

# News From History Departments

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*This column of news about the activities of History Departments and their members across the country is a new feature of the CHA Newsletter. As part of the CHA's commitment to keep its members in touch with developments within the historical profession and among Canadian universities and colleges, we plan to publish this column regularly. A supplementary column with more news on history departments will follow in the next issue. Our thanks to all of those who responded to our requests for information.*

**Acadia** has appointed D. Baldwin to a tenure-track position in Canadian, and G. Gerrits (European), J. Snowdon (Canadian), and D. Jones (military) for a limited term. B. Moody is on sabbatical leave this year. Brian Jenkins has become Assoc. Dean, Humanities, at **Bishop's**, where limited-term appointments have been made in Canadian social (C. Fish), Canadian/U.S. social & intellectual (L. Harvey), and British social (M. Childs). Robin Burns is on sabbatical.

**Brandon** has promoted A.B. Pernal and J.M. Skinner to professor. W.R. Morrison (who has a SSHRC research time stipend and is spending the year at Victoria) has resigned to accept a position at Lakehead. Brandon has appointed P. Krats for a limited term in Canadian/Canadian North/U.S., and expects to make a tenure-track appointment in that specialty this year. Yifeng Zhao, Northeast Normal University, Changchun, China, is visiting professor, teaching Chinese history & civilization. **Brock** expects to make appointments in the fields of European and Early Modern British. J. Sainsbury (U.S.) and B. Singer (European) have received limited-term appointments; and F.C. Drake and J.M. McEwen (spring only) are on sabbatical this year.

**U.B.C.** is hosting several meetings over the next few years: "Vikings in Anglo-Saxon England" (Medieval Workshop, Nov. 17-18, 1989), a conference on Political Memoirs (22-24 Sept., 1989), the Medieval Academy of America & Medieval Assoc. of the Pacific meeting

(jointly with Simon Fraser April 5-7, 1990), B.C. Studies Conference (2-3 Nov., 1990), and in April, 1991, the French Hist. Assoc. meeting. The department recently appointed P. L. Krause (U.S., who received a Natl. Endowment for the Humanities fellowship and is on leave this year) and A. Grøer, as assoc. professor (Canadian); it expects to make additional appointments in 20th-C U.S., Spanish-speaking Latin America, and Modern Chinese. Limited-term appointments are held this year by R. Kurial (U.S.), H. Maat (Japanese), G. Peterson (Chinese), and D. Wileman (European). J. Gow and H. Mitchell took early retirement; L.E. Hill (awarded a UBC Sr. Killam Fellowship) and A. Woodside are on leave; and J. Conway, E.J. Hundert, and W. Wray have SSHRC release time stipends. D. Newell received honourable mention in the 1989 American Hist. Association, Pacific Coast Br., Book Award.

At **Carleton**, S.R. Mealing and D.G. Bowen have retired; R.G. Phillips (formerly at Brock has been appointed in French history. Y.A. Bennett won the Arts Fac. Teaching Award, and J.G. Bellamy (on leave this year), the Research Achievement Award. The Ontario Hist. Soc. awarded J.K. Johnson, the Cruikshank Gold Medal. G.N. Hillmer is visiting professor this year; D.A. Muise, J.W. Strong, M. Phillips, H.B. Neatby are on leave. S.F. Wise was recently named

a member of the Order of Canada. The department expects to make two appointments in Canadian this year. At **Concordia**, R. Diubaldo has become Director of Continuing Ed.; on leave are R. Rudin, W. Van Nus, and I. Smith (spring only).

