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NEW EDITOR APPOINTED BY IHS BOARD

Mark Stolarik has resigned his position as editor of the "Immigration History Society Newsletter" and as director of the Balch Institute in Philadelphia to accept the Chair in Slovak History and Culture at the University of Ottawa. Mark has done an outstanding job in guiding the newsletter and in providing a home for the publication at the Balch Institute. His contributions to the society were highly significant and are very much appreciated by those who were aware of them.

The new editor of the newsletter will be Joseph T. Makarewicz, currently the director of the Pennsylvania Ethnic Heritage Studies Center at the University of Pittsburgh. Makarewicz, whose appointment has been approved by the executive board of the Immigration History Society, brings to the position not only a deep interest in immigration and ethnic history but experience as editor of the "Pennsylvania Ethnic Studies Newsletter." His Ph.D in history was earned at the University of Pittsburgh, and he has held fellowships from the Newberry Library and the University of Minnesota. He has also been a Senior Research Associate at the University Center for International Studies at the University of Pittsburgh since 1979. All future correspondence concerning the newsletter should be addressed to Professor Makarewicz at the Pennsylvania Ethnic Heritage Studies Center, University of Pittsburgh, 315 S. Bellefield Street, 405 Bellefield Hall, Pittsburgh, PA. 15213. (412-648-7420)

CALL FOR NOMINATIONS TO IHS EXECUTIVE BOARD

In 1992 the IHS will fill three positions on the Executive Board for the three-year term, 1992-1995. Please send suggestions for persons to be nominated to the Nominations Committee chair, Barbara M. Posadas, Dept. of History, Northern Illinois University, DeKalb, IL. 60145. Other members are Susan Glenn (University of California, Berkeley), David Katzman (University of Kansas), Walter Nugent (Notre Dame University), and Dominic Pacyga (Columbia College). The deadline for nominations is JANUARY 15, 1992.

NOMINATIONS FOR SALOUTOS AWARD

Please send nominations for the Saloutos book award to Professor Deborah Dash Moore, Dept. of Religion, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, New York 12601. Joining Moore on the committee for 1991-92 are Professors Elizabeth Cohen, Carnegie-Mellon University Pittsburgh, PA 15213 and Willi Paul Adams, Free University of Berlin D-100 Berlin 33 F.R.G. Nominated books must have a publication date of 1991 to be eligible for the award to be presented in April, 1992.

CALL FOR PAPERS

This year's chair of the IHS Program Committee is Donna Gabaccia. Please contact her if you want assistance in organizing a session with IHS sponsorship for the 1993 AHA or OAH. The AHA deadline is February 15, 1992. The OAH deadline is March 1, 1992. Her address after January 1, 1992 is at the Department of History, University of North Carolina at Charlotte, Charlotte, NC 28223 (704-547-4633). Prior to January 1, 1992 Professor Gabaccia can be reached at 914-997-1060.

IHS/NEWBERRY LIBRARY: SYLLABUS EXCHANGE

The Immigration History Society plans to publish a collection of course outlines and reading lists on the *Histories of Immigration and Ethnicity*.

The publication aims for inclusiveness. Please submit materials which treat migration across national boundaries, migrations in the lives of ethnic minorities, and the experiences of particular groups of immigrants. Submissions which treat U.S. or Canadian immigration and ethnicity internationally or comparatively are also welcome.

Professionals working in museums, government agencies, libraries, historical societies, etc. are encouraged to submit reading lists compiled for special projects related to immigration and ethnic history (e.g., exhibits, films).

In undertaking this project, the IHS underlines its commitment to good and innovative teaching, both in the academy and outside of it. This exchange of information will produce a teaching tool valuable to both new and experienced teachers.

The IHS is fortunate to have the collaboration of the Newberry Library on this project. Donna Gabaccia will handle the collection of the materials. She and Jim Grossman at the Newberry Library will se-

lect(to eliminate repetitions), edit, and prepare an introduction for the collection. The Newberry Library will handle the sale and distribution of the finished product. We cannot precisely estimate the cost at this time, but a similar collection by the Urban History Association sold for \$20.00.

