HISTORY OF SCIENCE SOCIETY NEWS

Plans for the 1979 annual HSS meeting, to be held in New York City on December 28-30, are well advanced. If the overtures being made by the Local Arrangements Committee elicit favorable responses, those attending the Conference will not soon forget the delights laid on for Gotham's guests. The Program Committee has also blocked out a full schedule of sessions designed to challenge, inform and even entertain. Requests to present brief reports in works-in-progress sessions are still welcome and should be submitted by August 15 at the very latest. They should be sent, together with an abstract, to Arthur Donovan, Chairman of the Program Committee, History of Science and Technology, 388 Birch Street, West Virginia University, Morgantown, WV 26506.

Please return questionnaires (January, 1979, Newsletter) to the Long-Range Planning Committee and to the editor of Isis as soon as possible. Results are currently being tabulated. Replacement copies may be obtained from the Newsletter editor.

The United States National Committee of the International Union for the History and Philosophy of Science met at the National Academy of Sciences on March 3, 1979 in the National Academy of Sciences building. Frederick Churchill will be President, 1979-81 and Thomas L. Hankins will be Secretary; the three other HSS representatives are Thomas Parke Hughes, Roger H. Stuewer and Sally Gregory Kohlstedt. Discussion included plans for participation of American historians in the Congress, to be held in Bucharest, Rumania, in 1981. Roger Hahn was commended for his unusually thoughtful report of the 1977 Edinburgh meeting of the Union.

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission has provided a grant to assist the joint archival committee on documentation of science and technology in their planning activity. The committee has representatives from the Society of American Archivists, the Philosophy of Science Association and the History of Science Society; HSS representatives are David Bearman, Patsy Gerstner, and Clark Elliott.

Please note that a new Isis Directory is in process. All members should complete the enclosed questionnaire (page 11) even if basic information remains the same as in the 1977 Directory. The only additional item is a question regarding language competency for potential Isis reviewers. Completed forms should be returned to Jerold Mathews, Department of Mathematics, 400 Carver Hall, Iowa State University of Science and Technology, Ames, Iowa 50011.

A new edition of the Guide to Graduate Study will be completed to accompany the Isis Directory. Richard Schallenberg would like membership assistance in compiling a mailing list for the distribution of questionnaires for preparation of the Guide. The 1977 edition of the Guide included programs in all English-speaking countries, but the 1980 edition will attempt to include all programs in all countries. Members in non-English speaking countries are requested to send lists of programs in their country. Omissions in the 1977 edition should also be noted. Please contact Professor Richard H. Schallenberg, Department of History, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University, Blacksburg, Virginia 24061.

CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

The Electric Power Research Institute and the Thomas Alva Edison Foundation will sponsor a symposium April 1-4, 1979 at the San Francisco Hilton, San Francisco, California. Titled the Edison Centennial Symposium on Science, Technology and the Human Prospect, the event will review the past impact of science and technology on society and lifestyles, assess current conditions and look ahead to new paths and goals for technology, invention and innovation. Speakers and workshop leaders will offer contemporary thought on topics ranging from science and the "common man" to technology's role in economic growth. For further information contact Thomas S. Sedlar, International Committee Centennial of Light, Thomas Alva Edison Foundation, P. O. Box 1310, Greenwich, Connecticut 06830.

Joint Atlantic Seminar in the History of the Physical Sciences will hold its annual meeting at University of Pennsylvania April 6-7, 1979. There will be a review symposium of The Physicists by Daniel J. Kevles, who will respond to comments by Henry Primakoff (University of Pennsylvania); Lewis Pyenson (Université de Montréal); and Nathan Reingold (Smithsonian Institution). Other papers include Lorraine Daston (Harvard University); "Classical Interpretations of Probability Theory", David Tomas (Université de Montréal), "Structure and Style in the History of Physics: C.T.R. Wilson's

The Southern Association for the History of the Sciences and Technology will hold its annual meeting at the University of Kentucky on April 7, 1979. Presentations will be made by Allan Ciamminy (Virginia); James Corgan (Austin Peay); John Lienhard (Kentucky); Alex Roland (NASA); Daniel Mortensen (Scott Air Force Base); David Hahm (Ohio State); Kent Kraft (Georgia); James Force (Kentucky); Ivan Zabilka (Kentucky); and David Pimm (Wisconsin). For specific information contact Bruce Eastwood, Department of History, University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky 40506.

