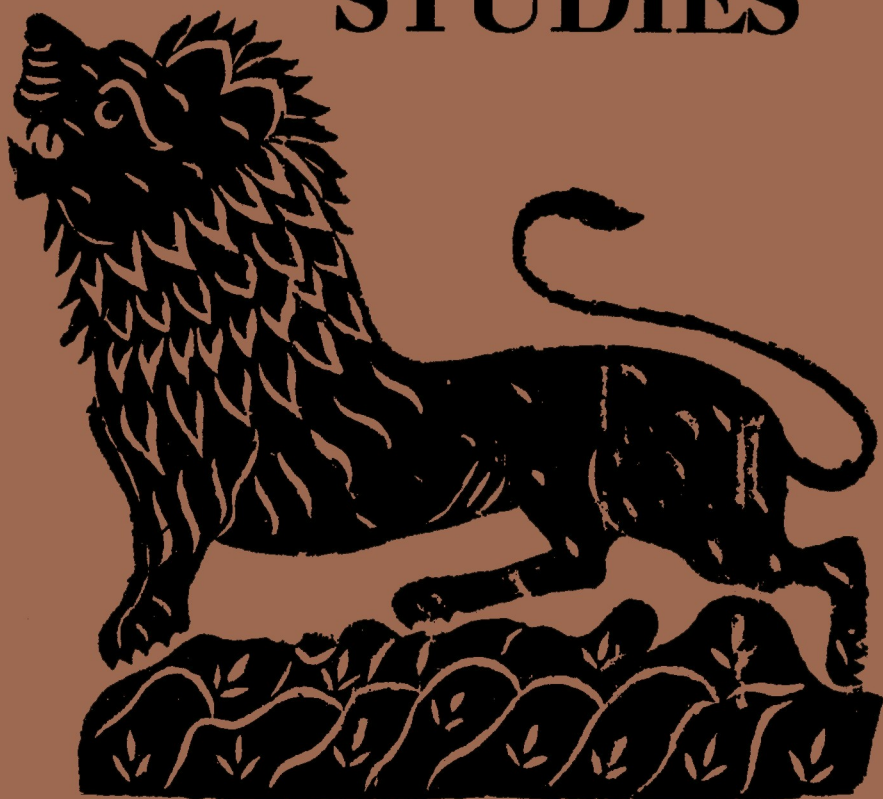


The Journal of
BRITISH
STUDIES



NOVEMBER 1965

VOLUME V

NUMBER 1

Published by

THE CONFERENCE ON BRITISH STUDIES
at Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut

EDITORIAL STAFF

Editor

WILLSON H. COATES
University of Rochester

Managing Editor

GEORGE B. COOPER
Trinity College

Associate Editors

JAMES L. GODFREY
University of North Carolina

MAURICE D. LEE, JR.
University of Illinois

J. JEAN HECHT
Kew Gardens, New York

SAMUEL C. McCULLOCH
University of California, Irvine

Assistant Editor

ANNE S. YOUNG

Business Manager

CAROLE M. LAWSON

BOARD OF ADVISERS

DONALD G. BARNES
Western Reserve University

J. H. HEXTER
Yale University

CHARLES F. MULLETT
University of Missouri

WILLIAM H. DUNHAM
Yale University

ALBERT H. IMLAH
Tufts University

ROBERT L. SCHUYLER
Columbia University

HOLDEN FURBER
University of Pennsylvania

WILBUR K. JORDAN
Harvard University

SYLVIA THRUPP
University of Michigan

LAWRENCE H. GIPSON
Lehigh University

A. R. M. LOWER
Queen's University

LOUIS B. WRIGHT
Folger Shakespeare Library

CONFERENCE ON BRITISH STUDIES

President

DONALD GROVE BARNES
Western Reserve University

Recording Secretary

ROBERT VOITILE
University of North Carolina

Executive Secretary

RUTH EMERY
Rutgers University

Treasurer

HAROLD HULME
New York University

Executive Committee

HOLDEN FURBER
University of Pennsylvania

WILBUR K. JORDAN
Harvard University

JOHN S. GALBRAITH
University of California

HELEN TAFT MANNING
Bryn Mawr College

LAWRENCE H. GIPSON
Lehigh University

WALLACE NOTESTEIN
Yale University

WILLIAM HALLER
Folger Shakespeare Library

ROBERT L. SCHUYLER
Columbia University

J. JEAN HECHT
Kew Gardens, New York

WILLIAM B. WILLCOX
University of Michigan

JEAN S. WILSON
Smith College

Annual subscription \$5.00 (two issues, November and May).

