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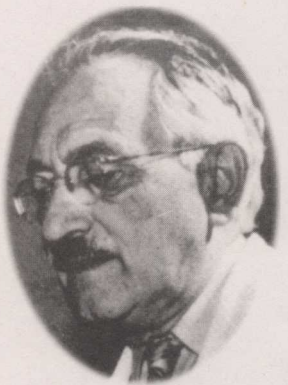
72nd Annual Meeting
May 6-9, 1999
New Brunswick, New Jersey



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GENERAL INFORMATION

Conference Location

All sessions, breakfasts, luncheons, the opening reception, and the annual banquet will be held at the Hyatt Regency Hotel. The Garrison Lecture will be delivered in the Main Auditorium at the Robert Wood Johnson Medical School campus in Piscataway, and the ensuing reception will be in the adjacent Great Hall. Bus transportation from the Hyatt Regency to the campus of the Medical School will be provided. An exhibition—"A State of Health: New Jersey's Medical Heritage"—will be formally opened on Saturday, May 8, from 4:00 P.M.—6:00 P.M. The exhibition is housed at the Alexander Library of Rutgers University. Bus transportation to the library will be available on Saturday between 4:00 P.M.—6:00 P.M.

Conference Accommodations

Hyatt Regency Hotel
Two Albany Street
New Brunswick, New Jersey 08901
732/873-1234
Fax: 732/873-1382

A hotel registration form and travel information are included in the preregistration mailing. Check-out time is noon.

Free parking is available at the hotel for registered guests.

Hotel map on pages 24–25.

Preregistration (must be postmarked no later than April 15)

Mail to:

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AAHM Conference Registration

Hyatt Regency Hotel
Regency Prefunction Area

Thursday, May 6	10:00 A.M.—7:00 P.M.
Friday, May 7	7:30 A.M.—5:00 P.M.
Saturday, May 8	9:00 A.M.—3:00 P.M.

A complete packet of materials for each full registrant, including name badge and appropriate tickets, will be available at the Registration Desk at the Hyatt Regency.

Book Exhibit

Conference Room B/C

Friday, May 7, 10:00 A.M.—5:00 P.M.
Saturday, May 8, 9:00 A.M.—5:00 P.M.

Admittance

Only registered participants wearing name badges will be admitted to the AAHM sessions, receptions, and the Book Exhibit. No exceptions.

Tickets are required for luncheon sessions and the Annual Banquet.

Ellis Island Tour

Thursday, May 6, 9:00 A.M.—4:00 P.M.

A full day tour of the Ellis Island Museum and the abandoned hospital facilities under the guidance of the National Parks, sponsored by the Medical History Society of New Jersey and the AAHM. Subscription (\$40) covers bus/ferry transportation from Hyatt Regency and lunch. Send check (payable to Medical History Society of New Jersey) to Dr. Allen B. Weisse, 164 Hillside Avenue, Springfield, New Jersey 07081).

ASSOCIATED MEETINGS

Archivists and Librarians in the History of the Health Sciences

May 6 (see page 43)

American Institute of the History of Pharmacy

May 6 (see page 43)

American Veterinary History Society

May 6 (see page 44)

American Academy of the History of Dentistry

May 6 (see page 45)

Sigerist Circle

May 6 (see page 45)

New York Academy of Medicine & Section on History and Philosophy of Science of the New York Academy of Sciences

May 10 (see page 46)

THURSDAY, MAY 6, 1999

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION FOR THE HISTORY OF MEDICINE

10:00 A.M.—7:00 P.M.

Registration/Information

Regency Prefunction Area

4:30 P.M.—6:30 P.M.

AAHM Council Meeting

Regency C

7:00 P.M.—9:00 P.M.

AAHM Opening Reception

Regency D, E, F

8:30 P.M.—10:30 P.M.

AAHM Council Meeting

Regency C

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1999

7:30 A.M.—5:00 P.M.

Registration/Information

Regency Prefunction Area

7:00—8:15 A.M.

President's Breakfast for New Members

Garden State B

7:15—8:30 A.M.

**Editorial Board, Bulletin of the History
of Medicine Breakfast**

Garden State C

7:00—8:30 A.M.

Continental Breakfast

Regency Prefunction Area

Session 1

8:30—10:00 A.M.

