

NEWS

✎ Gerald D. Feldman, Paul W. Schroeder, and Mack Walker have been appointed to the Board of Editors of *Central European History* for 1973–75, replacing Dietrich Gerhard, Theodore S. Hamerow, and Robert A. Kann. With this change, the last of the members of the original Board of Editors which set *Central European History* on its course and guided it through its first years have retired from service.

✎ A session on “Quantification in German Studies” (sponsored by an informal group of the same name) will be held, in conjunction with the American Historical Association convention, in the Lassen Room, Hilton Hotel, San Francisco, on December 28, 1973, from 7 to 9 P.M. Douglas Hale will speak on “Persecution of the German Demagogues 1833–1842,” Anthony J. O’Donnell on “National Liberal Mass Politics 1890–1918,” and Jeffrey H. Loesch on “The Application of Roll-Call Analysis to German Parliamentary History.” For further information contact Arnold H. Price, 3816 Calvert Street, N.W., Washington, D.C. 20007; he will be at the Hilton Hotel during the convention.

✎ The *Laurentian University Review* has published a special issue entitled “Aspects of Imperial Germany”; for the contents, see “Periodicals Received.” The issue is intended not only as a collection of scholarly articles, but as a reader for undergraduates in courses on German history. Copies may be ordered from: Editor, *Laurentian University Review*, Sudbury, Ontario, Canada, at \$2 per copy.

✎ *History: Reviews of New Books* began publication in October 1972. Published ten times a year, its purpose is to publish early reviews of new books in all fields of history. Address: 4000 Albemarle Street, N.W., Suite 302, Washington, D.C. 20016.

✎ *Historical Abstracts*, which recently expanded its original coverage (1775–1945) to the years since 1945, has now expanded it again to include the period 1450–1775, beginning with Volume 19 (1973). It continues to be published in two parts, covering respectively 1450–1914 and 1914 to the present. In addition, a new computerized process of production will allow the creation of demand bibliographies and other information retrieval services.