History of Education Quarterly



Summer 2001

Volume 41, Number 2

History of Education Society

The History of Education Society is an international scholarly society. Its purposes are to encourage and facilitate research in the history of education; to promote and improve the teaching of history of education; to encourage cooperation among specialists in history of education; and to promote an appreciation of the value of historical perspective in the making of educational policy. The Society is affiliated with the International Standing Conference for the History of Education, and members of the Society are automatically members of the Standing Conference.

Officers (2001)

President Vice-President Secretary-Treasurer Directors RONALD BUTCHART, University of Georgia
MARY ANN DZUBACK, Washington University

C.H. EDSON, University of Oregon

WILLIAM J. REESE, (Past President) University

of Wisconsin

KATE ROUSMANIERE, Miami University (Ohio),

1999-01

MARCIA G. SYNNOTT, University of South Carolina,

2000-02

FRANK SIMON, University of Ghent, 2001-03

THE CLAUDE A. EGGERTSEN DISSERTATION PRIZE: This \$1000 prize will be awarded for the most outstanding dissertation in the History of Education completed in the previous year.

Inquiries should be directed to Professor Roberta Wollons, Department of History, Indiana University Northwest, 3400 Broadway, Gary, Indiana 46408.

THE HISTORY OF EDUCATION SOCIETY AWARD: This award of \$500 will be made biennially to the best essay in the history of education published in any journal over the previous two years. The next award will be presented at the fall 2002 meeting of the History of Education Society. Any article published in 2000 or 2001 will be eligible for the award.

THE HENRY BARNARD PRIZE: This prize of \$500 is awarded biennially to the best essay in the history of education by a graduate student. The next award will be presented at the fall 2001 meeting of the History of Education Society. The recipient will have the essay published in the History of Education Quarterly.

Inquiries regarding these two awards should be directed to the chairperson of the Prize Committee: Professor Jonathan Zimmerman, Department of Humanities and Social Sciences, School of Education, New York University, New York, New York 10003.

OUTSTANDING BOOK AWARD: This award of \$500 is made biennially to the author of the best book on the history of education published in the two previous years. The committee will accept nominations but will also make every effort to review all relevant works, whether or not they have been nominated. The award for books bearing 2000 publication dates will be announced at the annual meeting of the Society in 2001.

Inquiries regarding the Outstanding Book Award should be directed to the chairperson: Professor Daniel Perlstein, 3525 Tolman Hall, Graduate School of Education, University of California, Berkeley, CA 94720-1670.

The Society reserves the right not to make awards in those years when the Prize Committee judges all entries to be of insufficient quality.

History of Education Quarterly

Editorial Staff

Editor RICHARD J. ALTENBAUGH, Slippery Rock University

Managing Editor BRUCE C. NELSON Editorial Assistant PHYLLIS KENDZIORSKI Editorial Assistant GARY L. COLE, JR.

CLINTON B. ALLISON, University of Tennessee, Knoxville

Associate Editors BARBARA BEATTY, Wellesley College

LINDA EISENMANN, University of Massachusetts,

Boston

MICHAEL FULTZ, University of Wisconsin, Madison ROBERT A. LEVIN, Youngstown State University

Editorial Board

KATE CRUIKSHANK, Indiana University WILLIAM CUTLER III, Temple University ELIZABETH FONES-WOLF, West Virginia University ERNEST FREEBERG, Colby-Sawyer College PHILIP GARDNER, University of Cambridge ROGER GEIGER, Pennsylvania State University MICHAEL C. HICKEY, Bloomsburg University of Pennsylvania CRAIG KRIDEL, University of South Carolina MICHAEL MURPHY, University of Western Ontario TOM O'DONOGHUE, University of Western Australia CHRISTINE A. OGREN, University of Iowa PATRICIA PALMIERI, Ithaca College SUSAN PARKES, University of Dublin DANIEL PERLSTEIN, University of California, Berkeley DAVID R. ROEDIGER, University of Minnesota SUSAN SEMEL, Hofstra University ROBERT R. SHERMAN, University of Florida

ROBERTA WOLLONS, Indiana University Northwest The History of Education Quarterly (ISSN 00 182680) is published Spring, Summer, Fall, and Winter by the History of Education Society in conjunction with the College of Education, Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA 16057-1326. Membership in the Society, which includes subscription to the Quarterly, is available at the following rates: students, \$20; others, \$40 (non-U.S. members add \$7 to cover additional postage, surface mail; \$20 for overseas airmail). Institutional subscription rates are: \$77, U.S.; \$84, non-U.S. All payment must be made in U.S. dollars. Single copies of some back issues are available at \$10 plus postage. Periodicals postage paid at Slippery Rock, PA and other offices. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to History

of Education Quarterly, College of Education, Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA 16057-1326.

