1989 CAMWS NEWSLETTER

Special report to the membership: Professor David Bright, President of CAMWS resigned June 2, 1989 because he accepted the Deanship at Iowa State University and felt that the time demands of the new position would not allow him adequate time to properly carry out his duties for the Association. Professor Michael Gagarin of the University of Texas at Austin, First Vice President, has assumed the office and duties of President of CAMWS. We wish David well in his new position and welcome Michael. The call for papers for the 1990 meeting of CAMWS is included in this mailing.

CAMWS Officers for 1989-1990: President, Michael Gagarin, University of Texas; President-Elect, Kenneth Kitchell, Louisiana State University; First Vice President: to be appointed by the Executive Committee; Secretary-Treasurer, Roy E. Lindahl, Furman University; Immediate Past President, Ward W. Briggs, Jr., University of South Carolina; Editor of The Classical Journal, W. W. de Grummond, Florida State University; Chairman, Finance Committee, Edward Best, University of Georgia; Chairman, Steering Committee on Awards and Scholarships, T. A. Tarkow, University of Missouri; Chairman, Committee on Promotion of Latin, Stanley Iverson, Concordia College; Elected Members of the Executive Committee: 1990, James O. Loyd, Indiana State University; 1991, Brent Froberg, University of South Dakota; 1992, James Franklin, Indiana University; 1993, Jeffrey Buller, Loras College.


1990 MEETING in Columbia, Missouri: Put the dates of April 5-7 on your calendar now and begin planning to attend the 86th annual meeting of CAMWS at the Holiday Inn in Columbia. Please direct all correspondence regarding papers and programs to President Michael Gagarin, Department of Classics, University of Texas, Austin, TX 78712. Please note the deadline for papers contained in the notice for the “Call for Papers.”

HIGHLIGHTS of the 85th Annual Meeting: For the fourth consecutive year more than three hundred persons registered for the Annual Meeting. The Executive Committee is gratified by your support. The number attending the banquet was the
largest in my memory which goes back nearly thirty years. Ward Briggs provided us with a thoughtful review of CAMWS'5 journey since 1905 as background for our future.

The recipients of this year's ovations are: William Napiwocki and Norma Goldman. The Teaching Excellence Award went to Mark Larson of Parham, Minnesota. Summer Study/Travel Awards went to: Richard King for the American Academy in Rome [Grant], Christopher Francese for the American School of Classical Studies in Athens [Semple], Princess Dillard for the Vergilian School. Stewart Awards were made for the first time and went to the following persons for travel to professional meetings or summer study: Donald Hoffman, Bee Johnson, Jay Quirk, Nancy Scott. College Award winners are: Eric Bravo, Thibodeaux, LA (Stephen Lee Pearce); Shehab A. Ebrahim, Metarie, LA (Stephen Lee Pearce); Duncan Elkins, Ann Arbor, MI (Jean Diekoff); Jonathan Glass, Shreveport, LA (Elizabeth Hall); Christopher Howard, Jacksonville, FL (Nancy Allen); Thomas E. Jenkins, Novelty, OH (Henry A. Strater); Johannes Juette, Atlanta, GA (Ken Rau); Matthew Juge, Gretna, LA (Stephen Lee Pearce); Thaddeus Liscwski, Park Ridge, IL (Donald E. Sprague; Jonathan McAllister, Fairfax, VA (Maureen O'Donnell). Alternates are: Thomas McColl, Durham, NC (Edith Keene); Stephen Hosgrove, New Orleans, LA (Stephen Lee Pearce); Mary Ashley McDade, Ridgefield, MS (Patsy Ricks).

The Committee on the Promotion of Latin made its award for outstanding Vice President to Tamara Bauer of Colorado. Stan Iverson reported that the year was very successful with the video "Once It Killed The Romans..." and our various brochures blanketing the United States and Canada. He noted that projects were funded by CPOL in sixteen states and provinces, substantially more than his goal of one-third (11).

This has been another good year for the Association. Our membership is up about 4% to 2012 as of June 30, 1989. Our finances are strong and we are able to support our various scholarship and grant programs with increasing generosity. The membership has responded generously to the request for help in printing and mailing the Association's history completed by Herb Benario; one hundred ten persons have contributed $2630. as of June 30. A list of all those who have contributed will be included in a special fall issue of this Newsletter.

Membership renewals are beginning to come in; your promptness in this matter is greatly appreciated and saves second and third mailings. One small matter which will benefit our financial picture is the prompt notification to this office of changes in your address. The US Postal Service is very erratic in its return of materials sent to you. We loose many copies of CII and have already lost several copies of the History because USPS sends us only the address correction. Your cooperation in this matter will be greatly appreciated.