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ASC 31st ANNUAL MEETING SETS RECORD 800 PARTICIPANTS ATTEND 1979 PROGRAM DAN GLASER BECOMES ASC PRESIDENT

Setting a record for attendance, over 800 persons participated in the 31st Annual Meeting of ASC, announced *Ronald Akers*, outgoing President of the Society. The meeting was held at the Philadelphia Sheraton, November 7-10, 1979. *Dan Glaser* succeeded *Akers* at the close of the session. He will remain in office until November 1980.

With a theme of "Criminology and Criminal Justice: Convergences and Divergences," 106 panels, 4 plenaries, 10 colloquia, and 11 roundtables were presented during the four-day meeting.

Alvin W. Cohn, Program Chair, stated: "The program was designed to offer all members of the Society an opportunity to attend various presentations reflecting a broad spectrum of criminological and criminal justice administration interests and concerns. The program was balanced, diverse, and addressed both theoretical and pragmatic issues."

Cohn was assisted on the committee by Travis Hirschi, Barbara Raffel Price, and Benjamin Ward. Marilyn Slivka served as chair of the local arrangements committee.

1980 PROGRAM PLANS DEVELOPED

With the theme "Myths and Realities Guiding New Criminal Justice Trends," organizational activities for the 1980 Annual Meeting of ASC are well underway, announced Malcolm W. Klein, Program Chair.

The meeting will be held at the Sheraton-Palace Hotel in San Francisco, November 5-8, 1980.

Daniel Glaser, ASC President, indicated that the program will cover a broad range of topics, including theory, methods, and operations in criminology and criminal justice administration. Special attention will be given to recent developments, concerns, and innovations in the field.

PRESIDENT GLASER MAKES 1979-1980 APPOINTMENTS

President Daniel Glaser has made the following appointments for the 1979-1980 year in ASC:

Executive Secretary: Joseph E. Scott, The Ohio State University.

Counselors-at-Large: Don M. Gottfredson, Rutgers University; Elmer H. Johnson, Southern Illinois University; and Denis Szabo, University of Montreal.

Editor of The Criminologist: Alvin W. Cohn, Administration of Justice Services.

Representative to AAAS: Edith E. Flynn, Northeastern University.

Representatives to the Joint Commission on Criminology and Criminal Justice Standards and Education: Harry E. Allen, San Jose State University; Edith E. Flynn, Northeastern University; C. Ray Jeffery, Florida State University; and (Alternate) Charles W. Wellford, U.S. Department of Justice.

Awards: Nicholas M. Kittrie (Chair), American University; Richard L. Henshal, University of Western Ontario; John Irwin, San Francisco State University; Gordon E. Misner, University of Illinois—Chicago Circle; and Marguerite Q. Warren, SUNY—Albany.

Constitution and By-Laws Revision: Joseph E. Scott (Chair), The Ohio State University; John P. Clark, University of Minnesota; Charles L. Newman, University of Texas—Arlington; and Barbara Raffel Price, John Jay University.

Employment Exchange: J. Robert Lilly (Co-Chair), Northern Kentucky University; and Jill Rosenbaum (Co-Chair), SUNY—Albany.

Ethical Issues in Criminology Research and Teaching: Edith E. Flynn (Chair); S. Esther Heffernan, Catholic University; Carl B. Klockars, University of Delaware; and Dennis R. Longmire, Long Beach State University.

Fellows: James Hackler (Chair), University of Alberta; William E. Amos, U.S. Parole Commission; Roy L. Austin, Pennsylvania State University; Peggy Giordano, Bowling Green State University; Joan Petersilia, Rand Corporation; and Clinton W. Terry, University of Florida.

Finance: Joseph E. Scott (Chair), The Ohio State University; Harry E. Allen, San Jose State University; C. Ronald Huff, The Ohio State University; and Charles H. McCaghy, Bowling Green State University.

Grants and Contracts: Charles W. Wellford (Chair), U.S. Department of Justice; Alvin W. Cohn, Administration of Justice Services; Charles W. Thomas, Bowling Green State University; Ronald L. Akers, University of Iowa; Barton Ingraham, University of Maryland; and William Throckmorton, U.S. Department of Labor.

International Liaison: Paul Friday (Chair), Western Michigan University; Edith E. Flynn, Northeastern University; Graeme Newman, SUNY—Albany; Andre Normandeau, University of Montreal; Louise Shelley, The American University; and Margaret A. Zahn, University of Rome.

Membership: Chris W. Eskridge (Chair), University of Nebraska—Lincoln; Thomas Barker, Jacksonville (Alabama) State University; Thomas G. Blomberg, Florida State University; Lee H. Bowker, University of Wisconsin—Milwaukee; J. Robert Lilly, Northern Kentucky University; George D. Muedeking, California State College—Stanislaus; Alice Propper, York University; Robert Regoli, Texas Christian University; Maurice Taylor, Trenton State College; and Joseph G. Weis, University of Washington—Seattle.

