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INSTITUCIONES COLONIALES DE LAS AMÉRICAS EN EL SIGLO XVIII
Quebec, Canada
March 6–10, 1972

The Comisión de Historia and the Sección Nacional de Canadá of the Instituto Panamericano de Geografía e Historia (IPGH) sponsored this meeting. Arthur Blanchette and

Fred J. Thorpe were responsible for its program and organization. The following papers were presented and discussed:

Jaime Jaramillo Urbide, Colombia, Aspectos de la política española referente a población y tierra en Nueva Granada durante la segunda mitad del siglo XVIII;

Woodrow Borah, University of California, Acculturation in the Americas in the 18th century;

A. P. Thornton, University of Toronto, British Imperial Attitudes in the Americas during the 18th century;

Jacques Mathieu, Université Laval, Le commerce entre les colonies françaises des Amériques au 18e siècle, et entre les métropoles et les colonies;

Bernardo García Martínez, El Colegio de México, El *Mercurio* y la modernidad ilusoria;

Alfredo Castillero Calvo, Panama, Proceso de desarticulación del régimen de castas en Panamá durante el siglo XVIII;

Carlos Guilherme Mota, Brasil, Efeitos dos movimentos sociais brasileiros na política metropolitana: A "revolução" nordestina de 1817;

Ma. del Carmen Velázquez, IPGH, El septentrión de Nueva España;

Ella Dunbar Temple, Peru, Los cambios institucionales en el Perú a fines del siglo XVIII y principios del XIX en las colecciones documentales de carácter regional.

Specific topics considered were: 1) Land Use: Land tenure systems and their application to economic and social circumstances; 2) Inter-Ethnic Relations: Relations among peoples of aboriginal, European and African Origins; 3) Imperial Relations: Relations between colonies and metropolitan countries; colonial attempts to modify imperial policy and their results; 4) Trade: Trading patterns among colonies of the same imperial system and between those of different imperial systems and their effects; 5) Education: For whom and by whom; methods and consequences; 6) Social Mobility: Colonial modifications to the stratifications of European society; and 7) Religion and Society.

CARIBBEAN HISTORIANS
Fourth Annual Conference
Mona, Jamaica
April 9–14, 1972

Historians from the Caribbean and from North America met at the University of the West Indies to discuss Immigrant Labourers in the Caribbean in the 19th Century and Their

Relationships with the Slave or Ex-slave Populations. The fourth conference was organized by members of the Department of History at the University of the West Indies.

RELIGION IN COLOMBIA

Edwardsville, Illinois

April 14–15, 1972

The Department of History of Southern Illinois University sponsored this conference on The Past History, Present Status and Future

Prospects for Organized Religion in Colombia. Topics presented included the following:

J. Leon Helguera, Vanderbilt, The Church in the History of Colombia;

Wilkins Winn, East Carolina, and Suzanne Dailey, St. Marys of the Woods, Religion in the Violencia;

David Reed, Anglican Bishops Conference of Latin America, and Russell Patrick, Baptist Seminary, Colombia, Protestants in Colombia;

Charles Fleener, St. Louis Univ., Gary MacEoin, Fordham, Benjamin Haddox, Butler, and Wynn Burggraaff, Univ. of Missouri, The Roman Catholic Church in Colombia, Present Situation and Future Prospects.

For additional information write: Richard Millett, Dept. of History, Southern Illinois University, Edwardsville, Illinois 62025.

U.S.–CUBA RELATIONS

Congressional Conference

Washington, D.C.

April 19–20, 1972

The Congressional Conference on U.S.–Cuba Relations was sponsored by 29 U.S. senators and representatives and was an activity of the Fund for New Priorities, a New York-

based organization concerned with public issues, social justice, and international accord.

