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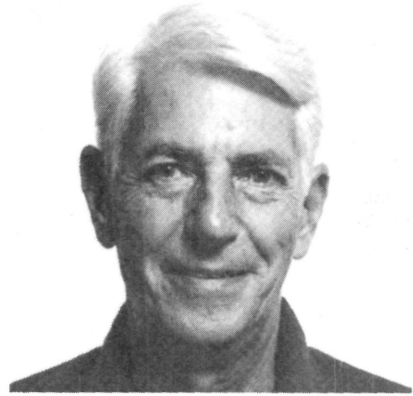
# HOURGLASS AWARD WON BY WILLIARD STONE

Williard Stone, retired professor at the University of Florida, is this year's recipient of the prestigious Hourglass Award for his contributions to the history of accounting. The Hourglass Award is presented annually to a person(s) who has made a significant contribution to the study of accounting history. Over the years, Dr. Stone, in addition to serving as the first editor of *The Accounting Historians Journal*, has been the author of numerous articles on accounting history, including the following:

- "Antecedents of the Accounting Profession," *The Accounting Review* (April, 1969).
- "Accounting in Colonial Virginia: A Case Study," *Journal of Accountancy* (July, 1974).
- "Early English Cotton Mill Cost Accounting System: Choulton Mills, 1810-1889," *Accounting and Business Research* (Winter, 1973).
- "Accounting Records Reveal History: The Virginia Cobbler," *Journal of Accountancy* (July, 1976).
- "Managerial Accounting on the U.S. 1758 Frontier," *Accounting Historians Journal* (Spring, 1977).
- "Virginia Cobbler's Accounting Records, 1832," *Collected Papers of the 26th Annual Meeting of the AAA (Southeast)*, 1974.
- "Seventeen Ninety-Four Middletown Delaware from Accounting Records," *Accounting Historians Journal* (Spring, 1979).
- "Seventeen Ninety-Four Ledger Demonstrates an Economic Transition," *Accounting and Business Research* (Summer, 1981).

Dr. Stone has also contributed to the study of accounting history through his influence on the University of Florida students who took his accounting history course. In recent years, Dr. Stone has taught at several other institutions as a visiting professor. Dr. Stone was not in San Diego to receive his award, but one of his former students, Ken Most, accepted the award on behalf of his professor. Dr. Most gave a stirring testimonial to Dr. Stone.

Williard Stone joins an elite group of scholars by winning the Hourglass Award. Previous winners of the award include some of the leading names in accounting history research. The previous



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Hourglass winners, and the publications that won them the award, are as follows:

- 1973—Steve Zeff, *Forging Accounting Principles in Five Countries*.
- 1974—Michael Chatfield, *A History of Accounting Thought*.
- 1975—Hanns-Martin W. Schoenfeld, *Cost Terminology and Cost Theory: A Study of its Development and Present State in Central Europe*.
- 1976—Osamu Kojima and Basil Yamey, for reproduction of Ympyn's: *A Notable and Very Excellent Worke* (1547).
- 1977—A. Van Severter, for translation of O. Ten Have's: *A History of Accountancy*.
- 1978—David A. R. Forrester, *Schmalenbach and After*.
- 1979—Murray Wells, *Accounting for Common Costs*.
- 1980—Gary John Previts and Barbara D. Merino, *A History of Accounting in America*.
- 1981—H. Thomas Johnson, for a series of articles on "The Development of Management Accounting."