

IX. CHAIRMAN: Professor James W. Pohl
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SOUTHWESTERN HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION
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Wednesday, 8:00-10:00 P.M.

SSSA SPECIAL FEATURE: WELCOMING PARTY!

No host

A time for everyone to see old
friends and meet new ones.

Thursday, 8:30 A.M.

REPRESENTATIVE CIVIL WAR BATTLES OF THE WEST
Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Gail E. Balmam, Central Oklahoma State U.

1. "Battle of Pea Ridge, Arkansas, March 6-8, 1862,"
Maynard J. Hanson, Oklahoma State U.
2. "Battle of Cane Hill, Arkansas, November 28, 1862," Henry
F. Hartsell, Oklahoma State U.
3. "Battle of Westport, Missouri, October 21-23, 1864,"
Sara Jane Richter, Oklahoma State U.

Discussant: Thomas Isern, Sam Houston State U.

Thursday, 8:30 A.M.

MEDIEVAL REGAL INTRIGUES

Chair: Marvin M. Lomax, U. of Tulsa

1. "What Happened on the 'Field of Lies' in 833?," Thomas F.X.
Noble, Texas Tech U.
2. "Tostig Godwinson: Enigmatic Earl of the Norman Conquest,"
Miles W. Campbell, New Mexico State U.

Discussant: David H. Miller, U. of Oklahoma

Thursday, 8:30 A.M.

ASPECTS OF THE SOCIAL AND POLITICAL THOUGHT OF THE
EIGHTEENTH CENTURY

Joint Meeting with Political Science

Chair: C. Rodney Albert, Texas Woman's U.

1. "Why Vico Today?," James Valone, Bellarmine College
2. "Montesquieu's Concept of Natural Law," David Young, Warrensburg,
Missouri
3. "William Godwin's Rationalistic Optimism," Odelia Funke,
U. of Missouri, Kansas City

Discussant: James Allard, Montana State U.

Thursday, 10:30

SOCIAL AND INTELLECTUAL HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Ann Patton, Southwest Texas State U.

1. "Christian Theories of Art in the Renaissance," William J.
Neidinger, Rice U.
2. "James Braid and the Zoist Group: Two Currents in the His-
tory of Hypnotism," Alan Baron, U. of Texas, Dallas
3. "Konketsujii: The Literature on and the Lives of Amerasian
Orphans," Eunice Irwin, U. of Texas, Permian Basin
4. "Kropotkin's Anarchist Communism," Brian Bunnett, Austin
College

Discussant: Robert D. Becker, Midwestern State U.

History

Thursday, 10:30

CONFLICT AND WAR

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: James W. Pohl, Southwest Texas State U.

1. "Some Aspects of the Study of Military Law for the Practicing Historian, Paul F. Cecil, Southwest Texas State U.
2. "Called to Glory: The 36th Division in World War I," E.R. Milner, North Texas State U.
3. "Seeds of Conflict: Arab Nationalism, Zionist Ideology, and British Imperialism in Palestine, 1915-1948," Diana Knox, Southern Methodist U.

Discussant: Barry D. Powers, Midwestern State U.

Thursday, 10:30

BLACK HISTORY IN THE PROGRESSIVE PERIOD

Chair: Willard B. Gatewood, Jr., U. of Arkansas

1. "A Dialectical Model for the Study of Black History: The Progressive Period as a Case Study," Robert G. Sherer, Wiley College
2. "Black Press Reaction to Disfranchisement During the Progressive Period," Alan Ginsberg, College of the Mainland

Discussants: Bennie Reeves, Jackson State U.

James A. Tinsley, U. of Houston

Thursday, 10:30

MODERNIZATION IN SOUTH ASIA SINCE 1800

Chair: Albert A. Thibault, Department of State

1. "The 'Village Communities' and Reform in Colonial Ceylon," Vijaya Samaraweera, Western Carolina U.
2. "The Marquess Wellesley and the Curriculum Controversy at Fort William College, 1800-1805," Edward Brynn, Foreign Service Officer, United States Air Force Academy

Discussant: Tung-hsun Sun, National Taiwan U. and U. of Tulsa

Thursday, 10:30

RUSSIAN/SOVIET HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Slavic Studies

Chair: Gale Stokes, Rice U.

