

## **EDITORIAL**

Thank you to those who have so generously provided information and reports for the Newsletter. I am stepping down as editor to be replaced by Stephen Tolliday. Please send all future contributions to him at the following address:

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## **COUNCIL ELECTIONS**

### **FUTURE ABH CONFERENCE PROGRAMME**

**ABH Conference 2000, 30<sup>th</sup> June - 1<sup>st</sup> July 2000**  
**School of Management, Royal Holloway, University of London**

There is no overall theme for this conference, just the title 'Association of Business History Conference 2000', in order to keep our first conference of the millennium broad and inclusive. The Council of the Association of Business Historians may consider individual papers and thematic sessions for publication. The proposers of papers or sessions should indicate their interest.

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Or go to the ABH website:

**<http://www.mmu.ac.uk/h-ss/heh/abhindex.htm>**

**Future ABH Conferences**

**July 2001, University of Portsmouth**

**July 2002, University of Reading**

**July 2003, Lowell, Massachusetts, USA**

The 2003 conference will be an international meeting that will be held in the USA in conjunction with the Lowell Industrial Museum, the Business History Conference (USA), the European Business History Association and the Business Archives Council. For further information please contact John Wilson, School of Modern History, The Queen's University Belfast, Belfast BT7 1NN, NI.

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## **FORTHCOMING EVENTS: UNITED KINGDOM**

**University of Reading, Centre for International Business History  
Forthcoming Events**

19-20 May

‘External experts in Organisations’

This joint conference with Dutch and German business historians will examine the role of outside advisors (accountants, consultants, investment bankers, advertising agencies, etc.) in public and private organisations. For more information please contact:

Matthias Kipping, Centre for International Business History, The University of Reading, PO Box 218, Reading, RG6 6AA, UK.

Fax: +44(0)118 975 0236 e-mail: [m.kipping@reading.ac.uk](mailto:m.kipping@reading.ac.uk)

**Business History Unit, L.S.E.  
Spring Term, 1999**

Seminars take place at 5.30 p.m. in the Committee Room, 5th floor Columbia House, 69 Aldwych, London WC2.

All enquiries should be addressed to the Unit's Administrative Assistant, Sonia Copeland:

Tel. 0171 955 7109

e-mail: [S.Copeland@lse.ac.uk](mailto:S.Copeland@lse.ac.uk)

**Economic History Seminar Programme, Department of Economics,  
University of Warwick**

**March 3**

Sue Bowden (Sheffield)

*Investment Under Uncertainty in the Interwar Years*

March 17

Marina Sorrentino (LSE)

*The Industrial Labour Market in Interwar Italy: some puzzles*

All workshops are on Fridays, 1.00-2.00pm in [Social Studies Building Room 2.79](#). Workshop organisers are Steve Broadberry and Francesco Galassi  
Contact: [S.N.Broadberry@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:S.N.Broadberry@warwick.ac.uk) or [f.galassi@warwick.ac.uk](mailto:f.galassi@warwick.ac.uk)

**‘Much toil and little hope’? Work, gender and wages in England, c.1600-1820**

**A conference at Cromford Lower Mill, Derbyshire**

**Friday 26 May, 2000**

Speakers

- Paul Glennie, University of Bristol
- Steve King, Oxford Brookes University
- Penelope Lane, University of Leicester
- Neil Raven, University of Derby
- Michael Roberts, University of Wales, Aberystwth
- Donald Woodward, University of Hull

For further details contact the Conference Organisers:

Penelope Lane, Centre for Urban History, University of Leicester

e-mail: [PL25@le.ac](mailto:PL25@le.ac)

Neil Raven, History Department, University of Derby

e-mail: [n.d.raven@derby.ac.uk](mailto:n.d.raven@derby.ac.uk)

The Conference is supported by the History Department, University of Derby and the Economic and Social history Department, University of Leicester

**Economic History Society Annual Conference, University of Bristol**

**7-9 April 2000**

The conference includes plenty of sessions that will be of interest to business historians including:

- Australia in Transition: Labour, Industry and Trade in the Era of Federation, c.1890-1940.
- Financial Institutions and Markets
- Managing Innovation in 19th and 20th Century Britain.
- Transport History and Gender.