A. E. Epp is the new department chair (to 1992), at **Lakehead**. W.R. Morrison has been appointed, in conjunction with the Lakehead Centre for Northern Studies, to a tenure position in Canadian, and P.R. Raffo, to a limited-term position in European. V.C. Smith is on leave. R. Toupin, s.j., has retired from **Laurentian**, where a Fr.-language appointment is expected in Early Modern Europe. G.S. Mount and A.O. Zia (Jan.-June 1990) are on leave this year. At **Laval**, Roger Matton retired and Joanne Daigle has received a tenure-track appointment in women's history. The department expects to appoint in archival studies this year. Gabriel Audisio (Early Modern) Université d'Aix, France, is visiting professor this fall. C. Dolan, M. Lapointe, E. Lavoie, J.-C. Poulin, L. Turgeon, C. Galarneau (spring-summer only), M. Cardin (fall only), B. Koss (1990-91), M.-O. Jentel (Jan.-Dec., 1990), A. Ségal (fall only), and T.T. Tinh (May-Dec., 1990) are on leave this year. **Lethbridge** has appointed L. Kwong to a tenure-track position. W.M. Baker will be chair for three years; J. Tagg has become Assoc. Dean, Academic. J. Penton retires

## CALL FOR PAPERS AND CONFERENCES

### The Sixth B.C. Studies Conference, Vancouver, November 2-3, 1990.

Organizers of this interdisciplinary conference invite proposals for papers or sessions that will enhance an understanding of any aspect of British Columbia's past, current and future development. Direct proposals to Robert A.J. McDonald, Department of History, University of British Columbia, Vancouver, BC V6T 1W5 as soon as possible.

### The Marxist Institute's second annual History and Theory Conference, Toronto, January 27, 1990.

This year's themes tentatively include: native peoples, gender, working class protest and social regulation. The institute hopes that this unique event will provide a forum for non-sectarian debate and theoretically concerned historical enquiry. For further information write: The Marxist Institute, P.O. Box 428, Station P, Toronto, ON, M5S 2S9.

(1990), and B. Shaw is on leave at Princeton.

At **McGill**, P.C. Hoffman, who holds the William Kingsford Chair in History, became a fellow of the Royal Soc. of Canada. P. Clarke has received a tenure-track position in Italian Renaissance; the department expects to appoint in the field of 19th and 20th-Century U.S. M. Steele (British), E. Davis (French), F. Butts (U.S.), A. Krishtalka (European), and P. Gossage and D. Mulhall (both Canadian) have received limited-term appointments. M.P. Maxwell has become Dean of Arts. On leave are P. Boule, L. Dechene and J. Hellman. J. Thompson is visiting professor in Canadian Studies at Duke University.

**McMaster** has promoted R.H. Johnston

to professor. J.H. Trueman, who is retiring, won the University Teaching Award. Appointed to tenure-track positions are R. Frager (Canadian/labour/women) and L. Vardi (French/social). T. Prymak (Russian), G. Sheppard (Canadian & U.S.), and J. Masschaele (European) hold limited-term appointments. G. Grinnell and H. Levevstein are on leave, and Peter J. Marshall is a Visiting Fellow.

**Malaspina U. College**, Nanaimo B.C., which introduced a four-year programme with degrees granted through the U. of Victoria, appointed G. Hak, D. Hawthorne, E. Lees (all Canadian), and D. Schultz (European), as sessionals. It hopes to make permanent appointments in the fields of Canadian Social and possibly Modern European. At

**Memorial**, J.K. Hiller (on leave), J. Greenlee, and L. Fischer have been promoted to professor, T. Evans to associate. Four permanent appointments have been made — V. Burton (Maritime), E. Bosak (European), R. Sweeney (Canadian), and C. Youle (Third World). A. Balish has retired, and S. Ryan has been named a fellow of the Royal Hist. Soc. **Le Collège militaire royale de Saint Jean-sur-Richelieu** will host the meeting of l'Institut d'histoire de l'Amérique française, Oct. 1990.

At **l'Université de Montréal**, L. Pyenson won a Killam, N. Oikonomides retired, and O. Keel, B. Ramirez, and J. Rouillard have been promoted to professor. G. Desert and L. D. Arboleda are visiting professors. The department will hold a colloquium on France-Quebec, 15-17 February 1990. D. Beatty, **Mount Allison**, won the Robert & Leota Tucker Award for Excellence in Teaching, and G. MacLean has resigned to become Ombudsman of N.S. D. Torrance has been engaged on a term appointment to take his courses. G. Adams, jr. (replaced by M. Davis) and E. Goodrich are on regular leave, while J. Schultz is teaching Canadian Studies in Japan (1988-91). K.C. Dewar became department chair at **Mount Saint Vincent**, and F.H. Early chair of Women's Studies (both to 1992). C.J. Neville (Renaissance & Enlightenment), H. Granter (British), and J. Guildford (Childhood) received part-time appointments. W.J. Shelton is on leave.