The Conference was concerned with the assumptions undergirding the U.S.–Cuba relationship, rather than directed toward the tactics and strategic elements of that relationship. Participants included: Kalman Silvert, Presiding, Ford Foundation; Laurence R. Birns, New School for Social Research; Cole Blasier, University of Pittsburgh; John M. Cates, Jr., Center for Inter-American Relations; Henry Geyelin, Council of the Americas; Joseph Gruenwald, Brookings Institution; Albert O. Hirschman, Harvard University; Admiral Gene LaRocque, Center for Defense Information; Martin C. Needler, University of New Mexico; John Plank, University of Connecticut; Tom Quigley, U.S. Catholic Conference; John Sinclair, United Presbyterian Church; Ben Stephansky, W. E. Upjohn Institute for Employment Research; Brady Tyson, American University; and Bryce Wood, Foreign Area Fellowship Program. Formal statements were presented by Edward M. Kennedy, Harold E. Hughes, Laurence R. Birns, John Plank, Kalman Silvert, and Brady Tyson.

The participants proposed the normalization of relations with Cuba: 1) two-way freedom of travel should be encouraged; 2) cultural and sports exchanges should be promoted; 3) the embargo against trade should be removed, and a progressive revival of commerce with Cuba should be encouraged; 4) long-term agricultural credits should be extended to Cuba; 5) a reasonable rent should be paid for leasing

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the facilities at Guantanamo or, alternately, the U.S. naval base should be returned to Cuba.

One of the recommendations that came out of the meeting was that an organization be established which would be concerned with investigating developments and possibilities for improving mutual understanding between the two nations. It would be the task of such an organization to introduce elements of rationality into the entire sweep of U.S.-Cuban relations by presenting information and analysis on the subject, and supplying useful insights to Congress, the Executive branch, and the media. Related to the above activity would be the capacity to assist local groups in conducting lectures, seminars and other types of programs, and providing a clearing-house capability, as well as maintaining a roster of experts who would be available for speaking assignments.

For additional information and requests for the transcript of the conference (\$6.00), write: Ernest R. Chanes, 213 East 27th Street, New York, NY 10016.

PABLO NERUDA
Symposium
Urbana, Illinois
May 2-4, 1972

The Department of Spanish, Italian and Portuguese, the Center for Latin American Studies, and the George A. Miller Lectures sponsored a symposium on Pablo Neruda. Related

events included an exhibit: "A Decade of Latin American Research," a film: "I am Pablo Neruda," and a poetry recital: "Pablo Neruda Revisited."

The program included a round table discussion on Neruda and his Critics with the following participants: Fernando Alegría, Emir Rodríguez Monegal, Leslie A. Fiedler, Carlos Cortínez, José Emilio Pacheco, and Merlin H. Forster, Moderator. The following papers were presented:

Emir Rodríguez Monegal, Yale University, *El sistema del poeta*;

Leslie A. Fiedler, State University of New York, Buffalo, *A Second Life: The English Translations of Neruda*;

Fernando Alegría, Stanford University, *Pablo Neruda in Contemporary Poetry*.

NORTHEAST CONSORTIUM FOR
ANDEAN STUDIES
Conference
University Park, Pennsylvania
May 5-6, 1972

The Northeast Consortium for Andean Studies held their second annual conference on the campus of Pennsylvania State University. Gabriel Escobar was responsible for organizing the meeting which focused on Urbanization in the Andean Region.

William F. Whyte, Cornell University was the dinner speaker for the conference. The following papers were presented:

John V. Murra, Cornell University, and June B. Nash, New York University, *Presiding, Incorporation and Participation of the Masses in Development in the Andes*;

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Enrique Meyer and Scott Palmer, Cornell University, They Won't Listen: Campesino and Government Relations in the Central Highlands of Peru;

Hans Buechler, Syracuse University, and Jorge E. Dandler, Drew University, discussants.

James Molloy, University of Pittsburgh, and Dale Johnson, Rutgers University, Presiding, Recent Political Development in Chile;

Leslie Ann Brownrigg de Baughman, Washington University, An Analysis of Interest Groups in the Regime Changes in Ecuador from 1964 to 1971.

