

NEW ENGLAND

CONFERENCE ON BRITISH STUDIES

THE NINETEENTH MEETING

at

HOLY CROSS COLLEGE

Worcester, Massachusetts

8 April 1989

PROGRAM

- 9:15-10:15 Registration, Coffee, and donuts Hogan 519
- 10:15-12:15
- Session I: Voyaging and Colonizing in Early Stuart England Hogan 519  
Chair: Ross W. Beales, Jr., Holy Cross College
- "Christopher Levett and the Promotion of New England Colonization"  
Roger Howell, Jr., Bowdoin College
- "The Early English Settlers of Maine"  
Emerson W. Baker, II, York Institute Museum - Dyer Library
- Session II: Perspectives on the Third Earl of Bute Hogan 410-412  
Chair: James L. McKelvey, University of Connecticut
- "The Origins of the Gossip about Princess Augusta and Lord Bute"  
John L. Bullion, University of Missouri - Columbia
- "English Xenophobia in the Eighteenth Century: The Case of Lord Bute"  
Karl W. Schweizer, Bishop's University, Quebec
- Comments: Robin F.A. Fabel, Auburn University
- 12:15-1:00 Cash Bar Hogan 403
- 1:00-2:00 Luncheon Hogan 403
- 2:00-2:30 Business Meeting Hogan 519

2:30-4:30

Session I: Truth, Falsehood, and Yarn-Spinning in the Middle Ages Hogan 410  
Chair: Fred A. Cazal, Jr., University of Connecticut

"Beowulf and the Oral Tradition"  
John H. Wilson, Holy Cross College

"Lying Witnesses and Social Reality: Marriage Law in the  
High Middle Ages"  
Charles Donahue, Harvard University

"Fraud and Its Consequences: A Revisionist's View of  
Glastonbury Abbey"  
Charles T. Wood, Dartmouth College

Session II: The Great War Hogan 519  
Chair: Paul R. Ziegler, Assumption College

"The Making of the Modern Wife: State Aid to Soldiers' Wives  
During the Great War"  
Susan Pedersen, Harvard University

"Everyday Life, the Local State, and the Great War:  
The London County Council and Perceptions of Class"  
Susan Pennybacker, Trinity College, Hartford