

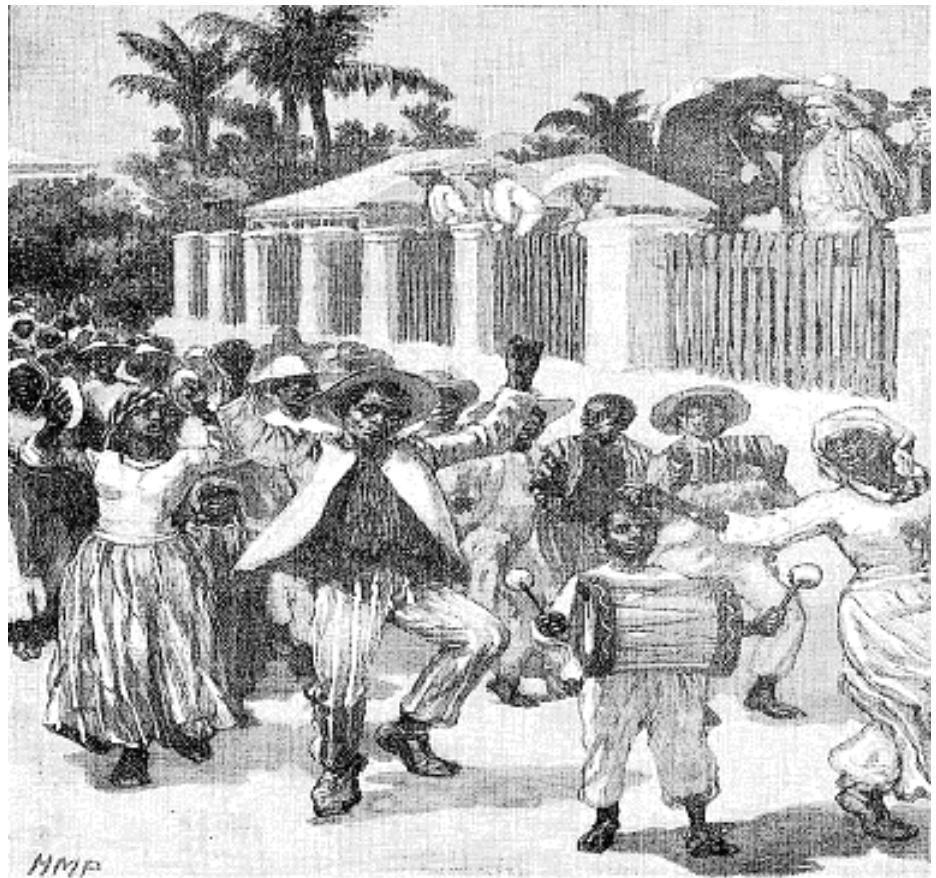
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(Artist's impression of a celebration of an anniversary of emancipation from an illustration in Cassell's History of England, extracted from the website "Atlantic Slave Trade and Slave Life in the Americas" by Jerome Handler and Michael L Tuite, jr.)

WELCOME TO THE ACH BULLETIN, JUNE 25, 2006

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EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 2006-2007

During the Annual General Meeting held at the University of the West Indies, in Trinidad on May 18, 2006, the following persons were elected to the Executive Committee:

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President's Message

May 2006



First, let me express my heartfelt appreciation to those colleagues who supported my candidacy for President. I am delighted to have been asked to head the ACH for the next two years and promise to do my best to maintain and promote the best traditions of this prestigious Association. I am aware that I follow in the tradition of other distinguished Caribbean scholars, several also from within the University of the West Indies system, who have served the ACH in the capacity of President. I am also aware that I will now be numbered among the women Presidents who have blazed a trail of accomplishments: Bridget Brereton, Danielle Begot, Sister Noel Menezes, Gail Saunders and Blanca Silvestrini. I hope that I can live up to their ideals. I have learned a great deal from all previous Presidents; and while I will endeavor to carve my own path, I will also carry on some of the initiatives of their regimes.