- The view from Cabot's tower: perspectives on British economic growth from the gateway to the West.
- Social networks and industrial change in the early phases of European Industrialisation.
- Industrial Concentration and Collusion.

**Growth and Business Cycles in Theory and Practice  
University of Manchester, 6th - 8th July 2000**

**Call for Papers**

This is the inaugural conference of the newly established Centre for Growth and Business Cycle Research at the University of Manchester. The general aim of the conference is to cover recent developments in the study of growth and business cycles from both theoretical and empirical perspectives. The Conference will be unique in the UK, and should be of interest to both academic economists and policy makers alike. Invited speakers at the conference include Costas Azariadis, Jean-Pierre Danthine, Roger Farmer, Clive Granger, Simon Potter, Lucrezia Reichlin, Andrew Scott and Timo Teräsvirta. Paper submissions should be sent to Professor Keith Blackburn, School of Economic Studies, University of Manchester, Manchester, M13 9PL by 14th April 2000.

Further information from the Centre's web site: [www.ses.man.ac.uk/cgbc/](http://www.ses.man.ac.uk/cgbc/)  
or

Dr Marianne Sensier, Research Associate, School of Economic Studies,  
University of Manchester, Dover Street, Manchester, M13 9PL.

Tel: 0161 275 4866

Fax: 0161 275 4812 E-mail:

Marianne.Sensier@man.ac.uk

**Conference of Society for European Business History e.V.**

**The Power of the Media**

**Trinity Hall Cambridge, 9-10 September 2000**

For further information contact:

Conference of the Society for European Business History e.V., Zimmerweg 6, D-60325 Frankfurt/Main, Germany

e-mail: [ejohnston@compuserve.com](mailto:ejohnston@compuserve.com)

**Petty Traders And Captains Of Commerce: Retailing And Distribution,  
1500-2000**

**The University Of Wolverhampton, 14 And 15 September 2000**

## **Call For Papers**

The Committee for the History of Retailing and Distribution welcomes proposals from all disciplinary and methodological perspectives, addressing any aspect of the history of retailing and distribution, whether focusing on small or large-scale enterprises. It particularly welcomes proposals on:

- Innovation, Competition and Control
- Perceptions, Representations and Identities
- Urban, Suburban and Rural Retailing

Proposals should be submitted by Friday 18 February 2000 to Dr. Laura Ugolini, Room MQ202, Quadrant Chambers, University of Wolverhampton, Wolverhampton, WV1 1SB.

E-mail: [in6086@wlv.ac.uk](mailto:in6086@wlv.ac.uk)

## **Economic History Society Annual Conference 2001: The Society's 75th Anniversary Conference University of Glasgow, 30 March - 1 April 2001**

The 2001 conference of the Economic History Society - which celebrates its 75th anniversary year - will be hosted by the University of Glasgow (which will be celebrating its 550th anniversary) 30 March - 1 April.

The President and four Vice-Presidents will convene an academic session on the the following themes:

- Management and Organisation in History
- Britain and the Wider World
- Morality, Markets and Policy
- Land and Rural Society
- From Manor to Mill: How different was Britain?

A call for papers will be issued shortly.

## **Locating the Victorians Conference London, 12-15 July 2001**

The year 2001 will mark the sesquicentenary of the Great Exhibition of 1851 and the centenary of the death of Queen Victoria. Coinciding with the beginning of a new millennium, these anniversaries provide the opportunity to review our interpretation of the culture of the Victorian period. The Science Museum, the Victoria and Albert Museum and the Natural History Museum in London (a

cultural quarter itself funded from the profits of the Great Exhibition) will therefore host a great Victorian festival with major exhibitions and an international conference which will interpret the nineteenth century for the benefit of the 21st.