To participate:

1. Please send an original copy of the best quality you can produce. Please No photocopies and xeroxes; NO stencils, NO mimeographs, ABSOLUTELY NO faxes.
2. Please be sure that *Your Name, Your Institution, And The Title of Your Course* appear somewhere on the first page of your syllabus or reading list.
3. *Deadline: May 1, 1992*
4. *Please Mail All Submissions To:*

Donna Gabaccia
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Univ. of North Carolina at
Charlotte
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Immigration History Society Annual Business Meeting and Dinner

The 1992 business meeting and dinner will be held in conjunction with the annual meeting of the Organization of American Historians in Chicago on April 2-5. Details will be mailed to IHS members in several months.

SOCIETY MEMBERS' NEWS

John J. Appel, Adjunct Curator, Michigan State University has prepared with Selma Appel an exhibit entitled "Sino-Phobic Advertising Slogans: 'The Chinese Must Go.'" for the Strong Museum in Rochester, New York.

Roger Daniels, University of Cincinnati, presented the key note address during Asian-American month at the University of Kansas. He also spoke at a conference on "Race, Class and Ethnicity in World War II" at SUNY, Brockport, NY.

Donna Gabaccia, has been appointed Charles Stone Professor of American History in the Department of History, University of North Carolina at Charlotte.

Randall Miller, St. Joseph's University, presented a paper entitled, "Race and Ethnicity in Industrial Pennsylvania," at the Pennsylvania History Teaching Institute, Indiana University of Pennsylvania.

Harvey Strum, Sage Junior College of Albany, has been promoted to Associate Professor. He has also accepted a second two year term as chair of the Social Science Division.

Rudolph Vecoli, University of Minnesota and Director, Immigration History Research Center, delivered a paper entitled, "Inter-Ethnic Perspectives on American Immigration History," at a conference on Swedes in America at Vaxjo, Sweden.

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AWARDS AND CONFERENCES

THE JOHN CARTER BROWN LIBRARY will award approximately fifteen short-and long-term Research Fellowships for the year June 1, 1992-May 31, 1993. Short-term fellowships are available for periods of two to four months and carry a stipend of \$900 per month. Long-term fellowships, funded by the NEH, are usually for six months and carry a stipend of approximately \$2,400 per month. For scholars wishing to work at the Library for a period of two to seven weeks, the Library offers travel reimbursement grants of up to \$500. The application deadline for fellowships during the 1992-93 year is January 15, 1992. Applications for Travel Reimbursement Grants are received year round, allowing four months lead time. For further information, write to : Director, John Carter Brown Library, Box 1894, Providence, Rhode Island, 02912.

The CUSHWA CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF AMERICAN CATHOLICISM sponsors an annual research award in Irish American studies. Funded by the Ancient Order of Hibernians, the purpose of the grant is to further scholarly study of Irish America. An award of \$2,000 is made to a postdoctoral scholar of any academic discipline who is engaged in a research project studying the Irish experience in the United States.

The CUSHWA CENTER FOR THE STUDY OF AMERICAN CATHOLICISM offers dissertation fellowships in the history of U.S. Hispanic Catholics. Applicants must be candidates for a doctoral degree at a graduate school in the United States or Puerto Rico. Three awards will be made for 1992-93. Each fellowship will provide a stipend of \$11,000 for twelve months of full-time dissertation work. The program is supported by a grant from the Lilly Endowment, Inc. Application forms must be requested by December 1, 1991 and submitted by January 1, 1992. Please contact Dr. Jaime R. Vidal, Cushwa Center for American Catholicism, Notre Dame University, 219-239-5441.

The Society for GERMAN-AMERICAN STUDIES will meet at the University of Kansas, April 30-May 3, 1992. Contact William D. Keel, Lawrence, KS 66045 (Wescoe Hall).

