HISTORY OF EDUCATION SOCIETY PACIFIC COAST HISTORY OF EDUCATION SOCIETY

ANNUAL MEETING

Red Lion Motor Inn 310 SW Lincoln Portland, Oregon 97201

Planning Committee:

Carl Kaestle
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PROGRAM

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Friday, October 17

8:00-9:00

Registration

9:00-10:30

The Comparative History of Literacy

Chairperson: Harvey Graff, University of Texas at Dallas

Panelists:

David Cressy, Pitzer College

Early Modern England and Europe

Daniel Resnick, Carnegie-Mellon University Literacy, competency, testing in US and Europe

Edward Stevens, Ohio University

Literacy, economic life, and social participation in the US

10:30-12:00

The Origins and Evolution of Social Services to Youth, 1890–1980

Chairperson: Lana Muraskin, National Institute of Education

Papers:

William J. Reese, University of Wisconsin

"Social Services and the Urban School: The Early Years"

Michael W. Sedlak, Northwestern University

"Welfare Professionals and American Youth, 1930-1965:

Coordination in the Public and Private Sectors"

Robert L. Church, Northwestern University "Youth Policy and the Federal Domain: The Recent Period"

1:00-2:00 American Educational Policy in Postwar Germany

Chairperson: Jurgen Herbst, University of Wisconsin

Papers:

James Tent, University of Alabama
"American Educational Policy, 1945-49"
Charles Biebel, University of New Mexico
"American Educational Policy, 1949-55"
Alan Beyerchen, Ohio State University

"Science and Higher Education in Postwar Germany"

2:00-3:00 The Use of Slides in Educational History

Presentations:

David Madsen, University of Washington David Adams, Cleveland State University

3:30-5:30 Ethnicity and American Educational History

Chairperson: Jim Wallace, Lewis and Clark College

Papers:

Toby Edson, University of Oregon
"Ethnicity and American Educational History: The Past

Twenty Years"
Ronald W. Howard, Mississippi College

"Ethnicity and Education in colonial New York

John Georgeoff, Purdue University

"The Romanian Schools of Northwest Indiana"

Joseph Peden, Baruch College

"Culture, Religion, and the State in the Development of New Mexico Public Schooling, 1850-1890"

Lupe San Miguel, University of California, Santa Barbara "Mexican-American Responses to Educational Segregation in the Southwest, 1930-1970"

7:30-9:00 Workshop: Who Speaks for the Child?

Chairperson: Carl Kaestle, University of Wisconsin-Madison Panelists:

Marvin Lazerson, University of British Columbia Charles Burgess, University of Washington Charles Strickland, Emory University Alan Pence, University of Oregon

9:00 Party

Saturday, October 18

8:30-10:00

Youth, Class, and Opportunity in Westen Canada

Chairperson: J. Donald Wilson, University of British Columbia Papers:

Rebecca Coulter, University of Alberta "The Working Women of Edmonton"

Jean Barman, University of British Columbia "The Privileged Young of British Columbia" Donald Fisher, University of British Columbia, and Patricia Bates, Open Learning Institute

"Testing in the Interwar Years in British Columbia:

Policy as a Reflection of Ideology and Economic Conditions"

10:30-12:00

Perspectives on American Education, 1850-1920

Chairperson: David Madsen, University of Washington Papers:

Sol Cohen, University of California, Los Angeles "The Medicalization of American Education, 1885-1940: The Psychiatric Deluge"

Douglas Sherman, University of Oregon "Adolescents, Work, and School: Analysis of the 1900

Manuscript Census for a Portland Grade School Attendance Area"

Leonard Berk, Ontario Institute for Studies in Education "Superintendents as Scientists: The Development of Standardized Achievement Testing in Thorndike's Shop"

Barbara Berman, Eastman School of Music "Business Efficiency and American Schooling: A Reconsideration of the Callahan Thesis"

1:30-3:00

Potpourri: World Round-Up

Chairperson: Toby Edson, University of Oregon

Papers:

John Brown, Lewis and Clark College

"The Education of a Gentleman and an Entrepreneur in Late Victorian England"

Hubert O. Brown, University of Hong Kong

"History of Education in the People's Republic of China, 1950-1980"

Sterling Fishman, University of Wisconsin-Madison "Recent Historiography of Education in East Germany"

3:30-5:00

Workshop: Historical Approaches to Educational Leadership

Presentation:

David Tyack, Stanford University Elisabeth Hansot, University of Nevada-Reno "Was There Ever a Golden Age for Women School

Administrators?"

5:00-6:00 Business meeting, History of Education Society

7:00 Banquet and Presidential Address

> Wayne Urban, Georgia State University "History of Education: A Southern Exposure"

Sunday, October 19

9:00 10:30 Women and Child Rescue in Canada

Chairperson: R. L. Schnell, University of Calgary

Papers:

R. L. Schnell, University of Calgary

"Institutionalization as Child Rescue: Protestant Orphans

Homes, 1850-1930"

Patricia T. Rooke, University of Alberta

"Social Welfare as Child Rescue: The Influence of Charlotte

Whitton, 1924-1939"

Nancy M. Sheehan, University of Calgary

"Temperance as Child Rescue: The Woman's Christian

Temperance Union and Education, 1900-1930"

10:30-11:30 **Educating Women for Social Change**

Chairperson: Joan Burstyn, Rutgers University

Linda Perkins, Bunting Institute, Radcliffe College "Black Female Educators before the Civil War"

Rita Heller, Rutgers University

"The Bryn Mawr Summer School for Women Workers in the

Early Twentieth Century"

11:30-12:30 American Education in the 1950s

Chairperson: Ronald Ghen, Indiana University, Northwest

Presentations:

Arthur Zilversmit, Lake Forest College

"Progressivism in American Education on the Eve of Sputnik"

Ronald Cohen, Indiana University, Northwest

"The Gary, Indiana Schools in the 1950s"