The dates for the conference will be 12-15 July 2001. The location will be the Forum Hotel, South Kensington, London, with events at the Museums. Accommodation will be arranged at the hotel and university dormitories. It is likely that registration will cost between £100 and £150.

The meeting is being organised so as to be interdisciplinary, wide-ranging and summative. It is intended to foster communication between those studying all branches of Victorian history, culture and literature. It will address questions such as the Victorian concepts of progress and time, of certainty and reality, of participation and inclusion, of gender and class, of association and organisation, of art and imagination.

The planning committee is currently thinking of 10 to 15 themes of which will incorporate four to six sessions perhaps made up of three papers or, alternatively, of discussion panels. Themes should be multidisciplinary incorporating treatments of literature, art, culture, economics, science, technology, etc. Contributions to the conference should be viewed as summations and interpretations rather than opportunities to present new research findings.

Proposals are sought from anyone who would like to become a theme organiser. Please submit ideas no later than 1 October 1999. Please e-mail all queries and submissions to: [j.davies@nmsi.ac.uk](mailto:j.davies@nmsi.ac.uk)

For more details consult the web site:

<http://www.sciencemuseum.org/researchers/victorians>

## **FORTHCOMING EVENTS: OUTSIDE THE UNITED KINGDOM**

### **Business History Conference: Enterprise in Society Palo Alto, California, March 10-12, 2000**

To celebrate the launching of its new journal, *Enterprise & Society: the International Journal of Business History*, the Business History Conference will organise its next meeting around the theme 'Enterprise in Society'. The conference host is the Prologue Group at Palo Alto, California.

Please address questions about the programme to Colleen Dunlavy:  
Tel.: +1-608-257-4206 e-mail: [dunlavy@alum.MIT.edu](mailto:dunlavy@alum.MIT.edu)

**Sixth French Conference on Accounting and Management History  
Paris, 23-24 March 2000**

Communications may be presented in French or in English. Although many of the papers presented in the previous editions used to deal with accounting history, all periods and topics will be considered (history of marketing, human resource management, finance, etc.). More broadly it may be possible to tackle business history or methodology.

For further information, please contact:

Nicolas Berland or Anne Pezet

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**Third European Social Science History Conference  
Amsterdam, Netherlands, 12-15 April 2000**

The ESSHC is patterned on the annual conventions of the American Social Science History Association. The ESSHC aims at bringing together scholars interested in explaining historical phenomena using the methods of the social sciences. The ESSHC takes place bi-annually: in 1996 in Noordwijkerhout, in 1998 and 2000 in Amsterdam. The conference is characterised by a lively exchange in many small groups, rather than by formal plenary sessions.

The European Social Science History Conference is organised by the International Institute of Social History (IISH), an institute of the Royal Netherlands Academy of Arts & Sciences. Information on the IISH is available from its website at <http://www.iisg.nl>

At the IISH Karin Hofmeester is responsible for the ESSHC.

For further information contact:

Conference Secretariat ESSHC 2000, c/o International Institute of Social History, Cruquiusweg 31, 1019 AT Netherlands.

Tel.: + 31 20 66 858 66 fax: + 31 20 66 541 81 e-mail: [ESSHC@iisg.nl](mailto:ESSHC@iisg.nl)

**Economic and Business Historical Society  
Silver Anniversary Annual Meeting  
San Diego, California, 27-29 April 2000**

Papers presented at the meeting will be considered for publication in the Society's journal, *Essays in Economic and Business History*, edited by Professor Michael Namorato.

The conference will be held in the Holiday Inn Hotel & Suites Old Town, San Diego, California.

Further enquiries to:

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Department of Economics, University of Wisconsin-Parkside, 900 Wood Road,  
Box 2000, Kenosha, WI 53141-2000

Tel.: (414) 595-2259 Fax: (414) 595-2120 e-mail: [keehnr@uwp.edu](mailto:keehnr@uwp.edu)

### **Fourth World Congress of Cliometrics**

#### **Montreal, 6-9 July 2000**

The Fourth World Congress of Cliometrics will be held 6-9 July 2000 in Montreal, Canada. George Grantham is serving as a chair for local arrangements.