The Marcus HANSEN Immigration Conference co-sponsored by the University of Copenhagen and Danes Worldwide Archives, will be held in Aalborg, Denmark, on June 29-July 1, 1992. The conference commemorates the centennial of the birth of Marcus

Lee Hansen(1892-1938). Themes of the conference include Interaction between the Old World and the New, Immigrant Interaction Abroad, and Scandinavian Immigration. For more information contact J.R. Christianson, History Department, Luther College, Decorah, IA 52101. Fax (319) 387-2158.

The IMMIGRATION HISTORY RESEARCH CENTER, at the University of Minnesota, is pleased to announce the extension of its grants-in-aid of research in Italian American Studies, funded by the Giovanni Agnelli Foundation. Graduate students and recent Ph.D.s are eligible for awards of up to \$1,000 to help defray transportation and living expenses for conducting at least two weeks of research at the IHRC. Contact the center for information.

Fellowships in MILITARY HISTORY are offered by the United States Army Center for Military History to graduate students preparing dissertations. Awards provide an \$8,000 stipend and access to the center's facilities. Please contact Dr. Clayton Laurie, U.S. Army Center of Military History, S.E. Federal Center, Bldg. 159-5th floor, Washington, D.C. 20374-5088. The deadline for applications is February 1, 1992. 202-475-2589.

The NEW ENGLAND Historical Association Spring Conference will meet on April 25, 1992 at Assumption College in Worcester, Massachusetts. Papers or panels may be proposed on any topic in history. Contact Peter C. Holloran, NEHA, Pine Manor College, Chestnut Hill, MA 02167; 617-731-7066.

THE PENNSYLVANIA HISTORICAL AND MUSEUM COMMISSION will sponsor the fifteenth annual conference on Black History in Pennsylvania at Lincoln University, Oxford, Pennsylvania, on May 8-9, 1992. The theme of the conference is "Empowerment: Perspectives on African Americans in Pennsylvania." To propose papers contact Robert Weible, Chief, Division of History, Pennsylvania Historical and Museum Commission, Box 1026, Harrisburg, Pa. 17108. 717-787-3034.

THE SOCIAL SCIENCE-HISTORY ASSOCIATION will hold its annual meeting in Chicago on November 5-8, 1992. Proposals for papers should be submitted by February 15, 1992. Contact Margo Anderson, Department of History, University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee, Milwaukee, WI 53201; 414-229-4361;

margo2csd4.csd.uwm.edu; or Andrew Abbott, Department of Sociology, University of Chicago, 1126 E. 59th St., Chicago, IL 60637; 312-702-4545.

The History of WOMEN RELIGIOUS Network is sponsoring a conference on Women Religious and the Social Fabric at Marymount College, Tarrytown, New York, June 28,-July 1, 1992. Please write the Conference on Women Religious and the Social Fabric, 12001, Chalon Road, Los Angeles, CA 90049.

IMMIGRATION HISTORY SOCIETY

Purpose:

The Immigration History Society was founded in 1965 to promote the study of the history of immigration to the United States and Canada from all parts of the world, including studies of the background of emigration in the countries of origin; to promote the study of ethnic groups in the United States, including regional groups, Native Americans, and forced immigrants; to promote understanding of the processes of acculturation and of conflict; to furnish through the "Immigration History Newsletter" information as to research, organizations, meetings, and publications in the field of immigrant history; to help organize sessions on immigration and ethnicity at meetings of learned societies; and generally to serve the field of immigration-ethnic history with special reference to professional scholarship.

Dues:

Membership in the Immigration History Society includes subscriptions to the *Journal of American Ethnic History* and "The Immigration History Newsletter." Dues are: Individuals: 1 year, \$30; 2 years, \$55; 3 years, \$75. Institutions: 1 year, \$60; 2 years, \$108; 3 years, \$145. Students: 1 year, \$15; Patrons: 1 year, \$100 (individuals or institutions who wish to provide more substantial financial support to the Society will have their names listed on the inside cover of the *Journal*). For domestic first-class mail add \$20 per year for surface mail or \$35 per year for airmail. Dues should be sent to: *Journal of American Ethnic History*, Department 8010, Transaction Periodicals Consortium, Rutgers University, New Brunswick, New Jersey 08903.

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