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NOTES & NEWS

LUEBKE AWARD

The 1989 Frederick C. Luebke Award, presented annually for the best article published in *Great Plains Quarterly*, has been awarded to Nancy Tystad Koupal of the South Dakota State Historical Society for her article "The Wonderful Wizard of the West: L. Frank Baum in South Dakota." The judges for the award were John Hudson, Northwestern University; Melody Graulich, University of New Hampshire; and Dick Harrison, University of Alberta.

CENTER FOR GREAT PLAINS STUDIES SYMPOSIA

The program committee for the 1990 symposium, "Impacts of Climate Change on the Great Plains," thanks the speakers and other participants in the symposium. We are grateful to all the scholars who added their particular expertise to this program.

The Center's fifteenth annual symposium will be held in Lincoln 6-9 March 1991 on the topic "Law, the Bill of Rights, and the Great Plains." For a full Call for Papers, see p. 156 of *Great Plains Quarterly* 9 (Summer 1989) or contact the Center. All proposals should be submitted by 1 July 1990 to John R. Wunder, Center for Great Plains Studies, 1213 Oldfather Hall, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, NE 68588-0314.

CONFERENCES AND INSTITUTES

A conference, "Northern Lights: Culture and History of the Northern Plains," will be held Saturday, 22 May 1990 at the University of

California, Davis. For more information, please contact Program Committee, Northern Lights Conference, Department of History, University of California, Davis, California 95616, (916) 752-0776.

The Buffalo Bill Historical Center will be holding its eleventh annual Summer Institute in Western American Studies 11 June through 6 July 1990. The first session will feature scholars Peter Hassrick and Patricia Limerick and the second session Frederick Hoxie and Michael Malone. For more information, please contact Lillian Turner, Buffalo Bill Historical Center, Box 1000, Cody Wyoming 82414, (307) 587-4771.

CALL FOR PAPERS

The Southern Association for Women Historians invites proposals for the second Southern Conference on Women's History, 7-8 June 1991, at the University of North Carolina. Proposals for papers, sessions, panels, and media presentations, with vita and SASE, should be sent by 1 June 1990 to Sally McMillen, Department of History, Davidson College, Davidson, North Carolina 28036, (704) 892-2271.

INDEX PUBLISHED

The South Dakota State Historical Society has published *South Dakota Historical Collections: Cumulative Index*, compiled by Suzanne Julin and available from the Society, 900 Governors Drive, Pierre, South Dakota 57501-2217 for \$39.95 plus \$2.50 postage and handling.