

# BULLETIN

Canadian Society of Patristic Studies (CSPS)  
Association canadienne des études patristiques (ACEP)

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## CALL FOR PAPERS APPEL DE COMMUNICATIONS

for the CSPS Annual Meeting  
pour la réunion annuelle de l'ACEP

Queen's University, May 29-31, 1991

Proposals of papers (20 minutes) are invited. The time limit will be enforced so as to allow for discussion. Proposals from graduate students are especially welcome.

Envoyez vos propositions avant le 15 mars 1991, avec un bref résumé, au président du comité du programme:

Harry O. Maier  
11040 River Rd.  
Delta, B.C.  
V4C 2G2

Veillez vous indiquer si des appareils audio-visuels sont requis. Le comité du programme (Harry Maier, président; Harold Remus, Wendy Helleman) communiquera avec les intéressés vers le 31 mars.

Our local representative for the Learned Societies Conference will be Pamela Dickey Young at (613) 545-2110. All bookings should be made through the Secretariat of the Conference. Those on the mailing list of the society will receive information directly from the Secretariat. Otherwise one may write:

Learned Societies Conference  
Queen's University  
Kingston, Ontario  
K7L 3N6  
Tel: (613) 545-6708  
Fax: (613) 545-6735

The designated carrier for the conference is Canadian Airlines. Bookings may be made through your travel agent or directly at 1-800-268-4704. If you chose to use this airline, the secretariat requests that you quote conference number 758 to the airline when you make your reservation. Doing so allows the secretariat to provide several free tickets for special guest speakers invited by the various societies.

Les frais de pré-inscription sont de \$62 avant le 1er avril, \$80 après, et \$25 pour membres qui sont à leur retraite ou étudiant(e)s (détails dans le courrier expédié directement par les organisateurs du Congrès). Malgré le coût, il est très important de s'inscrire, car les subsides annuels octroyés par la Fédération Canadienne des Études Humaines (FCEH/CFH) dépendent du nombre de participants officiellement inscrits.

The dates of other societies likely to be of interest to our members are as follows (to be confirmed): CSSR/SCER May 27-30; CSBS/SCEB May 27-29; CTS/STC May 28-30; CAC/SCEC May 26-29.

### **Tentative Time Table Programme Provisoire**

#### **Tuesday, May 28**

7:00 p.m. Craigie Lecture--Joint Session CTS/STC, CSBS/SCEB, CSPA/ACEP, CSSR/SCER

#### **Wednesday, May 29**

10:00 - 12:00 Executive meeting

1:00 - 5:00 Seminar on John Boswell's *The Kindness of Strangers* (New York: Vintage, 1990)

7:00 Boat Cruise

#### **Thursday, May 30**

9:00 - 12:00 Papers

12:00 - 2:00 Lunch

2:00 - 3:00 Guest speaker: Professor Paul-Hubert Poirier (Université Laval), 'Theological Foundations of the Anti-Manichaeic Polemic of Titus of Bostra'

3:00 - 5:00 Annual meeting

5:00 Rector's Reception

#### **Friday, May 31**

9:00 - 12:00 Papers

12:00 - 1:00 Executive Meeting

2:00 - 3:00 Presidential Address

3:00 - 5:00 Papers

5:00 Reception

**DE DOCTRINA CHRISTIANA: A CLASSIC OF WESTERN CULTURE**

Notre Dame, April 4-7, 1991

The conference will include the following: Inaugural Lecture: DDC and the Classics; Patristics: Setting - Sources - Composition - Audience; Middle Ages: Exegesis - Hermeneutics - Education - Theology; Renaissance - Reformation - Modernity. For information, write: Charles Kannengiesser and John Van Engen, 715 Hesburgh Library, University of Notre Dame, Notre Dame, IN, USA 46556.

**CANADIAN WOMEN'S STUDIES ASSOCIATION  
ASSOCIATION CANADIENNE DES ÉTUDES SUR LES FEMMES**

Queen's University, May 29-31, 1991

The Association invites proposals for presentations, and notices of panels and presentations of other societies which might appropriately be cross-listed. The theme this year is 'Weaving Alliances: Feminist Education and Practice / Tisser les liens: éducation et pratique féministe'. For information, write: Greta Hofmann Nemiroff, Co-Director, The New School, Dawson College, 3040 Sherbrooke West, Westmount, QC, H3Z 1A4.