All members of sponsoring organisations are invited to attend. Registrations will be conducted in advance so participants can receive papers prior to the congress. Sessions will be held in traditional cliometrics conference format: authors will provide a five minute introduction to their work, which will be followed by an extended period of discussion involving session participants.

For further details please see The Cliometric Society web site:

<http://www.eh.net/Clio>

Or contact:

The World Congress Secretary, 109 Laws Hall, Miami University, 501 East High Street, Oxford OH 45056, USA

Tel: +1-513-529-2850 Fax: +1-513-529-3308 e-mail: [WCCC4@eh.net](mailto:WCCC4@eh.net)

### **Third International Congress of the International Maritime Economic History Association**

#### **Esbjerg, Denmark, 3-5 August 2000**

The Third International Congress of the International Maritime History, sponsored by the International Maritime Economic History Association, will be held at the Centre for Maritime and Regional History, Fiskeri-og Sxfartsmuseum, Esbjerg, Denmark.

Contact: Prof. Lewis R. Fisher, Maritime Studies Research Unit, Memorial University of Newfoundland, St. John's, NF A1C 5S7, Canada.

Tel.: +1 709 737 8424 Fax: +1 709 737 842

e-mail: [lfischer@morgan.ucs.mun.ca](mailto:lfischer@morgan.ucs.mun.ca)

**19th International Congress of Historical Sciences  
Oslo, Norway, 6-13 August 2000**

This congress, which takes place every fifth year, is the largest regular meeting of professional historians from all over the world. A session of the International Economic History Association on 'Economic Change and the Building of the Nation State' will be held at the conference.

For further details contact:

19th International Congress of Historical Sciences, PO Box 1008, Blindern, N-0315 Oslo, Norway

Fax: +47 22 85 4700 e-mail: [oslo2000@hf.uio.no](mailto:oslo2000@hf.uio.no)

Website: <http://www.oslo2000.uio.no/>

**Society for the History of Technology Annual Conference  
Munich, Germany, August 17-20, 2000.**

The conference will cover topics related to all aspects of the history of technology. The attempt to use the history of technology to inform other disciplines or other sub-disciplines of history is encouraged. For further details please contact:

Dr. Michael Allen, SHOT Program Chair, Zentralinstitut fuer Geschichte der Technik, Deutsches Museum, Museuminsel 1, D-80306 Muenchen, Germany.

Tel: (49)(89) 2179 402 Fax: (49)(89) 2179 324

email: [Mike.Allen@mzwtg.mwn.de](mailto:Mike.Allen@mzwtg.mwn.de)

**Technology and the Environment  
27th Symposium of the International Committee for the History of  
Technology, Prague, 22-26 August 2000**

The conference theme is 'Technological Landscapes: Energy, Transport, and Environment'.

The 27th Symposium of ICOHTEC is being co-hosted by the Czech Technical University and the National Technical Museum of Prague. For more information on ICOHTEC and the 27th Symposium, please visit the ICOHTEC Web site.

Contact information:

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### **EBHA 4th Convention and International Conference 2000**

**Bordeaux, 15-16 September 2000**

**Firms Committed to Internationalisation, World-wide Expansion or Globalisation in the 19-20th century**

The 4th International Conference of the EBHA will be held on 15-16 September 2000 at the Political Sciences Institute of Bordeaux (IEP), University campus of Talence, France. Proceedings of the conference will be published in 2001.

For further details please see the conference web site at:

<http://www.univ.tlse1.fr/EBHA2000>

or contact:

Hubert Bonin: [bonin@iep.u-bordeaux.fr](mailto:bonin@iep.u-bordeaux.fr)

Christophe Bouneau: [bouneau@wanadoo.fr](mailto:bouneau@wanadoo.fr)

Mailing address of the conference:

Professeur Hubert Bonin, EBHA2000, I.E.P. de Bordeaux, 33405 Talence CEDEX, FRANCE

### **EBHA Future Conferences**

The European Business History Conference has announced the following programme of annual conferences.