For additional information on the program or the Northeast Consortium for Andean Studies write: Gabriel Escobar, 409 Social Science Building, Department of Anthropology, The Pennsylvania State University, University Park, Pennsylvania 16802.

MODELS AND INDICATORS OF NATIONAL DEVELOPMENT Workshop

Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

May 9-14, 1972

The International Social Science Council and the Instituto Universitario de Pesquisas organized a workshop in Typologies and Profiles of Development, Indicators of Development, and Models of Development.

Candido Mendes, Brazil, and Stein Rokkan, University of Bergen, Norway, organized the meeting. The following papers were presented:

I. Typologies and Profiles of Development

Fernando Henrique Cardoso, Brazil, The CEPAL Perspective on Social Change in Latin America: Investigation of the Implicit Model;

Historical Approaches in the Study of Latin American Social Development;

Political Typologies for Latin America;

N. Zimmelman, Chile, The New Marxist Perspective on Social Change in Latin America.

II. Indicators of Development

Urbanization;

Social Marginality;

The Rural Complex, Rodolfo Stavenhagen, Mexico;

Industrialization, Vilmar Farias, Brazil;

Education, Aldo Solari, Uruguay, and Maria Aparecida Jolly Gouveia, Brazil;

Science and Technology, Manuel Mora y Araugo, Argentina;

Mobilization, Julio Cotler, Peru, and Francisco Weffort, Brazil;

Political Participation, Simon Schwartzman, Brazil, and Glaucio Soares, Brazil;

Elites, Peter McDonough, Murilo de Carvalho and Wanderley G. dos Santos, Brazil.

III. Political Models

Instituto Torcuato di Tella and Raul Hernandez, Argentina, Perspectives on Model-Building in Latin America;

Peter Heintz, Switzerland, The Heintz Model;
 Gino Germani, Argentina, The Germani Model;
 José Agostinho and José Silva Michelena, Venezuela, The Bonilla-Michelena Model;
 Stein Rokkan, Norway, Applications of a Europe-Based Model to Latin America.

**NATIVE VERSUS FOREIGN
 INFLUENCES IN LATIN AMERICAN
 ARTISTIC AND INTELLECTUAL
 EXPRESSION OF THE TWENTIETH
 CENTURY**

Urbana, Illinois
 May 18, 23, and 25, 1972

The Center for Latin American Studies sponsored this three-session colloquium of the Humanities Research Program of the University of Illinois. The following papers were presented:

Gerard H. Behague, Afro-Bahian Cult Musics: Regional versus

National Trends;
 Gerald Dreller, University of Illinois at Chicago Circle, African Elements in Bahia;
 Anoar Aiex, Ensaístas Brasileiros do Período Modernista;
 Luis Leal, Nacionalismo y cosmopolitismo en la narrativa mexicana actual;
 Dagoberto Orrantia, John Jay College—CUNY, Función del mito en *José Trigo* de Fernando del Paso;
 Merlin H. Forster, Latin American *vanguardismo*: Chronology and Terminology;
 Thomas C. Mechan, The Imaginative Prose Style of Jenaro Prieto;
 Kirsten Nigro, The Grotesque World of José Donoso.

**CONFERENCE GROUP ON
 MODERN PORTUGAL**

Meeting
 Madison, Wisconsin
 June 9–11, 1972

A Conference Group on Modern Portugal was formed at a three-day meeting held at the University of Wisconsin, June 1972, under the sponsorship of the University's Western European and Ibero-American Studies Programs. Initial members of the group in attendance were: Thomas

Bruneau, McGill University; Juan Linz, Yale University; Harry Makler, Toronto University; Stanley Payne, University of Wisconsin; Joyce Riegelhaupt, Sarah Lawrence College; Philippe Schmitter, University of Chicago; Stuart Schwartz, University of Minnesota, and Douglas Wheeler, University of New Hampshire. The principal topics discussed at the conference were the history of the First Republic, the structure and development of the Portuguese corporative system and problems of change in Portuguese society.