Plenary Session

Regency A, B, C

8:30—8:50 A.M.

Chair: TODD L. SAVITT

Welcomes

Gerald N. Grob

Local Arrangements

Joseph Seneca

Vice President for Academic Affairs,
Rutgers, The State University of New Jersey

Harold Paz

Dean, Robert Wood Johnson
Medical School, UMDNJ

Elizabeth Fee

Program Committee

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1999

**Creating the Self: Anatomy and
Endocrinology**

8:50 A.M. "Anatomizing the 'Humane'

Subject: Anatomy, Humanitarianism and
the Universal Human in Nineteenth-Century
Medical Discourse"

MICHAEL SAPPOL

9:25 A.M. "Creating and Regulating the

Hormonal Self in Postwar American Culture"

DAVID HARLEY SERLIN

REFRESHMENT BREAK

Regency Prefunction Area

10:00—10:30 A.M.

FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS

10:30 A.M.—12:00 NOON

Session 2

Anatomical Constructions

Regency D

Chair: MARY E. FISSELL

10:30 A.M. "The Visible and the True: Anatomy,
Objectivity and Sexual Difference
in William Hunter's Obstetrical Atlas"

MARINA BOLLINGER

11:00 A.M. "Arguing About Ovaries in the
Eighteenth Century"

ESTELLE COHEN

11:30 A.M. "Popular Anatomical Museums
in Nineteenth-Century London and the
Democratization of Medical Knowledge"

M. RENE BURMEISTER

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1999

Luncheon Session C

Regency C

"A Decade of AIDS History: Whence and Whither for the AIDS History Group?"

**Chair: VICTORIA HARDEN and
CAROLINE HANNAWAY**

Panel: Victoria Harden
Caroline Hannaway
William Helfand
Gunter B. Risse

Luncheon Session D

Garden State A

"Medicine in New Jersey – An Historical View"

Chair: ALLEN B. WEISSE

Panel: Allen B. Weisse
Donald F. Kent

FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS

2:00–4:00 P.M.

Session 6

Medical Women

Regency D

Chair: REGINA MORANTZ-SANCHEZ

2:00 P.M. "Four Middle-aged Matrons with M.D.'s: The First Graduating Class of the New England Female Medical College, 1854"
MARTHA GARDNER

2:30 P.M. "Kadambini Ganguli (1861–1923): Pioneer Woman Physician and Activist"
RANES C. CHAKRAVORTY

3:00 P.M. "The Formation of the Women's Medical Service and the Structure of Allopathic Medical Provision in Colonial India"
MANEESHA LAL

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3:30 P.M. "Women and the Survival of Homeopathy as a Twentieth Century Medical Alternative, 1921–1930"

ANNE TAYLOR KIRSCHMANN

Session 7

Malaria and the Movies

Regency E

Chair: MARY J. DOBSON

2:00 P.M. "Rolling Back Malaria on Film"

MAUREEN MALOWANY
MARGARET HUMPHREYS
HELEN POWER
ULF SCHMIDT

Session 8

Disease and Stigma

Regency F

Chair: ALAN M. KRAUT

2:00 P.M. "The Foul Disease and Privacy: An Examination of Disease Stigma in Early Modern London"
KEVIN P. SIENA

2:30 P.M. "Sanatorium Treatment, Chest Surgery, and the Stigma of Tuberculosis: Patient Experience in Britain and Germany During the Early Twentieth Century in the United States and Germany"
FLURIN CONDRAU

3:00 P.M. "Public Policy and the AIDS Stigma in Zimbabwe"
SAMUEL H. NELSON

3:30 P.M. "From Changelings to Extraterrestrials: Stigmatizing Metaphors and the 'Otherness' of Autistic Behavior"
WILLIAM R. ALBURY

FRIDAY, MAY 7, 1999

Session 9

The Medical Profession, Law, and Ethics

Garden State A

Chair: BARRON LERNER

2:00 P.M. "Medicine and the Law in Late Imperial China"

YUAN-LING CHAO

2:30 P.M. "Ethics Versus Science: The Impact of 1880s Anti-Ethics Insurrection on the American Medical Profession"

ROBERT BAKER

3:00 P.M. "Facing Carrie Buck: An Expert Witness in the Age of Eugenics"

PAUL A. LOMBARDO

4:20 P.M. Buses leave for the Garrison Lecture from the parking lot entrance of the Hyatt Regency Hotel to the Robert Wood Johnson School of Medicine, Piscataway, New Jersey.