WOMEN IN ASC ATTEND BREAKFAST MEETING

Approximately 35 persons attended a breakfast meeting, on Saturday, November 10, 1979, during the course of the ASC Annual Meeting, to discuss the involvement of women in the Society.

Organized by Barbara Raffel Price, a member of the Executive Board, the meeting included topics of women's interests in ASC since 1977, a synopsis of a survey of women in ASC, activities the women might consider, and the selection of a steering committee to organize a communications network.

Nanci Wilson reported that according to a survey, approximately 20% of the membership in ASC is composed of women. Among problem areas cited were the stereotyping of women professionals and gaining access to decision-making. More than 90% of the respondents favored establishing an informal communications network to discuss women's interests.

A steering committee was created to guide the future activities of the informal group. They include Lillian Reilly, Nicky Hahn, Peggy Fortune, Ann Mahoney, Gene Moyer, Labora Bennett, Nanci Wilson, Margaret Zahn, and Phyllis Jo Baunach, Nanci Wilson and Phyllis Jo Baunach will serve as co-chairs.

If anyone has any ideas, issues, or interests regarding women in criminal justice or in ASC, contact: *Nanci Wilson*, Center for the Study of Crime, Delinquency and Corrections, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL 62901; or *Phyllis Jo Baunach*, NILECJ/LEAA, 633 Indiana Ave., NW, Washington, DC 20531.

1979-1980 APPOINTMENTS . . . (Continued from p. 4)

Nominations (chair to be elected by committee): Burt Galaway, University of Minnesota—Duluth; Peter Greenwood, Rand Corporation; Edward Megaree, Florida State University; Norval Morris, University of Chicago; Irving Piliavin, University of Wisconsin—Madison; and Edward Sagarin, City College of CUNY.

Publications: Harry E. Allen (Chair), San Jose State University; Stanley Brodsky, University of Alabama; Lois DeFleur, Washington State University; Gary Jensen, University of Arizona; W. William Minor, University of Maryland; and Harwin L. Voss, University of Kentucky.

Site Selection: Harry E. Allen (Chair), San Jose State University; Chris Eskridge, University of Nebraska—Lincoln; Richard Myren, The American University; and Gennaro Vito, Long Beach State University.

Student Affairs: F. P. Williams (Chair), Sam Houston State University; Scott Decker, University of Missouri—St. Louis; Delbert Elliott, University of Colorado; Marcia Radosevich, University of Iowa; Clinton Terry, University of Florida; and Harvey Treger, University of Illinois—Chicago Circle.

Student Awards: Joan McCord (Chair), Drexel University. (Others to be appointed by chair.)

Program (1980): Malcolm W. Klein (Chair). (See story on page 1 for additional members of the committee.)

Executive Steering Committee: Daniel Glaser (President); Harry E. Allen (Vice President); Frank R. Scarpitti (President-Elect); Travis Hirschi (Vice President-Elect); Charles H. McCaghy (Treasurer); and Joseph E. Scott (Executive Secretary).

Editor of Criminology: James A. Inciardi, University of Delaware.

Administrative Assistant: Sarah M. Hall.

ASC MEMBERSHIP MEETING HELD IN PHILADELPHIA

At the ASC Annual Business Meeting, held during the 1979 Annual Meeting in Philadelphia, President Ronald Akers reported that the Society had grown in membership, the 1979 Annual Meeting had the largest attendance in history, and the Society was solvent.

Joseph Scott, Executive Secretary, reported the 1979-1980 election results, and introduced Frank Scarpitti, President-Elect, Travis Hirschi, Vice President-Elect, and Executive Counselors Marguerite Warren and Albert Reiss, Jr. He also reported that since 1973, 15,000 monographs had been sold in the research series published by Praeger and Sage Publications, netting the Society approximately \$8,000.

Charles McCaghy, Treasurer, reported that income has outpaced expenses and, therefore, no recommendation was being made to increase dues at this time.

Harry Allen, Membership Committee Chair, stated that 416 new members had joined the Society in the past year; that the rolls contained 3,700 members, but that approximately 50% were not in good standing. He also reported that the Site Selection Committee concluded, with Board approval, that the 1980 Annual Meeting would be in San Francisco; the 1981 meeting in Washington, DC; 1982 in Toronto; 1983 in Denver; and 1984 in Cincinnati.

James Hackler gave a report concerning the possible revision of the Constitution and By-Laws. He indicated that although the Board had defeated the motion to elect all counselors, he would plan to develop a petition with 125 member signatures to bring the matter to a total membership referendum.

Upon motion by Matthew Yeager, seconded by Harold Pepinsky, the membership approved a resolution to appoint five members of the "Radical Caucus" to act as a Publications Advisory Board for one issue of Criminology devoted to radical criminology. The motion was passed and forwarded to the Executive Board for final action.

A second resolution to incorporate two members of the Caucus onto the 1980 Program Committee, Gennaro Vito and Dennis Longmire, was introduced. It was followed by considerable discussion, but no formal vote was taken on the matter.

