

# EDITOR'S CORNER

The 34th annual meeting of the Business History Conference will be held on 18–20 March 1988 at the Pierremont Plaza Hotel in Atlanta, Georgia. The theme of the meeting will be “Competitiveness.” Comparative papers (among companies, industries, or economies) are welcomed, as are suggestions for entire sessions. Paper and session proposals, including a one-page précis and a curriculum vitae, should be submitted as soon as possible, but no later than 15 October 1987, to Wayne Broehl, Amos Tuck School of Business Administration, Dartmouth College, Hanover, NH 03755. A dissertation session also will be held, for which all business history topics are welcome. Graduate students should submit dissertation summaries to Paul Tiffany, The Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia, PA 19104.

The 1987 joint annual meeting of the Society for the History of Technology (SHOT) and the History of Science Society will be held 29 October–1 November in Raleigh, North Carolina. For further information, please contact Pamela E. Mack, program chair, Department of History, Clemson University, Clemson, SC 29634–1507. The society also announces, for those wishing to plan ahead, that the program chair for the 1988 SHOT meeting will be Lawrence Owens, Department of History, University of Massachusetts, Amherst, MA 01003.

The Harvard Business School and the Newcomen Society of the United States announce a postdoctoral fellowship in business history for approximately \$26,000 for twelve months of residence, study, and research at the Harvard Business School for the academic year 1988–89. The fellow may begin the twelve-month residence on either 1 July or 1 September 1988.

The purpose of this award is to enable scholars who have received their Ph.D. in history, economics, or a related discipline within the past ten years to improve their professional acquaintance with business and economic history, to increase their skills as they relate to this field, and to engage in research that will benefit from the resources of the Harvard Business School and the Boston scholarly community. The successful applicant will be asked to participate in the school's business history course, seminar, and case development activities.

Applicants should state their purpose in applying for the fellowship, and the topic, objectives, and design for the research to be undertaken. Applications should be accompanied by graduate school records, thesis abstract, names and addresses of three people who will support the application, and such other evidence as the applicant wishes to submit.

Applications for the postdoctoral fellowship must be submitted before 15 March 1988 to Professor Alfred D. Chandler, Jr., Baker Library 214, Harvard Business School, Soldiers Field, Boston, MA 02163. Materials submitted with applications will be returned if accompanied by postage and a self-addressed return envelope.

Harvard is an equal opportunity, affirmative action employer.

The 54th annual meeting of the Southern Historical Association will take place 9–12 November 1988 in Norfolk, Virginia. The program committee invites proposals for both single papers and entire sessions. Potential presenters should send a one-page summary of the proposal and a curriculum vitae before 1 September 1987 to the chairperson, Theda Perdue, Department of History, Clemson University, Clemson, South Carolina 29634.

The Dwight D. Eisenhower Library recently opened for research the papers of Arthur E. Burns, 1928–69. This collection consists of 72 cubic feet of material relating to Burns's career as a college professor, chairman of the Council of Economic Advisors, 1953–56, and director of research and president of the National Bureau of Economic Research, 1930–69.

The Judicial, Fiscal, and Social Branch of the National Records and Archives Administration has recently accessioned 59 cubic feet of records of the Office of Economic Opportunity, 1964–72 (Record Group 381).

The Herbert Hoover Library has opened the papers of Walter Wyatt, 1922–46, general counsel to the Federal Reserve Board of Governors and its Open Market Committee. Three oral history interviews with Raymond Moley—a member of Franklin D. Roosevelt's Brain Trust—totaling 182 pages have also been opened.

Corrections: In Juliet E. K. Walker's article in the Autumn 1986 issue of the *Business History Review*, "Racism, Slavery, and Free Enterprise," David O. Whitten's study of Andrew Durnford is cited incorrectly (page 343, note 1). The correct citation is *Andrew Durnford: A Black Sugar Planter in Antebellum Louisiana* (Natchitoches, La., 1981). The book has recently been re-released by Northwestern State University Press of Louisiana. In Mira Wilkins's review of *The Economic Theory of the Multinational Enterprise* by Peter J. Buckley and Mark Casson in the Winter 1986 issue (page 685), two books are incorrectly cited because of errors introduced in the production process. *Economic Analysis and the Multinational Enterprise*, edited by John Dunning, was published in 1974; and Jean-François Hennart is the author, not the editor, of *A Theory of Multinational Enterprise*.