5:15–6:15 P.M.

FIELDING H. GARRISON LECTURE

Main Auditorium, Robert Wood Johnson Medical School

STANLEY W. JACKSON, Presiding

World Portraiture and Medical Identity

LUDMILLA JORDANOVA

RECEPTION

Great Hall, Robert Wood Johnson

Medical School

6:30–8:30 P.M.

Shuttle buses will be available for the return trip to the hotel until 9:00 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1999

9:00 A.M.–3:00 P.M.

Registration/Information

Regency Prefunction Area

7:00–8:15 A.M.

Clinician Historian's Breakfast

Conference Room A

7:00–8:30 A.M.

Continental Breakfast

Regency Prefunction Area

FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS

8:30–10:00 A.M.

Session 10

Gender and Power

Regency D

Chair: JANE ELIOT SEWELL

8:30 A.M. "Unlimited Mothering": Rooming-in and Post-war Culture"

ELIZABETH TEMKIN

9:00 A.M. "Condemned With Care: International Reproductive Medical Aid for Working Class Women: Santiago De Chile, 1954–1970"

VICKI WEINBERG

9:30 A.M. "Exercising Caution: American Concerns about the Effect of Physical Activity on Women's Reproductive Health, 1945–1995"

MARTHA H. VERBRUGGE

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1999

Session 11
Communities of Patients
Regency E
Chair: DOUGLAS WEED

8:30 A.M. "Renaming the Leper: Patient Activism at the U.S. National Leprosarium"
MICHELLE T. MORAN

9:00 A.M. "One Pint, One Life: The Development of Blood Donor Communities in New York City, 1941-1945"
AMY GANGLOFF

9:30 A.M. "Chorea and Community in East Hampton, New York: Investigating the Social and Cultural History of a Genetic Disease"
ALICE WEXLER

Session 12
Eugenics
Regency F
Chair: MARTIN PERNICK

8:30 A.M. "Creating the Ideal State: Eugenacists and the Making of Modern California, 1910-1950"
ALEXANDRA STERN

9:00 A.M. "Dark Practices in the North: The Ideology Behind Alberta's Eugenics Practices"
JUDITH SIMONSEN

9:30 A.M. "Producing 'Antipropaganda': Dr. Abraham Myerson's Campaign against Eugenics"
LEILA ZENDERLAND

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1999

Session 13
Surgery
Garden State A
Chair: SHERWIN NULAND

8:30 A.M. "The Paradox of Early Modern Breast Cancer Surgery, 1500-1850"
MAARTEN ULTEE

9:00 A.M. "Dr. Gunning S. Bedford: The Problems and Promise of Surgical Intervention in Childbirth Emergencies, 1806-1870"
JOSEPH G. RYAN

9:30 A.M. "Saving Blue Babies: The Glory of Early Heart Surgery in North America, 1838-1952"
SHELLEY MCKELLAR

REFRESHMENT BREAK
Regency Prefunction Area
10:00-10:30 A.M.

FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS
10:30 A.M.-12:00 NOON

Session 14
Medicine, Mining, and Company Towns
Regency D
Chair: PATRICIA EVRIDGE HILL

10:30 A.M. "Public Health and Private Medicine on the Iron Range, 1890-1930"
JENNIFER GUNN

11:00 A.M. "Gender and the Company Doctor in Central Appalachia, 1890-1930"
SANDRA BARNEY

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11:30 A.M. "A Plague of Cats: The Ecology of African Mining Company Hospitals, 1940-1974"

LYN SCHUMAKER

Session 15

Psychiatry in Argentina

Regency E

Chair: MARIANO PLOTKIN

10:30 A.M. "Sexual Aberration, Degeneration and Psychiatry in the Late Nineteenth-Century Buenos Aires"

KRISTIN RUGGIERO

11:00 A.M. "The Argentine Hysteric: A Psychiatric Type, 1900-1914"

JULIA E. RODRIGUEZ

11:30 A.M. "Pathways to the Asylum: Commitment to Public Psychiatric Hospitals in Buenos Aires, 1900-1945"