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The heading of the January Newsletter was incorrectly dated. It should have read January, 1979.

In listing the names of the HSS 1979 Council, Isis editor Dr. Arnold Thackray was excluded. The Editor of Isis is automatically a member of both the Council and Executive Committee.

HSS NEWSLETTER

The Newsletter of the History of Science Society is published in January, April, July and October. Special subscription to the Newsletter is $5.00. Regular issues are sent free to individual members. Airmail is available for foreign members by paying yearly postal costs of $5.00 (Western Europe) or $6.00 (elsewhere). The deadline for receipt of news is the 10th of the month prior to publication. Send news items to Dr. Sally Gregory Kohlstedt, Maxwell School, Syracuse University, Syracuse, New York 13210. As Secretary of the Society and Editor of the Newsletter she is interested in membership opinion about coverage and welcomes suggestions. Occasional supplements containing job information are sent to departments and to individuals who request them on an annual basis.

The 70th Annual Meeting of the American Oil Chemists' Society will be held April 29-May 3, 1979, in the Fairmont Hotel in San Francisco, California. The event will be a joint meeting with the Japan Oil Chemists' Society. Approximately 275 technical papers will be presented during the week on the chemistry, biochemistry, processing and nutritional aspects of animal and vegetable fats and oils. Japanese scientists and researchers will present about 50 of the papers. Registration and program materials are available from the American Oil Chemists' Society, 508 S. Sixth Street, Champaign, Illinois 61820.

The Sixth International Congress of Logic, Methodology and Philosophy of Science will be held in Hannover, Federal Republic of Germany from August 22 to 29, 1979. For further information contact Sekretariat und Organisationskomitee des 6. Internationalen Kongresses für Logik, Methodologie und Philosophie der wissenschaftlicher, Welfengarten 1, D-3000 Hannover 1, Bundesrepublik Deutschland.

An Assembly on Current and Future Oceanography will be held to mark the occasion of the 50th Anniversary of the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution from September 29-October 5, 1980. The Assembly will consist of invited papers on all aspects of oceanography, including scientific, technical, social and institutional affairs, with particular focus on the future development of these fields. The Assembly follows the Third International Congress on the History of Oceanography (September 22-26) also to be held in Woods Hole. For further information contact Dr. Peter G. Brewer, Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution, Woods Hole, Massachusetts 02543.

The Department of History of the University of Winnipeg will host the 14th annual Northern Great Plains History Conference, October 10-13. Information and instructions for submitting proposals for papers or complete panels in all fields of history, especially Canadian history, can be obtained from Professor Daniel Z. Stone, Department of History, University of Winnipeg, 515 Portage Avenue, Winnipeg, Manitoba R3B 2E9, Canada.

The third annual Humanities and Technology Conference will be sponsored by the Department of English and History of Southern Technical Institute, October 25-27. Melvin Kranzberg, Callaway Professor of the History of Technology, will be the keynote speaker. Papers and presentations dealing with the growing discipline that examines the integration of humanistic concerns and technological growth are invited. Abstracts and or papers should be addressed to Dr. Robert D. Gates or Dr. George E. Kennedy II, Department of English and History, Southern Technical Institute, Marietta, Georgia 30060.

