AMERICAN COMMITTEE ON THE HISTORY
OF THE SECOND WORLD WAR
NEWSLETTER

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All members are asked to consider participating in
the conference scheduled for the National Archives, Washing­
ton, D. C., June 14-16, 1973. Printed, detailed programs
and registration forms will be sent out early in May.

PROGRAM

Conference on World War II

Thursday, June 14.

Afternoon and evening. Films on the Second World War, arranged
by the National Archives.

Friday, June 15.

Morning session, 9:00-12:00: Status, Problems, and Needs of
World War II History: an Area and Service Approach.

Chairman: Charles F. Delzell, Vanderbilt University

Panelists:

War in the Air:  Alfred F. Hurley, USAF Academy
War at Sea:  Dean C. Allard, Naval History Div.
Intelligence:  David Kahn
The Pacific:  Louis Morton, Dartmouth College
The Mediterranean:  Robert Beitzell, University of Maine
Eastern Europe:  Earl Ziemke, University of Georgia
Western Europe:  Stephen E. Ambrose, Louisiana State, New Orleans

Lunch, 12:00-2:00.

Afternoon session, 2:00-5:00: Status, Problems, and Needs of
World War II History: a Topical Approach.

Chairman: Forrest C. Pogue, George C. Marshall Foundation

Panelists:

Bibliography:  Janet Ziegler, Reference Librarian, UCLA
Quantification:  Trevor Dupuy, Historical Evaluation and
Research Organization
Oral History:  John B. Wickman, Dwight D. Eisenhower Library
Archives:  William H. Cunliffe, National Archives
Government:  William Franklin, Department of State

Maurice Matloff, Office of the Chief of Military History
Buffet Reception, 5:30-7:30, National Archives

Saturday, June 16.

Morning session, 9:00-11:00: The "Home Front:" The American People and the War.

Chairman: Arthur L. Funk, University of Florida

Papers:

Richard W. Steele, California State University, San Diego. "Franklin D. Roosevelt and Public Opinion during World War II."

Discussants:

Paul A. C. Koistinen, California State University, Northridge
Richard Polenberg, Cornell University

Business meeting, 11:00-12:00. Agenda to include discussion of ICSS meeting in San Francisco in 1975.

Registration fee will be $5.00 payable in advance upon receipt of the printed program, or $6.00 at the registration desk, National Archives.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

The AHA Program Committee has approved the Committee's proposal for a joint session at the meeting next December, at San Francisco. The program: THIRTY YEARS AFTER: THE CAIRO CONFERENCE AND CHINA. Chairman: Charles Delzell; Papers: Howard L. Boorman, Vanderbilt; William Franklin, State Department; William Roger Louis, Texas; Commentator: Akira Iriye, Chicago.

The Institut Universitaire d'Etudes Européennes, through its secretary general, Gustavo Malan, has requested the American Committee to notify its members that it is undertaking studies of European Resistance Movements and invites cooperation. Address: Corso Vittorio Emanuele 83, Turin, Italy.

Circulated with this Newsletter you will find the January 1973 issue of the "News Bulletin" of the International Committee for the History of the Second World War. It may be possible that in the future this bulletin could be sent directly to American members from Milan. If you would like to receive it, please communicate with the American secretary and he will determine from Mr. Rochat, the International secretary, whether this is feasible.

Recent Books

I. GENERAL

A. Bibliographies, Documents, and Research Aids


Recent accessions and openings of the Franklin D. Roosevelt Library, listed in Prologue, the journal of the National Archives, Fall, 1972.


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World War II U.S. Government Civilian Agency Histories. A microfilm collection of over 400 histories prepared during and after the war. Available from Research Publications Inc., P.O. Box 3903, New Haven, Conn. 06525.

World War II Histories and Historical Reports in the U. S. Naval History Division. A partial check-list prepared by the Operational Archives, Naval History Division, Navy Department, Washington, D. C., 1972.

B. Histories of the War


II. INTERNATIONAL SITUATION PRIOR TO THE WAR


Smith, Geoffrey S. To Save a Nation: American Counter-Subversives, the New Deal, and the Coming of World War II. Basic Books, 1972.

III. THE WAR

A. Command and Direction


B. Political and Diplomatic Aspects


C. Operations


D. Services, Intelligence, Technical Aspects, Resistance, etc.


IV. NATIONS AT WAR

France


United States