**Ottawa University** is holding a colloquium on Ancienne France—Nouvelle France, 3-4 November. W. Johnston and M. McGowan (Canadian), and J.-G. Lalande (Europe) have one-year appointments; J.-P. Wallot, Dominion Archivist, is an adjunct professor. D. Angers and K. Kitsikis are on leave for a full year; B. Craig, M. D'Allaire and D. Davis are on leave (winter only); and C. Gaffield is on leave (fall only). D. Davis won the 1989 CHA Ferguson Prize.

At **Université du Québec à Trois-Rivières**, Normand Séguin has become directeur du Centre de recherche en études québécoises. The department expects to make a permanent appointment in l'histoire de la culture

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## MISCELLANEOUS

**An interest group in Journalism history** in Canada, Britain and the U.S. was formed at the most recent meeting of the American Journalism Historians Association. Those interested in joining the group contact James D. Startt, History Department, Valparaiso University, Valparaiso, IN 46383, USA.

**The Association for the Advancement of Central Asian Research** announces the publication of its newsletter, *The AACAR Bulletin*. Interested persons should write: *AACAR Bulletin*, Box 1011, Rocky Hill, CT 06067, USA.

The *Public History Group* of the University of Victoria announces the publication of the first *Canadian Papers in Business History*. Volume one contains eleven original papers ranging from the prairie farmer as businessman to the role of women in the business sector. The group calls for submissions for future issues of what is intended to become a regular publication. Submissions and requests for copies should be sent to Peter Baskerville, Public History Group, University of Victoria, PO Box 1700, Victoria, BC V8W 2Y2.

At the recent round table discussion on "**Teaching French Canadian History in English Speaking Canada**" held at the 1989 CHA Annual Meeting, it was suggested that a list of works be drawn up in French that might be translated into English and works in English that might be made available in French. The completed list would be sent to publishers in the hope that these might be translated and made available in the other language for use in history courses. If other instructors think compiling such a list is a good idea, please send titles in English that might be translated into French to: Gratien Allaire, Faculté Saint Jean, University of Alberta, 8406, rue Marie-Anne-Gabourg (91 st.), Edmonton, AB T6C 4G9; and from French into English to: Donald Smith, Department of History, University of Calgary, Calgary, AB T2N 1N4.

**The 1986 Census of Canada Data Consortium** was created by the Canadian Association of Research Libraries in order to make the 1986 census available to the scholarly community in an affordable manner. As of September 1989, 32 university libraries had joined the consortium and all university librarians sent information. Ask your librarian about this resource.

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matérielle. P. Senay is on leave, and M. Carrier has retired. **Queen's** promoted J. Parr to professor. The new department chair is R.W. Malcolmson (to 1993), and W. McCready has become Dean of Arts & Science. Two permanent appointments have been made — W.F. Brundage (U.S.) and D. Eltis, with tenure (Slavery, Imperial) — as well as two limited-term H. Hatton, (Modern Britain), and M. Lalancette, (Modern Europe). L. Cormack is Webster Fellow. J. S. Prichard won the Keith Matthews Prize from the Canadian Nautical Research Soc.; D.H. Akenson (on leave) was elected a fellow of the Royal Hist. Soc.; and D.C. Brown won the A.S.U.S. Award for Excellence in Teaching. Also on leave are H. Mah, D. Swainson and J. Stayer. **Queen's** will host the 1991 meeting of the CHA.