An International Conference celebrating the centennial of the Birth of Albert Einstein will be held at Hofstra University on November 8-10, 1979. The conference will address itself to Western and non-Western treatment of Einstein's ideas and their place in all modes of thought, including philosophy, literature, history, religion, psychology, and education. The deadline for proposals is April 15. For further information contact: International Conference on Albert Einstein, University Center for Cultural and Intercultural Studies, Hofstra University, Hempstead, New York 11550.
American Society for 18th-Century Studies will hold its East Central Meeting on November 8-10 in Williamsburg, Virginia. The theme of the conference will be "the Pan-Atlantic Enlightenment." The sponsors hope to have at least one session on the history of science. Inquiries and papers on any aspect of the relationship between the Old World and the New World ought to be addressed to Professor Robert P. Maccusbin, English Department, College of William and Mary, Williamsburg, Virginia 23185. Deadline for papers is June 3.

A Seminar on Alchemy in Literature will be held at the Modern Languages Association Convention in San Francisco in December, 1979. Abstracts will appear in the fall issue of Cauda Pavonis. Copies of papers will be made available before and at the seminar. For further information contact Mr. Thomas Willard, Seminar on Alchemy in Literature, Department of English, University of Arizona, Tucson, Arizona 85721.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Program in the History of Science and Technology at the University of Minnesota now offers opportunities for graduate study for the M.A. and Ph.D. degrees. The four full-time staff members and their fields of specialization are as follows: Professor Roger Stuever, Coordinator of the program (history of 19th and 20th century physics); Professor Malcolm Korttler (history of biology); Professor Edward Layton (history of technology); and Professor Alan Shapiro (ancient science, scientific revolution, and history of optics).

Papers presented at the symposium on the History of the American Society of Zoologists will be published in the American Zoologist. The committee on history, headed by Brother C. Edward of Manhattan College, is formulating plans for the next annual meeting to be held at Tampa, Florida, in December of 1979.

A Resources Communication Center has been established at the Colorado School of Mines, with the intention of developing new media productions and bringing together the scientific community and the public. Persons interested in working with the program or having films, videotapes, or photos are asked to contact Grant Foster, Director, Resources Communication Center, Colorado School of Mines, Golden, Colorado 80401.

The Committee on History and Philosophy of Science at the University of Maryland has announced its ongoing colloquium program for the spring semester. Persons interested in obtaining a schedule of the Monday meetings should write for the CHPS newsletter, 1131 Skinner Hall, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland 20742.

The New York Academy of Sciences has initiated a series of two-day nontechnical meetings, entitled the Albert Einstein Lectures, to be presented semi-annually. The first session was held March 9-10, 1979. Steven Weinert of Harvard University delivered the keynote address on "Einstein and Today's Physics."

An Association for Documentary Editing was established during the Southern Historical Association Convention in St. Louis, Missouri. The association's object is "to encourage excellence in documentary editing by providing means of cooperation and exchange of information among those concerned with documentary editing and by promoting broader understanding of the principles and values underlying the practice of documentary editing." For further information contact Charlene N. Bickford, First Federal Congress Project, George Washington University, Washington, D. C. 20052.

The Smithsonian Institution Archives has accessioned several new collections, many of them dealing with the recent period and with special reference to the natural and biological sciences. A complete list can be obtained from the HSS Newsletter office or from James A. Steed, Smithsonian Institution Archives, Washington, D. C. 20560.

Burnby Library announces the acquisition of Collected Reprints of Published Papers of the Lawrence Radiation Laboratory, University of California, 1940-72. The Laboratory, established in 1936, was an outgrowth of E. O. Lawrence's development of the cyclotron, the first practical high energy particle accelerator. The 61 volumes of some 10,000 reprints are essential information for the history of the field during the past four decades. Further information can be had from J. H. Chillington, Assistant Director of the Burndy Library, Norwalk, Connecticut 06856.

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PUBLICATIONS

The National Historical Publications and Records Commission announces the publication of its 1978 Directory of Archives and Manuscript Repositories. Compiled by means of a nationwide survey of more than 11,000 libraries, archives, museums, and similar institutions, the Directory contains information on 61,500 repositories throughout the United States housing historical records. It also reports on repositories that contain documents, photographs, architectural drawings, oral history interviews, and other source materials. The Directory may be ordered for $25.00, payable to the National Archives Trust Fund, Publications Sales Branch, National Archives and Records Service, Washington, D. C. 20408.