**CHRISTIANITY AND THE CLASSICS II: IN THE CONTEXT OF HELLENISTIC  
JUDAISM AND GNOSTICISM**

Toronto, June, 1991

The conference, a sequel to a conference in June 1984, will focus on the pre-Constantinian period, and investigate the influence of Hellenistic Judaism and Gnosticism on the relation between Christians and classical culture. For information write: W. E. Helleman, Christianity and the Classics, Institute for Christian Studies, 229 College Street, Toronto, Ontario M5T 1R4.

**ELEVENTH INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE ON PATRISTIC STUDIES**

Oxford, August 19-24, 1991

**CONGRÈS INTERNATIONAL DE PATRISTIQUE**

Trento, 1993

L'Association internationale d'études patristiques a décidé de tenir à Trento, Italie, un congrès sur le thème: 'Rapports des Juifs et des Chrétiens jusqu'au VIe siècle'. Un comité *ad hoc* est constitué pour intéresser les chercheurs, chrétiens et juifs. Le représentant de l'A.I.E.P. au Canada est Prof. G. Hudon, 175 rue Main, Ottawa, Ontario K1S 1C3.

## ANNUAL ESSAY COMPETITION

The Canadian Society of Patristic Studies offers an annual prize of \$100.00 for an essay by a student (graduate or undergraduate) in any area of patristic studies.

Entries should demonstrate ability at research and show a knowledge of the appropriate original languages and the main languages of scholarship. The essay should be written in English or French, no longer than 20 pages, typed double-spaced, and must be accompanied by a supporting letter from a professor. Essays will be judged by a committee set up by the Executive of the Society.

The deadline for submission is February 15, 1991.

Send entries to:

Theodore S. de Bruyn  
Atlantic School of Theology  
640 Francklyn Street  
Halifax, NS  
B3H 3B5

## CONCOURS ANNUEL D'ESSAI

L'association canadienne d'études patristiques décernera une somme annuelle de \$100.00 pour le meilleur essai en études patristiques réalisé par un étudiant (1er, 2ième ou 3ième cycle).

Pour participer à ce concours les étudiants doivent avoir manifesté de la compétence à mener un travail de recherche; ils doivent démontrer une connaissance suffisante des langues particulières qui sont celles des sources de leur recherche, et des principales langues utilisées par les scientifiques de domaine.

L'étudiant écrira son essai en anglais ou en français, sur un maximum de 20 pages, frappées à doubles espace. L'essai soumis devra s'accompagner d'une lettre de présentation venant d'un professeur, et il sera jugé par un comité constitué par le Bureau de l'Association.

Le comité recevra les essais jusqu'au 15 février, 1991.

Envoyez les essais à:

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**BILAN DE NOTRE DERNIER REUNION ANNUELLE**  
Victoria University, 22 - 24 mai, 1990  
**SUMMARY OF OUR LAST ANNUAL CONFERENCE**  
Victoria University, May 22 - 24, 1990

There were twenty-nine in attendance at the conference. The following papers were given:

Rodrigue Bélanger (U. de Québec)

'La métaphore du 'tableau délavé' chez Cicéron: préoccupations morales d'une époque'

Pierre Boglioni (Études médiévales, Montréal)

'L'authenticité des *Dialogues* du Grégoire le Grand'

A. Peter Booth (Acadia U.)

'Philo, Epicureanism and Clement of Alexandria'

Joanne Carlson Brown (St. Andrew's College, U. of Saskatchewan)

'Somewhere Between Eve and Mary'

J. Kevin Coyle (St. Paul U.)

'Two Patristic Texts in Recent Publications on Clerical Celibacy'

John Egan (Regis College)

'Athanasius' Rejection of the Image of the Three Suns: Implications of that Rejection for His Conception of the Trinity'

Peter Erb (Wilfred Laurier U.)

'John Henry Newman on the Individual in the Early Church'

Patrick Gray (York U.)

Sabbatical Report

W.E. Helleman (U. of Toronto)

'Plotinus: The Teacher and His Programme'

M. Eleanor Irwin (U. of Toronto)

'Fair Flowers of Paradise in Clement of Alexandria and Others'

Louis Painchaud (U. Laval)

'The Writing Without Title of Nag Hammadi Codex II: A Redactional Hypothesis'

Anne Pasquier (U. Laval)

'The Logion 114 of the Gospel According to Thomas: Androgyny and Not Mysogyny!'

Benedict Sheehy (Wilfred Laurier U.)