J. MacLachlan has retired from **Ryerson Polytechnical Institute**. R. Kapp (European/Science & Technology) and J. Power (Africa) have been given tenure-track appointments, and M. Greig (European), L.H. Paul Litt, and D. Glynn (both Canadian), have received limited-term appointments. R. Stagg is on sabbatical. At **St. Francis Xavier, P.T.** Phillips has a three-year appointment as chair, A. Balawyder has retired, L. Stanley-Blackwell has been given a tenure-track appointment, and A. Stouffer is on sabbatical leave. **Faculté Saint-Jean, U. of Alberta**, has appointed N.M. Dawson on limited term to teach Canadian. G. Allaire is on leave. At **St. Mary's**, C. Howell and R. Twomey are organizing the conference, "Seamen, Pirates, and Workers of the North Atlantic World," 25-28 Oct., 1990. J. Reid and R. Twomey have been promoted to professor, and R.J. Bollini is on sabbatical leave. **Saskatchewan** expects to make a tenure track position in Tudor & Stuart Britain next year. D. Miquelon, L. Stewart, and P. Bietenholz are on sabbatical leave, and J.R. Miller is on a two year SSHRC programme grant-financed leave. J. Raposo (Early Modern Europe), L. Whaley (18th-C. Europe), D. De Brou and M. McCullough (both Canadian), and A. Reese (Ancient Roman & Renaissance), have received limited-term appointments. P.M. Swan

has won the university's Master Teacher Award, and has been seconded for a year to head the Department of Modern European Languages.

**Trent** will appoint in Early Modern Europe (tenure-track) and Canadian and/or American (limited term). J. Sangster, who won the Symons Teaching Award, is organizing the workshop, "Moving Forward: Creating a Feminist Agenda for the 1990's," 16-17 June 1990. F.A. Hagar retired, and A. Wilson, on leave this year, will retire in 1990. I. Elbl (Early Modern European), C. Danysek (Canadian & U.S.), M. Grant (Modern Europe), and D. Azoulay (Modern Canada) have received limited-term appointments. J.

Jennings and C. Greene are on sabbatical.

**Victoria** will host the Learned's in 1990; I. McPherson is co-ordinator and P. Roy is in charge of the programme and local arrangements for the CHA meeting. P. Tsurumi won the CHA's Hilda Neatby prize for 1989; T. Jackman who retires this year, received an honorary D. Lit. from the U. of Lethbridge. R. Croizier won the Assoc. for Asian Studies Prize for the best book. M. Mulchahey and T. Haskett (both Medieval) received tenure-track appointments, and D. Wootton was appointed Landsdowne Professor (Renaissance & Reformation). D. Alcock, V. De Santis (both U.S.), M. Allen

## SUMMARY OF THE AUDITOR'S REPORT

	1987-1988 \$	1988-1989 \$
<b>CURRENT ACCOUNT</b>		
Receipts		
Membership dues	40,578.00	41,157.00
Publication sales	34,274.00	35,046.00
Interest	16,260.00	26,824.00
Grants	74,564.00	37,984.00
Subscriptions	38,917.00	34,118.00
Annual General Meeting	9,178.00	5,705.00
Other	<u>5,928.00</u>	<u>3,848.00</u>
Total Receipts	210,699.00	184,682.00
Disbursements		
Salaries & Honoraria	32,083.00	37,271.00
Administration	18,912.00	35,805.00
Meetings	38,334.00	32,995.00
Printing	45,206.00	41,218.00
Subscription Service	35,914.00	35,557.00
Other	<u>1,795.00</u>	<u>1,805.00</u>
Total Disbursements	172,144.00	184,652.00
Surplus (deficit)	47,455.00	30.00
<b>DEFENCE FUND 1979</b>		
Receipts		
Interest	473.00	637.00
Donations	<u>1,084.00</u>	<u>706.00</u>
Total Receipts	1,557.00	1,343.00
Disbursements		
Administration	<u>0.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Disbursements	0.00	0.00
Surplus (deficit)	\$1,557.00	\$1,343.00

(Chinese), G. Davidson, D. Elliott, J. Pollard, and R. Roy (all Canadian), and J. Duder (European) have limited-term appointments. On leave are K. Coates, R. Crozier, E. Sager (all with SSHRC release time stipends), B. Dippie, and W.T. Wooley. P. Baskerville is the new department chair (to 1992). The department hopes to make two appointments this year: in British (post-1800) and world history. It will host the following meetings: "Redirection: Defending Canada, the Pacific Perspective", March 1990; Pacific North-West Labor History Assoc. meeting, June 1990; Committee on Labour History Annual Symposium, June 1990; and the Second Annual Kluane Conference, September 1990. At **Waterloo**, J. English is replacing D. Davies (on leave) as chair; D. Wright is also on sabbatical.

