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AMERICAN ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION

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1979 REGIONAL MEETINGS

Southwestern
Houston, Texas
March 14-17, 1979

Chairperson: Hans V. Johnson, The University of Texas at San Antonio

"The Development of the Short Form Audit Report in The United States," by Tonya K. and Dale L. Flesher, University of Mississippi.

"Accounting in an English Medieval Abbey," by Brother George F. Malecek, St. Mary's University.

"Early Efforts by the SEC to Develop Accounting Principles," by Leslie L. McNelis, The University of Texas at San Antonio.

Discussant: Charles B. Handy, Iowa State University

Midwest
Chicago, Illinois
April 5-6, 1979

Chairperson: Kenneth O. Elvik, Iowa State University

"Comments on Accounting Disclosures In the Baltimore and Ohio Annual Reports, 1828-1849," by Richard Vangermeersch, University of Rhode Island.

"Asset Valuation Practices Among Nineteenth Century Railroads," by J. L. Boockholdt, University of Houston.

Discussant: David B. Vellenga, Iowa State University

Mid-Atlantic
College Park, Maryland
April 5-7, 1979

Chairperson: Horace R. Givens, West Virginia University

"Accountants in the Post-Civil War History of the City of Baltimore," by James Jones, Certified Public Accountant.

"The Past in Present Day Auditing Procedures," by Helen M. Cloyd, George Mason University.

Discussants: Priscilla Welling, The George Washington University; Jay Coats, West Virginia University

Southeastern
Miami, Florida
April 26-28, 1979

Chairperson: A. R. Roberts, Georgia State University

Theme: Post-WWII: Public Accounting in a New Setting.

"The Profession and Post-WWII Accounting Developments," by Paul Grady, Partner, Price Waterhouse & Co. (Ret.)

"The SEC and Post-WWII Accounting Developments," by Andrew Barr, Chief Accountant, SEC (Ret.)

Discussants: Gadis J. Dillon, University of Georgia; Richard F. Taylor, University of Alabama

THIRD CHARLES WALDO HASKINS ACCOUNTING HISTORY SEMINAR

On April 20, 1979, "an historical and contemporary review of the development of international accounting" will be the theme of the Charles Waldo Haskins Accounting History Seminar to be held at the Atlanta Hilton Hotel. S. Paul Garner, Dean Emeritus of The University of Alabama, will present a paper entitled *An Overview of International Accounting*. W. T. Baxter will follow with *A View from the Past into the Present* and Anthony Hopwood, London Graduate School of Business Studies, will present the final paper, *A View of the Present and a Look to the Future*. The seminar is co-sponsored by The Academy, Georgia State University, and the Atlanta Office of Deloitte Haskins & Sells.

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AMERICAN
ACCOUNTING ASSOCIATION
1979 ANNUAL MEETING

Honolulu, Hawaii

Accounting History

Session I
Wednesday, August 22
3:45 - 5:15 p.m.

Theme: Historical roots of contemporary accounting practices.

Chairman: Edward Coffman, Virginia Commonwealth University

"Taylor's System of Cost Accounting,"
by Rosita Chen and Sheng-Der Pan,
Shippensburg State College

"The Contributions of Judge Learned
Hand to the American Federal Tax
System," Tonya Flesher, The Univer-
sity of Mississippi

"Development of Auditing Standards in
Australia," Robert Gibson, Deakin
University

Discussant: Jack Truitt, Washington State
University

Session II
Saturday, August 25
8:45 - 10:15 a.m.

Theme: Varieties of accounting history.

Chairman: H. Thomas Johnson, Washing-
ton State University

"Historical Development of the Patonian
School of Accounting Thought,"
James Fox, James Madison University

"Did the 'Pre-Regulatory' Era Exist?: An
Empirical Review of the Adequacy of
the SEC as a Response to the Stock
Market Crash," Barbara Merino, New
York University

"Human Resource Accounting in Ante-
bellum Mississippi," Dale Flesher, The
University of Mississippi

Discussant: Gary John Previts, The Uni-
versity of Alabama

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STREET ETIQUETTE

No gentleman may smoke when walking with a lady. He should even decline to do so, though he may be asked to continue smoking.

No lady will be guilty of the vulgarity of sucking the head of her parasol in the street.

TABLE ETIQUETTE

It is a bad habit to put large pieces of food into the mouth. It appears greedy, and if you are addressed suddenly with your mouth so filled, you are obliged to make an awkward pause before answering, or to run the risk of choking by swallowing the great mouthful too hastily.

When you discover insects, a hair, or any other troublesome object in the food, make no display of the fact, but remove to one side very quietly.

SHOPPING

It is rude to sneer at and depreciate goods. You owe courtesy to salesmen as well as to any other class. Use no deceit, but be as honest with them as you wish them to be with you.

CONVERSATION

Nicknames are abominable, and are never allowed in good society. Call people and things by their right names, and avoid affectation of all kinds.

If your friends become the subject of conversation, never compare one with another, or mention the vices of one to add to the lustre of the virtue of the other. Find something pleasant to say of each, that you may not earn the reputation of a backbiter.

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