'Interpreting Ancient Thought: A Case Study'

Mark Vessey (U. of British Columbia)

*'Eruditio in Hilary and Ausonius'*

Private and Public Life in Antiquity Seminar

Theodore de Bruyn (Atlantic School of Theology)

*'Methodological Issues Relating to A History of Private Life, Vol 1, From Pagan Rome to Byzantium* (ed. P. Veyne)

Reactions and Responses to *From Pagan Rome to Byzantium*

Michel Desjardins (U. of Toronto), Pierre Boglioni (Études médiévales, Montreal),  
Patrick Gray (York U.)

Harry O. Maier (Victoria)

*'Private Life and the Care of the Self in Clement of Alexandria'*. Respondents:  
Paul Burns (U. of British Columbia), Pdraig O'Cleirigh (U. of Guelph)

**MINUTES OF THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING  
PROCÉS VERBAL DE L'ASSEMBLÉE GÉNÉRALE ANNUELLE  
May 22 and 23, 1990  
Victoria University**

PRESENT: Rodrigue Bélanger, \*Marie-Claude Beaulieu, \*Pierre Boglioni, \*Peter Booth, \*Joanne Brown, \*Paul Burns, J. Kevin Coyle, Theodore de Bruyn, John Egan, Donna Foley, Patrick Gray, Wendy Helleman, Germain Hudon, Harry O. Maier, Joanne McWilliam, Pdraigh O'Cleirigh, \*Louis Painchaud, Anne Pasquier, \*Harold Remus, René-Michel Roberge, \*Daniel Sahas, Ben Sheehy, \*Gérard Vallée, ■Mark Vessey (■ present on May 22 alone; \* present on May 23 alone)

1. Minutes of the Annual General Meeting, June 1, 1989

Adoption moved (K. Coyle)

2. Business arising from the minutes

Indicated in the agenda for the current meeting

3. President's Report (J. McWilliam)

The President noted the successful use of a conference call for the Executive meeting in October. She thanked Theodore de Bruyn for his work as interim treasurer, and Germain Hudon for writing the current history of the society. She recounted her correspondence with the Canadian Association of Schools of Social Work regarding the boycott of the Learned's at Queen's University on account of recent sexist occurrences, and her decision, after consulting with women faculty at Queen's, to decline the request. She noted there was no submission for the Essay Prize this year. In the discussion which followed it was resolved to continue the contest, but to advertize additionally in History and Classics departments.

4. Compte-rendu du Secrétaire (T. de Bruyn)

Le Secrétaire fit le compte-rendu de ses activités sur deux points: celui du *Bulletin* et celui du *Répertoire*. L'Assemblée échangea sur le contenu et la présentation matérielle du *Répertoire*. Il fut décidé de mettre à jour le *Répertoire* pour 1991; la liste des membres du comité exécutif apparaîtra à l'intérieur du premier couvert, et on ajoutera aux noms des membres répertoriés l'indication de leur champ de recherches. On cherchera à maintenir un format permanent au *Répertoire* à partir de 1992.

5. Treasurer's Report (T. de Bruyn)

The Treasurer provided financial statements for 1988 and 1989, and a budget for 1990 (see Bulletin April 1990). He noted that there are 53 members in the society in 1990, 29 of which receive *Studies in Religion/Sciences religieuses* through the society, 9 of which indicated that they receive *Studies in Religion/Sciences religieuses* through another society. He advised that the amount allotted in the budget for travel to the annual meeting should be increased from \$1,200.00 to \$1,485.00 to account for a previously undisclosed surplus of travel funds in 1988. The bank balance at April 31, 1990, was \$3,266.58; after the remaining budgeted expenditures are subtracted, there is a projected surplus of \$281.61 for 1990. The Treasurer noted that he had submitted reports to SSHRC for 1988 and 1989, and advised the society that in 1991 the three-year period of grants (1988-1990) will be up and the society's financial affairs will be reviewed.

Il y eut une discussion à propos de la revue *Studies in Religion/Sciences religieuses*. Le Trésorier informa l'Assemblée qu'il revient à l'Association d'en payer les frais d'abonnement. A ce sujet, des membres demandèrent au Trésorier des documents officiels pour en établir le bien-fondé. On demanda au Trésorier d'envisager une augmentation des cotisations en vue d'absorber les coûts pour *Studies in Religion/Sciences religieuses* [1\$ par année pour les prochains quatre ans] et pour notre appartenance à la Fédération canadienne des études humaines (CFH) [de 5 à 7\$]. (La réunion est remise ici au 23.)

