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tation. The Chairman of Trustees, Dick Vangermeersch, will be in charge of this, and you will be hearing more from him on this, later.

Finally I commend to you two 1991 Academy events that form an integral part of my 1991 Presidential agenda. First, there is a CPE session planned for the Nashville AAA meeting in August with Professor Tony Tinker as moderator, supported by an organizing committee. It is to be a critical history workshop entitled "Relevance Lost and the New Management Accounting." Second is our Accounting History Research Conference to be held at The University of Mississippi in December. It is being organized by a special Task Force chaired by Professor Finley Graves. He is now calling for papers, and your submissions are now awaited. I commend both of these occasions to your support and participation.

Lee D. Parker

**THE ACADEMY PLANS CPE SESSION AT NASHVILLE**

The Academy of Accounting Historians is planning to host a CPE session at the 1991 Annual Meeting of the American Accounting Association in Nashville. Tony Tinker, who will serve as Moderator of the session, reports that program content will involve a critical history workshop on "Relevance Lost and the New Management Accounting."

The workshop will include an in-depth review of the historical and social underpinnings of the Johnson-Kaplan critique of conventional management accounting. Participants will discuss the lineage of thought from Chandler to Williamson to Johnson and to Johnson and Kaplan and then appraise this emerging paradigm with alternative accounts and interpretations.

The format will center around a discussion group approach based on a number of articles which will be provided to the participants prior to the meeting. The condition of participation depends on prior study of the material.

The organizing committee for the CPE session includes: Cheryl Lehman (Hofstra University), Marilyn Neimark (Baruch College-CUNY), Lee Parker (Flinders University), Ross E. Stewart (Seattle Pacific University), and Tony Tinker (Fordham University).

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