

News and Notes

THE WARBURG INSTITUTE, University of London, announces the establishment of the Frances A. Yates Fellowships, as the result of a bequest by Dame Frances, who died September 29, 1981. The two kinds of fellowships (short-term and long-term) are intended primarily for younger scholars, who should have completed at least two years of study towards the doctorate. Fellows' interests may lie in any aspect of cultural and intellectual history, but other things being equal, preference will be given to those working in the same areas as did Dame Frances. The closing date for applications will be November 15 in any year. For further information write to the Director, Warburg Institute, University of London, Woburn Square, London WC1H 0AB, England.

THE NEWBERRY LIBRARY CENTER FOR RENAISSANCE STUDIES has announced its 1983 Summer Institute in the Archival Sciences, part of a collaborative enterprise with the Folger Institute of Renaissance and Eighteenth-Century Studies and supported by a generous grant from the National Endowment for the Humanities. The institute will be directed by Armando Petrucci (Institute of Paleography, U of Rome) and will provide intensive training in the reading, transcribing, and editing of Italian vernacular manuscripts (1300-1650) as well as a thorough orientation in the organization of Italian archives, libraries, and manuscript collections. Full-time faculty members at American institutions of higher learning are eligible to apply for stipends of up to \$2,000. Faculty, research scholars, and advanced graduate students at universities affiliated with either the Newberry Center or the Folger Institute are eligible to apply for special funds available to attend the institute. The course, to be conducted in Italian, will run from June 20 to July 30, 1983; the application deadline is March 15, 1983. Contact the Newberry Library Center for Renaissance Studies, 60 West Walton Street, Chicago, Illinois 60610.

Also in Summer 1983 the Folger Institute will conduct a similar program in the English archival sciences. During Summer 1984, the Newberry Center and the Folger Institute will offer Iberian/Hispanic-American and French institutes, respectively. For informa-

tion on the Folger programs, contact the Folger Institute of Renaissance and Eighteenth-Century Studies, 201 East Capitol Street, S.E., Washington, D.C. 20003.

THE CENTER FOR RENAISSANCE AND BAROQUE STUDIES at the University of Maryland will hold a symposium on the topic "Urban Life in the Renaissance," March 3-4, 1983. The symposium will include papers dealing with both England and the Continent which will examine the development of Renaissance cities, problems and conflicts in the urban milieu, urban family life, and the role of the arts in urban life. Speakers will include James Ackerman (Harvard U), Howard M. Brown (U of Chicago), Ann Jennalie Cook (Vanderbilt U), Richard A. Goldthwaite (Johns Hopkins U), David Herlihy (Harvard U), and C. Walter Hodges (Lewes, Sussex). For further information write to Susan Zimmerman, 1103 Francis Scott Key Hall, University of Maryland, College Park, Maryland 20742.