1. "The Russian Revolution and the Russian Peasant Commune: The Historical Origins of Stalinism," Myung Kun Yiu, East Texas State U.
2. "The Views of M. N. Pokrovsky and the Rise of Absolutism in Russia," Bernard Eissenstat, Oklahoma State U.

Discussant: Virgil Medlin, Oklahoma City U.

Thursday, 10:30

THE POLITICAL FUNCTIONS OF CULTURE: RECENT APPROACHES TO A CRITICAL THEORY OF CULTURE

Joint Meeting with Political Science and Sociology

Chair: James Schmidt, U. of Texas, Austin

1. "The Changing Function of the Left," Paul Piccioli, Washington U., St. Louis
2. "Culture and Politics in the Age of Artificial Negativity," Tim Luke, Washington U., St. Louis
3. "History and Culture in the Work of Walter Benjamin," John Fekete, Trent U.
4. "Desire and Bondage: The Political Significance of Michael Foucault," Robert D'Amico, U. of Florida
5. "Absence and Plenitude: A Critique of Freud-Marxist Literary Interpretation," John O'Neill, York U.

Discussants: Kathleen Toth, U. of Texas, San Antonio

James Schmidt, U. of Texas, Austin

History

Thursday, 1:00

CRISIS IN AMERICAN HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Harvey J. Graff, U. of Texas, Dallas

1. "The Hoxie Experience: Successful Racial Integration in Arkansas Before the Little Rock Crisis," Jerry Vervack, U. of Arkansas
2. "Albert Sidney Burleson and the Civil Rights Crisis of 1918," Phillip Thompson, Baylor U.
3. "William Lloyd Garrison, Advocate of Peace," Robert Wooster, Lamar U.
4. "Dark and Bloody Ground: Harlan County, Kentucky, 1931," Dusty Jordan, Arkansas State U.

Discussant: Carl H. Moneyhon, U. of Arkansas, Little Rock

Thursday, 1:00

THE AMERICAN INDIAN

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Ray C. Gerhardt, Texas Lutheran College

1. "Comparative Study of the American Indian & Native Hawaiian," Linda Parker, U. of Oklahoma
2. "Indian Relations in Colonial Maryland," Debra Boender, U. of New Mexico
3. "Indian Agriculture on the Southern Plains," Timothy Zwink, Oklahoma State U.
4. "Relations Between the Federal Government and the Peoria Indians," Glen Roberson, Seminole Jr. College

Discussant: Victor H. Treat, Texas A&M U.

Thursday, 1:00

DIPLOMACY AND DIPLOMATS IN TUDOR-STUART ENGLAND

Chair: Bernard C. Weber, U. of Alabama

1. "Henry VIII and James V: A Study in Anglo-Scottish Diplomacy," R. Glen Eaves, Auburn U.
2. "The Role of the Venetian Ambassadors in the Catholic Struggles in England, 1603-1642," Robert Scott, York College
3. "The Diplomatic Career of Peter Paul Rubens," Edythe Farley, Mississippi State U.

Discussant: Clifford B. Anderson, Ambassador College

Thursday, 1:00

AXIS PRISONERS-OF-WAR IN THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST

Chair: Cal Christman, Cedar Valley College

1. "American Stalags: Axis Prisoners-of-War in the Lower Mississippi Valley," Merrill R. Pritchett and William L. Shea, U. of Arkansas, Monticello
2. "Texas PWs Play Vital Role in Expansion of U.S. Labor Policy," Joseph C. Baptiste, Tarrant County Junior College

Discussant: John H. Moore, Washington, D.C.