The Conference Group plans to hold a more extensive workshop on modern Portugal for both faculty and graduate students in 1973 and to produce a volume of seminal essays on stability and change in twentieth-century Portugal under the co-editorship of Joyce Riegelhaupt and Douglas Wheeler. It also plans to develop an extensive interdisciplinary research proposal for the investigation of social change and the Portuguese system as a variant of the modern authoritarian regime, as well

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as for the development of a data bank on modern Portuguese society. Address inquiries to: Professor Stanley Payne, History Department, 5217 Humanities, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Wisconsin 53706.

**SEVENTEENTH SEMINAR ON THE
ACQUISITION OF LATIN
AMERICAN LIBRARY MATERIALS**
Amherst, Massachusetts
June 11–14, 1972

The University of Massachusetts was the site of the Seventeenth Seminar on the Acquisition of Latin American Library Materials. Special attention was given to the education and training of librarians for work

in Latin American collections. A series of workshops took up matters relating to gifts and exchanges, government publications, the book trade, acquiring current serials from Latin America, a Latin American Acquisitions Clearinghouse, library service to Spanish and Portuguese speaking minorities in the United States, financial support for library service to area studies programs, and the problems associated with selection and acquisition of Latin American, and Spanish and Portuguese language materials in libraries that lack the services of an area specialist. The program and working papers for the meeting were planned by a committee composed of President Glenn Read, Jr., David Zubatsky, Daniel Cordeiro, Pauline Collins, Eleanor Mitchell, and Susan Russell. The following working papers were presented:

- Peter T. Johnson, University of Minnesota, Significant Acquisitions of Latin American Materials by U.S. and Canadian Libraries;
- Hayd  Piedracueva, Columbia University, Report on Bibliographic Activities, 1972;
- Suzanne Hodgman, University of Wisconsin, Microfilming Projects Newsletter;
- Eldred R. Smith, The Specialist Librarian in the Academic Research Library: The Role of the Area Studies Librarian;
- Mary Ruth Magruder Brady, State University of New York at Buffalo, and Jane Garner, University of Texas, Latin American Library Studies: The University of Texas at Austin Graduate School of Library Science Program for the Training of Librarians for Latin American Collections;
- Carl W. Deal, The N.D.E.A. Institute in Spanish and Latin American Librarianship, June–August, 1966, University of Illinois, Urbana; a Report and Evaluation;
- Keith Revelle, Education and Outreach;
- Ann Graham, University of Texas, Continuing Education for Area Librarians Through the Foreign Area Fellowship Program;
- Beverly J. Brewster, University of Pittsburgh, The Future of Area Bibliography Programs in U.S. Library Schools;
- Hendrik Edelman, Subject Specialists and Job Requirements: Notes, Comments and Opinions from an Administrative Viewpoint;
- David S. Zubatsky, Washington University, Working Paper on the Acquisition of Research Materials from Latin America and their Selection.

The *Final Report and Working Papers* will be published by the OAS. A micro-card edition of the seminar reports can be purchased from Microcard Editions, Inc. Plans are under way to hold the Eighteenth Seminar in Trinidad in 1973. For additional information write: Mrs. Marietta D. Shepard, SALALM, Organization of American States, Washington, D.C. 20006.

**LATIN AMERICAN PROGRAMME
OF POSTGRADUATE TRAINING
IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES**

Santiago de Chile
June 26–29, 1972

The Latin American Social Science Council sponsored this meeting for coordinators of the working groups of the Programme, special guests, and members of CLASCO's Executive Secretariat. Enrique Oteiza was

responsible for organizing the meeting.

Participants analyzed and discussed the work carried out in local projects of the Programme in Mexico, Santiago de Chile, Rio de Janeiro-São Paulo, and Buenos Aires, and the possible means of implementation of the Programme. Commentary of the meeting will be published by the CLASCO Executive Secretariat, Lavalle 1171, 4th floor, Buenos Aires, Argentina.