#### **Business and Knowledge, Oslo, end August 2001**

Contact Professor Rolv Petter Amdam, Centre for Business History, Norwegian School of Management, PO Box 580, N-1301 Sandvika, Norway.

Tel: +47- 67 57 05 83 Fax: +47 67 57 05 20 e-mail: [rolv.p.amdam@bi.no](mailto:rolv.p.amdam@bi.no)

#### **Companies, Owners and Employees, Helsinki, end June 2002**

The EBHA invites Japanese and US colleagues to attend a 'world' conference of business historians. Contact: Professor Riitta Hjerppe, Economic and Social History, University of Helsinki, PO Box 54 (Snellmaninkatu 14), SF-00014 Helsinki, Finland

Tel: +358 9 191 8951 e-mail: [hjerppe@tukki.jyu.fi](mailto:hjerppe@tukki.jyu.fi)

For further information about the EBHA conference programme and other EBHA activities, contact Professor Geoffrey Jones, Centre for International Business

History, Economics Department, University of Reading, PO Box 218, Reading, RG6 6AA, UK.

Fax: +44 118 975 0236 e-mail: [g.g.jones@reading.ac.uk](mailto:g.g.jones@reading.ac.uk)

For information on joining the EBHA, contact Dr Keetie E. Sluyterman, 135 Queens Road, Richmond, Surrey, TW10 6HF, UK.

Tel: +44 181 9483038 e-mail: [keetie.sluyterman@let.ruu.nl](mailto:keetie.sluyterman@let.ruu.nl)

### **Looking Backward & Looking Forward: Perspectives on Social Science History**

**The 25th Anniversary Meeting of the SSHA, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, October 26-29, 2000**

The Social Science History Association will hold its 25th anniversary conference October 26-29 at the Pittsburgh Hilton and Towers in Pittsburgh. The SSHA is the leading interdisciplinary association for historical research. The members of the association share a common interest in interdisciplinary and systematic approaches to historical research. The organization's long-standing interest in research methodology also makes SSHA meetings fertile ground for exploring new solutions to historical problems. The SSHA strongly encourages participation from graduate students and recent PhDs as well as more established scholars.

This year's anniversary meeting, 'Looking Backward and Looking Forward' will include reflective presidential and thematic sessions on the past and future of social science history. Sessions will feature founders and past presidents, critiques of social science history, the teaching social science history, the philosophy of social science history, and Pittsburgh as a site for social science history -- as well as the usual broad range of sessions proposed by participants.

### **Design, Technology, and Work**

**Hagley Museum and Library, Wilmington, DE, 10 November 2000**

### **Call for Papers**

Paper proposals are invited for the conference, 'Kitchens: Design, Technologies, and Work' at the Hagley Museum and Library (in Wilmington Delaware) on November 10, 2000. Joy Parr (Simon Fraser University) will deliver the keynote address. We welcome proposals analyzing household, commercial, and industrial kitchens in North America after 1850. Papers may address the changing design and technology of kitchens and their contents (such as appliances and furniture), the social relations of kitchen work (cooking, cleaning, etc.) within firms or

households, and the spatial relationships inside kitchens as well as between kitchens and other spaces in homes or institutions.

Proposals are due by April 21, 2000 and should include an abstract of no more than 500 words and a brief c.v. Funds may be available to support travel to the conference by speakers. Please direct proposals and queries to:

Dr. Roger Horowitz, Associate Director, Center for the History of Business Technology and Society, Hagley Museum and Library, PO Box 3630, Wilmington, DE 19807

Fax: 302-655-3188      email: [rh@udel.edu](mailto:rh@udel.edu)

**The International Economic History Association, 13th World Congress, Buenos Aires, Argentina, July 2002**

The congress committee has accepted 41 session proposals, each of which will be allocated varying blocks of time according to requirements. A second and final call for session proposals will be issued next year with a deadline of 15 April 2001. There will now be no distinction between B and C sessions; the proposed format and possible themes of A sessions will, following wide consultation, be decided at the Executive Committee meeting next year.