Thursday, 3:00

MODERN BRITISH HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Ted Jameson, Southwest Texas State U.

1. "The Dual Economy and the Reinterpretation of Irish Economic History, 1800-1850," Raymond James Raymond, U. of Kansas
2. "Chartism and the Idea of Property," Gerane West, U. of Texas, Dallas
3. "Socialism and the Labour Party Before the Great War," Joe Blackburn, Baylor U.

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4. "John Ruskin as the Victorian Search for Self," D. Carol Radford, U. of Texas, Arlington
Discussant: Amos E. Simpson, U. of Southwestern Louisiana

Thursday, 3:00

THE INTRODUCTORY UNITED STATES HISTORY COURSE: FUNCTION,
APPROACHES, AND FUTURE
A Panel Discussion
Chair: William J. McNeill and James C. Maroney, Lee College
Panelists: Haskell Monroe, Texas A&M U.
Adrian Anderson, Lamar U.
Virginia Bernhard, U. of Saint Thomas
Robert E. Zeigler, San Antonio College

Thursday, 3:00

POST CIVIL WAR AMERICA
Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta
Chair: Garland Bayliss, Texas A&M U.
1. "Albert R. Parsons in Texas: The Making of a Radical Agitator," Gary David Goodman, U. of New Mexico
2. "The Jaybird Association in Fort Bend County," Lana Martin, North Texas State U.
3. "Black Regulars on the Lower Rio Grande, 1867-1868," Wayne Austerman, Louisiana State U.
4. "A Carpetbagger's Political Death in Arkansas," Sharon Lowry, North Texas State U.
Discussant: Lawrence D. Rice, U. of Southwestern Louisiana

Thursday, 3:00

THE UNITED STATES AND LATIN AMERICA
Chair: Robert V. Haynes, U. of Houston
1. "John Quincy Adams and Latin American Nationalism," Light T. Cummins, Baldwin College, U. of Georgia
2. "The United States and Latin American Economic Nationalism, 1945-1954," Stephen Rabe, U. of Texas, Dallas
Discussant: W.W. Anderson, Southwest Texas State U.

Thursday, 4:00

RACE, MEDIA AND THE PUBLIC RESPONSE
Joint Meeting with Sociology
Chair: George W. Noblit, Memphis State U.
1. "Blacks and American Advertising, 1975," Sue Amy, Texas Woman's U.
2. "Black Comic Performance and the Media in the 19th and 20th Centuries: The Minstrel and the Anti-Minstrel," Larry Coleman, U. of Texas, Austin
3. "A Southern Community Looks at Roots," Rob Balon, U. of Texas, Austin
4. "The Strange Career of Uncle Tom," Berkley Kalin, Memphis State U.
5. "In Search of Meaning: Roots and the Public Response," George Noblit and Ronald Fitzgerald, Memphis State U.

Thursday, 5:00

GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING: SOUTHWESTERN HISTORICAL
ASSOCIATION
Presiding: James O. Breeden, President

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Thursday, 7:00-10:00 P.M.

SSSA PRESIDENT'S EVENING

7:00-8:00 "NO HOST" SOCIAL HOUR

8:15 PLENARY PANEL ON CONVENTION THEME

THE ROLE OF SOCIAL SCIENTISTS IN THE DEVELOPMENT OF PUBLIC POLICY

Presiding

William S. Livingston, President, Southwestern Social Science Association, Political Science, University of Texas at Austin

Panel

Brian J.L. Berry, Geography, Williams Professor of City and Regional Planning, Harvard University

Irving L. Horowitz, Professor of Sociology and Political Science, Rutgers University

W.W. Rostow, Professor of History and Economics, University of Texas at Austin

Friday, 8:30 A.M.