**VII CONGRESO INDIGENISTA
INTERAMERICANO**

Brasilia, Brasil
August 7–12, 1972

The Inter-American Indian Institute and the Brazilian Government sponsored this seventh Inter-American Indian Congress. Program topics were: The present situation of the

Indian population in each country of America; the sanitation, legal, educational, and economic problems of the Indian population; and the problems of national development as they concern the Indian population. Participants came from most Latin American countries and the United States.

The Inter-American Indian Institute will publish some of the papers presented to the Congress. For information write: Comisión Organizadora del VII Congreso Indigenista Interamericano, Fundación Nacional del Indio, Ministerio del Interior, Brasilia, Brasil.

CENTRAL AMERICAN SEMINAR

Antigua, Guatemala
August 7–18, 1972

The U.S. Department of State and the Center for Inter-American Studies at the State University of New York at Albany, through the

SUNY Research Foundation, sponsored this seminar on Concepts and Methods of Social Studies. Frank G. Carrino was responsible for organizing the seminar. Participants included selected secondary teachers from the Central American Republics. The following presentations were made:

Joseph V. Alessandro, Pennsylvania State University; Methods;
John P. Augelli, University of Kansas, Geography;

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Clement G. Motten, Temple University, Civic Education and Methods;
Mario Rodríguez, George Washington University, History;
James H. Street, Rutgers University, Economics;
Frank G. Carrino, SUNY at Albany, Group Dynamics in the Classroom.

Papers presented will be published by the State University of New York at Albany. For additional information write: Frank G. Carrino, Center for Inter-American Studies, SUNY at Albany, Albany, New York 12203

**MILITARES Y POLÍTICA EN
AMÉRICA LATINA**

Santiago de Chile
August 22–26, 1972

The Escuela Latinoamericana de Ciencia Política y Administración Pública and the Instituto Coordinador de Investigaciones Sociales organized an international seminar

on Militares y Política en América Latina. Latin American specialists from Europe, the United States, and Latin America participated in the seminar. Professors Oscar Cuéller and Nelson Minello organized the program.

The program was designed to stimulate empirical research and theoretical discussion on the factors which determine the political role of the military and to deepen the knowledge of the variable forms which the Latin American countries present and their effects on the political development of the area. The following sessions were held: Problemas teóricos y metodológicos en el estudio de la actividad política de los militares; El origen de los cuadros militares: El impacto de la socialización profesional; and La inserción de América Latina en un sistema de dominación y sus consecuencias en la acción política de los militares.

**RECENT RESEARCH IN
MESOAMERICAN ARCHAEOLOGY**

Cambridge, England
August 29–31, 1972

The Centre of Latin American Studies of the University of Cambridge organized this first symposium to assess recent progress in Mesoamerican Archaeology. The following papers were presented:

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Richard E. W. Adams, University of Minnesota, Models and Estimates of Maya Elite Class Populations;

Richard E. Blanton, Rice University, Settlement Pattern Work and Excavations on the Site of Monte Alban, Oaxaca, Mexico;

Gordon Brotherton, University of Essex, What History Meant for the Biographers of Huizilopochtli and Quetzalcoatl;

David L. Clarke, Cambridge University, discussant;

George L. Cowgill, Brandeis University, Quantitative Studies of Urbanization at Teotihuacán;

Peter T. Furst, State University of New York at Albany, Ethnographic Analogy in the Interpretation of Pre-Columbian Art;

