

## News, Notes and Queries

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LLOYD G. STEVENSON, 1918–1988

Readers of this journal will be saddened to learn of the death, following an automobile accident, of Lloyd G. Stevenson, William H. Welch Professor Emeritus of the History of Medicine at Johns Hopkins University. Although many of his scholarly articles were published in the *Journal of the History of Medicine and Allied Sciences* or the *Bulletin of the History of Medicine* (he had the unique distinction of editing each of them), the subject of much of his research was British medical history. Appropriately, he spent a good deal of time in Britain, between a post-doctoral year in 1949–50 and a post-retirement year at the Wellcome Institute in 1983–84. His writing was like the man himself: elegant and witty. Scholars of all ages could do worse than model their work on his, for his articles on anti-vivisectionism, on sanitarianism and on the anatomical basis of physiology are still fresh after three decades. The discipline is the poorer for his death.

### RESEARCH IN PROGRESS: HISTORY OF BIOMEDICAL SCIENCES

The American Association for the History of Medicine is planning, in early 1989, to issue a new listing of current research being conducted on topics in the history of medicine and related sciences, including dissertations. Individuals and department heads desiring to have their projects and those of their students listed are urged to send the following information: 1) Name; 2) Institution or mailing address; 3) Title of substantial research topics; 4) Estimated completion date. Send communications before November 15, 1988 to: Charles G. Roland, M.D., 3N10–HSC McMaster University, Hamilton, Ontario L8N 3Z5, Canada.

### THE WELLCOME INSTITUTE FOR THE HISTORY OF MEDICINE EXHIBITIONS

6 June — 2 September: *'Health for All': the Origins of the National Health Service, 1848–1948. A Fortieth Anniversary Retrospect*

19 September — 9 December: *Hygeia's Handmaids: Women, Health, and Medicine*

Both exhibitions will be in the exhibition area on the first floor of The Wellcome Building, 183 Euston Road, London NW1 2BP. Open 9:45–5:15 weekdays.