Guess who contest number 11

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Contest Number 10 was rather difficult. Despite several entries, only two members correctly identified the handsome young gentleman in the contest as 1987 Academy president, Richard Vangermeersch of the University of Rhode Island. For those who wish to observe how gracefully Vangermeersch has aged, you can find a modern photo of him on a page preceding the Guess Who Contest in the last issue.

The winning entry again came from Dr. Terry Sheldahl of Savannah State College. Although he has not always been the first correct entry, Sheldahl has correctly identified the individual in nine of the first ten contests. He certainly knows his accounting history and historians.

Now, on to Contest Number 11. The picture in this issue is of an American member of the Academy of Accounting Historians. The young individual in the picture has a book and several articles on the subject of accounting history. The person in the picture has served as a member of the Academy's Board of Trustees. The photo was taken during the 1950's.

If you are the first to send in the correct identification, you will receive a valuable prize. The prize is a copy of the Academy's Monograph No. 4, entitled Selected Papers from the Charles Waldo Haskins Accounting History Seminars. This monograph normally sells for $15. The prizes for this contest have certainly improved since Contest Number one. Robert Morgan of East Tennessee State University recently reminded me that he had been the winner of that first contest and that he still had his prize, a cotton boll which was billed as a genuine souvenir of Mississippi. for those contest winners who already have Monograph No. 4, I might be able to find a cotton boll as a substitute prize.

Guess Who?

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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