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- James C. Gifford, Temple University, A Review of Recent Thoughts Concerning the Interpretation of Maya Prehistory;
- Gary H. Gossens, University of California at Santa Cruz, and Alexander Marshack, Peabody Museum, Harvard University, A Chamula Calendar Board;
- Norman Hammond, Cambridge University, Lubaantún: A Last Look;
- Thomas A. Lee, Jr., New World Archaeological Foundation, The Middle Grijalva Regional Chronology and Ceramic Relationships;
- Arthur G. Miller, Yale University, The Mexican Presence at Tulum: the Mural and Architectural Evidence;
- René Millon, University of Rochester, The Study of Urbanism at Teotihuacán, Mexico;
- Barbara J. Price, Temple University;
- Robert L. Rands, Southern Illinois University, Archaeological Investigation in the Palenque Region, Chiapas and Tabasco, Mexico;
- William L. Rathje, University of Arizona, and Jeremy A. Sabloff, Harvard University, Trade and Power in Postclassic Yucatán;
- William T. Sanders, Pennsylvania State University, Political Evolution at Kaminaljuyu, Guatemala;
- Frank P. Saul, Medical College of Ohio at Toledo, Recent Research on Maya Skeletal Remains;
- Edward B. Sisson, Robert S. Peabody Foundation for Archaeology, Recent Research in the Tehuacan Valley, Puebla, Mexico;
- Gordon R. Willey, Harvard University, Problems and Perspectives in Mesoamerican Archaeology;
- Glyn Williams, University College of North Wales, Classic and Pre-Classic Contacts Between the Central Valley of Mexico and the Upper Rio Verde Drainage Basin of West Mexico;
- Dennis E. Puleston, University of Minnesota.

Papers presented will be edited by Norman Hammond and published by Duckworth, London, in 1973. For additional information write: Centre of Latin American Studies, History Faculty, West Road, Cambridge, England.

BRAZIL, RECENT TRENDS Oakdale, New York October 19, 1972

The history department of Dowling College organized a meeting on Brazil Today, Recent Politics, Trends, and Development. Norman

Holub organized the meeting. The program included:

- Warren Dean, Ecological Dislocations and Brazil's Rapid Industrial Development;
- Harry Bernstein, Brazil & Africa;
- Jordan Young, Brazil's Recent International Relations.

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**PACIFIC COAST COUNCIL ON
LATIN AMERICAN STUDIES**
Monterey, California
October 26–28, 1972

The eighteenth annual meeting of the Pacific Coast Council on Latin American Studies was held at the Monterey Institute of Foreign Studies on October 26–28, 1972. Eight

interdisciplinary sessions concentrated on the following themes and topics:

- Mark Van Aiken, California State College, Hayward, Presiding, Allende's Chile;
Lois Weinman, California State College, Long Beach, Presiding, The Female Elite in Iberal America;
Roger Cuniff, San Diego State College, Presiding, Popular Culture in the Northeast of Brazil;
Jo Ann Aviel, San Francisco State College, Presiding, Latin American Foreign Policy: Perspectives and Prospects;
Don Barnhart, San Francisco State College, Presiding. The Teaching of Latin American Studies;
E. Bradford Burns, University of California, Los Angeles, Presiding, Using the Film to Study Latin America.

The final session on *Using the Film to Study Latin America* also featured a number of recent Latin American film documentaries. For additional information contact: Philip B. Johnson, President, PCCLAS, Department of History, San Francisco State College, 1600 Holloway Avenue, San Francisco, California 94132.

MARTIN FIERRO CELEBRATION
Austin, Texas
November 14–17, 1972

The Government of Argentina in cooperation with the Institute of Latin American Studies and the Department of Spanish and Portuguese

of the University of Texas sponsored a celebration of the centennial of the publication of the famous gaucho poem *Martín Fierro* by José Hernández. The program included films, roundtable discussion, exhibits, concerts, and the following lectures:

- Rubén Benítez Ordaz, UCLA, Valores literarios del *Martín Fierro*;
Enrique Anderson Imbert, Harvard, Lo gauchesco y su proyección en el cuento y la novela;
Aníbal Sánchez Reulet, UCLA, Supuestos ideológicos del *Martín Fierro*;
Eduardo González Lanuza, Lances de honor y de amor en el *Martín Fierro*.

Professor Luis Arocena chaired the Organizing Committee. The Celebration concluded with a banquet in honor of the Ambassador of the Republic of Argentina in Washington, Dr. Carlos Muñiz.