President Akers appointed William Amos, Marguerite Warren, James F. Short, Jr., Barbara Raffel Price, and Dae Chang as a committee to look into how ASC could facilitate regional and/or special interest groups within the Society.

Denis Szabo, President of the International Society of Criminology, presented a short history of ISC and invited the membership to attend the next annual meeting, to be held in Warsaw, Poland, in 1983.

JOINT COMMISSION AWARDS GRANT TO ISU

The Department of Corrections, Illinois State University, has received a grant from the Joint Commission on Criminology and Criminal Justice Education and Standards to examine several curriculum issues.

A major goal of the research effort is to develop course syllabi in law enforcement, courts/law, corrections, and in general areas of criminology and criminal justice.

STUDENT PAPER COMPETITION

Students in criminology and criminal justice programs, undergraduate and graduate, are eligible to enter papers in the annual ASC Gene Carte Student Paper Competition. Deadline for entries is June 1, 1980.

All entries must be empirical and/or theoretical in nature, 6,000 words or less, typewritten, double-spaced on 8½ × 11 white paper, and submitted in triplicate.

A panel of distinguished scholars in the field will review the papers. Criteria for rating will be based on relevance of topic, quality of theoretical orientation, methodology, comprehensiveness and interpretation of data, quality of writing, and contribution to the field.

The first, second, and third place papers will be awarded \$200, \$150, and \$100, respectively, and will be eligible for presentation at the 1980 Annual Meeting of the Society, to be held in San Francisco, November 5-8, 1980.

Send all entries to Joan McCord, Department of Psychology and Sociology, Drexel University, 32nd and Chestnut, Philadelphia, PA 19104.

Winners will be notified in writing by August 1, 1980.

50th ANNIVERSARY CELEBRATION

The Administration of Justice Department, San Jose State University, will celebrate its fiftieth anniversary, May 2-4, 1980. Former students and faculty are encouraged to attend the three-day celebration. For further information, contact the department at MH 508, San Jose, CA 95191.

1981 ACJS MEETING

Academy of Criminal Justice Sciences President-Elect Harry W. More has appointed Roy R. Roberg as Program Chair for the 1981 Annual Meeting to be held at the Benjamin Franklin Hotel in Philadelphia, PA, March 18-20.

The theme for the 1981 meeting will be "Contemporary Issues in Criminal Justice: Problems and Prospects."

A Call for Papers will be distributed at the 1980 Annual Meeting in Oklahoma City, March 12-14; persons interested in participating and providing suggestions should address their correspondence to: Roy R. Roberg, Administration of Justice Department, San Jose State University, San Jose, CA 95192.

DISTINGUISHED

The City University of New York, including John Jay College of Criminal Justice, is currently inviting applications to fill several Distinguished Professor chairs for the 1980-1981 academic year.

Applicants must have distinguished themselves in the field of criminology and criminal justice administration, should currently hold the rank of professor at their respective universities, or otherwise be distinguished scholars in the academic world.

Responsibilities will be confined to teaching and research; no administrative assignments.

Candidates and nominees for these positions should contact the President, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, 444 West 56th Street, New York, NY 10019. Credentials, including a vita, should be forwarded.

LEGISLATION

by Peggy A. Frandsen Special Assistant to the Director, Federal Bureau of Prisons

Federal Criminal Code Revision

The House Subcommittee on Criminal Justice has been holding hearings on the Criminal Code reform and hopes to move the bill to the full committee on the House floor in December.

Civil Rights of Institutionalized Persons

In May the House passed H.R. 10, the bill to give the Attorney General the authority to bring suit to protect the constitutional rights of institutionalized persons. The Senate Judiciary Committee completed a mark-up this November, but it is not expected to be considered on the floor of the Senate until January 1980. This is a legislative priority for the Department of Justice.

Gun Control

Senator Edward Kennedy and Congressman Peter Rodino introduced gun control legislation in November 1979. This legislation is expected to move slowly with little action until 1980.

Immigration Legislation

The Refugee Act, S. 643, passed the Senate and has recently been reported out of the House Judiciary Committee. The purpose of the Act is to amend the Immigration and Nationalization Act, to revise the procedures for the admission of refugees, to amend the Migration and Refugee Assistance Act of 1962, and to establish a more uniform basis for the provision of assistance to refugees.

FBI Charter

The FBI Charter, which will establish investigation standards and guidelines, is being reviewed in the Congress. Testimony has been given by department personnel as well as by the Director of the FBI. It must be passed by both houses of Congress.

Federal Diversion Act

The Federal Diversion Act was reported out of the Senate Judiciary Committee in November. It essentially formally establishes alternatives to criminal prosecution for certain persons charged with offenses against the United States.

Judicial Tenure Act

A number of bills on the Judicial Tenure Act have been introduced. Among other issues, the bills address these areas: Reconfirmation of judges over a six-year period; judicial reform in criminal cases; establishment of a procedure for the processing of complaints directed against federal judges; elimination of age limitation of 70 years for chief judges of the District Courts and chief judges of the Circuit Courts; and provision for the review of the behavior of individual justices and judges by a three-judge panel.