On behalf of the entire membership, I thank the out-going President for her support and stewardship and look forward to her continued service on the Executive Committee, at least for the next year, as provided for in our Constitution. I also thank all out-going members of the Executive Committee and welcome the new members. Together we will work with the Mona History & Archaeology Department to ensure that the 39th annual conference will be as successful as the 38th conference in Trinidad & Tobago. In this regard, let me express our collective appreciation to the St. Augustine colleagues who worked so hard to stage the conference in a year that marked the anniversary of the start of the phased abolition of the TST.

Please begin now to work on your abstracts for the next conference, to be hosted in a significant year for many countries in the Commonwealth Caribbean – the bicentennial of the abolition of the transatlantic trade in enslaved Africans. We look forward to hearing from new scholars; but we also hope that the foundation members and senior scholars will continue to provide the anchor and scholarly leadership that the conferences need.

With all best wishes

Verene A. Shepherd

ADVANCE INFORMATION
39th Annual Conference, in Jamaica, 2007

The 39th Annual Conference of the Association of Caribbean Historians is scheduled for 2007, in Jamaica. The final date will be communicated later, after the Department of History at the UWI (Mona) has met and finalized matters. In any case, members may note that conferences are usually scheduled for April and the LOC at Mona has indicated that they will try for April 30 – May 04, 2007. If that period is unworkable, the Jamaica committee will then attempt to have the conference scheduled for May 7-11. Jamaica is well connected by international flights out of Miami and London and they have hosted the ACH Conference on four previous occasions. Further and more detailed information on the dates for the conference, flights, accommodation, and other travel information, will be available in the December 2006 Bulletin

CALL FOR PAPERS

39th Annual Conference
Jamaica

The following themes have been proposed for the 39th Annual Conference of the ACH:

- National Identity and Nationhood: the role of Caribbean Museums/Heritage Institutions in the Interpretation of the Slave Trade
- The Labour Rebellions of the 1930s in the Smaller Territories of the Eastern Caribbean
- 1968 and beyond: Post-Colonial Revolt in the Modern Caribbean
- The Transatlantic Slave Trade in Caribbean History and Society
- Material Culture and Visual Culture in the Caribbean
- National Disasters in the Caribbean
- Health and Pathologies
- Caribbean Language History
- Decolonizing Movements in the Caribbean
- Jamaican History and Heritage
- Natural History in the Caribbean
- Business and Finance in the 19th and early 20th Century Caribbean

INSTRUCTIONS TO PROPOSERS

The Executive Committee will be pleased to receive offers of papers and panels focusing on the proposed themes, *although other themes will not be excluded from consideration*. The Committee will give priority to those panels that fit into the proposed themes, so it is strongly suggested that

proposals be presented as such. **Papers will also be considered, but they will be given a lower priority, particularly if they do not fit the proposed themes.** Every effort will be made to place paper proposals in panels that are comparative and regionally balanced, and will give preference to pre-arranged sessions that integrate scholarship and similar topics in various regions of the Caribbean. Please use the proposal form at the end of the Bulletin to submit your panel or paper proposals.

Persons offering to organize a panel should take note of the following:

- ❑ Specify the names of three or four confirmed participants, the titles of their papers, and the overall theme of the panel.
- ❑ Provide the Secretariat information regarding the institutional affiliation and the full mailing and e-mail addresses of panel convenors and participants.
- ❑ Send an abstract (no more than 250 words) of each paper to be presented. This abstract should indicate what new information/approaches the paper would provide, as well as the major archival resources used. Abstracts must be submitted in Spanish French and English.
- ❑ Where a proposed panelist is not a member of the ACH, panel organizers should provide a **brief** curriculum vitae (not more than three pages) and request the person to apply for membership of the Association.
- ❑ Panel organizers will be responsible for ensuring that papers are properly integrated into the overall theme.
- ❑ If a panel is accepted, its organizers will be responsible for ensuring that panelists submit their papers in good time and that they are informed of the contents of each other's papers.
- ❑ For each panel it accepts, the Executive Committee may nominate a chairperson to moderate the session.
- ❑ Individuals offering single papers should also send a summary of their proposed presentations as outlined above

NB: The ACH is particularly concerned about proposers of panels and presenters who, after the approval of their presentations, are absent from conferences without the appropriate courtesies. Special note will be taken of such cases.

