## News, Notes, and Queries

## Rockefeller Archive Center Research Support Programmes

The Rockefeller Archive Center currently operates five programmes to promote and support research in its collections: grants-in-aid; targeted grants—topic for 2004: research on New States after colonialism; grants to support research in the Paul Ehrlich Collection; Rockefeller Archive Center Residencies in the history of basic medical research; and the Rockefeller Archive Center Scholar-in-Residence programme. Applications are due by

30 November 2003 and recipients will be announced at the end of March 2004. See the Center's website http://www.rockefeller.edu/archive.ctr for detailed information on its collections and information on and applications pertaining to its grant programmes; or write to: Darwin H Stapleton, Executive Director, Rockefeller Archive Center, 15 Dayton Avenue, Sleepy Hollow, NY 10591, USA; e-mail: archive@mail.rockefeller.edu.

## Samuel J Zakon Award in the History of Dermatology

Papers are now being called for the twentyfifth annual Samuel J Zakon Award in the History of Dermatology. This competition is open to historians and dermatologists in practice or training. Manuscripts should be submitted to Mark C Valentine, MD, Chairman, Samuel J Zakon Award Committee, 3327 Colby Avenue, Everett, WA 98201, USA, by 1 November 2003. Essays may relate to any aspect of the history of dermatology not heretofore published.

## Jerry Stannard Memorial Award

The 2004 competition for the annual award in honour of the late Professor Jerry Stannard is open to graduate students and to recent recipients of a doctoral degree (the PhD degree or an equivalent), conferred not more than five years before the competition deadline. The purpose of the award is to encourage research by young scholars in the pre-1700 history of materia medica, medicinal botany, pharmacy, folklore of drug therapy, and the bibliography of these areas.

Papers must be in English, French or German, and no longer than 50 pages double-spaced, including notes, bibliography and appendices. Entries must be received no later than 15 February 2004. In 2004 the award will be \$800. For further details, contact: Professor Victor Bailey, Department of History—University of Kansas, Wescoe Hall, 1445 Jayhawk Blvd. Room 3001, Lawrence, KS 66045-7590, USA.