwest Medieval History Association will hold its annual meeting at Wright State University in Dayton, Ohio. Contact: Martin Arbagi or Katherine J. Workman, Dept. of History, Wright State University, Dayton, OH 45435.

Oct. 20-23 - The 20th Annual Byzantine Studies Conference will be held at the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. For more information contact: Ellen Schwartz, Dept. of Art, Eastern Michigan University, Ypsilanti, MI 48197 (313) 487-1213 or Rudi Linder, Dept. of History, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, MI 48109 (313) 763-2290.

Oct. 22 - The New England Historical Association will hold its fall meeting at the University of Hartford, in West Hartford, Conn. For general information contact: Peter Holloran, NEHA Executive Secretary, Pine Manor College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02167.

Oct. 27-29 - The Midwest Conference on British Studies will hold its 1994 meeting in Toronto in conjunction with the Sixteenth-Century Studies Association conference. Contact: Marji Morgan, Dept. of History, Southern Illinois University, Carbon-dale, IL 62901-4519.

Nov. 3-6 - The Group for Early Modern Cultural Studies (GEMCS) will hold its second annual meeting in Rochester, NY. GEMCS provides a forum for alternative inquiries into all aspects of early modern culture and society. Contact: Thomas DiPiero, Dept. of Modern Languages and Cultures, 303 Gavet Hall, University of Rochester, Rochester, NY 14627.

Nov. 4-5 - The 1994 Ohio Association of Historical Societies and Museums Annual Meeting, Ohio Historical Center, Columbus, Ohio. The theme for this year's meeting is "Celebrating Significant Events: Marking the Passage of Time." For more information call (614) 297-2340.

March 30- April 1, 1995 - The Renaissance Society of America will hold its annual meeting in New York City. For more information contact: Laura Schwartz, Renaissance Society of America, 24 W. 12th St. New York, NY 10011. (212) 998-3797. FAX (212) 995-4205.

May 11-14 - The American Association for the History of Medicine will hold its 1995 meeting at the University of Pittsburgh. Call for abstracts by Oct. 15, 1994. Papers may focus on any subject in the history of medicine but must represent original work not already published or in press. For information about abstract requirements, write Mary Lindemann, Chair, Program Committee, History Dept., Carnegie Mellon University, Pittsburgh, PA 15213. For conference information contact: Jonathan Erlen, Local Arrangements Chair, 123 Northview Dr., Pittsburgh, PA 15209.

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