IN MEMORIUM

AUSTIN H. MacCORMICK

Austin H. MacCormick, who as Corrections Commissioner under Mayor Fiorello H. LaGuardia uncovered scandals and brutal conditions in the prison system on Welfare Island and one of the deans of American corrections, died recently in New York City at the age of 84.

Named Commissioner in 1934, a post he held for six years, he became widely known for his humanitarian concepts on treatment of criminals and his able management of penal institutions.

Born in Ontario, Canada, he was the seventh child of a Congregational minister who took his family to a new parish in Boothbay Harbor, Maine. He attended Bowdoin College, where he was an admirer of Thomas Mott Osborne, the pioneer American penologist, and he based his graduation paper on a study of his work.

He later became the research director of the Osborne Association of New York, a national organization devoted to correctional reform. Formerly, he had been an assistant superintendent at several federal prisons. When the Bureau of Prisons was established in 1930, he became its assistant director.

He was the coauthor, with Paul W. Garrett, of the Handbook of American Prisons and Reformatories and he wrote The Education of Adult Prisons.

Widely known as a consultant to correctional agencies, MacCormick received the Presidential Medal of Merit for his work with the Secretary of War during World War II. He was also the recipient of the August Vollmer Award, presented by the American Society of Criminology for outstanding contributions to the field of criminal justice administration.

ASC MEMBERSHIP

The membership committee of ASC requests that all members of the Society compile lists of non-members who might be interested in joining the organization.

These persons will then be sent a brochure describing the Society. Such lists may consist of names and addresses of colleagues, persons known by the sender, or they can be names of presenters at appropriate meetings.

Send all such information to Chris Eskridge, Criminal Justice Studies, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, NE 68508.

SPEAKERS CONSORTIUM

The Sixth Annual International Criminal Justice Speakers Consortium will again sponsor experts in comparative police studies throughout the U.S. for university lectures, April 14-May 2, 1980.

Featured among the speakers are Michael Bochner, Israel; Carl Dalin, Sweden; Giovanni Castino, Italy; and Norman Honey, England.

Colleges, universities, and agencies which wish to sponsor a speaking engagement should contact *Marie Rosen*, John Jay College of Criminal Justice, 444 West 56th Street, New York, NY 10019.

OPEN LETTER TO FRIENDS OF VERNON FOX

Next February 27-29, when the Southern Conference on Corrections convenes in Tallahassee, it will mark the 25th Anniversary of this event.

The conference, started in 1955 and founded by *Vernon Fox*, has been an annual event which has had a significant influence on the careers and lives of a very large number of people in the field of criminology and criminal justice.

Over the past several years, there have been many suggestions of ways to express our appreciation to Dr. Fox for what he has meant to all us professionally (and to many of us personally) and to recognize his contributions to the field of criminology and criminal justice.

From among the wide range of possibilities, the one which many of us see as most appropriate is the establishment of a Vernon B. Fox Student Loan Fund. This, we believe, is most symbolic of Dr. Fox's continuing concern and sensitivity to the needs of students, and it represents a characterization of his desire to be of assistance in a way which a scholarship program can offer.

It also seems appropriate that the establishment of the Vernon B. Fox Student Loan Fund be a part of the celebration of the 25th Anniversary of the Southern Conference on Corrections. You are invited to become a participating partner in both the Conference and the Loan Fund campaign.

The Loan Fund will be administered by the School of Criminology at Florida State University in cooperation with the Florida State University Foundation.

Although contributions will be accepted at any time, in order to establish the Fund and for you to be listed in the Honor Roll, we are asking that your contribution be made by January 1, 1980. Send all contributions to: School of Criminology, Florida State University, Tallahassee, FL 32306; make all checks payable to the FSU Foundation, Inc.

Sincerely,

J. Price Foster Timothy D. Crowe Mary Harris Patrick Anderson Leonard Dobrin Charles F. Wellford

"CRIME AND JUSTICE" ANNUAL PUBLISHED

As announced in the last issue of The Criminologist, the first volume of "Crime and Justice" was published by the University of Chicago Press this fall.

The new annual series on criminal justice research is edited by Norval Morris, Julius Kreeger Professor of Law and Criminology at the University of Chicago Law School and Michael Tonry, Associate Professor of Law at the University of Maryland Law School.

Readers may order the first volume from the University of Chicago Press, 11030 S. Langley Avenue, Chicago, IL 60628. The price is \$14.00. Please specify order number ISBN: 0-226-53955-5.

Information on standing orders for subsequent volumes is available from the University of Chicago Press Marketing Department at the above address.

NEWS AND NOTES FROM THE NATIONAL INSTITUTE

Institute Announces FY 1980 Programs

With an anticipated budget of \$25 million in FY 1980, the National Institute will continue to support research on its 10 long-range priorities and in other areas of police, courts, corrections, and community crime prevention.

