

Communications

The Centre for the Study of the History of Economic Thought at the University of Sydney in conjunction with the NSW Branch of the Economic Society of Australia sponsored a lecture by Rod O'Donnell, editor of the 10 Supplementary Volumes of Keynes's Writings, on "J.M.Keynes: Yesterday, Today and Tomorrow". The Lecture was given on the 23rd April, 1996 at the University of Sydney.

On March 8 the Centre sponsored a seminar by Jan Van Daal on "Gossen as an Evolutionary Thinker".

Peter Groenewegen informs us (letter dated 2nd April 1996) that Edward Elgar has generously agreed to give a 50% discount on the retail price of *Feminism and Political Economy in Victorian England* to members of the Centre for the Study of the History of Economic Thought. Peter has negotiated a similar deal with Routledge for *Economics and Ethics*.

Hannah Dale informs us (email of 9th April, 1996) that Jerry Courvisanos' book, *Investment Cycles in Capitalist Economies*, will be published by Edward Elgar in October 1996.

The American History of Economics Society Conference will be held at the University of British Columbia on June 28 - July 1, 1996. Malcolm Rutherford has organized the programme.

The European Society for the History of Economic Thought was founded in 1995. The Annual General Meeting was held on 9th February 1996 in Lisbon. The first Conference is to be held in Marseilles in February 1997 and the second in Bologna in February 1998. Membership fee is 20 ECU.

The first European Society for the History of Economic Thought Conference will take place in Marseilles from 27 February to 2 March 1997. There will be a thematic session dedicated to Keynesianism to coincide with the sixtieth anniversary of the *General Theory* and the fiftieth anniversary of Keynes' death. For information contact Jean Rosio on Fax: 33 94 59 89 71 or email: rosio@ehess.cnrs-mrs.fr or ww home page: <http://ehess.cnrs-mrs.fr/GREQAM/GIDE/eshet.html>

The *Journal of Economic Issues* now has a homepage:

<http://economics.csusb.edu/orgs/JEI>

The Association for Evolutionary Economics is sponsoring up to two 1996 Essay Prizes of \$1000 each for scholarly papers on any aspect of theoretical or applied Institutional Economics submitted by graduate students or those that have graduated within the last three years. The deadline is October 1, 1996. Contact the Department of Economics, University of Nebraska-Lincoln.

Call for Papers: European Conference on the History of Economics (ECHE), 17-19 April 1997, Panteion University, Athens. The broad theme will be the nature and role of the canonical sequence of Smith, Ricardo, Marx etc. in the history of economics. Contact: M. Psalidopoulos, Oanteion University, Leoforos Singrou 136, 176 71 Athens Greece. Email: mpsal@platon.panteion.ariadne-t.gr

Ingrid Rima tells us (letter March 29, 1996) that the fifth edition of her *Development of Economic Analysis* will now be made available in paperback by Routledge (at US\$29.95). She is now working on the 6th edition to come out in 1998 and would welcome any comments or suggestions.

The Second Meeting of the Japanese Society for the History of American Economic Thought was held at the Department of Economics, Nihon University, Tokyo on 15th June 1996. Papers were presented on Fisher, Carey and Veblen.

Bette Polkinghorn, Department of Economics, California State University is organizing four HES sessions at the January 1997 ASSA Meetings in New Orleans. Her fax is 916 278 5139.

We have received the Spring 1996 programme of the Erasmus Seminar on Philosophy and Economics. Speakers include Marcel Boumans, Mary Morgan, Uskali Maeki, Deirdre McCloskey, Arjo Klamer, Leszek Nowak, Philip Pettit, Albert Jolink, Maarten Janssen and Shaun Hargreaves Heap. For papers and to get on the mailing list contact Manon Geluk or Uskali Maki at Department of Philosophy, Erasmus University of Rotterdam, PO Box 1738, 3000 Rotterdam, Netherlands or email: m.s.geluk@facb.fwb.eur.nl

There will be a Conference at Glendon College, York University, Toronto, Canada on June 25-26, 1996. The theme will be "Time in Economic Thought". Paper presenters include Margaret Schabas, Robin Neil, Robert Herbert, Ross Emmett, Omar Hamouda, Samuel

Hollander, Robert Dimand and a host of others. For details contact Omar Hamouda at email: GL250076@venus.yorku.ca

The Kress Seminar in HET meets monthly between September and May on Thursday nights in a room in the economics department at Harvard University. Contact: Paul Wendt on email: pwendt@sar.usf.edu

The American History of Economics Society has a host site, Economic History Services at Miami University, Ohio. There is a master directory and on it is located the internet resources for the History of Economics. Thanks to Ross Emmett HER has its own web page there too! To get on the HES network list contact Ross Emmett at emmetr@Corelli.Augustana.AB.CA or the list hes@cs.muohio.edu

The Veblen Society for the History and Philosophy of Economics met on 20 April, 1996 at De Paul University. Speakers were Ann Jennings and Geoff Hodgson.

The 1996 HOPE Conference was on "New Economics and Its Writing" and held from 29-31 March, 1996 at Duke University. It was organized by John Davis.

One of Barry Gordon's students at the University of Newcastle, has cassette recordings of five of Barry's lectures. Contact: Julian Dight, PH: 716 8773

From July 7-12, 1996 the Austrian Economics Program at NYU conducts its annual advanced seminar in Austrian Economics. The lecturers are Kirzner, Rizzo, Garrison, White and Boettke.

The British *History of Economic Thought Newsletter*, No.55 Winter 1995 issue is available. Contact: John Vint at the Manchester Metropolitan University, Manchester, M15 6BG UK.

Wendy Motooka is organising a session at the 1997 ASECS Meetings in Nashville (9-12 April) entitled "Who Owns Adam Smith?: Competition Among Disciplines." This session will focus on the remarkable influence of Adam Smith, and the contested meaning of his work across differing disciplinary traditions. Contact her at the Department of English, Harvard University, Cambridge, MA 02138.