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NEW PUBLICATION

The New England Journal of Human Services initiated publication with an October 1980 issue. NEJHS is a quarterly journal. Its editors are W. Robert Curtis, President of Social Matrix Research, Inc., Boston, and Mark R. Yessian, U. S. Department of Health and Human Services, Boston. We were greatly impressed with the journal's first issue and think that some members of the Conference for Federal Studies might want to consider subscribing to it.

NEJHS has a clearly stated objective of improving this country's human service delivery system and it intends to approach that task from a very definite federalist perspective. The words of its two editors in the lead article of the first issue provide the clearest statement of the journal's goals and strategies. Here is what they say:

... in an effort to improve communication across professional and programmatic boundaries, we are starting the New England Journal of Human Services. ... Its overriding rationale will be to seek improved ways to manage human services at the state and substitute levels and better ways to deliver health care and social services at the community levels. ... From a systems perspective, the state level of government is where the greatest opportunity exists to bring management and service delivery environments into closer accord. It is here

that the human services infrastructure is most fully developed. It is here that the key allocation decisions are made concerning both nationally initiated and state programs. It is here in our federal system of government that the power is most effectively lodged to design and implement comprehensive reforms. Thus, NEJHS will key in on state governments and its responsibility as a focal point of leadership for first managing and then delivering human services. At the same time, it will recognize the enormous shaping influence of national programs and practices and the crucial importance of community-based participation in developing and carrying out our human service policies.

Volume 1 of the New England Journal of Human Services will extend from January through October 1981. Subscriptions are \$17.00 for individuals and \$25.00 for agencies. The address is P. O. Box 9167, Boston, Massachusetts 02114. The GES Notebook wishes the editors and staff of NEJHS the best of luck in their endeavor.

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RECENT CENTER PUBLICATIONS

The following two publications are now available from the Center for the Study of Federalism:

- Meaning of the Seventies by Daniel J. Elazar. Reprinted from Society, Volume Seventeen, Number Two (January/February 1980) (APR-20). \$1.00
- The Rebirth of Federalism or the Future Role of the States as Politics in the Federal System by Daniel J. Elazar. Remarks prepared for the Republican Governors' Association Meeting, November 1980 (WF-1) \$2.00

The Center pays postage on all prepaid orders.

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INVENTORY OF FEDERALISM RESEARCH
OF
CONFERENCE FOR FEDERAL STUDIES MEMBERS

NAME:

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CURRENT RESEARCH:

"Evaluation of Kentucky Community Action Agencies'
Weatherization Program"

Evaluates whether the weatherization of homes owned
by low income residents has made a difference in
energy consumption.

Starting Date: January 1980 Completion Date: September 1980

NAME:

Jon A. Baer
New York Legislative Commission on
Expenditure Review

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Debt and Tax Limitations on Local Governments in
New York State"

A study of how constitutional debt and tax limitations
act as a constraint on "home rule" in New York State.

Completion Date: August 1980

2. "Intergovernmental Cooperation Among Police Jurisdictions
in Albany County, New York"

The extent of usage of formal and informal intergovern-
mental service agreements among police departments
operating in Albany County, New York.

Completion Date: December 1980

1980 INVENTORY OF FEDERALISM RESEARCH

Jon A. Baer (Con't)

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Cooperation and Conflict: Overlapping Police Jurisdictions," National Civic Review Vol. 68, No. 8 (September 1979), pp. 417-422.

A study of interjurisdictional relations among police departments operating in Suffolk County, New York.

2. "Police Cooperation Threatened in Suffolk," National Civic Review Vol. 69, No. 7 (July 1980), pp. 399-400.

An update of the publication cited above.

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NAME: Herman L. Boschken
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Los Angeles, California 90007

CURRENT RESEARCH:

"The Port Authority as a Public Enterprise"

A study of how port authorities manage the conflicting goals of traditional regional economic development and the new environmental quality mandates (sponsored by SEA Grant).

Starting Date: October 1979 Completion Date: January 1982

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

The Political Economy of Land Use (University of Illinois Press, forthcoming, 1981).

Study of alternative organizational arrangements in making public policy in the area of land use control.

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NAME: Beverly A. Cigler
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CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Barriers to Energy Conservation in North Carolina Municipalities"

Examination of obstacles to implementation of North Carolina Energy Extension Service activities directed at local governments.

