

## *News, Notes and Queries*

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### CENTER FOR PHOTOGRAPHIC IMAGES OF MEDICINE AND HEALTH CARE

The Center is seeking to locate older images (c. 1850-1950) depicting medicine and health care, to be copied as slides for teaching the history of American medicine and health care. Of special interest are photographs of diagnostic or clinical activities, photographs which document public health or personal hygiene, portraits of health professionals in action or of physician-patient interactions, and images of women and minorities in medical careers and as patients. Any information about private persons possessing such material or about images in institutional collections or rare books or journals would be appreciated. Please address correspondence to: Center for Photographic Images, Department of Community and Preventive Medicine, School of Medicine, Health Sciences Center, State University of New York at Stony Brook, Long Island, N.Y. 11794, U.S.A. .

### HANNAH INSTITUTE FOR THE HISTORY OF MEDICINE

The Hannah Institute for the History of Medicine invites applications for the post of Visiting Professor for one term (either but not both) during the academic year 1981-82. Candidates must hold a doctorate and have teaching experience at the university level. Stipend levels are on a salary replacement basis or as negotiated with the Institute. Deadline for application, 30 September 1980. For further information contact T. Gelfand, Program History of Medicine, Faculty of Health Sciences, University of Ottawa, Ottawa, Canada K1N 9A9.

### HISTORY AND MENTAL DISORDER

A one-day conference on 'History and Mental Disorder' will be held at the Wellcome Institute for the History of Medicine on Friday, 26 September 1980. Papers will be read by Professor Erik Midelfort (University of Virginia), Professor D. P. Walker (The Warburg Institute, University of London), Professor Jean Starobinski (University of Geneva), Dr. Roy S. Porter (Wellcome Institute for the History of Medicine), and Dr. Anne Digby (University of York). Details available from Dr. W. F. Bynum, Wellcome Institute for the History of Medicine, 183 Euston Road, London NW1 2BP.