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SYMPOSIA: CENTER FOR GREAT PLAINS STUDIES

The symposium "Plains Indian Cultures: Past and Present Meanings" will be held in Lincoln 20-22 March 1986. Featured speakers will include N. Scott Momaday, La Donna Harris, Peterson Zah, and John W. Bennett. Participants from Canada, Australia, Sweden, Kenya, and the USSR, as well as from Indian reservations in the United States, will furnish this symposium with a truly international and multi-cultural perspective. For registration or further information, please contact the Center, 1213 Oldfather Hall, University of Nebraska-Lincoln, Lincoln, Nebraska 68588-0134, (402) 472-3082.

The Center will hold its eleventh annual symposium 18-20 March 1987 on "Women's Culture in the Great Plains." Interested scholars are asked to submit proposals by 1 July 1986. For more detailed information, please see Call for Papers, p. 43 of *Great Plains Quarterly* 6:1 (this issue).

FACES AND TYPEFACES

Warren W. Caldwell, professor of anthropology at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln and associate editor of *Great Plains Quarterly* from its inception, is retiring from the University of Nebraska and from his associate editorship. He will continue to serve the *Quarterly* as advisory editor. John G. Peters, professor of political science and associate dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at UNL, has become an associate editor.

You may have noticed that your *Quarterly* looks a bit different. Our long-time typesetter, Jeanne Bishop, resigned in July, and we have taken this opportunity to change our typeface from Aldine Roman to Goudy Oldstyle, the type we had previously used only for headlines. We believe this provides a brighter page, and we hope that you like our new look.

MATCHING THE CHALLENGE GRANT

Last year the Center for Great Plains Studies was awarded a National Endowment for the Humanities challenge grant. We have successfully matched the first year's \$40,000 but we need to raise \$335,000 over the next three years. Will you help build a permanent endowment to support *Great Plains Quarterly* and the Center's other programs into the future? Please send your tax-deductible contribution, payable to the Center for Great Plains Studies, UNL, to the Center, 1213 Oldfather Hall, Lincoln, Nebraska 68588-0314. Thank you.

SOME NOTES FROM CANADA

The Canadian Plains Research Center will fund ten Research Awards for travel in the Canadian plains region. Application deadline is 30 March 1986. The Human Resources Advisory Group of the same Center has issued a call for research proposals relating in some way to the human implications of technological change in the Canadian prairie region. For more information about either award please write the Executive Director, Canadian Plains Research Center, University of Regina, Regina, Saskatchewan, CANADA S4S 0A2.

The Ontario Association for Geographic and Environmental Education has organized a "Field Trip to Western Canada, Summer 1986." The trip will begin in Shoal Lake, Manitoba on 6 July and proceed west, ending in the Crowsnest area of Alberta/British Columbia 24-28 July. For further information, contact Davis C. Edwards, R.R. 2, Gananoque, Ontario, CANADA K7G 2V4 (613) 382-3440 or 382-4741.

TO APPEAR IN NOTES AND NEWS

We will be happy to run short informational announcements dealing with Great Plains studies in our Notes and News section. Please send information to *Great Plains Quarterly*, 1214 Oldfather Hall, Lincoln, Nebraska 68588-0313.