Quand l'assemblée se réunit à nouveau, voici les propositions que l'on fit:

MOVED that dues be increased to \$35.00 for regular members (includes \$15.00 for SR) and to \$20.00 for student, retired, or unemployed members (includes \$10.00 for SR) (de Bruyn/Hudon): PASSED

MOVED that the budget be approved (Bélanger/Vallée): PASSED

MOVED that the travel fund be applied to travel alone, and not for food and lodging (de Bruyn/Burns): PASSED. A request that this decision be reconsidered was denied by the chair, but members are free to raise the issue again at the next annual meeting.

MOVED that food and lodging be paid for those members who extend their stay at the Learned Societies in order to represent the society on some other organization, to be applied only to extra days before and after the meeting if these expenses are not met by another source (Gray/Maier): PASSED.

6. Compte-rendu du représentat de l'AIEP (G. Hudon)

Le Bureau de direction de l'Association internationale d'études patristiques (AIEP/IAPS) s'est réuni le 21 avril 1990. L'Association compte actuellement

607 membres, et 68 bibliothèques dans 33 pays. Elle a en service 32 correspondants étrangers. A cette réunion, le Bureau reçut de nouveaux membres; il évalua l'emploi de ses fonds de *Solidarité* aux chercheurs de Roumanie. En 1989, les déboursés de ce fonds atteignirent 24,000 FF, et ils seront doublés en 1990. Toute contribution, en argent ou en volumes, est la bienvenue, et doit être adressée à G. Hudon, 175, rue Main, Ottawa, Ontario, K1S 1C3.

#### 7. Report of the Representative to CCSR (R. Bélanger)

There have been two meetings in 1990. There is concern for better distribution of the publications of Wilfred Laurier University Press. The Corporation is also working to speed up publication of *Studies in Religion/Sciences religieuses*. It was stressed that manuscripts from members of the society are welcome.

#### 8. Compte-rendue de la Fédération canadienne des études humaines

John Thorpe, Rédacteur du Bulletin de la Fédération canadienne des études humaines (FCEH/CFH), a rendu visite à notre Association durant l'Assemblée générale. Il parla de l'institution d'un Prix aux corporations humanistes (Corporate Humanist Award); d'un Secrétariat permanent pour les Sociétés savantes; d'un Congrès portant sur les études humaines au printemps 1990 qui aura pour sujet: 'Etudes humaines: Où en somme-nous?' ('Humanities: What's the Point?'). La Fédération compte aussi deux nouvelles Associations: La Société historique du Canada et l'Association des traducteurs.

There are research projects under way on the eurocentrism of our disciplines and on the place of the humanities in the universities. The Grants in Aid of Scholarly Publications is working to boost the distribution of its publications. There are working groups on the effect of the GST, on copyright law, and on a new postal subsidy program. There are plans to obtain a Strategic Grant for research on multiculturalism.

#### 9. Nominating Committee Report (D. Foley)

The Committee put forward the following nominations:

Membre régulier: D. Fox and A. Pasquier

Nominating Committee: P. Boglioni

Comité du programme: W. Helleman

Representative to the Annual Meeting of CCSR (2): D. Sahas and W. Stevens

Représentant au Conseil d'administration de la FCEH: G. Hudon

Representative to the Board of CCSR: P. Burns

Representative to the Publications Committee of CCSR: P. Burns

La Présidente du comité souligne que les deux dernières soumissions de candidats n'avaient pas été annoncées en raison d'une erreur de calcul touchant aux termes des représentants passés. La Présidente remit donc à l'Assemblée la responsabilité de présenter des candidats à la nomination. K. Coyle fut nommé Trésorier (de Bruyn/Hudon). G. Vallée fut nommé au comité des candidatures pour y remplacer K. Coyle nommé au Bureau du Direction (Remus/\_\_\_\_\_). Après quoi, on termina les mises en candidatures. Tous les candidats, sauf le candidat au poste de Membre régulier, furent élus par acclamation. A. Pasquier fut élue à ce poste par scrutin. On proposa de détruire les bulletins de vote (de Bruyn/Foley).

10. 1991 Oxford Patristics Conference (J. McWilliam)

The society approved plans to hold a reception at the conference. The President will make the necessary arrangements with Dr. Livingstone.

11. 1991 CSPA Meeting

The dates of next year's meeting will be May 29-31. Our acting representative will be Pamela Dickey-Young.

12. Announcements

P. Gray announced an International Symposium on Iconoclasm in Israel and Jordan in the 8th-9th Centuries, to be held at Haifa and Jerusalem, October 29 to November 1, 1990.

