

Twelfth Meeting of The French Colonial Historical Society · May 7-11 1986

May 7, Wednesday

12:00 Noon-6:00 pm REGISTRATION, Hotel Ste. Genevieve
Hospitality area at bar of Hotel Ste. Genevieve
drinks included in registration fee
Dinner tonight **not** included in registration
All sessions will be held in the Hotel Ste. Genevieve

May 8, Thursday

8:30-9:45 am **Session I**
STE. GENEVIEVE, A NATIONAL CULTURAL RESOURCE
Chair and Moderator: Frank Myers, President of the Foundation for Restoration of Ste. Genevieve
James Zerega, U.S. Corps of Engineers, St. Louis District
"Flood Control for Historic Ste. Genevieve"
Jesse Francis, Southeastern Missouri State University
"French Colonial Construction: The Restoration of the Bequette-Ribault House"

9:45-11:00

Session II
FRANCO-INDIAN RELATIONS
Chair and Commentator: Helen Tanner, Newberry Library
Gary C. Anderson, Texas A & M University
"Le Sueur and the Sioux: A Look at Early Indian Relations in the Far West"
Willard Rollings, Southwestern Missouri State University
"We Want Only Frenchmen Among Us": Osage-Indian Trade in the West"

11:00-12:15

Session III
COLONIAL POLITICS
Chair: Philip Boucher, University of Alabama, Huntsville
Commentator: James Cooke, University of Mississippi
William I. Shorrock, Cleveland State University
"The Italian Connection in the Foreign and Colonial Policies of Pierre Laval"
Dean O'Donnell, Virginia Polytechnic Institute
"Theodore Rouston in the Eastern Mediterranean: 1860-1874"

12:15-1:30

Lunch at Hotel Ste. Genevieve
Barry Ancelet, Louisiana Studies Center
"The Origins of Zarico: Beans, Blues, & Beyond"
Introduced by Bernard K. Schram

1:30-3:00

Session IV
FRENCH WEST AFRICA
Chair and Commentator: Charles Balesi
David Gardinier, Marquette University
"The Brothers of St. Gabriel in Gabon, 1900-1918: The Birth of a New Gabonese Elite"
Chérif Keita, Carlton College
"Perspectives on Local Initiative Taken From Two Malian Novelists"

3:15-4:45

Session V
THE PEOPLE OF THE ILLINOIS COUNTRY
Chair and Commentator: Anton Pregaldin, Alliance française, St. Louis

5:30-7:00

Jacques Mathieu and Renald Lessard, Université Laval
"Peuplement Colonisateur au Pays des Illinois"
Marthé Faribault-Beauregard, Société Généalogique Canadienne-Française
"Marie-Anne Cerré in Kaskaskia"

May 9, Friday

8:30-10:00

Session VI
THE HISTORIAN AND THE MICROCOMPUTER
Chair: Randolph Bolduc
Commentator: Patricia Galloway, Senior Systems Analyst, Mississippi Department of Archives and History
Joint Paper:
George Christakes, Loop College, Chicago
George Kren, Kansas State University

10:15-12:15

Session VII
FRENCH IMPERIALISM IN NORTH AMERICA
Chair: Cornelius Jaenen, University of Ottawa
Commentator: Bernard Kornhaber, Brunswick Corporation
David R. Farrell, University of Guelph
"Reluctant Imperialists: Pontchartrain, Vauban, and the Expansion of New France"
Joe B. Wilkins, Livingston University
"Outpost of Empire: Fort Tombecbe, 1736-1763"
Pascal Maccioni, Conseiller Commercial de France
"The Economics of Empire, 1755-1765"
Peter Moogk, University of British Columbia
"Currency in New France and on the Ile Royale in the Eighteenth Century"

12:15-1:30

Lunch at Hotel Ste. Genevieve
David Buisseret, Newberry Library
"Sources for French Colonial History in the Newberry Library"
Introduced by Charles Balesi

1:30-5:00

Motor Tour of French Illinois
Departure from parking of St. Gemme Beauvais Inn

5:00-6:30

Cocktails at Fort de Chartres
Dinner at restaurant of your choice included in registration
Hotel Ste. Genevieve
Old Brick House
Lucretia

May 10, Saturday

9:00-10:30

Session VIII
CARTOGRAPHY OF THE FRENCH-CANADIAN SEIGNEURIES
Chair: Jean-Yves Dugas, Commission de Toponymie, Quebec
Commentator: David Buisseret, Newberry Library
Serge Courville, Université Laval
"Des Seigneuries vues de haut: la cartographie

10:45-12:15

officielle des seigneuries laurentiennes de 1709-1852"
Claude Boudreau, Université Laval
"Les indices socio-économiques dans les discours cartographiques"

12:15-1:30

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1:30-3:15

Session IX
FRANCOPHONE AFRICAN LITERATURE
Chair and Commentator: Alf Heggoy, University of Georgia
Eloise A. Brière, SUNY Albany
"French Colonial Legacy in West Africa: The Case of Cameroonian Literature"
Ralph Austen, University of Chicago
"Ousmané Sembéné and the African Heroic Literary Tradition and European Genre"

3:30-5:00

Session XI
LOUISIANA LAND PATTERNS
Chair: Ralph Morris, Foundation for Restoration of Ste. Genevieve
Commentator: Margaret K. Brown, Illinois Historic Preservation Agency
Glenn Conrad, Louisiana Studies Center
"Settlement in Lower Louisiana, 1760-1800"
Susan Flader, University of Missouri
"Ste. Genevieve: Old Town and New"
Walter Schroeder, University of Missouri
"A French Settlement in Upper Louisiana"

6:00-7:00

Cocktails at the Guibourd-Vallé House
Courtesy of Foundation for Restoration of Ste. Genevieve

7:30

Banquet at Hotel Ste. Genevieve
F. Terry Norris, Staff Archeologist, U.S. Corps of Engineers
"Material Culture in the French Colonial District of Missouri and Illinois"
Max de Calbiac, Consul General in Chicago
Keynote Address

Philip Boucher, President of the FCHS
Concluding remarks

The FCHS will hold its annual business meeting immediately following the banquet.

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Conference Co-Chairmen: Charles Balesi
Carl J. Ekberg

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