

Editor's Notes

STEFAN ANDERSSON, who has contributed several times to **Contributors** *Russell*, is a doctoral student in philosophy of religion in the Theology Faculty of Lund University, Sweden. He hopes soon to complete his study of "Bertrand Russell's Search for Certainty in Religion and Mathematics to 1903". PAUL HAGER teaches philosophy of education at the University of Technology, Sydney, Australia. A year ago he paid an extended research visit to the Russell Archives. Dr. Hager has written the entry on Russell for Blackwell's forthcoming *Companion to the Philosophy of Science*. Gerald Taylor, who is living in Germany, is writing a dissertation on direct realism for submission to the University of Edinburgh. R.E. Tully is Associate Professor of Philosophy at the University of Toronto. His article, "Regarding Privacy", appears in A. D. Irvine and G. E. Wedeking's *Russell and Analytic Philosophy* (U. of Toronto P., 1993). SHEILA TURCON coauthored the index volume of *A Bibliography of Bertrand Russell*. NICHOLAS GRIFFIN, of McMaster, is writing the Russell entry for Routledge's new encyclopaedia of philosophy.

¶Paul Hager's *Continuity and Change in the Development of New Books* *Russell's Philosophy* (Dordrecht, Holland: Kluwer) is forthcoming this year. Francisco A. Rodríguez-Consuegra has a book in the works titled *Relational Ontology and Analytic Philosophy: Bertrand Russell and Bradley's Ghost* (Synthese).

¶The *Collected Papers*' ninth volume—Volume 3 in the **Collected** series—titled *Toward the "Principles of Mathematics", 1900–02*, edited by Gregory Moore, was published in early February at £120. Volume 4, *Logical Foundations, 1903–05*, edited by Alasdair Urquhart with the assistance of Albert C. Lewis, is due to be published in March 1994. Routledge will publish the three volumes of the *Bibliography* (by Harry Ruja and myself and assisted by Bernd Frohmann, John G. Slater and Sheila Turcon) in 1994 as well.

Richard A. Rempel, Louis Greenspan and Beryl Haslam are completing Volume 14, which covers the second half of Russell's pacifist agitation and thought during World War I. John G. Slater is completing Volume 10, devoted to Russell's philosophical writings from 1927 to 1942. He has another volume in the works, those writings from 1943 to the end. With the exception of Volume 5, that will complete the philosophical and logical series.

¶The first number of this journal, twenty-three years ago, **Bibliography** carried an article by me on the *Bibliography of Bertrand Russell*.

I predicted the size of several parts and wasn't far off the final tallies. But the number of parts expanded from a handful to sixteen, and the 500 predicted pages of print became 1,574. These include the index volume, but an index of names and titles was originally planned. The final index became a guide to subjects as well. The *Bibliography* expanded a lot during its last years of completion, as we tried to follow up remaining leads. (Enough leads remain to make one feel a little sad.) Having given more mature statistics on the *Bibliography* as a work in progress in a recent issue of *Russell* (n.s. 10: 69), I present final statistics here.

Part	Title	# Entries
<i>Volume I: Separate Publications</i>		
A	Books, Pamphlets & Leaflets	171
AA	Collected Works	10
B	Contributions to Books, Pamphlets & Leaflets	228
G	Original Blurbs on Books, Pamphlets & Leaflets	62
H	Original Quotations in Books, Pamphlets & Leaflets	340
L	Minor Anthologies, Chiefly in Foreign Languages	35
<i>Volume II: Serial Publications</i>		
C	Articles, Reviews, Statements, Letters to the Editor & Approved Interviews	2,314
D	Reports of Speeches	257
E	Interviews	391
F	Multiple-Signatory Publications	162
Gg	Original Blurbs	59
Hh	Contributions in Serial Articles by Others	289
J	Extracts in Booksellers' & Auctioneers' Catalogues	74
K	Audio Recordings	13
M	Films	4
S	Spurious Publications	25
	Total main entries	4,434

The work of the *Bibliography* has been to identify Russell's published texts and relate them to his manuscripts. The *Collected Papers* project was launched in 1969 as the means of harvesting some of these fruits of this research.

¶G-BERTIE is a world-wide electronic discussion and information forum for Russell studies that has forty-four members **"G-Bertie"** from eleven countries. To subscribe, send a message on electronic mail to bertruss@mcmaster.ca saying "subscribe g-bertie <your name>". You may obtain past messages. Recent topics are:

Two Quotations
Duplicate Messages
An Unusual Request

"Stinks"
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"Stinks" concerned a word in two groups of notes in Russell's hand in a context in which the term "science" would have done nicely. It turned out that "stinks" is (or was) British student slang for laboratory science. I don't recall Russell ever using the term outside of these occasions.

¶The BRACERS inventory of correspondence has slowed down. The total number of records is now 54,731. Dave Ouellette the only cataloguer. We are concentrating on letters by Russell in Recent Acquisitions. In his professional role as a Library preservationist, Dave publishes frequently in our *Library Research News*.

¶A new acquisition with a mysterious bibliographical lead is a Rec. Acqs. letter Russell wrote on 21 April 1944 to a Mr. Hector. The letter concerns the possible reprinting of a series of lectures appearing in the *The New Leader*, New York. This must, from the date, be the series of five on international affairs that started on 5 February 1944 and most of whose manuscripts are described on page 204. Russell states his agreement if he receives half the fee by 15 May, when he is due to sail for England. Any such reprinting is news to Russell's bibliographers. Does anyone know what publishing enterprise Mr. Hector was connected with?

Russell's return address, incidentally, is another new one for the BRACERS count of over 300. He writes from E. Prospect Ave., Princeton R.D.1, NJ.

¶The Bertrand Russell Society is meeting with the humanists in Toronto on 8-10 July 1994. The previous day the Society plans to tour the Russell Archives. For the schedule of papers and events, contact Donald Jackanicz, 3802 N. Kenneth Ave., Chicago, IL 60641-2814. Memberships are US\$35 (\$20 for students).

¶At the same time as cutbacks in staff have taken place at Mc-Phone Mail Master, automation in communications has been on the increase. G-Bertie is an easy way both to leave a message and get a reply (not necessarily from the Archives). My own electronic mail address is listed inside the front cover. A new way is by telephone mail. Messages may be left at any time of the day or night at the Russell Archives' extension, i.e. at (905) 525-9140, ext. 24738. Finally, there is faxing. Use the Library's fax machine at (905) 546-0625, rather than the university's number.

¶Beryl Haslam, Albert C. Lewis, Louis Greenspan, Ray Monk, Visitors and Alison Miculan, Nick Griffin, M. J. Coomber, X. Sun, M. Researchers Murray and Alan G. Bishop recently visited or researched in the Russell Archives in their new quarters in the expanded and renovated Mills Library.