All offers of panels and papers for the 2007 ACH Conference, along with abstracts, and CVs where relevant, should be sent to Pedro L. V. Welch, Department of History and Philosophy, University of the West Indies, Cave Hill Campus, Cave Hill, St. Michael, Barbados.

The deadline for proposals is October 06, 2006. They may also be e-mailed to pwelch@uwichill.edu.bb or achbulletin@yahoo.com but in any case, a hard copy should be mailed, even if an e-mail submission is sent.

AGM MINUTES
May 18, 2006
UWI (St. Augustine), Trinidad

Present:

Adelaide, Aird, Augier, Bégot, Blackett, Bonniol, Brereton, Brown, Buffon, Campbell, Cateau, Carrington, Crecer, Cummins, Cunin, de Barros, Doelahasori, Downes, Dumont, Ferreira, Fergus, Gift, González-Mendoza, Gosse, Harricharan, Heuman, Hoeft, Howard, Hubbard, Insanally, Jiménez-Muñoz, Jonson, Jones, Josephs, Kanasammy, Kilkenny, La Fleur, Laurence, López, Mangar, Marshall, Martin, Mayers, McGowan, Mitchell, Monteith, Moitt, Múnera, Palmer, Patterson, Pemberton, Putnam, Rajkumar, Randle, Robinson, Rodriguez, Samaroo, Santiago-Valles, Singh, Saunders, Servant, Scott, Shepherd, Smith, Stafford, Taitt, Tappin, Toney, Toussaint, Watson, Welch, Wilmot.

1. The President, Danielle Bégot, called the meeting to order at 3.30 pm and offered apologies on behalf of Gaztambide who was unavoidably absent from the meeting. She then invited the AGM to express its thanks to the interpreters who had worked very hard. She noted that the LOC had done an excellent job in taking on the organizing of the conference and singled out for special thanks, Cateau and Brereton who, along with the rest of the Trinidad and Tobago team had ensured a warm welcome to members of the ACH and had worked hard to ensure the success of the conference. She then invited the AGM to have a minute's silence in honor of colleagues who had died, namely Shirley Gordon and Ken Parmasad.
2. The Agenda was considered and adopted
3. At this point, representatives of the UWI (St. Augustine) Library, led by Ms Stella Sandy, made a presentation of the *Index to the Conference Papers 1989-2005*, to Professors Marshall and Brereton and to Bégot. Members were encouraged to purchase this book as a valuable record of ACH papers over the period. Bégot thanked the librarians for a job well done. A presentation was also made by Harricharan to Bégot

4. The Minutes of the May 12 2005, AGM in Colombia were considered and adopted
5. **Bégot** invited **Cateau**, Chair of the LOC, to present a report on the conference. **Cateau** informed the AGM that 96 persons had registered for the 39th Annual Conference of which 20 were teachers at secondary school. While the conference had run relatively smoothly, it was problematic that only 17 persons had submitted pre-registration details – an omission which had hampered the LOC in its work. Further two panels had collapsed due to the no-show of presenter and there was a general failure to observe the necessary courtesies in these absences. Additionally, many presenters failed to meet the deadline and to submit abstracts in the required languages. In a few cases where persons had not met the deadline, they had failed to bring adequate numbers of their paper as mandated. On the positive side, there was a healthy mix of regulars and graduate students. It had been a pleasure for the LOC to host the conference and it was hoped that the delegates had generally had a positive experience.
6. **Bégot** invited comments for the AGM on the matters presented by **Cateau** and, in general, on the conference. She led the way by noting that while there some good panels, the absence of some presenters created some problems for organizing. Moreover, the lack of abstracts in the three languages, English, French and Spanish indicated that greater effort was needed to ensure that the spirit of the Association was not jeopardized. Indeed, twenty of the papers presented at the conference did not even have abstracts at the time of presentation. **Wilmot** also noted the problems of the abstracts and suggested that a firm message ought to be sent to future presenters on the point. He wondered if the LOC had had to duplicate papers at very short notice. **Servant** commented on the fact that some papers were presented by graduate students and felt that involving graduate students in this way was a good practice for the ACH. She felt that the LOC should be complimented on introducing a numbering system and title page for the papers. She also observed that the time allotted for the presentations was generally adhered to. The only negative comment that she had was that the air-conditioning had required better regulation. **Dumont** was a bit surprised that a new panel had appeared that was not in the original list. Additionally, it was disappointing that some colleagues had not informed the Executive and the LOC of their absence. **Welch** reminded the meeting that the rules permitted panels to be proposed, other than those at the AGM. **Marshall** suggested that the Executive might wish to consider two