Among studies that will begin or continue in FY 1980 are inquiries into sentencing, violent crime, career criminals, organized crime, arson, the role of the grand jury, race and crime, and deterrence.

The research proposed for the new fiscal year is outlined in the Institute's program plan for FY 1980, which was published last month in the *Federal Register*. Copies of the plan are available from the National Criminal Justice Reference Service (NCJRS), Box 6000, Rockville, MD 20850.

Details of individual programs are furnished in solicitations issued periodically throughout the fiscal year. The solicitations set forth the program design, funding, deadlines, and application and review procedures.

All Institute solicitations are announced in the Federal Register. Each notice contains either the full text or a brief description of the official announcement. Readers interested in applying for Institute funds are urged to read the Federal Register.

Copies of published solicitations are available from NCJRS. Readers interested in a particular project may notify the Reference Service in advance, requesting a copy of the solicitation upon publication.

The programs slated for FY 1980 funding, as described in the Institute's program plan, are listed below under the responsible Office/Division. Additional topics for research are under consideration and will be announced in future issues of The Criminologist.

Office of Research Programs

Sponsoring a balance of basic and applied research, this Office emphasizes efforts to build a body of knowledge about criminal justice issues. The four divisions of this Office will be funding the following programs in FY 1980.

Police—Problem-Focused Policing; Private Policing; Socioeconomic Trends and Policing; and Forensic Research.

Adjudication—the Grand Jury; Preindictment Practices and Policies; Analysis of the Role of the Bail Bondsman; Selection, Role, and Cost of Assigned Counsel; Intrastate Sentencing Variation; the Use of Fines as a Criminal Sanction; the Jury Trial; and Comparative Research on State Court Organizations.

Corrections—Factors Affecting Prison Commitment Rates; the Impact of Serving Time Under Determinate Sentencing; a Study of Selected Probation/Parole Supervision Strategies; Research on Inmate Education; the Impact of Community Environments on Supervised Offenders; and the Changing Role of Corrections.

Community Crime Prevention—Factors Influencing Neighborhood Responses to Crime; Commercial Land Use Patterns and Crime; Arson Case Processing; Organized Crime Research Program; and Preventing and Controlling Fraud in Government Programs.

NEWS AND NOTES . . . (Continued from p. 11)

Center for the Study of Crime Correlates and Criminal Behavior

Emphasizing long-term multidisciplinary research, the Center expects to support the creation of three centers in FY 1980 as focal points for research in the following areas: Center for the Study of Drugs/Alcohol and Crime, Center for the Study of Race, Crime and Social Policy, and Center for Research on Crime Causation and Criminal Behavior.

Office of Research and Evaluation Methods

The programs funded by this Office involve the development or adaptation of advanced analytical techniques to problems in crime analysis and control. The Office plans to issue two solicitations during FY 1980.

Under the general area of *crime control*, a solicitation will invite proposals in any area of inquiry relating to deterrence, incapacitation, and rehabilitation. About seven or eight grants are expected to be awarded.

The other solicitation will focus on methods and measurement problems facing criminal justice researchers and evaluators. This research on methodology was launched in FY 1978. Approximately four or five grants are expected to be awarded during the FY 1980 phase.

Office of Program Evaluation

This Office is responsible for evaluations of LEAA demonstration programs, field tests sponsored by the Institute, and other evaluation priorities. Of the four national evaluations of LEAA programs anticipated in FY 1980, two possible topics are jail overcrowding and pretrial detainees and arson.

Up to three evaluations of Institute-sponsored field tests are planned, including pretrial supervised release and employment services for ex-offenders as possible candidates. Topics for special priority evaluations are nominated by an agency working group and are announced in program solicitations.

Depending on the outcome of pending legislation to reauthorize and reorganize LEAA, the Institute's role in evaluation may be expanded. New evaluation priorities as mandated by Congress will be announced.

Office of Development, Testing, and Dissemination

The programs to be conducted by this Office during the year are supported under FY 1979 awards. No additional programs are planned.

CRIM ALUMS TO MEET AT WESTERN SOCIETY OF CRIMINOLOGY

During the course of the Western Society of Criminology convention, to be held at the Registry Hotel in Orange County, CA, February 29-March 2, 1980, former students and faculty of the School of Criminology, University of California—Berkeley will hold a reunion.

Scheduled at the home of *John Gruber* as well as at the hotel, former affiliates of the school are being asked to bring photos, memorabilia, and other artifacts associated with the program to share with colleagues.

For further information, contact *Tom Gitchoff*, 3143 - 4th Ave., San Diego, CA 92103.

JOURNAL JOTTINGS

OFFENDER REHABILITATION

The Haworth Press, Inc., announces that its quarterly journal Offender Rehabilitation, has been expanded in scope and is now being published under the title, Journal of Offender Counseling, Services & Rehabilitation, starting with Volume 4, No. 1, Fall 1979.