HISTORY A LA POTPOURRI

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: William H. Leckie, U. of Toledo

1. "Spanish Criminal Justice and the Indian: Eighteenth Century Nueva Viscaya," Claude M. Mathis, U. of Texas, El Paso
2. "Evidence of Fundamentalism in the Musical Career of Bob Wills," David B. Stricklin, Baylor U.
3. "The 'Fitter Family Movement' in Texas," Ronald W. Melugin, North Texas State U.
4. "The Texas Troubadour: Ernest Tubb and Country Music," Ronnie Pugh, Stephen F. Austin State U.

Discussant: Forrest D. Monahan, Jr., Midwestern State U.

Friday, 8:30 A.M.

MILITARY CRISES IN ANCIENT ARMIES

Chair: James T. Chambers, Texas Christian U.

1. "Military Insubordination in the Early Hellenistic Period: The Case of Eumenes of Cardia," Edward Anson, U. of Arkansas, Little Rock
2. "Sulla and the Problem of the Army in the Late Roman Republic," Barry Katz, Louisiana State U.

Discussant: James Seaver, U. of Kansas

Friday, 8:30 A.M.

NINETEENTH CENTURY EUROPEAN DIPLOMACY AND IDEOLOGY

Chair: Lowell L. Blaisdell, Texas Tech U.

1. "The Genesis of the Hanover Conference, 1821," Irby C. Nichols, Jr., North Texas State U.
2. "Dynamics of Conservative and Liberal Political Ideology in Donoso Cortes and Montalembert," John T. Graham, U. of Missouri, Kansas City
3. "Historical Evolution: Open-ended vs. Cyclical," W. James King, Texas A&M U.

Discussant: Spencer Tucker, Texas Christian U.

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Friday, 8:30 A.M.

LATIN AMERICAN CONSERVATISM

Chair: Luis Martin, Southern Methodist U.

1. "Alberto Edwards Vives and the Structure of Chilean Conservatism," Gertrude Matycka Yeager, Tulane U.
2. "Lucas Alaman and the Conservative View of Mexican History," Jane E. Dysart, U. of West Florida

Discussant: Don Coerver, Texas Christian U.

Friday, 8:30 A.M.

WOMEN AND BOLSHEVISM: PRE-REVOLUTIONARY STATUS AND POST-REVOLUTIONARY RESPONSE

Joint Meeting with Caucus for Women

Chair: Idris Rhea Traylor, Jr., Texas Tech U.

1. "Russian Women: The Long Road Backward," Mariana M. Oonk, North Texas State U.
2. "'Long Hair, Short Sense': The Traditional Russian Woman," Regina B. McNeely, Tarrant County Junior College
3. "Leftists, Ladies, and Lenin: English Women Respond to Events of the Russian Revolution," Kathryn S. McDorman, Texas Christian U.

Discussant: Margaret Patoski, Texas Wesleyan College

Friday, 10:30

LATIN AMERICAN HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Cheryl Martin, Austin College

1. "Prophets and Politicians, Social Protestors in Brazil's Sertao," Angelika Parker, Southern Methodist U.
2. "The Anarcho-syndicalist Movement in Argentina: la Federacion Obrera de la Region Argentina, 1890-1905," George Louis Petty, U. of Kansas
3. "The Unforgettable and Mysterious Mayas," William Padon, U. Of Texas, Arlington

Discussant: Michael M. Smith, Oklahoma State U.

Friday, 10:30

OUTSTANDING TEXAS POLITICIANS

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: A. Ray Stephens, North Texas State U.

1. "Wright Patman," Janet Schmelzer, Texas Christian U.
2. "The Twilight of Personal Power: Colonel Edward M. House and the Treaty of Versailles," Michael Collins, Texas Christian U.
3. "Jim Wright: Southwestern Politician," Greg Canfield, U. of Texas, Arlington
4. "Lyndon Johnson's First Campaign: The Special Congressional Election, 1937," Stanford Dyer, Texas A&M U.

Discussant: J.B. Smallwood, Jr., North Texas State U.

Friday, 10:30

CONSULS IN GERMANY, GERMAN INVESTMENTS AND IMPERIALISM

Chair: R. John Rath, Rice U.