issues – the first to consider was a refusal to accept any papers without the required abstracts. The second was more draconian, but the Executive might wish to consider not accepting offers from such proposers in the future. **Mangar** expressed his appreciation to the ACH and to the LOC for making the stay of the Guyanese contingent a pleasant one. **Servant** suggested that the Executive might consider sticking to the list of proposals presented at the AGM. **Bégot** did not see this as a solution to the problems which had been discussed. **Kilkenny** suggested that the ACH website should be upgraded. **Welch** responded that every effort would be made to work with the webmaster to improve the website and thanked **Kilkenny** for her suggestion. **Singh** felt that the ACH should set very hard, fixed, rules and send strong letters of rebuke if presenters did not adhere to these or send communication on any unavoidable absence. Notwithstanding this, however, the ACH also had to be mindful of the need to recruit members. **Bégot** noted that some long-standing members were also found among the delinquents. **Dumont** noted that opportunities ought to be given to new presenters and that papers could be presented in the absence of presenters as occurred in some other conferences. **Gosse** wondered if a panel committee might be set up to look at the various issues.

7. **Bégot** invited **Wilmot**, Head of the History Department at the UWI, Mona, and chair of the LOC in Jamaica to give a report on preparations for next year's conference. **Wilmot** reported that one major issue which concerned the organizers was that the World Cup Cricket was scheduled for 2007 and would end in the last week of April. In that context, this might have an impact on hotel rates but the LOC would do all in its power to hold rates down. Given the timing of World Cup, it was more practical to hold the conference in early May. The likely dates were April 30-May 04, 2007 **or** May 07 – 11. The site for the conference had not yet been identified although, ideally, it might be held on the Mona campus. In that case, the difficulty was that of locating a room large enough to hold all of the members attending the conference. One location, the Vistors' Lodge might be appropriate, but this was a revenue-earner for the university and the cost might be prohibitive. Given these issues, the option to convene the conference off-campus would be explored, bearing in mind the traffic problems of Kingston, Jamaica. In any case, every effort would be made to hold down costs. **Moitt** commented that the LOC might wish to consider the fact of the examination period in US universities in finalizing the date.
8. **Bégot** invited **Augier** to update the AGM on the progress of the UNESCO publications. **Augier** informed members that some progress

had been made in that the Vol.4, the last volume left in the series, was nearing completion. It was hoped that the various volumes would become available in the USA in 2007. Vol 3, on slavery, had been sold out. In that case, the publishers were honoring orders by providing hard-cover copies at a special price. A second edition was in the works, to take into account work done since the publication of Vols 2 and 3. Efforts were continuing to get French and Spanish editions out. Indeed, notwithstanding the problem of finance, it was hoped that a Caribbean publisher might agree to take this project on and that UNESCO might support this publication. One of the university presses in the Caribbean had been approached. The initial project had envisaged an edition for schools and this was still under consideration. **Augier** also noted that the ACH had been well represented at the CISH conference in Australia.

9. **Selection of the 2006-2007 nominating committee:** **Richard Blckett, Alain Buffon and Roy Augier** were elected by the assembly to form the nominating committee for the ensuing year. **Blckett** was elected as convenor.
10. **Welch** briefed the AGM on the Elsa Goveia Prize, noting that the prize was to be conferred in 2007. The deadline for submitting recommendations was December 15, 2006.
11. **Welch** presented the report of the Executive Committee for the year 2005-2006 and the financial report (appended)
12. **Venues for Future Conferences:** **Bégot** informed the AGM of the recommendations for future conferences. Suriname was the venue for the 2008 conference and there was the recommendation that the ACH should consider other venues in the Eastern Caribbean for 2009-2010. It was suggested that in addition to Guadeloupe, Antigua, St. Lucia, Dominica, and St. Vincent might be considered. Belize was also a possibility. **Harricharan** suggested that Grenada might be considered, at which point **Bégot** noted that there was the question of costs, which would determine which territory might be able to host the ACH.
13. The nominating committee reported that the following persons were elected to serve for the 2006-2007 year. They were: **Verene Shepherd** (*President*), **Gaztambide** (Vice-President), **Pedro Welch** (*Secretary-Treasurer*), **Serge Mam Lam Fouck**, **Bernard Moitt**, **Claudius Fergus**, and **Rinia Veldhuizen – Doelahasori**.