The Union Catalogue of Printed Books of the XV and XVI Centuries in Astronomical European Observatories, compiled by Giovanna Grassi, Rome, 1977 is now available at a cost of $6.00 per copy, prepaid. For further information contact Ms. Pat Molholt, Associate Director of Libraries, Rensselaer Polytechnic Institute, Troy, New York 12181.

The Catalogue of the Manuscript Collections of the American Antiquarian Society will be available by June, 1979. The American Antiquarian collection consists of more than 1,200 collections, ranging from single-volume diaries, account books, and small groups of family correspondence to sizeable collections of family papers and institutional records relating especially to Colonial and anti-bellum New England. For further information contact Ethel Arakelian, G. K. Hall & Company, 70 Lincoln Street, Boston, Massachusetts 02111.

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Robert R. Allen, gen. ed., The Eighteenth Century: A Current Bibliography. (n.s. 1 - for 1975.) vii + 438 pp., index, errata. Philadelphia/Los Angeles: American Society for Eighteenth-Century Studies, 1978. $10.00 (paper); $15.00 (cloth); $25.00 (cloth-library binding).


Elisabeth Bennion, Antique Medical Instruments. xii + 355 pp., illus., 16 color plates, directory of surgical instrument makers, bibli., gloss., chron., index. London: Sotheby Parke Bernet Publications; Berkeley: University of California Press, 1979. $65.00.


Paul Buckley and F. David Peat, eds, A Question of Physics: Conversations in Physics and Biology. x + 159 pp., gloss. Toronto/Buffalo: University of Toronto Press, 1979. $15.00 (cloth); $6.00 (paper).


Luis Garcia-Ballester, Guillermo Olargue,


Colin Patterson, Evolution. vii + 197 pp., illus., figs., further readings, glosses., index. Ithaca: Cornell University Press, 1978. $10.95 (cloth); $4.95 (paper).


W. Wesley Spink, M.D., Infectious Diseases: Prevention and Treatment in the Nineteenth and Twentieth Centuries. xx + 577 pp., notes, bibl., indexes. Minneapolis: University of Minnesota Press, 1979. $34.50.


PUBLICATIONS (CONTINUED)

The Public Historian: A Journal of Public History will be produced by the Graduate Program in Public Historical Studies, University of California, Santa Barbara, California 93106. Subscription rates are $9.00 (individuals), $7.50 (students) and $12.00 (institutions).

A List of Theses in History of Science in British Universities (in progress or recently completed), No. 9 (197801979), compiled by J. B. Morrill, is available for $3.00 postpaid. Contact: The Administrator, The British Society for the History of Science, Halfpeny Furze, Mill Lane, Chalfont Street Giles, Buckinghamshire HP8 4NR, England.

AWARDS AND HONORS

Desiderio Papp of Buenos Aires has been promoted by Decree of the Prime Minister of France, to "Officer" in the Order of the "Palmes Academiques." The 1st and 2nd volumes of Professor Papp's volumes, "Ideas Revolucionarias en la Ciencia," have been honored with the "Golden Medal," in the 10th Great International Concurse of the Academie Internationale de Lutece (Paris).

Margaret Rossiter has been awarded the Liebig Medal of the University of Giessen for her book, The Emergence of Agricultural Science: Justus Liebig and the Americans, 1840-1880 (1975). The silver medal commemorates the 175th anniversary of Liebig's birth. Wilhelm Lewicki, a sixth generation descendant of Liebig, presented the medal to her in California.

Lynn White, Jr. has been named Distinguished Visiting Professor at New Mexico State University for Spring, 1979. Dr. White will lecture at New Mexico State University on April 4-17.

Ethics and Values in Science and Technology Program (NSF) announces the following awards for the first quarter of fiscal year 1979:

Sally Gottmacher, Columbia University, "Drugs as Medical Technology: Ethical Issues in the Treatment of Borderline Hypertension."


Sanford A. Lakoff, University of California at San Diego, "Science and Ethical Responsibility: A National Workshop for Undergraduate and Graduate Students."