**SOUTHERN HISTORICAL
ASSOCIATION**
Latin American Sessions
Hollywood-by-the-Sea, Florida

Latin American sessions of the Southern Historical Association annual meeting included the following themes and papers:

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Bolivar and San Martin: Consumptive and Addict.

Gerhard Masur, Sweet Briar College, Presiding;

Jane Lucas de Grummond, Louisiana State University;

Harold A. Bierck, University of North Carolina, Katherine F. Nutt, Northern Arizona University, and John Duffy, University of Maryland, discussants.

The Impact of Science and Technology on Modern and Contemporary Latin America.

Ione S. Wright, University of Miami, Presiding;

Mauricio Obregón, Mose L. Harvey, and John C. Leslie, panelists.

Colonial Administration under the Bourbons.

J. Preston Moore, Louisiana State University, Presiding;

Mark Burkholder, University of Missouri at Saint Louis, From Creole to Peninsular: The transformation of the Audiencia of Lima;

Leon Campbell, University of California at Riverside, The Changing Racial and Administrative Structure of the Peruvian Military under the Later Bourbons;

D. S. Chandler, Stephen F. Austin University, *The Montepío de Ministros* of New Spain;

John TePaske, Duke University, discussant.

The Eighteenth Century: Three Spanish-American Provinces.

Richard E. Greenleaf, Tulane University, Presiding;

Nancy M. Farriss, University of Pennsylvania, Yucatán;

Carlos Meléndez, Universidad de Costa Rica, Costa Rica;

William Sharp, Temple University, El Chocó;

J. León Helguera, Vanderbilt University, and William Sherman, University of Nebraska, discussants.

Armed Rebellion and Internal Security in Latin America.

Michael Meyer, University of Nebraska, Presiding;

Neill Macaulay, University of Florida, Brazil: The Prestes Column;

Paul Vanderwood, San Diego State College, Mexico: The Porfirian Rurales;

Louis R. Sadler, New Mexico State University, Cuba: The Rocambole Conspiracy, the Abortive 1947 Cuban Conspiracy;

Rollie Poppino, University of California, Davis, and Joe C. Ashby, Trinity University, discussants.

Aspects of Twentieth Century Political Development in the West Indies.

Robert F. Smith, University of Toledo, Presiding;

Thomas Mathews, University of Puerto Rico, Political Polarization in the Caribbean Communities;

Anthony Maingot, Yale University, Political Development and Constitutional Change: The Case of Trinidad;

Jaime Suchlicki, University of Miami, and Marshall J. Langer, University of Miami Law School, discussants.

FUTURE MEETINGS

FOURTH MEETING OF THE DIRECTORS OF LATIN AMERICAN CENTERS AND INSTITUTES IN MIDWESTERN UNIVERSITIES, Lincoln, Nebraska, April 5–6, 1973. For information on this meeting to be held on the University of Nebraska-Lincoln campus write: Roberto Esquenazi-Mayo, Director of the Institute for Latin American and International Studies, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska 68508.

XIV INTERAMERICAN CONGRESS OF PSYCHOLOGY, São Paulo, Brasil, April 14–19, 1973. Arrigo L. Angelini is organizing the program of the meeting for the Interamerican Society of Psychology. For additional information write: Jacqueline W. Calkins, Editor, *Boletín de Noticias*, Interamerican Society of Psychology, P. O. Box 88 UTEP, El Paso, Texas 79968.

EIGHTEENTH SEMINAR ON THE ACQUISITION OF LATIN AMERICAN LIBRARY MATERIALS, Port-of-Spain, Trinidad, West Indies, April 29–May 3, 1973. The Library Association of Trinidad and Tobago and the University of the West Indies, St. Augustine Campus, will be co-hosts for the Seminar. The conference will sponsor a series of workshops on matters relating to Caribbean Acquisitions, Latin American studies and the training of Latin American librarians. Special attention will be given to national, regional, and international planning for library services. Information on the content of the program and working papers may be procured from Donald F. Wisdom, Serial Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. 20540. For other information, refer to the Executive Secretary, Mrs. Marietta Daniels Shepard, Organization of American States, Washington, D.C. 20006.

