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CORRECTION:

Dr. Madeline Pelner, as listed in the last REGISTER, is really Dr. Madeline Pelner Cosman, and has been so on our roles for several years. Sorry about that!

UPCOMING IN THE NEXT ISSUE:

A handwriting analysis of Richard by members of the L ng Island Handwriting Research Association, will comments by members.

Discover who the charming, gracious and waving' and why it applies to us. and beautiful person is who loaned her copies of the RICARDIAN to us and thus made it possible for the duplication.

NEWS LETTER, OF THE AMERICAN BRANCH, RICHARD III SOCIETY

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REPORT OF THE SECRETARY You will probably notice that this is the shortest REGISTER yet published. It is so not because of any lack of material, but because I have been hospitalized and am still technically recuperating. I informed my Doctor that I would recover much faster if I knew that at least a one page Januar 'REGISTER got out than worrying about nothing being sent to you this month. With the absolutely invaluable aid of my comeditor, we are going to make it. However, I must be brief so: TO PROVE A VILLAIN is temporarily out of stock, the bookstore is reordering. I will send copies on as fast as I get them. THE COLLEGE OF RICHARD III is back in stock here - please send 50¢ for your copy. A valuable library addit: Watch for a Treasurer's report next month, as we are sending our dues to England as soon as I get back to the books.

WATCH FOR:

The soon forthcoming analysis of the characteristics of members of the Society based on the August guestionair

an explanation of the phrase 'keep

OFFICIAL ??? WILL YOU BE ROUSED BY DOCTOR ROWSE??? NOTICE The Richard III Society is pleased to announce that the noted English historian, Dr. A. L. Rowse will address the members of the Society in New York on March 24, 1968. The talk, to be held at 2:00 P.M. at the Drake Hotel, will be titled: "The Historian and Richard III." Dr. Rowsey on authority on Elizabethan England, is also a poet and translator and the author of BOSTORTH FIELD, whichhews to the traditional anti-Richard view. He has promised to answer questions from the floor and should provide a lively afternoon promising a controversial talk, in his words "only if we promise not to be convinced." There will be a charge to members and guests of \$1.00/person to meet the expense of the room. Written reservations and your money should be sent to William Hogarth, 230 East 52 St., N.Y., N.Y. 10022. Checks should be drawn (to "William Hogarth - Richard III Society." The Drake is at Park Avenue and 56th St., and lobby signs will be posted AN IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT TO MEMBERS OF THE RICHARD III SOCIETY - AND ESPECIALLY TO MORE RECENT MEMBERS

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Through the good offices of David Rosenthal, Chairman of the Princeton Chapter, we now have in supply excellent reprints of complete sets of our primary communication periodical, THE RICARDIAN, well duplicated from good originals. Close study of all issues from Number One on is, I feel, essential to our members' understanding of the research and opinion existent on Richard Plantagenet and his era.

The sale price established is exactly what a member would have paid from the first year of organization: at \$3.00 per year - 3 issues. we must offer them in sets: <u>Numbers 1-15 for \$15.00</u>, <u>Numbers 16, 17</u>, <u>18 for \$3.00</u> - with no broken sets.

In addition to filling in the member's library, these sets would make an excellent gift to a friend, to a local public library or to the history department of a local school.

The early issues contain the complete story of the founding of the Society in England, and one issue carries a biography and bibliography of our most active (unaware) organizer, Josephine Tey. These, plus the many excellent Research Reports and Ricardianly Yours items make for fascinating reading.

I would also like to mention that the price has been established to aid in the legal costs of incorporating the American Branch at no extra assessment to the membership. When we receive our non-profit corporate charter, dues and contributions will be tax-deductible, and we can make the first steps in setting up a research library affiliated with an academic institution. The value to the Society of this step is obvious, in our desire to sponsor graduate research.

Note that order forms, checks/money orders go not to Mrs. Airey, but to the undersigned, whose family has wearily, but cheerily agreed to pack and ship all orders instantly. (We must - the boxes are piled in our dining room.) Draw checks to: WILLIAM HOGARTH - RICHARD III SOCIETY. Mail orders to: William Hogarth, 207 Carpenter Avenue, Sea Cliff, L.I., New York 11579. Please fill out the entire form: it's also a label.

-WILLIAM HOGARTH, Co-chairman, American Branch

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