Starting Date: July 1980 Completion Date: June 1981

2. "Role Perceptions of Local Energy Coordinators"

Examination of attitudes toward energy management needs in North Carolina and a national sample of local energy managers at the municipal and county levels. Includes attitudes of those who appoint energy coordinators.

Starting Date: March 1980 Completion Date: June 1981

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Local Growth Management: Changing Assumptions About Land?" The Urban Interest (Fall 1979).

Introductory article to a seven article symposium on "growth management" at the local level.

2. "Directions in Local Energy Policy and Management," The Urban Interest (Fall 1980).

Overview of issues and problems in local conservation policies.

1980 INVENTORY OF FEDERALISM RESEARCH

NAME: Gordon M. Freeman
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Graduate Theological Union
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CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "The Heavenly Kingdom"
Exposition of Jewish political thought.
 2. "Covenant Language as Polemic"
Research in the Workshop on Covenant and Politics,
Center for the Study of Federalism, Temple University
November 1980
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NAME: Robert W. Gage
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University of Colorado at Denver
Denver, Colorado 80203

CURRENT RESEARCH:

"Lincoln Park Evaluation Project"
Evaluation of the impact of urban action grants and other
federal assistance upon the Lincoln Park Neighborhood
with special emphasis upon migration to and from the
neighborhood.
Starting Date: May 1979 Completion Date: July 1981

NAME: William E. Hudson
Political Science Department
Providence College
Providence, Rhode Island 02918

CURRENT RESEARCH:

"Political Dependence on Federal Funds in the Sunbelt
and the Frostbelt"
Comparison of federal revenue impacts on local politics in
Providence, Rhode Island and El Paso, Texas
Completion Date: August 1980

1980 INVENTORY OF FEDERALISM RESEARCH

William E. Hudson (Con't)

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "The New Federalism Paradox," Policy Studies Journal
Vol. 8, No. 7 (June 1980).

The "New Federalism" helped make El Paso, Texas more rather than less dependent on federal revenue and Washington.

2. "The Federal Aid Crutch: How a Sunbelt City Comes to Depend on Federal Revenue," The Urban Interest Vol. 2, No. 1 (Spring 1980).

Case study of El Paso's use of federal funds.

NAME: Institute of Government and Public Affairs
University of Illinois
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Urbana, Illinois 61801
Samuel K. Gove, Director

CURRENT RESEARCH:

"A Three-State Felony Court Study," conducted by Peter F. Nardulli (IGPA), Roy B. Flemming (Wayne State), and James Eisenstein (Penn State)

The project seeks to explain and assess the pre-trial process in Illinois, Michigan, and Pennsylvania.

Starting Date: September 1979 Completion Date: September 1982

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Small Towns, Big Grants: Federal Aid and Non-Metropolitan Local Governments in Illinois," by Alvin D. Sokolow for Illinois Government Research No. 49 (November 1979).
 2. "Block Grants and Federal Bucks: Federal Community Development Aid in Illinois Cities," by Heywood T. Sanders for Illinois Government Research No. 50 (January 1980).
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NAME: Ellis Katz
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CURRENT RESEARCH:

"Education Policy-Making in the States"

A monograph describing current educational issues and policy-making processes in the states.

Completion Date: Summer 1981

NAME: E. Lester Levine
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New York State Office Building
Hauppauge, New York 11779

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Public Employment Study"

A comprehensive survey of compensation (both salary and benefits) of Minnesota state and local government with comparisons to national averages of other state and local governments and with the private sector. U.S. Census data formed the basis of the comparisons, as supplemented by special survey data.

Starting Date: 1977 Completion Date: 1979

2. "Credentialism, Meritocracy and Merit"

A study of how increasing educational requirements for entry into professions and administrative work affect the concept of merit system and society generally. Initially this will be a review of the literature. Later stages will involve empirical research. Concern will focus as to whether "credentialism" may not have adverse as well as positive benefits.

Starting Date: 1980 beginning data (long range study)

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E. Lester Levine (Con't)

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Final Report, Public Employment Study" (see Project #1 above), Minnesota Department of Finance, 309 Administration Building, St. Paul, Minnesota 55155. Summary reprinted in Midwest Monitor, "Report on the Minnesota Public Employment Study" (January/February 1980).
2. "Is Minnesota a Two-Party State Again?" PUBLIUS, Vol. 9, No. 1 (Winter 1979).
3. "Teaching American State Politics: Florida"

This is part of the Teaching American State Politics Project sponsored by the Center for the Study of Federalism and the American Political Science Association. The first part is a 36-page bibliographic essay accepted for publication in News for Teachers of Political Science. There is also a supplementary 41-typewritten page Florida bibliography that has been submitted.