GRANTS AND FELLOWSHIPS

The Council for Philosophical Studies announces a program of grants to enable a college to bring a distinguished philosopher to its campus for two or three days of public lectures, colloquia, visits to classes, and informal discussion. The host institution nominates the visitor and takes responsibility for arranging the program and for paying the visitor's transportation and living expenses. The Council will provide the visitor's...
The Webster Society, established to honor Dr. Jerome Pierce Webster, announces an essay contest in the History of Plastic Surgery. A $1,000 cash prize will be given biennially with the first award to be made in 1980. The deadline for submission of essays is April 15, 1980. All essays should be typed and further information obtained from Dr. Bard Cosman, Columbia Presbyterian Medical Center, 161 Fort Washington Avenue, New York, New York. 10032.

The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation has made available a grant for a five-year post-doctoral fellowship program to assist scholars wishing to conduct research in the manuscript collections in the Vatican Film Library at Saint Louis University. The program is designed to provide travel expenses and a reasonable per diem to scholars with well defined research projects for periods of research in the Vatican Film Library ranging from less than a month to a full semester, including periods of summer research. For information contact Andrew W. Mellon Fellowship Program, Vatican Film Library, Pius XII Memorial Library, Saint Louis University, 3655 West Pine, Saint Louis, Missouri 63108.

The National Endowment for the Humanities will offer fellowships for 1980-81 in three categories. Categories A and B offer fellowships for independent study and research in the humanities and carry stipends of up to $10,000 for six months of tenure, $20,000 for twelve. Category B is intended for persons engaged primarily in teaching undergraduates in colleges and universities; Category A is open to all scholars, teachers, and other interpreters of the humanities. The application deadline for both categories is June 1, 1979. Awards will be announced late the following November, and Fellows may begin tenure as early as January 1980. Fellowships in Category C provide teachers in undergraduate and two-year colleges opportunities to participate in seminars directed by distinguished scholars at designated universities and to undertake study and research of their own choosing beyond the work of the seminar. This category is open only to members of departments that do not offer the Ph.D. These fellowships carry stipends of up to $20,000 for twelve months of tenure. The application deadline is November 12, 1979. Awards will be announced in mid-March 1980, and Fellows may begin tenure as early as June 1, 1980. The directors, topics, and locations of the seminars will be announced in mid-March 1979. Contact Division of Fellowships, Mail Stop 101, National Endowment for the Humanities, 806 15th Street, N.W., Washington, D. C. 20005.

The National Humanities Center will admit approximately forty Fellows for the academic year 1980-81. The group of Fellows chosen each year includes both scholars of established reputation and young scholars of promise who have held the doctorate no more than ten years. In addition to scholars in fields traditionally identified with the humanities, the Center admits representatives of the natural and social sciences, the professions and public affairs. Scholars from outside the United States are also welcome to apply. The usual term of a fellowship is the academic year, September through May, but some fellowships are available for shorter periods. Stipends are based on the normal academic salaries of Fellows, those who have partial support in the form of sabbatical salaries or research grants receive from the Center the difference between that support and their normal salaries. Fellows also receive travel expenses to and from the Center for themselves and their families. The deadline for 1980-81 applications is January 10, 1980. For application material and information write to: National Humanities Center, P.O. Box 12256, Research Triangle Park, North Carolina 27709.

The George H. M. Lawrence Memorial Fund Committee solicits nominations for the first (1979) annual Lawrence Memorial award. The Fund and Award have been established on a permanent basis to honor the memory of Dr. Lawrence, founding Director of the Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation at Carnegie-Mellon University. The purpose of the expected 1979 Award of $1,000 is to support travel for doctoral dissertation research in systematic botany or horticulture, or their history, including literature and exploration. Nominations and supporting materials, requests for further information, and any other communication regarding the fund and Award should be directed to: Robert W. Kiger, Director, Hunt Institute, Carnegie-Mellon University, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania 15213.