Checks should be made payable to the *Journal of British Studies* and directed to British Studies, Box 1315, Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut 06106.

Correspondence concerning manuscripts should be addressed to the Editor, Willson H. Coates, Department of History, University of Rochester, Rochester, New York 14627.

The lion on the cover is the work of an anonymous craftsman in the bazaars of Lucknow, India, who carved it as a fabric-printing block. The motif was selected and adapted for the use of the *Journal of British Studies* by Hilda Altschule.

The Journal of BRITISH STUDIES

Volume V

Number 1

November 1965

CONTENTS

<i>Author</i>	<i>Title</i>	<i>Page</i>
FREDRIC CHEYETTE	Some Notations on Mr. Hollister's "Irony"	1
C. WARREN HOLLISTER	Reflections on the Unicorn's Head	15
LELAND MILES	Persecution and the <i>Dialogue of Comfort</i> : a Fresh Look at the Charges against Thomas More	19
LOTTE GLOW	The Manipulation of Committees in the Long Parliament, 1641-1642	31
JOHN F. H. NEW	Cromwell and the Paradoxes of Puritanism	53
IAN R. CHRISTIE	Was There a "New Toryism" in the Earlier Part of George III's Reign?	60
NANCY G. CASSELS	Bentinck: Humanitarian and Imperialist — the Abolition of Suttee	77
HELEN TAFT MANNING	Who Ran the British Empire — 1830-1850?	88
STANLEY R. STEMBRIDGE	Disraeli and the Millstones	122
RICHARD W. LYMAN	The British Labour Party: the Conflict between Socialist Ideals and Practical Politics between the Wars....	140
	Correspondence	153

Copyright 1965 by the Conference on British Studies at Trinity College, Hartford, Connecticut. Printed in the U.S.A. at the Bond Press, Inc., Hartford, Connecticut.

CONTRIBUTORS TO THIS ISSUE

Nancy G. Cassels has taught at the University of Michigan and is pursuing researches on the evolution of Indian nationalism.

Fredric L. Cheyette, who is Assistant Professor of History at Amherst College, has published a number of articles on medieval history and is currently at work on a study of the administration of justice under the last Capetians.

Ian R. Christie, Reader in Modern History at University College, London, is the author of *The End of North's Ministry, 1780-1782* and of *Wilkes, Wycill and Reform*. In 1964 he was appointed Joint Literary Director of the Royal Historical Society.

Lotte Glow is Lecturer in History at Adelaide University and has published a number of articles on the Long Parliament.

C. Warren Hollister, Professor of History at the University of California, Santa Barbara, is the author of *Anglo-Saxon Military Institutions*, of *The Military Organization of Norman England*, and of articles in the *Journal of British Studies*. At present he is in England on Fulbright and Guggenheim Fellowships and holds a Visiting Research Fellowship at Merton College, Oxford.

Richard W. Lyman is Professor of History and Associate Dean of Humanities and Sciences, Stanford University. He is the author of *The First Labour Government, 1924* and the editor of *Major Crises in Western Civilization*. He has previously published an article in the *Journal of British Studies*.

Helen Taft Manning, Professor Emeritus of History at Bryn Mawr College, has just completed her term as President of the Conference on British Studies. Her scholarly works include *British Colonial Government after the American Revolution, 1782-1820* and *Revolt of French Canada, 1800-1835*. She will soon be publishing a book on the third Earl Grey and colonial reform.

Leland Miles, Dean of the College of Arts and Sciences at the University of Bridgeport, is the author of *John Colet and the Platonic Tradition* and has edited St. Thomas More's *Dialogue of Comfort against Tribulation*, just printed. He is co-editor of the new studies in British history and culture to be published jointly by the University of Bridgeport and the Conference on British Studies.

John F. H. New is Assistant Professor of History at the University of California, Santa Barbara. He is the author of *Anglican and Puritan* and of a number of articles.

Stanley R. Stembridge, Associate Professor of History at Northeastern University, is presently finishing a book on British attitudes toward empire in the mid-Victorian period.