Air fares from Europe will not be as high as feared - at the moment a likely fare for a direct British Airways flight from London is \$950, but it is hoped to negotiate a fare of \$800 nearer to the congress date. The possibility of cheaper charters from Europe is also being explored. Some good hotel deals have been negotiated and will be posted on the web site. All efforts will be made to keep the registration fee to a minimum in order to reduce costs.

Contact coordinator, Florencia Schindler: [schindler@udesa.edu.ar](mailto:schindler@udesa.edu.ar)

Delegates wishing to register should access the congress web site:  
<http://www.eh.net/XIIICongress>

## **CONFERENCE REPORTS**

## **RESEARCH SERVICES**

**The Business Archives Council**

The BAC has a new e-mail address: [sharonq-r.bac@talk21.com](mailto:sharonq-r.bac@talk21.com)  
The Council's website is hosted by Glasgow University Archives & Business  
Records Centre. The address is [www.archives.gla.ac.uk/bac/default.html](http://www.archives.gla.ac.uk/bac/default.html)  
Comments may be directed to: [bac@archives.gla.ac.uk](mailto:bac@archives.gla.ac.uk)

### **Archives of William Whiteley: 'The Universal provider'**

HSBC Group Archives report the discovery of papers relating to William Whiteley (1831-1907), the founder of the Whiteley department stores. Whiteley, who gave himself the popular tag of 'The Universal Provider', was a pioneer of retailing and he claimed to supply 'everything from a pin to an elephant'. He was also a controversial character; his career came to a dramatic end when, in 1907 at Whiteley's store in Bayswater, he was shot dead by his illegitimate son.

A substantial collection of records and photographs was deposited by the former William Whiteley Ltd at Westminster City Archives in 1974. However, the newly-discovered papers were traced among the business records of the stockbrokers W. Greenwell & Co., a constituent company of the HSBC Group. These records include papers relating to the floatation of William Whiteley Ltd. In 1899; analyses and descriptions of Whiteley's business and Stock Exchange investments in about 1899; and personal correspondence between Whiteley and Greenwells from 1899 to 1907.

Enquiries about these records should be sent to:  
HSBC Group Archives, 10 Lower Thames Street, London EC3R 6AE  
e-mail: [group.archives@hsbcgroup.com](mailto:group.archives@hsbcgroup.com)

### **Government backing of business archives**

#### ***Archives at the Millennium: the twenty eighth report of the Royal Commission on Historical Manuscripts 1991-99***

This publication was brought out in October and is available from the Historical Manuscripts Commission. It critically examines the structure within which archive services are provided and new sources for funding available for archive services. The report emphasizes the central importance of business and private archives to Britain's cultural heritage.

The report acknowledges that 'business archives contain a treasure-store of information' and cites the Royal Bank of Scotland's prize-winning CD-ROM 'Past Lives' to demonstrate the potential of using business archives in national and local education programmes. The Business Archives Council is praised for its 'strikingly success and productive' activities but the report also finds that 'business archives are significantly under-resourced in response to the needs of the present and the challenges of the future'. It concludes that business archives

should be fully included in any assessment of national archive strategy, as well as in the allocation of public funding for the development of the archives sector, proposing that MLAC should consider introducing direct financial support to voluntary bodies such as the Business Archives Council.

**Institutional Websites: useful addresses**

Centre for International Business Studies, South Bank University  
<http://www.sbu.ac.uk/cibs>

Centre for International Business History, University of Reading  
<http://www.rdg.ac.uk/CIBH>

Business History Research Unit, Cardiff Business School  
<http://cf.ac.uk/uwcc/carbs/research/bhru/>

CHORD: the Committee for the History of Retailing and Distribution  
<http://www.wlv.ac.uk/shass/chord.html>

Business History Unit, Department of Economics, University of Portsmouth  
<http://www.pbs.port.ac.uk/econ/bhu.html>

## NEW PUBLICATIONS

***Consumers and luxury: consumer culture in Europe, 1950-1850***

Edited by Maxine Berg and Helen Clifford

January 1999, Manchester University Press, 272pp, Hardback £47.50 0-7190-5273-4 and Paperback £16.99 0-7190-5274-2

From tulips to jewels, gastronomy to silver, coffee to colours, the late seventeenth century and the eighteenth century saw an explosion of consumer and luxury objects and a growing demand for their consumption by a widening section of the population.