The American Association for the Advancement of Science (AAAS) announces the fifth year of its Mass Media Science Fellows Program supported in part by a grant from the National Science Foundation. A major objective of this program is to provide opportunities for outstanding students in the natural and social sciences to participate in the process by which events and ideas become news. Up to 20 candidates will be selected to participate in the program during the summer of 1979. Although priority will be given to graduate students, applications will also be considered from outstanding undergraduate and postdoctoral students. Each Fellow will work at a radio station, television station, newspaper, or magazine for 10 weeks during the summer. Every effort will be made to match a Fellow's interests and preferences with those of a prospective media host. Contact Lyn Chambers, American Association for the Advancement of Science, 1776 Massachusetts Avenue, NW, Washington, D. C. 20036.

The National Science Foundation has a program of support for small College Faculty through Grants at Large Institutions. This is an opportunity for faculty members at small institutions to arrange work with an investigator at another institution who holds or is applying for an NSF research grant. If supplemental funds are required, the NSF granted should submit to NSF a brief proposal, including a description of the proposed research, budget, and biographical sketch of the small college faculty members. Individuals at smaller colleges should make their own arrangements; NSF will not act as intermediary. Contact Dr. Roland Radloff,
The National Science Foundation program, Science for Citizens (Forums, Conferences, and Workshops and Planning Studies), is intended to make scientific and technical assistance available to citizens at the times and in the ways most useful to them, and to increase the knowledgeable participation of scientists and citizens in resolving major issues of public policy that involve science and technology. Deadline for preliminary proposals in July 15. Contact the Office of Science and Society, National Science Foundation, Washington, D. C. 20550.

Case Western Reserve University invites applications for the Ambrose Swasey Memorial Fellowship in the History of American Technology, which will be available August, 1979. The fellowship, which comprises a $6000 annual stipend (out of which tuition must be paid), will be funded for two years, with some extension possible. It is expected that the fellow will direct his or her graduate research toward the work of Mr. Swasey and of the Warner and Swasey Company, using Swasey papers as the basis for a dissertation on the machine tool industry, astronomical instrumentation or both. Deadline is July 1; contact Director, Program in History of Science and Technology, Mather House, Case Western Reserve University, Cleveland, Ohio 44106 AA/EOE

APPOINTMENTS

Alan Beyerchen has been appointed Associate Professor in the History Department, Ohio State University, Columbus, Ohio 43210.

Kathleen G. Dugan has been appointed as the first research scholar in science and humanities at the National Museum of Victoria, Melbourne Australia. The Museum has initiated a program to support research linking the sciences and humanities through the study of aspects of history, art, literature, and bibliography.

Richard D. Glasow has been appointed research associate (with faculty rank equivalent to assistant professor) at the Applied Research Laboratory at the Pennsylvania State University, State College, Pennsylvania 16801. Part of his responsibility will be to write a technical and administrative history of the laboratory.

Robert H. Kargon has been appointed to the William K. Shepard Chair in the History of Science Department at the Johns Hopkins University.

Ellen B. Wells, former Associate Librarian for the History of Science Collections at Cornell is now Curator of the Bern Dibner Library at the Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C.

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NEWS OF FORTHCOMING BOOKS

The Editor is anxious to improve the speed and quality of the Book Review section of Isis. Editor, author, reader: all are best served by prompt and authoritative reviewing. To that end, it is of the greatest help to have advance intelligence of forthcoming books that should be reviewed. As authors, potential reviewers, readers, critics, "invisible college" members, conference participants, referees, gossips and grapevine tenders, the members of the Society are more widely informed than the editorial team can ever hope to be about work in progress. Please fill in and return the attached slip to: Book Reviews, Isis, Smith Hall/D6, University of Pennsylvania, 215 South 34th Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19104.

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MUSEUM EXHIBITS

A new section of the Newsletter appears below on an experimental basis. The editor welcomes comment from readers on whether the feature should be continued, dropped, or modified. Announcements of new museum displays may be submitted by members or by institutions.


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DISSECTIONS

University of Delaware:

Richard D. Glasow, "Prelude to a Naval Renaissance: Ordnance Innovation in the United States Navy during the 1870s," No. 7821093 (completed).