Still under the Editorship of Sol Chaneles, Chair, Department of Criminal Justice, Rutgers University, the newly revised journal will aim to cover all areas pertaining to counseling, rehabilitation, and socialwork services for prisoners and ex-offenders.

Subscriptions may be obtained from The Haworth Press, Inc., 149 Fifth Avenue, New York, NY 10010. Subscription cost: \$24 individuals; \$45 libraries; and \$38 other institutions. Canadian orders, add \$5; other foreign orders, add \$10.00.

CRIME AND JUSTICE: A HISTORICAL REVIEW

A new journal, Crime and Justice: A Historical Review, to appear annually, wishes to include an article dedicated to ongoing historical research on various aspects of criminal justice or related fields.

Send the title of project, abstract and stage of preparation to: Cyril D. Robinson, Center for the Study of Crime, Delinquency and Corrections, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, IL 62901.

ENDOWED CHAIR CREATED AT SAM HOUSTON STATE

The Criminal Justice Center at Sam Houston State University in Huntsville, TX, is the recipient of a \$500,000 award from Houston Endowment, Inc., a philanthropy endowed by Mr. and Mrs. Jesse H. Jones, to establish the George J. Beto Chair of Criminal Justice, the first endowed chair in an academic criminal justice program in the nation.

The endowment will be invested and its income used for the salary of outstanding criminal justice academic professionals appointed to visiting professorships.

The endowed chair was named in honor of *George J. Beto*, former director of the Texas Department of Corrections (TDC) and an internationally recognized authority on criminology and corrections. Since his retirement from TDC in 1972, *Beto* has served as a Distinguished Professor in Criminal Justice at the Criminal Justice Center, and for a year as interim director of the Center.

While serving as director of TDC from 1961-1972, Beto was instrumental in the creation of the criminal justice academic program at Sam Houston State, and construction of the Criminal Justice Center, which was dedicated in 1977.

UNITED NATIONS CONGRESS

The final decision has been made to hold the next United Nations Congress on the Prevention of Crime and the Treatment of Offenders in Caracas, Venezuela, at the end of August 1980. Pending further information on precise details, the four major international criminology organizations are discussing the feasibility of holding a research and criminal policy meeting the week prior to the United Nations meeting.

As an affiliate member of the International Society for Criminology, ASC members may have an opportunity to participate providing the details can be arranged by the ISC.

A letter of intent or desire to participate, including tentative title and brief abstract, should be sent to *Mike Rustigan*, Program Chair, International Committee, ASC, Department of Administrative Justice, San Jose State University, San Jose, CA 94123.

SIU HOMICIDE STUDY

The Center for the Study of Crime, Delinquency and Corrections, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, has been awarded a grant to study the nature and patterns of American homicide.

The study team is asking persons who have any information on the literature of homicide to forward such to them. Contact: Marc Reidel or William Wilbanks, at the Center, Carbondale, IL 62901.

SUMMER STUDY PROGRAMS

Appalachian State University

The Department of Political Science/Criminal Justice will have a Summer Study Program in England, July 7-August 10, 1980.

The five-week program to be held in London and Edinburgh, will offer students an opportunity to examine America's legal background in England and to compare the political and criminal justice systems.

Students may earn six hours credit, either graduate or undergraduate. Total costs are \$1,349.

For further information, contact: Richter Moore, Department of Political Science/Criminal Justice, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC 28608.

The American University

The School of Justice will sponsor its seventh annual institute and will, for the first time, be dedicated to the topic of juvenile justice in England and America.

The program will be held from July 27-August 14, 1980, at Newnham College, Cambridge University. It is designed for professionals and students in the fields of juvenile, criminal, military and civil justice and in law, medicine, drug abuse treatment, and social work.

Total costs include \$1,020, and graduate or undergraduate credit is available.

For further information, contact: Richard A. Myren, School of Justice, The American University, Washington, DC 20016.

JOINT COMMISSION AWARDS GRANT . . . (Continued from p. 6)

Persons currently teaching in these areas are being asked to share syllabi with the project team. In the development of model course syllabi, three objectives have been established: (1) to develop an array of content areas appropriate for each course; (2) to develop a set of resource materials for each course; and (3) to develop a set of learning objectives for each course.

Faculty who are willing to share such information should send materials to Robert Culbertson or Adam Carr, at the above department, 401 Schoeder Hall, Normal, IL 61761.

ASC 31st ANNUAL MEETING . . .

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that Sage Publications would continue to publish selected papers in its annual research series. The editors of the volumes will be Travis Hirschi, Barbara Raffel Price, Benjamin Ward, and Alvin W. Cohn.

Persons who presented papers and who did not have them available in Philadelphia should forward two copies to any member of the Program Committee for review. The publications should be available by the 1980 meeting to be held in San Francisco.

DEADLINES FOR THE CRIMINOLOGIST

APRIL ISSUE — February 15th

JULY ISSUE — May 15th

OCTOBER ISSUE — August 15th

Send all materials to:
ALVIN W. COHN, EDITOR
Administration of Justice Services
15005 Westbury Rd.,
Rockville, MD 20853

1980 PROGRAM PLANS . . .

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The deadline for submissions is March 1, 1980, however, earlier suggestions will be more likely to find a place on the program. Recommendations and suggestions including specific titles and participants will receive early confirmation.

