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CANADA'S VISUAL HISTORY/HISTOIRE DU CANADA EN IMAGES

Mr W. E. Taylor, Jr., Director of the National Museum of Man in Ottawa, has recently acquainted us with the series produced by the National Museums on visual history. The series, composed of colour slides (30 to each set) and a bilingual guide to the slides. While oriented to the school and college market, they may be of some use to university teachers of Canadian science and technology who have so little visual material for classroom illustration.

Most of the titles deal with general Canadian history, but several newer titles have some bearing upon science and technology. Those already published are:

Terence Brennan, "Lumbering in the Ottawa Valley/
Exploitation forestière dans la vallée de l'outaouais"
Vol. 4

E.J. Devereux, "Printing in Canada/L'Imprimerie au
Canada" Vol. 42.

Kenneth C. Dewar, "The Early Development of Hydro-
electricity in Ontario/Les débuts de l'hydro-
électricité en Ontario" Vol. 31.

D. A. Muise, "Shipping and Shipbuilding in the Maritime
Provinces in the 19th Century/Le transport maritime
et la construction navale dans les provinces de
l'Atlantique au XIX^e siècle" Vol. 9.

Gerald Tulchinsky, "Transportation Changes in the
St. Lawrence-Great Lakes Region 1828-1880/
Evolution des moyens de transport dans la région
du Saint-Laurent et des Grands Lacs (1828-1880)"
Vol. 11.

In addition, forthcoming titles of interest include:

B. Arnott, "The Early Oil Industry"
Norman Ball, "Agricultural Technology in Nineteenth-
century Ontario"
Terence Brennan, "Lumbering in British Columbia"
Ken Molson, "Northern Canada Development by Air"
D.A. Muise, "Coal Mining in Cape Breton"
David Richeson, "Canadian Communication: The Tele-
graph 1846-1902"

Further information can be obtained from the Visual Education Centre, 115 Berkeley St., Toronto M5A 2W8, or Scholar's Choice Ltd., 1150 Homer St., Vancouver V6B 2X8 (for Western Provinces), distributors for the NFB/ONF, the co-producer of the series.

HISTORY OF CANADIAN TECHNOLOGY AT QUEEN'S UNIVERSITY

Professor George Richardson has developed a course at Queen's (in the Faculty of Applied Science) on the History of Engineering in Canada. A full-year course, it was introduced in 1976 and is offered annually to some 25 third- and fourth-year students of engineering, arts, and science. Approximately one-third of the course is devoted to the history of transport technologies and another third to mining in Canada (Richardson's specialty). Copies of his course syllabus may be obtained by writing him c/o the Department of Engineering Drawing, Faculty of Applied Science, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario.

MEDICINE IN CANADA

To the Readers:

I am preparing a bibliography of secondary sources in the history of Canadian medicine and health care. The scope is intended to be as broad as possible: included will be theses and published material of any kind -- journal articles, monographs, book chapters, pamphlets, etc. The bibliography is intended to encompass the entire time span of Canadian history, including references to aboriginal medicine; geographically, the present boundaries of Canada will circumscribe the boundaries of the project.

All of the common sources for references have been or will be consulted, including the complete runs of periodicals such as the Canadian Historical Review, L'Union Medicale du Canada, the Canadian Medical Association Journal, the journals devoted to medical history, the various provincial historical journals, and similar periodicals. However, it is evident that much material has been published in less obvious sites; there would include articles in journals published outside Canada, contributions to the publications of local or regional historical societies, and journals, books, and book chapters for which the journal or book title is such as to make it unlikely to be examined for references for such a bibliography.

The purpose of this note is to request readers to submit full bibliographic details (and reprints or xerox copies if possible) of any items thought to be suitable. The aim of the project will be not only to provide a printed checklist, but also to store and cross-index all references so that pertinent information will be available to scholars on request. It is also intended that the project will be maintained and expanded continuously once the bulk of the data is on file. Any items considered appropriate should be sent to the undersigned:

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