1. "German Investment in the Southeast," Peter W. Becker, U. of South Carolina
2. "The British Foreign Office and Its German Consuls Before 1914," John McDermott, U. of Winnipeg
3. "The German Move into Northern Kamerun: An Eye-Witness Account of the Occupation of Southern Adamawa," Ronald P. Raphael, Texas A&M U.

Discussant: Walter R. Craddock, U. of Southwestern Louisiana

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Friday, 10:30

LINCOLN PROSECUTES THE WAR

Chair: LeRoy Fischer, Oklahoma State U.

1. "Lincoln as Strategist," Archer Jones, North Dakota State U.
2. "A Revisionist Look at Lincoln and His Army: War, Conscription, and Military Occupation," Marvin Cain, U. of Missouri, Rolla

Discussants: Harold Hyman, Rice U.

Herman Hattaway, U. of Missouri, Kansas City

Friday, 10:30

RUSSIA IN THE NINETEENTH AND TWENTIETH CENTURIES

Joint Meeting with Slavic Studies

Chair: Henry J. Tobias, U. of Oklahoma

1. "British Reaction to the Hungarian Revolution and Russian Intervention of 1848-1849," Edward B. Richards, U. of Texas, Arlington
2. "Nationalism and the Ukrainian Peasant, 1900-1917," Steven L. Guthier, U. of Michigan
3. "Volunteer-Armenian Relations, 1918-1920," Robert Nichols and Artin H. Arslanian, St. Olaf College

Discussant: George Jewsbury, Oklahoma State U.

Friday, 12:30

POLITICAL CARTOONING AND SATIRE

Joint Meeting with Political Science

Chair: Bernard Grofman, U. of California, Irvine

1. "Analyzing Political Cartoons for their Political Content," Charles Press, Michigan State U.
2. "Mary Hartman, Mary Hartman," George Gordon, Hofstra U.
3. "Political Cartoons as Folkart," Jennifer De Camp, U. of Texas, Austin
4. "Pig and Proletariat: Animal Farm as History," Bernard Grofman, U. of California, Irvine

Discussants: Participants and Audience

Friday, 1:00

AMERICAN FRONTIER HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: John D.W. Guice, U. of Southern Mississippi

1. "Historical and Anthropological Significance of the De Soto Expedition," John T. Duke, Texas A&M U.
2. "Smith W. Brookhart of Iowa and the Organizational Revolution in Agriculture," Ron Briley, U. of New Mexico
3. "Concerning Grapes, Ballads, and Plows: The Cultural Impact of the Dust Bowl," James Ware, Oklahoma State U.
4. "Trappers, Traders, Miners, Cattlemen, Blizzards and Buffalo: A Short History of Frontier Montana," Michael L. Ehrlich, Southwest Texas State U.

Discussant: Roger Lambert, Arkansas State U.

Friday, 1:00

DEMOGRAPHY IN A NON-DEMOCRACY: ELITES IN THE SOVIET UNION

Joint Meeting with Slavic Studies

Chair: James W. Marcum, Oklahoma Baptist U.

1. "Early Soviet Bureaucracy and the Russian Bureaucratic Tradition," Daniel Orlovsky, Southern Methodist U.
2. "Membership in the CPSU at the Twenty-Fifth Congress: Stability and/or Change?," Don W. Chenoweth, Cameron U.
3. "Age in the Political Life Cycle of Soviet Politburo Members," Kenneth Ciboski, Wichita State U.

Discussant: Ellen Mickiewicz, Wellesley College and Michigan State U.

History

Friday, 1:00

EUROPEAN HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Marguerite Potter, Texas Christian U.

1. "Edward the IV, King of England," Thomas Barker, Texas A&M U.
2. "The Struggle for Control of the Reichswehr: Military or Civilian Supremacy," Bill Robertson, U. of Oklahoma
3. "Art in England and Roger Fry," Janie England, North Texas State U.
4. "The Scandinavian Presence in Early Russia," George F. Knapp, Jr., Arkansas State U.