Assisting Klein on the Program Committee are Harry Allen, Paul Lerman, Lois DeFleur, Ted Ferdinand, Sarnoff Mednick, Richard Sparks, Gordon Waldo, and David Wexler. Barry Krisberg will serve as chair of the local arrangements committee.

For additional information about the program or to forward specific suggestions, contact: *Malcolm W. Klein*, Sociology Department, University of Southern California, Los Angeles, CA 90007.

HOUSTON STATE

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criminology, and research. For further information and application forms, contact: Program Coordinator, Doctoral Studies, Criminal Justice Center, Sam Houston State University, Huntsville, TX 77341.

POSITIONS - VACANCIES - OPPORTUNITIES

THE CRIMINOLOGIST will regularly feature in these columns position vacancies available in organizations and universities, as well as positions sought by members of the Society.

There will be no charge for placing such announcements. For those agencies or persons not wishing to have their identities known, arrangements can be made for a box number and all appropriate inquiries will be forwarded accordingly.

The Professional Employment Exchange will be a regular feature at each Annual Meeting. Prospective employers and employees should register with the Society no later than three weeks prior to the Annual Meeting of the Society. Appropriate forms may be obtained by writing to the ASC offices in Columbus, Ohio.

To place announcements in The Criminologist, send all materials to:

Alvin W. Cohn, Editor THE CRIMINOLOGIST 15005 Westbury Rd. Rockville, MD 20853

POSITIONS AVAILABLE

Univ. of Maryland—Institute of Criminology and Criminal Justice. Several tenure-track positions for Fall 1970, at all ranks. Requirements: established record of scholarship; Ph.D. or equivalent degree; specialization is open. Send vita and names of three references. Contact: Barton L. Ingraham, Acting Director, College Park, MD 20742.

Defiance College—Criminal Justice Program. Opening for tenure-track position for January 1980. Requirements: master's degree in criminal justice or related field, but doctorate preferred; prior past employment in criminal justice; teaching experience in law enforcement. Rank and salary open. Send resume, letter, and credentials. Contact: Academic Dean's Office, Defiance, OH 43512.

Northern Illinois Univ.—Dept. of Sociology. Asst. Prof. or Instructor for Fall 1980 to teach penology and community supervision. Requirements: experience in scholarship and teaching; Ph.D. preferred. Send vita and arrange for three letters of reference. Contact: Irving Kraus, Chair, DeKalb, IL 60115.

Univ. of Maryland—University College. Several positions for overseas bachelors' program in Europe and Far East, beginning August 15, 1980. Requirements: Ph.D., ABD, or two relevant MAs; competency in two academic disciplines (criminology plus one other); recent undergraduate teaching experience; U.S. citizenship. Positions require frequent travel. Send resume by April 25, 1980. Contact: Julian S. Jones, College Park, MD 20742.

Stockton State College—Asst. Prof. of Criminal Justice for Fall 1980, to teach criminal justice, general education, and supervise independent projects. Requirements: doctorate in social sciences and competence in criminal justice. Send vita and references. Contact: Lewis A. Leitner, Dean, Social and Behavioral Sciences, Box 7770, Pomona, NJ 08240.

Middle Tennessee State Univ.—Dept. of Criminal Justice Administration. One tenure-track Asst. Prof. or Instructor for August 1980. Apply by March 31, 1980. Requirements: earned doctorate, ABD, or combination of education and experience and research interests/skills. Contact: Frank Lee, Chair, Murfreesboro, TN 37132.

Mankato State Univ.—Corrections Program, Dept. of Sociology. Possible tenure-track position at Asst. Prof. or Instructor level for winter and spring quarters, 1979-1980; to teach in correctional field. Requirements: MA in related field; Ph.D. preferred; and experience in corrections. Contact: Linda S. Anderson or Thomas J. Schmid, Box 49, Mankato, MN 56001.

Battelle Memoriel Institute—Law and Justice Study Center. Permanent appointment to participate in ongoing programs involving policy planning and applied research addressing white-collar crime and related abuses, government regulation, and government program compliance. Requirements: Ph.D. in a social science discipline or law degree; writing skills; experience in policy planning and program assessment. Contact: Herbert Edelhertz. Director, 4000 N.E. 41st St., Seattle, WA 98105.

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Univ. of Akron—Dept. of Sociology, Asst. Prof. on tenure track for Fall 1980, to teach two of following: family, delinquency/criminology, aging, medical, urban, qualitative techniques, especially at graduate level. Send vita, transcripts, letters of reference, and sample publications. Requirements: Ph.D. in sociology, record of publishing and research, teaching experience. Contact: Charles H. Barresi, Akron, OH 44325.