JONATHAN DAVID ABLARD

Session 16

Nurses at Work

Regency F

Chair: KAREN BUHLER-WILKERSON

10:30 A.M. "'Nurturing Incarceration': The Tuberculosis Preventorium Movement, 1909-1935"

CINDY CONNOLLY

11:00 A.M. "Separate and Unequal: The Chicago Practical Nurse Private Duty Registry, 1950-1965"

JEAN C. WHELAN

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11:30 A.M. "War in the Vietnam Era Military Nurse Recruitment Advertisements"

SUSANNA TAIPALE

Session 17

Dead Bodies

Garden State A

Chair: SUSAN E. LEDERER

10:30 A.M. "Necrologues: Classifying Death in the Enlightenment"

ANDREA RUSNOCK

11:00 A.M. "'Animal Matter' or Human Form? Contested Meanings of the Dead Body in Nineteenth-Century America"

KAREN FLOOD

11:30 A.M. "'Lebanon Cemetery Almost Empty!': Re-assessing Pennsylvania's 1883 Anatomy Act"

ERIN MCLEARY

LUNCHEON SESSIONS

12:15 NOON-2:00 P.M.

Luncheon Session A

Brunswick AD

"What's a Doctor? How William Osler Practised Medicine"

Chair: SANDRA W. MOSS

Speaker: Michael Bliss

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Luncheon Session B

Regency B

"Exploring the Promise of the Web for
Teaching the History of Medicine"

Chair: JANET TIGHE

Panel: Jennifer Gunn
Nathan Ensmenger
Kathleen Jones
Elizabeth Toon

Luncheon Session C

Regency C

"Primary Resources in the Development of
Health Policy"

Chair: JOAN ECHTENKAMP KLEIN

Panel: Jodi Koste
Susan E. Lederer
Suzanne White Junod

FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS

2:30–4:00 P.M.

Session 18

Public Health in the Colonies

Regency D

Chair: JONATHAN H. SADOWSKY

2:30 P.M. "Clearing the Way for Better Growth?
Colonists' Responses to Indian Depopulation in
New England, 1616–1636"
DAVID S. JONES

3:00 P.M. "Beyond the Panama Canal Miracle:
U.S. Public Health and the Struggle Against
Tuberculosis in the Canal Zone Region,
1904–1946"
DAVID MCBRIDE

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3:30 P.M. "Secrets and Smallpox: Smallpox on
the Kimberley Diamonds Fields in the 1880s"
RUSSEL S. VILJOEN

Session 19

Mothers and Children

Regency E

Chair: JANET L. GOLDEN

2:30 P.M. "Colonizing the Breast: Medical Dis-
course and the Late Eighteenth-Century Debate
on Wet-Nursing"
DANIELLE E. CONGER

3:00 P.M. "Institutionalizing Feeble-minded Chil-
dren: Turn-of-the-Century Conflicts between
Charity Workers and Mothers"
EMILY K. ABEL

3:30 P.M. "'Parentectomy' and Environment:
Mind and Body in the Treatment of Pediatric
Asthma Patients, 1930–1965"
CARLA KEIRNS

Session 20

Aspects of Biomedical Research

Regency F

Chair: VICTORIA A. HARDEN

2:30 P.M. "A Forgotten Heritage: VA Research
before WWII"
MARGUERITE T. HAYS

3:00 P.M. "The Emergence of Multiple Sclerosis
as a Research Priority and a Popular Crusade in
the United States, 1946–1960"
COLIN TALLEY

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3:30 P.M. "A New Calculus of Suffering:
The Measurement of Clinical Pain"
MARCIA L. MELDRUM

Session 21

Health and Medicine in Popular Culture
Garden State A
Chair: BERT HANSEN

2:30 P.M. "Programming Behavior: Radio
Health Education in the 1920s and 1930s"
ELIZABETH TOON

3:00 P.M. "In Behalf of the Medical Profes-
sion': Pharmaceutical Advertising and the Pop-
ularization of Modern Medicine, 1928-1938"
JEREMY GREENE

3:30 P.M. "Baring the Sole: The Rise and Fall of
the Shoe-fitting Fluroscope"
JACALYN DUFFIN AND CHARLES
HAYTER

REFRESHMENT BREAK

Regency Prefunction Area
4:00-4:30 P.M.