Discussant: Vaughn Burdin Baker, U. of Southwestern Louisiana

Friday, 1:00

EIGHTEENTH-CENTURY CENTRAL AMERICAN GOVERNORS AND THE SPANISH CROWN: A CRITIQUE OF THE CHANDLER-BURKHOLDER THESIS

Chair: Robert L. Gilmore, U. of Kansas

1. "Mantias de Gálvez, Captain General of the Kingdom of Guatemala, 1779-1783," Wilbur A. Meneray, Tulane U.
2. "Francisco Luis Héctor de Carondelet, Intendant of San Salvador, 1788-1791," Thomas Fiehrer, Tulane U.

Discussant: D.S. Chandler, Miami U.

Friday, 1:00

RACIAL VIOLENCE IN TEXAS

Chair: James L. Nichols, Stephen F. Austin U.

1. "Vigilante Law During the Texas Slave Panic of 1860," Donald E. Reynolds, East Texas State U.
2. "A Comparison of the Effects on Black Fort Bliss of the Kipper Incident and the Brownsville Raid," Garna L. Christian, Downtown College of the U. of Houston

Discussant: Charles H. Martin, Austin College

Friday, 2:30

THE POLITICS OF AMERICAN POPULAR MUSIC: A ROUNDTABLE DISCUSSION ON THE PAST TWENTY YEARS RHYTHM AND BLUES, ROCK AND ROLL, AND COUNTRY MUSIC

Joint Meeting with Political Science and Sociology

Chair: David C. Perry, U. of Texas, Austin, Essayist on the politics of country music

Participants:

Archie Green, Folklorist and initiating Director of the Library of Congress Center of American Country and Western Music

Greil Marcus, Music Columnist, The Village Voice, Author, Mystery Train: Images of America in Rock and Roll Music

Jim Miller, Author, The Rolling Stone Illustrated History of Rock and Roll

Bruce Miroff, Former music writer for The Rolling Stone Magazine

Langdon Winner, Contributing Editor, The Rolling Stone Magazine and The Village Voice

David C. Perry, Essayist on the politics of country music

History

Friday, 3:00

PROBLEMS AND SCANDALS IN AMERICAN HISTORY Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Edwin R. Lehr, Vice President, San Jacinto, North State U.

1. "The Leob Leopold Case," David L. Finney, Sam Houston State U.
2. "The Campaign for Child Labor Laws in the Early Twentieth Century," Jim Foster, Sam Houston State U.
3. "The Origins of the Parr Machine in Duval County, 1900-1920," Evan Anders, U. of Texas, Austin
4. "Highway Scandals and the Fergusons: The Nadir of Texas Road Development," John Huddleston, Texas A&M U.

Discussant: Charles Kenner, Arkansas State U.

Friday, 3:00

AMERICAN COLONIAL HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: James O. Breden, Southern Methodist U.

1. "Thomas Jefferson's Quest for Religious Liberty," Charles Armour, U. of Arkansas
2. "Compact Theory: The Colonial Precedents, 1750-1776," Michael Busby, Stephen F. Austin State U.
3. "Myrmidons from Abroad: The Role of the German Mercenary in the Coming of the American Revolution," Melodie Pogue, U. of Houston
4. "The Vestry in Colonial Virginia as a Legal Institution," Barbara Amos, U. of Texas, El Paso

Discussant: Archie P. McDonald, Stephen F. Austin State U.

Friday, 3:00

POLITICAL FACTIONS IN EARLY FOURTH CENTURY GREECE

Chair: John Scarborough, U. of Kentucky

1. "Factional Strife at Sparta in the Early Fourth Century," Steven Klein, Indiana U., Pennsylvania
2. "The Oligarchic Faction in Early Fourth Century Athens," Dionysios Kounas, U. of Kansas

Discussant: Bruce Holle, U. of Kentucky

Friday, 3:00

MID TWENTIETH CENTURY EUROPEAN DILEMMAS

Chair: Roger A. Beaumont, Texas A&M U.