The Quarterly can be contacted:

FRANK SIMON, University of Ghent WILLIAM THOMAS, University of Pittsburgh VANESSA SIDDLE WALKER, Emory University

> by mail at 220 McKay Education Building

College of Education, Slippery Rock University

Slippery Rock, PA 16057-1326 724-738-4557 by phone at (Office)

> 724-738-4556 (Managing Editor)

by FAX 724-738-4548 by e-mail heq@sru.edu

and on the World Wide Web at http://www.sru.edu/depts/scc/hes/hes.htm

History of Education Quarterly Vol. 41 No. 2 Summer 2001

Copyright 2001 by the History of Education Society

History of Education Society

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP: Membership is open to all persons interested in the study of the history of education. Membership provides for subscription to the *History of Education Quarterly*; subscription to *The Network*, a newsletter published jointly with Division F of the American Educational Research Association, and receipt of the program of the annual meeting of the Society. Members of the Society are automatically members of the International Standing Conference for the History of Education. Membership offers subscription to publications on a calendar-year basis only. Dues are \$20 for students, \$40 for others. Non-U.S. members should add \$7 to cover additional postage for surface mail; \$20 for airmail. The portions of dues designated for support of the *Quarterly* are \$20 of student dues, \$32 of other individual dues. To become a member, send a check for the appropriate amount in U.S. dollars only to the *History of Education Quarterly*, College of Education, Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA 16057-1326. Make checks payable to History of Education Society. Indicate preferred mailing address and the calendar year in which your subscription should begin.

History of Education Quarterly

INSTITUTIONAL SUBSCRIPTIONS: Institutions may subscribe to the *History of Education Quarterly* directly (send checks to *History of Education Quarterly*, College of Education, Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA 16057-1326) or through subscription agencies. Rates are \$77, U.S.; \$84, non-U.S., U.S. dollars only.

BACK ISSUES: Some back issues are available (cost \$10 per issue plus postage).

INDEXES: Three indexes are available: Index to Vols. I–X (1961–1970), by Murray S. Shereshewsky (\$5); Index to Vols. XI–XX (1971–1980), by Paul Mattingly and Marilyn Tobias (\$7); and Index to Vols. XXI–XXX (1981–1990), by Gary L. Bailey (\$14 to HES members and \$20 to others).

ARTICLE SUBMISSIONS: Contributions should be addressed to: Editor, *History of Education Quarterly*, College of Education, Slippery Rock University, Slippery Rock, PA 16057-1326. See last page of this issue for guidelines on submission. The editor will only consider articles that have been submitted exclusively to the *History of Education Quarterly*.

BOOK REVIEWS: Assignments of reviews are made from a file of potential reviewers. To have your name added to the file, send curriculum vitae to the editor. Requests to review particular books cannot be honored.

The History of Education Quarterly is printed by Indiana University Printing Services.

The Quarterly gratefully acknowledges Youngstown State University's institutional support of the Associate Editor for Book Reviews.

The History of Education Quarterly is located at, but independent of, Slippery Rock University.

History of Education Quarterly

Volume 41 • Number 2 • Summer 2001

Contents

	Articles
139	Courting the Woman Teacher: The National Education Association, 1917-1970 Wayne J. Urban
167	"Without Hysteria or Unnecessary Disturbance": Desegregation of Spring Hill College, Mobile, Alabama, 1948-1954" Charles S. Padgett
189	Disciplining the Student Body: Schooling and the Construction of Canadian Children's Bodies, 1930-1960 <i>Mona Gleason</i>
	Symposium
216	Reappraisals of the Academy Movement
216	Introduction Kim Tolley and Nancy Beadie
225	The Rise of the Academies: Continuity or Change? Kim Tolley
239	"Cultivating the Powers of <i>Human Beings</i> ": Gendered Perspectives on Curricula and Pedagogy in Academies of the New Republic <i>Margaret A. Nash</i>
251	Academy Students in the Mid-Nineteenth Century: Social Geography, Demography, and the Culture of Academy Attendance Nancy Beadie

202	Bruce Leslie
	Book Reviews
271	Moore, Leading the Race and Wadelington and Knapp, Charlotte Hawkins Brown and Palmer Memorial Institute By Elizabeth L. Ihle
274	Barney, <i>Plots of Enlightenment</i> By Susan M. Parkes
276	Berry, The Child, The State, and the Victorian Novel By Caroline Winterer
278	Henkin, <i>City Reading</i> By Wayne A. Wiegand
281	Bendall, Brooke, and Collinson, A History of Emmanuel College, Cambridge By Joseph S. Meisel
283	Numbers and Stenhouse (eds.), <i>Disseminating Darwinism</i> By David C. Engerman
286	Carney, Native American Higher Education in the United States By Robert A. Schwartz
287	Turner, <i>The Liberal Education of Charles Eliot Norton</i> By Edward E. Gordon
289	Douglass, <i>The California Idea and American Higher Education</i> By Linda Eisenmann
292	Glander, The Origins of Mass Communications Research By Hamilton Cravens
295	Lawes, Women and Reform in a New England Community By Catherine Gavin Loss
297	Buchanan, <i>Illusions of Equality</i> By Robert Dreeben
299	Bashaw, Stalwart Women By Katherine C. Reynolds
302	Call for Papers
303	Advertisements
307	Membership Application

Where Have All the Academies Gone?

262

COVER PHOTO: "Deerfield Academy, Deerfield, MA, Test Room (ca. 1959). Courtesy of Library of Congress, Gottscho-Schleisner Collection.