SATURDAY, MAY 8, 1999

4:00-6:00 P.M.

**A STATE OF HEALTH: NEW JERSEY'S
MEDICAL HERITAGE**

EXHIBITION OPENING
KAREN M. REEDS, CURATOR
ALEXANDER LIBRARY,
RUTGERS UNIVERSITY

Bus transportation to and from the Alexander
Library of Rutgers University will be available
from the parking lot entrance of the Hyatt
Regency Hotel 4:00-6:00 P.M. The Library,
located on College Avenue, is a six block walk
from the hotel.

4:30-5:30 P.M.

AAHM BUSINESS MEETING
Regency F

RECEPTION

Brunswick Prefunction Area
6:15-7:15 P.M.

BANQUET AND ANNUAL AWARDS
Brunswick Ballroom
7:30 P.M.

SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1999

7:00–8:30 A.M.

Continental Breakfast

Regency Prefunction Area

8:30–10:00 A.M.

Postmortem Breakfast

Douglass/Kilmer

FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS

8:30–10:00 A.M.

Session 22

Defining New Twentieth Century Diseases

Garden State A

Chair: HOWARD KUSHNER

8:30 A.M. "When the Skeleton...Outlives the Ovaries: The Construction of Osteoporosis"

ELAINE S. BERMAN

9:00 A.M. "Risks of a 'Normal' Life: Treating Hemophilia Before and After the AIDS Era"

STEPHEN G. PEMBERTON

9:30 A.M. "Creating a New Public Health Category: Federal Genetic Disease Legislation, 1971–1980"

AMY ENGLAND-BERRY

Session 23

Popular Medicine

Garden State B

Chair: JOHN PARASCANDOLA

8:30 A.M. "Development of Gout as a Metaphor in Social Criticism"

THOMAS G. BENEDEK

SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1999

9:00 A.M. "That Amiable Science: American Medical Botany, 1787–1910"

MICHAEL A. FLANNERY

9:30 A.M. "'Swat the Fly': Samuel J. Crumbine, Public Health, and Vector Theories of Disease in Early Twentieth-Century America"

K. ALLEN GREINER

Session 24

Taking French Waters

Garden State C

Chair: MATTHEW RAMSEY

8:30 A.M. "Spas and Mineral Waters in Twentieth-Century France"

GEORGE WEISZ

9:00 A.M. "'Seeing is Believing?' The Form and Substance of French Medical Debates over Lourdes"

JASON SZABO

9:30 A.M. "Curing the Colonizers: French Colonial Hydrotherapy in Guadeloupe, 1860–1960"

ERIC T. JENNINGS

Session 25

Dealing with Women's Health

Conference Room A

Chair: ARLEEN TUCHMAN

8:30 A.M. "Pushing the Boundaries: Female Cancer Awareness Programs in the 1950s"