San Jose State Univ.—Dept. of Administration of Justice. Asst. Prof. on tenure track
for Fall 1980. To teach in area of specialization, serve as adviser, and become active in
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corrections background. Requirements: doctorate in criminal justice or related field, or
ABD or law degree, experience in field, prior
teaching experience, evidence of productive
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Search Committee, San Jose, CA 95192.

Corpus Christi State Univ.—College of Arts and Humanities. Asst. Prof. in criminal justice on tenure track, for Fall 1980. Generalist in criminal justice system, with expertise in two of following areas: law enforcement supervision, and management, corrections, or law. Some teaching in graduate interdisciplinary MA program. Send letter of application, vita, transcripts, three letters of reference, and teaching evaluations. Requirements: earned doctorate in criminal justice or related field, teaching experience, and field experience desirable. Contact: Miriam Wagenschein, Dean, 6300 Ocean Dr., Corpus Christi, TX 78412.

Univ. of Missouri—St. Louis—Administration of Justice Dept. Two positions for Fall 1980, one in area of research/methods/statistics and the other in law enforcement. Send resume and three letters of reference. Requirements: Ph.D. and teaching experience. Contact: Henry Burns, Jr., Chair, St. Louis, MO 63121.

Univ. of North Carolina—Charlotte—Several positions at Lecturer thru Asst. Prof. levels for Fall 1980, to teach in undergraduate program. Duties include teaching and community service. Desire expertise in areas of research methodology, criminal justice theory and planning, administration, or law enforcement. Requirements: Ph.D. or ABD in criminology or criminal justice or related disci-

pline. Send letter of application, vita. Contact: Reed Adams, Chair, UNCC Station, Charlotte, NC 28223.

Southern Illinois Univ.-Carbondale-College of Human Resources. Position open is for Dean. Duties include academic and professional leadership of college, including Division for Study of Crime, Delinquency and Corrections: Comprehensive Planning and Design; Human Development; Rehabilitation Institute; and Social and Community Services. Appointment begins August 16, 1980. Requirements: earned terminal degree, experience to qualify for rank of Full Prof., strong evidence of administrative experience and external fund raising capability, commitment to teaching, research, and service. Send letter of intent, vita, and three letters of reference. Contact: Jerome R. Lorenz, Chair, Search Committee, Office of the Vice President for Academic Affairs and Research, Carbondale, IL 62901.

Illinois State Univ.—Criminal Justice Sciences. One position at Asst. or Asso. Prof. level for Fall 1980 in tenure track. To teach criminal justice, with emphasis in area of administration and organization and participate in development of graduate program. Requirements: Ph.D., teaching experience, demonstrated research abilities, and field experience. Send resume, transcript, and three letters of reference. Contact: Steven G. Cox, Chair, Search Committee, 401 Schroeder Hall, Normal, IL 61761.

Washington State Univ.—Dept. of Sociology. One position at Asst. Prof. level for Fall 1980 for teaching and research specialization in deviance/crimology/corrections with an interest in policy and evaluation research. Send letter of application, vita, and three letters of reference. Contact: Lois DeFleur, Personnel Committee, Pullman, WA 99164.

Franklin and Marshall College—One position for Spring Semester 1980, to teach courses in race and ethnic relations, urban sociology, and a seminar in contemporary social issues (women's studies). Requirements: Ph.D. or ABD. Contact: Joel P. Eigen, Lancaster, PA 17604.

Wayne State Univ.—Dept. of Criminal Justice. One position at Lecturer or Asst. Prof. in tenure track for September 1980. To teach law enforcement administration, corrections, or research methodology. Requirements: Ph.D. or ABD, professional experience, prior

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teaching. Send vita by March 1980. Contact: Louis L. Friedland, Chair, 6001 Cass Ave., Room 214. Detroit. MI 48202.

Sam Houston State Univ.—Criminal Justice Center. Two tenure track and one temporary position for August 1980. To teach in areas of criminal justice and criminology at undergraduate and graduate levels. Requirements: Ph.D. or other terminal degree, commitment to teaching, research, and service, Send vita, copies of publications, and references. Con-

tact: Jerry L. Dowling, Chair, Faculty Search Committee, Huntsville, TX 77341.

East Tennessee State Univ.—Dept. of Criminal Justice. One position at Asst. Prof. level for Fall 1980. To teach in area of law enforcement and private security and corrections, coordinate field experience, and conduct research. Requirements; doctorate in criminal justice or related field and prior field experience. Rank open. Contact: Personnel Office, Box 24070A, Johnson City, TN 37601.

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Feb. 27-29: Silver Anniversary Meeting of Southern Conference on Corrections, Tallahassee Hilton Hotel. Contact: Vernon Fox, School of Criminology, Florida State Univ., Tallahassee, FL 32306.

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July 9-11: Conference on Crime and Development, sponsored by the International Sociological Association Section on Deviance and Social Control, in Ibadan, Nigeria. Contact: 'Femi Odekunle, Dept. of Sociology, Ahmadu Bello Univ., Zaria, Nigeria.

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