NOSALF CONFERENCE, 1973. NOSALF, the Scandinavian Committee for Research on Latin America, is planning a second Nordic Latin American conference to be held in 1973. Preliminary theme of the conference is Interdisciplinary Research on the Agrarian Structure in Latin America.

CONFERENCE OF LATINAMERICANIST GEOGRAPHERS, Calgary, Canada, June 28–30, 1973. The following themes have been identified as appropriate foci for the meeting, under the general heading of Geographical Analysis for Development Planning in Latin America: 1) Evaluating Rural Development Potentials in Latin America; 2) Latin American Resources: special opportunities for future use and development; 3) Political Geography: issues and methods appropriate to Latin America; and 4) The Commonwealth and French Caribbean—are the issues comparable to those of Latin America? The conference welcomes the submission of contributions to one of the four themes on which it will focus. For additional information

write: Richard P. Momsen, Jr., Chairman, Latin American Studies, University of Calgary, Calgary, Alberta T2N 1N4, Canada.

HISTORICAL ETHNOLOGY OF SPAIN AND THE OLD SPANISH DEPENDENCIES, Chicago, August 1973. This symposium is one of 16 planned pre-congress conferences of the IXth International Congress of Anthropological and Ethnological Sciences. The organizer is Gustav Henningsen, University of Copenhagen. For additional information write: Gustav Henningsen, Danish Folklore Archives, Birgetinget 6, 2300 Copenhagen S., Denmark.

IV INTERNATIONAL CONGRESS OF MEXICAN STUDIES: CONTEMPORARY MEXICO, Santa Monica, California, October 17–21, 1973. The IV International Congress will be hosted by UCLA at the Miramar Hotel and will focus on Mexico's contemporary history. The meeting is interdisciplinary in nature with the following sessions being developed for analysis of 20th-century Mexico:

Session I: Introductory Points of View:

- Cultural History
- Political Science
- Economics
- Anthropology
- Sociology
- Geography

Session II: Legacies of the Past:

- Prehispanic
- Colonial
- 19th Century

Session III: Periodization of 20th-century Mexican history:

Session IV: Regional History

Session V: The Study of the Chicano:

- Perspectives from the U.S. and Mexico

Session VI: Institutional History:

- U.S.-Mexican Relations
- Military
- Education
- Church
- Labor
- Law

Session VII: Political Parties

Session VIII: Reflections on Contemporary Mexican History.

The Congress, sponsored by the Conference on Latin American History and a group of Mexican universities including UNAM and El Colegio de México, will analyze and interpret or offer reinterpretation of contemporary Mexican history. (This general theme of the meeting contrasts with the historiographical approach of

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the III International Congress which was held at Oaxtepec, Morelos, in 1969, the published volume for which is entitled *Investigaciones Contemporáneas Sobre Historia de México*, México, D.F.: Universidad Nacional Autónoma de México, El Colegio de México, University of Texas at Austin, 1971).

In order to emphasize the international and interdisciplinary nature of the Congress, it is important to note that the name of the gathering has been changed. The former title "International Congress of Historians of the United States and Mexico" delimited the approach in terms which differed from actual practice.

The IV organizing committee includes Daniel Cosío Villegas, Romeo Flores Caballero, Alejandra Moreno de Florescano, Luis González, Richard E. Greenleaf, Michael C. Meyer, Stanley R. Ross, James W. Wilkie, and John Womack, Jr. The chairmanship of the Congress is under the direction of Professors Wilke, Flores Caballero, and Meyer. Edna Monzón de Wilkie is in charge of local arrangements.

For further information contact James W. Wilkie or Edna Monzón de Wilkie, UCLA.