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CONFERENCES

The Association for Canadian Studies will hold a conference on “Theoretical Discourse in the Canadian Intellectual Community,” 24-27 September 1992. The purpose of the conference is to provide an account of the state of theoretical discourse in Canada, and the Association intends to examine the “cognitive structures of our scientific and disciplinary practices.” For information, contact the Association for Canadian Studies, PO Box 8888, Station A, Montreal, Quebec, H3C 3P8. Telephone (514) 987-7784.

The Fourteenth Annual North American Labor History Conference will be held 15-17 October 1992. The theme is “Remaking the American Working Class: The Recomposition of the Labor Force and its Implications for the Labor Movement in Historical Perspective.” It will be held at Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan. Contact Elizabeth Faue, Department of History, 3094 Faculty Admistration Building, Wayne State University, Detroit, MI, 48202.

Nature, Society, and Thought is sponsoring a Workshop on New Directions in Marxist Thought for Socialists, 9-12 October 1992. This will be a participatory workshop, and those interested should submit a one-page Discussion Prompter with questions, propositions, or brief statements of problems, plus a list of two or three related readings. One camera-ready, one-sided 8x11 page should be sent to the New Directions Workshop Preparatory Committee in care of each of the following: Professor Clark Everling, School of Labor Studies, Empire State College, SUNY, 330 West 42nd Street 4th Floor, New York, NY, 10036, and NST Editorial Board, Physics Building, University of Minnesota, 116 Church Street SE, Minneapolis, MN, 55455. The Deadlines are 15 June and 1 August 1992.

On the 100th anniversary of his attempt to assassinate Henry Clay Frick during the Homestead Steel Strike, a remembrance will be held for Alexander Berkman. On 23 July 1992, a combination symposium/concert will be held in Pittsburgh. For
more information, contact Gary L. Doebler, PO Box 22412, Pittsburgh, PA, 15222, or call (412) 734-8339.

The Pacific Northwest Labor History Association will hold its annual conference at Oregon State University in Corvallis, Oregon, 14–16 August. This year’s conference will be held in conjunction with the American Historical Association, Pacific Group. For further information, contact the PNLHA, PO Box 75048, Seattle, WA, 98125.

PUBLICATIONS

The continuation of the Marx-Engels Gesamtausgabe (MEGA) has been assured for the time being with the signing of an agreement between the Amsterdam-based International Marx-Engels Foundation (IMEF) and the Conference of German Academies of the Sciences. For more on this project, contact the IMEF Secretariat, International Institute for Social History, Cruquiusweg 31, NL-1019 AT Amsterdam.