1. "The French Socialists and Indochina, 1945-1954," Edward Rice-Maximin, Bishop College
2. "Rundstedt: The Frustrated General," Alfred Turney, Southwestern Oklahoma State U.
3. "Charles DeGaulle: A Historical Problem in France," Robert L. Jones, Arkansas State U.

Discussant: William W. McDonald, Lamar U.

Friday, 4:00

GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING: SOUTHWESTERN SOCIAL SCIENCE ASSOCIATION

Presiding: William S. Livingston, President

Saturday, 9:00

DIPLOMATIC HISTORY

Joint Meeting with Phi Alpha Theta

Chair: Robert S. Maxwell, Stephen F. Austin State U.

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1. "The Panama Canal Controversy," Michael Mgebroff, Texas Lutheran College
2. "Maria Luz Affair," Suzanne Crawford, U. of Oklahoma
3. "Woodrow Wilson and United States Intervention in the Dominican Republic, 1916-1924," Ronnie Law, Texas Christian U.

Discussant: Mary V. Kuebel, Southern Methodist U.

Saturday, 9:00

SUBURBS IN AMERICAN THOUGHT: EVALUATIONS OF THE PROCESS OF SUBURBAN GROWTH

Chair: Timothy J. Crimmins, Georgia State U.

1. "The Valuation of a Middle Class Environment: The Railroad Suburbs of Chicago, 1855-1873," Carl Abbott, Old Dominion U.
2. "Planners and Suburbia: The Rise of Regional Consciousness in Los Angeles During the 1920's," Mark S. Foster, U. of Colorado, Denver

Discussant: Harry A. Jebson, Texas Tech U.



The annual meeting of the Association has been held in Dallas and San Antonio for the past few years because of the convenience of Dallas to most members and the special attractiveness of San Antonio. The meetings are characterized by serious attention to the widest possible range of societal and social science issues, interdisciplinary approaches to understanding, explaining and changing social life, and Southwestern friendliness. After the '78 meeting in Houston, the sequence will be Forth Worth in '79 followed by New Orleans, Dallas and San Antonio. Beginning in '79, every year the convention will be held the last Wednesday through the last Saturday in March.

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February 15, 1978

Mr. Paul F. Cecil
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Dear Paul:

Enclosed again is your session for the Southwestern Social Science Association meeting at Houston. Please note that you should send your paper (which should be ten to twelve pages in length--twenty to twenty-four minutes) to the session commentator by March 16. You should also send a short vita to the session chairman so that he can introduce you properly. I would appreciate your strict compliance with these instructions.

I would also hope that you would register at the Convention because the history section will receive \$2.00 per person. If at all possible, try to hear other Phi Alpha Theta sessions. Besides helping provide an audience, you can judge for yourself the caliber and type of research being done by other graduates.

I look forward to seeing you on April 13-15.

Sincerely,

Ben Procter
Professor of History

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Dear Professor Powers:

Enclosed is a copy of the paper I propose to present at the Southwestern Social Science Association meeting in Houston. I apologize for waiting until the last minute to send it to you, but unfortunately I am one of those who can not seem to finish anything. I always find a new way of phrasing a point or discover something new that I wish to add to a paper. Thus, in a way, it is probably best that I have to send you a copy or I would be revising the paper right up to the moment of presentation.

Because of the diversity of the papers to be presented in our session, I am not quite sure how you intend to make your comments. In the hope that it will help you, I amplified the footnotes to my paper a little more than was necessary. If you have any questions concerning any part of the paper, please contact me at Southwest and I will try to clarify it for you. As a "virgin" to this type of presentation, I am not sure of what is proper or accepted in the exchange of information, so please forgive me if what I provided is too little or too much.

I look forward to meeting you on 13 April and to hearing your comments on this paper.

Sincerely,

Paul F. Cecil