K.M. McLaughlin has been promoted to professor and appointed vice-president of Waterloo's St. Jerome's College.

At **Western Ontario**, R.D. Hall and I. Soranaka received promotions to assoc. professor. A.M.J. Hyatt is the new department chair (to 1992). J.R. Gwynne-Timothy and J.P. McLaughlin recently retired, R.A. Hohner and T. Sea are on leave, and M. Kellow (U.S. & Women's), B. Murison (England to 1688), and D. Pederson and K. Fleming (both Canadian) have received limited-term appointments. The department's Joanne Goodman Lecturer this year is Rosalind Mitchison. **Western's Huron College** expects to make an appointment in Modern European; W. Acres currently is a sessional in that field. R. Gellately is on leave.

Terry Copp begins a new term as Chairman (to 1992) at **Wilfrid Laurier**, where K. De Vries has received a term appointment in Medieval/Early Modern Europe. J. Lorimer received tenure and was promoted to assoc. professor. At **Windsor**, L. Kulisek replaced D. Klinck (on leave) as chair this year. B. Tucker was hired (1988) as assoc. professor in U.S. History, and J. McLeod has a limited-term appointment in European.

Newly-appointed to permanent positions at **York** are J. Edmondson (Ancient Rome), K. McPherson (Western Canada), J. Neeson (Early Modern England), A. Shubert (Modern European Social/Spain), and I. Steinisch (Modern Germany). Anticipated appointments for next year are in the fields of Modern Canada. B. Wakabayashi was promoted to assoc. professor. On leave this year are C. Armstrong and H.V. Nelles (they recently received honourable mention from the Financial Times of Canada for the National Business Book Awards), R. Cuff (to 1991), J. Ernst, G. Kolko, T. LeGoff, and F. Ouellet (spring only). J. Boshier and V. Hunter have SSHRC release time stipends for the year, and M. Egnal has a Fac. of Arts Leave Fellowship. M. Murfett is on academic exchange (with G. Jordon) from the U. of Singapore. At York's **Glendon College**, I. Abella, M. Horn, and D.G. Pilgrim are on leave this year, and W.D. Irvine is acting chair.

## ON THE CHA FOR 1988-1989

### A.B. COREY PRIZE FUND

Receipts		
Interest	<u>1,673.00</u>	<u>2,510.00</u>
Total Receipts	1,673.00	2,510.00
Disbursements		
Prize	0.00	2,000.00
Travel and Administration	<u>20.00</u>	<u>0.00</u>
Total Disbursements	20.00	2,000.00
Surplus (deficit)	\$1,653.00	\$510.00

### FRANKLIN MINT 1978 FUND

Receipts		
Interest	<u>8,137.00</u>	<u>10,875.00</u>
Total Receipts	8,137.00	10,875.00
Disbursements		
Prizes	4,000.00	4,000.00
Salaries and Administration	953.00	0.00
Travel Expense	<u>0.00</u>	<u>492.00</u>
Total Disbursements	4,953.00	4,492.00
Surplus (deficit)	\$3,184.00	\$6,383.00

### HILDA NEATBY PRIZE FUND

Receipts		
Interest	236.00	276.00
Donations	<u>300.00</u>	<u>50.00</u>
Total Receipts	536.00	326.00
Disbursements		
Prizes	<u>50.00</u>	<u>100.00</u>
Total Disbursements	50.00	100.00
Surplus (Deficit)	\$486.00	\$226.00

## CHA Lobbies Parliament

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the legislation which in part meet the concerns of PIPS and of the CHA.

Bill C-12 will likely become law within several months time, but the CHA's concern with the future of historical research in the museum community will not end there. Museum administrators and government spokesmen have recently indicated that it is the number of people which museums attract which most concerns them. The CHA must continue to press the cause of popular museum programmes originating in a strong research programme.