

Editor's Notes

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¶ The Centre for Peace Studies at McMaster presented its 1999 Centre for Bertrand Russell Peace Lectures on 1-2 February, the 13th year of this notable series. Janice Gross Stein was the speaker, "Facing Global Crises" the topic. She first lectured on "The Middle East and the Millennium"; secondly on "Loyalty, Voice and Exit", on NGO's.

¶ All these are new since the last issue: Jan Dejnozka, *Bertrand Russell on Modality and Logical Relevance* (Aldershot, Hamps., and Brookfield, Vt.: Ashgate Publishing, 1999); Guillermo Hurtado, *Proposiciones russellianas* (Mexico City: UNAM, 1999); Charles Pigden, ed., *Russell on Ethics* (London and New York: Routledge, 1999); Chi-chun Hu, *Bertrand Russell: Life and Philosophy* (Taipei: Laureate Book Co., 1998; in Chinese); Gregory Landini, *Russell's Hidden Substitutional Theory* (London and New York: Oxford U. P., 1999); Claudio de Almeida, *Russell on the Foundations of Logic* (Porto Alegre, Brazil: EDIPUCRS, 1998); Katharine Tait, *Carn Voel: My Mother's House* (Newmill, Cornwall: Patten P., 1998); and largest of all, Andrew

Irvine, ed., *Bertrand Russell: Critical Assessments*, 4 vols. (London and New York: Routledge, 1999). Six more books are known to be in press for 1999.

Back Issues & Feature Articles Site ¶ Russell's publisher, McMaster University Press, has a website with a complete list of contents of *Russell's* back issues. Original prices still apply. Visit the site at <http://bookstore.services.mcmaster.ca/mupress/journals/russell/journal.htm>, where you will find feature articles from recent issues of *Russell*.

BRACERS ¶ The total number of records in the BRACERS inventory of correspondence remained at 64,212 in February 1999, with one third to go. BRACERS proved invaluable in providing complete, annotated printouts of Russell's correspondence relating to volumes of the *Collected Papers* in the past year.

Anton Felton Papers ¶ In this issue you'll see the finding-aid for the papers of Russell's literary agent, Anton Felton. He employed me in 1966–68. It's a strange feeling not only to see old files one worked on at the beginning of curating Russell but also to be lending a hand to archiving the papers of one's previous employer. Felton's papers are very fertile for the history of BRA and Russell's last publications, and are the richest known source generally for Russell's last years. The papers also throw light on various negotiations with McMaster over many years. Those negotiations were not without difficulty. Thus it was gratifying to find that, upon his visit last year, Mr. Felton had commented in the Visitor's Book: "Bertrand Russell's Archives could not have found a better place. Thank you."

Collected Papers ¶ The published volumes still total sixteen, including the three-volume *Bibliography*. All are listed on pages 191–2 among other popular works in Russell Studies. There are an equal number to go. Vol. 15 is almost completed. A new in-house aid created by the Russell Project is a cumulative Bibliographical Index; it may be consulted.

"Russell-I" & the Internet ¶ Russell-I is a world-wide electronic discussion and information forum for Russell Studies. To subscribe, send this message by e-mail to listproc@mcmaster.ca saying "subscribe russell-I" and followed by your name on the same line. The Russell Archives' home page is at www.mcmaster.ca/russdocs/russell.htm.

Visitors and Researchers ¶ Stefan Andersson, Anton Felton, Richard G. Tyson, Catherine A. Gucciandi *et al.*, Clara T. Sakai, John Nichols, John A. Blum, M. A. Finocchiaro, Beryl Haslam, E. M. Bodnar, Gregory Moore, Andrew Bone, Diana Froc, E. A. Wilson, E. Ilna, David Blitz, A. J. Shaw, Alison Miculan, Nick Griffin, K. G. Tcholakian, Chris Pincock, Tim Horton, Richard Rempel, K. D. Otter, I. Grattan-Guinness, and J. M. Breslin recently visited or researched in the Russell Archives.