Note: If available, please supply the Dissertations Abstracts reference number in the future when submitting announcements on dissertations completed.

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JOB INFORMATION

Individuals in colleges, universities, and other institutions having knowledge of possible or definite job openings are urged to relay such information to the Secretary of the Society, Dr. Sally Gregory Kohlstedt, as soon as possible for publication in the Newsletter. Such sharing of job information is consistent with the general sentiment that members of the HSS expressed on the desirability of open listings of available positions.

The positions listed are new openings that have been brought to the attention of the Secretary. Other new openings should also be brought to her attention as soon as possible. All inquiries should be addressed to the institution having the opening, and only serious and qualified persons should apply. It is assumed that the positions listed are in fact open at the time of publication. The Society, however, can assume no responsibility for the accuracy or currency of the listing.

1. Thomas A. Edison Papers, Edison National Historical Site, West Orange, New Jersey 07051.

Description: Assistant editor. Work with professional staff in the preparation of both the microfilm and book edition of the Edison Papers. An adjunct teaching appointment with Rutgers University is a strong possibility. A Ph.D. in a historical field or equivalent experience is required. A person with editing background or experience with working with interpretative, visual and artificial materials is preferred. Historical editing experience and background fields relating to technology, science, business, art or museums studies is highly desirable. Contact: Thomas Edison Papers, 1 Richardson Street, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903.

2. Thomas A. Edison Papers, Edison National Historical Site, West Orange, New Jersey 07051.

Description: Archives technician and assistant to the editor (historical editing). Substantial archival duties and some historical editing responsibilities. This is a permanent part-time (30-35 hours per week) civil service position with potential for fulltime employment. A minimum of a masters degree or equivalent. Experience required in archival training or related experience. Historical editing and historical background relating to era of Edison is highly desirable. Contact: Thomas Edison Papers, 1 Richardson Street, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903.

3. University of California, Los Angeles, California 90024.

Description: Possible temporary position for assistant or associate professor. Appointment would be in the History of the Modern Physical Sciences (Newton to Einstein) during two or three quarters of 1979-1980. Teaching will involve both undergraduate lecture courses and graduate colloquia. Contact: Professor Robert Westman, Department of History, UCLA, Los Angeles, California 90024 AA/EOE.


Description: Special assistant to the Executive Director, half-time position. Appointment is for assistant to work on promotion of minority and women's scholarly and professional interests, and salary will be at the assistant professor level. Qualifications include advanced degree in history, some teaching experience, a commitment to history and a willingness to work hard to promote history and the interests of minorities and women. Deadline is April 15, 1979. Contact: Executive Director, AHA, 400 A Street SE, Washington, D.C. 20003.

Summer positions for students:

a) Thomas A. Edison Papers, Edison National Historical Site, West Orange, New Jersey 07051.

Description: Editorial assistant for the summer of 1979 (2 positions). Editorial assistant will work with senior professional staff in the preparation of materials for the microfilm edition of the papers of Thomas Edison. Graduate or senior undergraduate with strength and interest in history, science and business in the era of Edison is required. 10-12 weeks at $1800 - $2100 for the summer. Contact: Thomas Edison Papers, 1 Richardson Street, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903.

b) Thomas A. Edison Papers, Edison National Historical Site, West Orange, New Jersey 07051.

Description: Senior editorial assistant for the (continued on back cover)
If you are a new member of the History of Science Society OR if you have not filled in a form similar to this one OR if your present entry in the Directory needs to be changed, please fill in this form. Please TYPE or PRINT plainly. Return the completed form to Jerold Mathews, Department of Mathematics, Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa 50011, U.S.A.

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The summer of 1979. Will work with senior professional staff in editorial research in preparation of materials of the microfilm and book editions of the Edison materials. Graduate level background with strengths and interests in the history, technology, science and business in the era of Edison is required. 10-12 weeks at $2000 - $2425 for the summer. Contact: Thomas Edison Papers, 1 Richardson Street, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903.

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