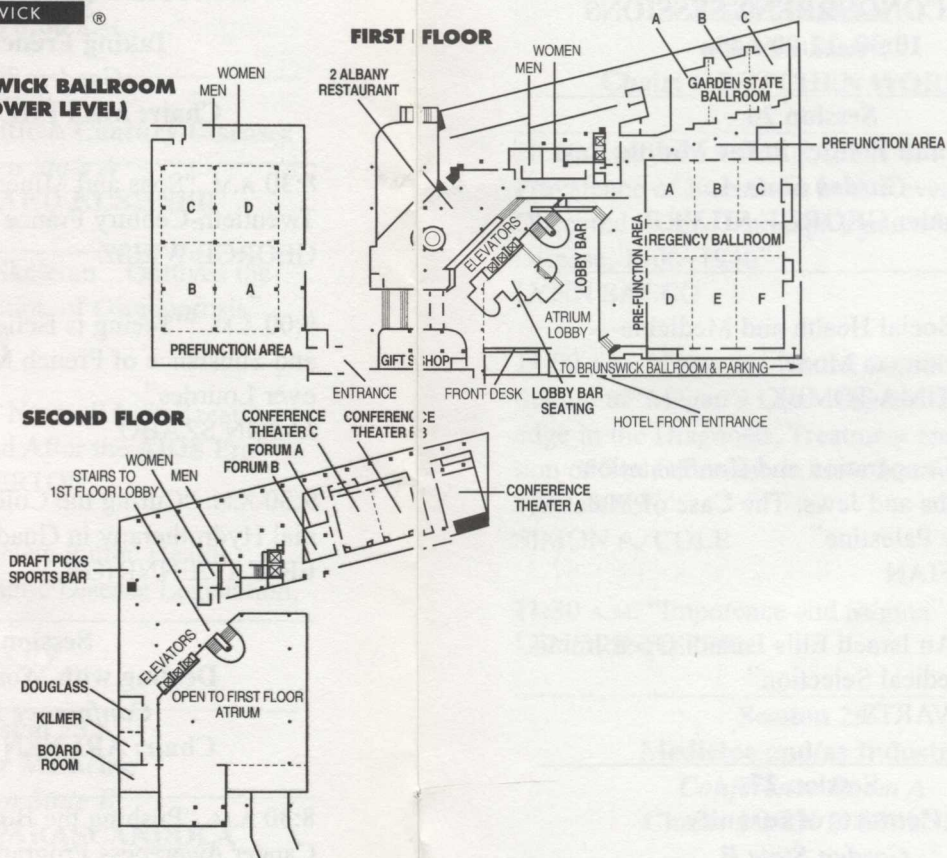
KIRSTEN GARDNER

9:00 A.M. "Facing Off: Dermatologists, Cosmetologists and the Skin of America's Women"

GWEN KAY

BANQUET AND MEETING FACILITIES

**BRUNSWICK BALLROOM
(LOWER LEVEL)**



SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1999

9:30 A.M. "What Do These Women Want?"
Women, Feminism, and Menopause,
1963-1980"

JUDITH A. HOUCK

REFRESHMENT BREAK

Regency Prefunction Area

10:00-10:30 A.M.

FOUR CONCURRENT SESSIONS

10:30-12:00 noon

Session 26

Medicine and Politics in the Middle East

Garden State A

Chair: GEORGE SILVER

10:30 A.M. "Social Health and Medicine—
Seljuk and Ottoman Model"
SELJUK FATIMA TOMEK

11:00 A.M. "Cooperation and Confrontation
Between Arabs and Jews: The Case of Malaria
in Mandatory Palestine"
SANDY SUFIAN

11:30 A.M. "An Israeli Ellis Island: Open Immi-
gration or Medical Selection"
SHIFRA SHVARTS

Session 27

Contexts of Insanity

Garden State B

Chair: BENJAMIN HARRIS

10:30 A.M. "Psychiatry and Medical Culture in
Early Connecticut"
LAWRENCE B. GOODHEART

SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1999

11:00 A.M. "'Savage Indignation': Gendering
the Irish Asylum in the Nineteenth Century"
OONAGH WALSH

11:30 A.M. "Patients at Work: Insane Asylum
Inmates' Labour in Ontario, 1841-1900"
GEOFFREY REAUME

Session 28

Sex Problems

Garden State C

Chair: GRETCHEN WORDEN

10:30 A.M. "Not Talking About 'It': How the
Prevalence of Incest was both Revealed and
Obscured in the Campaign against Venereal
Disease, 1900-1940"
LYNN SACCO

11:00 A.M. "From the Sexual Psychopath
Statute to 'Megan's Law': Psychiatric Knowl-
edge in the Diagnosis, Treatment and Adjudica-
tion of Sex Offenders in New Jersey,
1949-1999"
SIMON A. COLE

11:30 A.M. "Impotence and Stigma"
LENORE TIEFER

Session 29

Medicine and/as Industry

Conference Room A

Chair: JOHN P. SWANN

10:30 A.M. "A New Look at the Committee on
the Costs of Medical Care"
JOHATHAN W. ENGEL

SUNDAY, MAY 9, 1999

11:00 A.M. "Side Effects and Professional Authority in the United States and Germany"
ARTHUR DAEMMRICH

11:30 A.M. "The History of the First Basic DNA Cloning Patents: A Factor in the Development of the Biotechnology Industry"
SALLY SMITH HUGHES

1999 AAHM PARTICIPANTS

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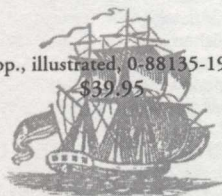
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