This interdisciplinary volume brings together a group of scholars to chart the rise of consumer culture in Europe during this period. Themes discussed include art markets, collecting and display, and are set alongside those of value and luxury, and consumer markets and the public sphere.

**ACCOUNTING, BUSINESS AND FINANCIAL HISTORY  
VOLUME 9 1999**

Editors: Trevor Boyns & J.R. Edwards, University of Cardiff

## **BUSINESS HISTORY**

### **VOLUME 41 1999**

Editors: Charles Harvey, Royal Holloway, University of London, UK & Geoffrey Jones, University of Reading, UK

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Assistant Editor: Jon Press, Bath Spa University College

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*The sources of innovation in the woollen and worsted industry of eighteenth-century Yorkshire*

Tom Nicholas

*Wealth making in nineteenth- and early twentieth-century Britain: industry v. commerce and finance*

Forrest Capie and Michael Collins

*Banks, industry and finance, 1880–1914*

Philip Ollerenshaw

*Textile business in Europe during the First World War: the linen industry, 1914–18*

Mairi Maclean

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*German direct investment in the United Kingdom, 1871-1918*

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*Diversification strategies of British trading companies: Harrisons & Crosfield c.1900-c.1980*

Geoffrey Tweedale and David J Jeremy

*Compensating the workers: industrial injury and compensation in the British asbestos industry, 1930s-60s*

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Sue Bowden and David M Higgins

*'Productivity on the cheap'?: The 'More Looms' experiment and the Lancashire weaving industry during the inter-war years*

Sally M Horrocks

*Enthusiasm constrained? British industrial R&D and the transition from war to peace, 1942-51*

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*The restrictive practices of capital: employer commercial opportunism, labour militancy and economic performance in the engineering construction industry, 1960-80*

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*The historical development of business philanthropy: social responsibility in the new corporate economy*

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*'Objectionable Parasites': the crown agents and the purchase of crown colony government stores 1880-1914*

Priscilla Connolly

*Pearson and public works construction in Mexico 1890-1910*

Paloma Fernandez-Perez

*Challenging the loss of an Empire: the González & Byass of Jerez*

Peter Wardley

*The emergence of Big Business: the largest employers of labour in the United Kingdom, Germany and the United States c.1907*

## **BUSINESS ARCHIVES: SOURCES AND HISTORY**

**Number 78, 1999**

**Published by the Business Archives Council**

Editor: Brad Beaven, University of Portsmouth

Editorial assistant: Richard Storey

Book review editor: Lucy Newton, University of Reading

Matthew Taylor

*Football archives and the historian*

Christine Clark and Roger Munting

*Business Records for two centuries of industry in Suffolk*

John Griffiths

*Exploring corporate culture: the potential of magazines for the business historian*

Tom Donnelly

*Civic records and business enterprise: Aberdeen, 1750-1915*

John Wells

*The prices current series in the archive of Jardine, Matheson & co*

## **BUSINESS AND ECONOMIC HISTORY**

### **VOLUME 28, 1999**

#### **The Journal of the Business History Conference**

Editor: William J. Hausman, College of William and Mary

## **FINANCIAL HISTORY REVIEW**

### **Volume 6, 1999**

Editors: Y. Cassis, Université Pierre Mendès France Grenoble II

P. L. Cottrell, University of Leicester, UK.

Review Editor: D. Zeigler, Universität Bielefeld

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*Capture or agreement? Why Spanish banking was regulated under the Franco regime, 1939-75*

Francesca Carnevali and Peter Scott

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