W. Helleman annonça un autre congrès sur le Christianisme et les Classiques dans le contexte du judaïsme hellénistique et du gnosticisme. Ce congrès se tiendra à l'Institut des études chrétiennes (Institute for Christian Studies) en juin 1991. Les membres intéressés sont priés d'écrire à W. Helleman vers la fin de l'année 1990: W. E. Helleman / Christianity and the Classics, Institute for Christian Studies, 229 College Street, Toronto, Ontario M5T 1R4.

The CSBS Seminar on Voluntary Associations will (tentatively) treat mystery cults next year. For more information contact Steve Wilson at Carleton University.

13. Motion to adjourn (D. Foley)

**Paul-Hubert Poirier Honoured in 1990**

CSPA/ACEP is pleased to note the recognition which Paul-Hubert Poirier, well known to members for his research in Gnosticism and his work with the Nag Hammadi Project, has received in the past year. Professor Poirier was the recipient of the André-Laurendeau Prize from the Association canadienne-française pour l'avancement des sciences and was nominated to the Royal Society of Canada. Our congratulations to Professor Poirier.

**Viviane Launay Leaves CFH**

Mme. Viviane Launay, Executive Director of the Canadian Federation of the Humanities, will be leaving the Federation on January 7, 1991. She will assume the position of Secretary General of the Canadian Commission for UNESCO. During her tenure at CFH Mme. Launay has been most helpful to the Society. Though we regret her departure from CFH, we wish her well as she takes up her new responsibilities.

**ORGANIZATION OF CSPS AFTER MAY 23 1990  
ORGANISATION DE L'ACEP APRES 23 MAI 1990**

- President Joanne McWilliam (1989-1991)  
Président d'honneur Germain Hudon (1989-1991)  
Vice-president Paul-Hubert Poirier (1989-1992)  
Secrétaire Theodore de Bruyn (1988-1991)  
Treasurer J. Kevin Coyle (1990-1993)  
Membres réguliers Leo Ferrari (1988-1991)  
Michel Desjardins (1989-1992)  
Anne Pasquier (1990-1993)  
Nominating committee Donna Foley (1988-1991), chair  
Gérard Vallée (1989-1992)  
Pierre Boglioni (1990-1993)  
Comité du programme Harry Maier (1988-1991), chair  
Harold Remus (1989-1992)  
Wendy E. Helleman (1990-1993)  
Representative of the CSPS to the Board of the CCSR  
Paul Burns (1990-1993)  
Representative on Publications Committee of CCSR  
Paul Burns (1990-1993)  
Représentant de l'ACEP à l'Assemblée annuelle de la CCSR  
Paul Burns et Gérard Vallée (1988-1991)  
Michel Desjardins and Michael Fahey (1989-1992)  
Daniel J. Sahas and Wesley M. Stevens (1990-1993)  
Représentant au Conseil d'administration de la CFH/FCEH  
Germain Hudon (1990-1993)  
Représentant de l'ACEP auprès de l'AIEP/IAPS  
Germain Hudon (1987-1991)

**APPEL DE CANDIDATURES  
NOMINATIONS ARE INVITED**

The following positions will be vacant in June 1990. The president, Joanne McWilliam, invites all our members to suggest candidates for these positions.

1. President  
for a term of two years (1991-1993) *Paul*
2. Président d'honneur  
pour un mandat de deux ans (1991-1993) *Joanne*
3. Secretary  
for a term of three years (1991-1994)
4. Membre régulier  
pour un mandat de trois ans (1991-1994)  
succédant à Leo Ferrari
5. Member of the Program Committee  
for a term of three years (1991-1994)  
replacing Harry Maier
6. Membre du comité des candidatures  
pour un mandat de trois ans (1991-1994)  
succédant à Donna Foley
7. Two representatives to the annual meeting of CCSR  
for a term of three years (1991-1994)  
replacing Paul Burns and Gérard Vallée
8. Représentant de l'ACEP auprès de l'AIEP  
pour un mandat de trois ans (1991-1994) *Paul*

Les candidature devront être soumises par écrit avant le 15 avril 1991 au président actuel du comité

Donna M. Foley  
University of Windsor  
401 Sunset Street  
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NOUVELLES DE NOS MEMBRES  
NEWS FROM OUR MEMBERS

Rodrigue BELANGER

Publications:

'Propos d'Augustin sur l'inevitable souillure de l'Église ici-bas', *Studia Patristica* XXII (1989): 183-8.