14. The AGM considered and agreed on the preliminary list of panels for the 2007 conference
15. **Presentations:** Presentations were made to the outgoing President, **Bégot**, and to **Cateau**, by the incoming President, **Shepherd**. **Shepherd** acknowledged the contributions of the past presidents, some of whom were present and pledged to build on their strong example. She thanked them on behalf of the Executive Committee and wider membership of the ACH. Life membership certificates were also presented to **Pemberton**, **Browne** and **Veldhuizen – Doelahasori**.
16. the meeting ended

ELSA GOVEIA BOOK PRIZE COMMITTEE 2007 AWARD

The Executive Committee has finalized the selection of the new Elsa Goveia Book Prize Committee. The Elsa Goveia Prize, previously awarded every three years, from 1995 has been awarded every two years. Nominations are invited for the 2007 prize.

Eligibility Criteria:

1. Any scholarly monograph or general work within the academic discipline of history or acceptable as an historical work, published since 2003 and dealing with the Caribbean, is eligible for the award provided that it was not submitted for consideration for the 2005 awards.
2. Such a monograph may be printed anywhere.
3. Publication may be in English, Spanish, French or Dutch.
4. Felicity of prose style and clarity of expression should be qualities of the work submitted.
5. Only first editions of original works will be considered.
6. Multi-authored collections, anthologies, and other such edited works are not eligible.

Call for Submissions

Authors, publishers, managing- or marketing- editors and other interested parties are required to submit nominations for the prize to the convenor and the adjudicating committee by **December 15th 2006**.

It is important that one copy of the book nominated be sent directly by courier or airmail to **each** member of the committee. The addresses and

contact number of **each** member of the committee will also be posted at the website

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NEWS and EVENTS

Members are asked to submit information on recently published books, upcoming conferences and other information of interest. This will be placed on the website <http://www.geocities.com/achbulletin/> on a page devoted to this information. In particular, information from our francophone, Hispanic, and Dutch members and friends will be

Appendix 1

Report of the ACH Secretariat, May 2005-2006

1. Activities of the Executive Committee

The 2005-2006 Executive Committee consisted of Danielle Begót, President; Verene Shepherd, Vice –President; Pedro L V Welch, Secretary-Treasurer, Antonio Gaztambide, Heather Cateau, Bernard Moitt, Serge Mam Lam Fouk, and Richard Blackett, Past President. The Committee met twice during the year. The first meeting was held immediately after the Annual General Meeting on May 12, 2005, and the second was held on October 23, 2005, in Barbados. The main items on the agenda of the second meeting were the academic programme, and the local arrangements for the 38th annual conference to be held in Trinidad, the 2005 Elsa Goveia Prize, and the Financial Report. The decisions and recommendations of those meetings were communicated in the June and December ACH Bulletins.

2. ACH Membership and Dues Information

Seven new members were welcomed into the ACH between the end of the 38th Annual Conference on May 12, 2005, and May 11, 2006. There were two new life memberships. The ACH now has 446 members in all categories but not all of these are active fee-paying members. However, there are signs that members are accepting the responsibility of remaining current and the Secretariat continues to receive dues from members via mailed cheques.

The ACH mourned the passing of members and friends --- Ken Parmasad of the St. Augustine campus of the University of the West Indies and Shirley Gordon Shirley Gordon, pioneer historian, co-author of **Making of the WI** and Sources of WI History, and author/compiler of much more.

The ACH also had great pleasure at the nomination of Professor Mary Noel Menezes, RSM for the award of the Hoonaray Doctorate of the University of the West Indies (St. Augustine). Sister Menezes is fully deserving of this honour and is recognized for her pioneering and important work on the History of Guyana.

