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GUESS WHO CONTEST NUMBER SEVEN

Contest Number Six was a tough one. Only one person, Dr. Hans Johnson of the University of Tulsa, was able to guess that the individual in the picture was Horace Givens—a professor at the University of Maine at Orono. Givens has been a vice president of the Academy and is currently the chairman of the Academy's Accounting History Education Committee. Although Hans Johnson was the only person to make a correct identification, there were several incorrect entrants. The most common answer was that the person in the picture was Richard Brief of New York University, who was a former president of the Academy.



GUESS WHO?

Now, on to Contest Number Seven. The picture in this issue is of one of the most famed accountants of all time. In fact, this contest is probably too easy. The individual in the photo was a former president of the American Institute of Certified Public Accountants, was elected to the Accounting Hall of Fame, and was a candidate for president of the United States. If you can't guess the person's identity from those clues, then you don't deserve to call yourself an accounting historian.

If you are the first to send in the correct identification, you will receive a valuable prize. That prize is a copy of a book entitled THE NEW-PRODUCT DECISION which was coauthored by Dale and Tonya Flesher. This book would cost you \$15.95 if you were to buy it from the National Association of Accountants.

As in past contests, there will actually be two prizes awarded—one for the first correct entry from North America and one for the first correct entry postmarked outside of North America. This policy allows for the delay in the mail service of foreign members. Officers and trustees of

the Academy are encouraged to participate, but are not eligible for prizes. Put on your thinking caps and send your entry to Dale L. Flesher at the editorial address.

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