'L'exigence morale au service de l'idéal romain du progrès', *Ethica* 2 (1990): 9-37.

Leo C. FERRARI

Publications:

'Isaiah and the Early Augustine', *Collectanea Augustiniana (Mélanges T.J. Van Bavel)*, 1991.

'The Boyhood Beatings of Augustine' (previously published), now anthologized in *The Hunger of the Heart: Reflections on the Confessions of Augustine*, ed. Donald Capps and James E. Dittes, Society for the Scientific Study of Religion, Monograph Series, No. 8.

Work in progress:

*Concordantia in libros Confessionum S. Aurelii Augustini* (Skutella text), collaborative work, to be published by Georg Olms.

J. J. Francis FIRTH

Publications:

Editor of a monthly column on the Fathers of the Church in *The Canadian Catholic Review*, 1988 to the present.

Harold REMUS

Publications:

'Miracle' (up to 500 C.E.), in Everett Ferguson et al., eds., *The Encyclopedia of Early Christianity* (New York and London: Garland Press, 1990), pp. 600-5.

Colin STARNES

Publications:

*The New Republic: A Commentary on Book I of More's Utopia Showing its Relation to Plato's Republic* (Wilfred Laurier University Press, 1990), 120 pp.

*Augustine's Conversion: A Guide to the Argument of Confessions I - IX* (Wilfred Laurier University Press, 1990), 450 pp.

Wesley M. STEVENS

Recent papers and forthcoming publications:

'The establishment of a machine readable manuscript census record', *Gazette du Livre Médiéval* 15 (Paris 1989): 34-5.

'Problems and proposals for machine readable catalogues', in *The Use of Computers in Cataloging Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts*, ed. M. Folkerts and A. Kühne in *Algorismus* 4 (1990): 149-75.

'Sidereal time in Anglo-Saxon England', in *Sutton Hoo: Voyage to the Other World*, ed. C.B. Kendall and P.S. Wells (1990).

Cycles of Time: calendrical and astronomical reckonings in early science', in *Time and Process*, ed. J.T. Fraser, International Society for History of Time (1991)

'Zwei Studenten auf der Reichenau und in Fulda', presented for the Lehrstuhl für Alte Geschichte at the Universität Passau, 19 July 1989.

Organizer and chair of three sessions on 'Computer Programmes for Medieval and Renaissance Manuscript Sources' for the International Congress of History and Science in Hamburg and Munich, 1-9 August, 1989; now editing the papers for publication in 1991.

Work in progress:

Continues with N.L. Hahn as co-director of the *Benjamin Catalogue for History of Science*, which now contains about 27,000 manuscript descriptions, consisting of 143,000 records of texts.

Professors Petro BILANIUK, Daniel SAHAS, and Gérard VALLÉE participated in the XVth Congress of the International Association for the History of Religions in Rome, 3-8 September, 1990. One section dealt with 'Christianity in the First Centuries'.

**Votre Participation au Bulletin  
Your Contribution to the Bulletin**

Le prochain *Bulletin* paraîtra en avril 1989.

As usual, news from our members is most welcome, and should be sent to Secretary by March 31

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### IMPORTANT NOTICE FROM OUR TREASURER

In transferring the treasurer's office, it was overlooked that at its meeting of May 23, 1990, the General Assembly voted a dues increase: to \$35 for regular members, and to \$20 for other members.

This administrative oversight means the Society may face a shortfall next year. Dues paid at the old scale will be accepted, but the treasurer would none the less be grateful to members willing to pay 1991 dues at the new rate.

J. Kevin Coyle, Treasurer

### AVIS IMPORTANT DE LA PART DE NOTRE TRESORIER

Lors du transfert récent de la charge de trésorier, ni le nouveau détenteur du poste ni l'ancien n'a rappelé que l'Assemblée Générale, à sa réunion du 23 mai dernier, avait voté en faveur d'une hausse de la cotisation, soit à 35 \$ pour les membres réguliers et à 20 \$ pour les membres qui sont à leur retraite, sans emploi, ou étudiant(e)s.

Cet oubli, qui pourrait porter un effet négatif à notre budget, doit être attribué à l'inadvertance de l'administration et non des membres, qui peuvent donc payer la cotisation selon le vieux tarif. Toutefois, le trésorier n'éleva aucune objection à ceux et celles voulant la payer selon le nouveau taux.

J. Kevin Coyle, Trésorier