3. ACH/CISH Cooperation

The representation of the ACH at the 20th International Congress of Historical Sciences (CISH) held at the University of New South Wales, Sydney, Australia, 3-9 July, 2005, was facilitated through the efforts of Professor Sir Roy Augier. The Executive Committee authorized the participation of Lawrence Brown, Richard Goodridge, Antonio Gaztambide,

and Elizabeth Thomas-Hope. The four of these constituted a panel = **UNESCO 5 -- the Caribbean: Multiculturalism and Diasporas** Professor Barry Higman was convener of the panel. Additionally, Goodridge was part of the plenary panel **UNESCO 6 -- Un dialogue des cultures: être historien demain.** One theme running through the Conference was the culture of diversity.

Appendix 2

FINANCIAL REPORT, MAY 2005-MAY 2006 ASSOCIATION OF CARIBBEAN HISTORIANS

(Prepared by PEDRO WELCH)

I. INCOME		II. EXPENSES	
Balance brought forward after Conference	\$3791.00 US	Payment to Webmaster	\$450.00 BDS
Remittances from LOC in Colombia	\$6338.25 US	Remittance to LOC Trinidad	\$2500.00 US
Dues collected during conference and up to May 14, 2006	\$2801.00 US	Payment to LOC Barbados (<i>LOC gave \$1962 to ACH of sum of \$5962.00</i>)	\$4000.00 US
UNESCO grant to Barbados LOC, 2004 Conf.	\$5962.00 US	Fedex to UNESCO Paris	\$44.78 US
Remittances from Gonzalez, Puerto Rico	\$ 238.00 US	Fedex to LONDON	\$44.78 US
TOTAL in US account	\$19229.25 US	Postage of June Bulletins	\$399.00 US \$318.20 BDS
		Elsa Goveia Prize	\$180.00 US
TOTAL In Barbados account (\$ BDS.) from fees paid in Barbados dollars	\$1036.64 BDS		
		III. EXPENSES OF SECRETARIAT	
		Fees	\$ 100.00 US

		Air Travel and other travel costs	\$222.50 US
		Bank Charges	\$ 10.10 US
		Stationery	\$ 75.00 BDS.
<p>Note: Members of the ACH Executive, with the exception of the Secretary-treasurer, travel at their own expense to the executive meetings and meet their own accommodation costs. This is a contribution to the ACH in kind and is not accounted for in this budgetary and accounting statement.</p>			
		A. Balance in US account	\$ 11,628.59 US
		B. In Puerto Rico Account	\$ 313.03 US
		Balance in Barbados account	\$ 193.44 BDS.

**ACH PANEL PROPOSAL FORM
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(Form is available by e-mail, please contact the Secretariat at
pwelch@uwichill.edu.bb)

THEME:

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TITLE OF PAPER:

INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION AND ADDRESS:

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TITLE OF PAPER:

INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION AND ADDRESS:

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PRESENTER 2:

TITLE OF PAPER:

INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION AND ADDRESS:

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PRESENTER 3:

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INSTITUTIONAL AFFILIATION AND ADDRESS:

E-MAIL:

Note: Under separate cover include:

- A 250-word abstract for each paper. This abstract should indicate what new information and/or approaches the paper would provide, as well as the major archival resources used.
- A brief (no more than 3 pages CV) for each panel presenter who is presenting for the first time or who is not currently a member of the ACH.
- Panels should have no more than four presenters, including the convenor, should she or he be presenting.
- Please refer to the "Instructions to Proposers" in this Bulletin for further details.

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Join the ACH

Yes! I want to join the ACH. I enclose dues as follows:

- Professional \$25 Student \$10
- Institutional \$50 Life \$250
- Benefactor \$75

PLEASE PRINT

Date: _____

Last Name

First Name

Address: _____

E-mail: _____

Office Phone: _____

Home Phone: _____

New Member: Yes No Need Receipt: Yes No

Members are reminded that if they have not recently paid their dues or did so during the Annual Conference, dues for 2006-2007 are past due, since our membership year runs from April to April.

All payments must be made in US dollars, please make checks payable to: "The Association of Caribbean Historians" Post to: Pedro L V Welch, Department of History, University of the West Indies (Cave Hill Campus), Cave Hill, St. Michael, Barbados.