Starting Date: 1979

Completion Date: 1980

NAME: Roger B. Parks
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Bloomington, Indiana 47401

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Urban Resources, Institutions, and Outcomes"

Comparison of service delivery structures for police, fire, and solid waste across multiple metropolitan areas.

Starting Date: January 1980 Completion Date: May 1981

2. "Performance Measurement Theory: Police"

Long-term development of performance measurement systems for police. Major emphasis on theory development.

Starting Date: August 1980 Completion Date: May 1987
(Second Phase)

1980 INVENTORY OF FEDERALISM RESEARCH

Roger B. Parks (Con't)

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

"Citizen Coproduction of Public Services," Policy Studies Journal (forthcoming).

Technical, economic and institutional constraints and incentives for coproduction.

NAME: Mavis Mann Reeves
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College Park, Maryland 20742

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Revision of PRAGMATIC FEDERALISM: AN INTERGOVERNMENTAL VIEW OF AMERICAN GOVERNMENT"

College textbook in intergovernmental relations.

2. "Analysis of State Competence to Fulfill Role in the Federal System"

Part of the state role study in assignment of functions in the federal system for the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

The Federal Role in Fire Protection (Washington, D.C.: Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations).

Two case studies of how the federal government became involved in local fire protection: the birth of the U.S. Fire Administration and the U.S. Department of Agriculture, Forest Service, Rural Fire Protection Program.

NAME: Leonard Robins
School of Urban Sciences
University of Illinois at Chicago Circle
Chicago, Illinois 60680

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. Health Politics, Policy and the Public Interest

An original book of readings (co-edited with Theodore Litman) to be published by John Wiley and Sons, Inc.

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Leonard Robins (Con't)

2. "New Perspectives on National Health Insurance"

Editing a symposium on the above topic for the Journal of Health and Human Resources Administration.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "The Plot That Succeeded: The New Federalism as Policy Realignment," Presidential Studies Quarterly (Winter 1980).

The ideological consequences of the New Federalism.

2. "Health Systems Agencies: Performance and Prospects," (Symposium Editor), Journal of Health and Human Resources Administration (May 1980).

A series of articles evaluating HSAs.

NAME: Donald B. Rosenthal
Department of Political Science
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Buffalo, New York 14222

CURRENT RESEARCH:

"Implementation of the Neighborhood Strategy Area Program"

The Neighborhood Strategy Area Program is a five-year program designed to encourage local governments to focus CDBG funds and units of Section 8 housing assistance payments in particular areas. The program was initiated in 1978. Currently exploring how localities have gone about implementing that design.

Completion Date: 1983

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. Urban Revitalization, Editor (Beverly Hills, California: Sage Publications).

A collection dealing with the current state of the cities from the direction of recent efforts to revitalize them especially under the Carter administration.

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Donald B. Rosenthal (Con't)

2. "Bargaining as a Concept in Intergovernmental Relations,"
PUBLIUS Vol. 10, No. 3 (Summer 1980).

A review of intergovernmental relations drawing upon the concept of bargaining to analyze several cases from the Buffalo area.

NAME: Campbell Sharman
Department of Politics
University of Western Australia
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CURRENT RESEARCH:

"The Premiers: A Comparative Study of the Role of the
Premiers in the Six Australian States"

Starting Date: 1979 Completion Date: 1981

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Fraser, the States and Federalism," Australian Quarterly
52 (1), (Autumn 1980), pp. 9-19.
2. "Federalism," in H. Mayer and H. Nelson (eds.) Australian
Politics: A Fifth Reader (Melbourne: Longman/Cheshire,
1980).

Survey of Australian federalism.

NAME: Glen Sparrow
School of Public Administration and Urban Studies
San Diego State University
San Diego, California

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "San Francisco Charter Revision Analysis"

Case study analysis of 15 month charter revision process
in San Francisco.

Completion Date: November 1980

2. "Neo-Reform in American Local Government"

Analysis of contemporary reform movements in American cities
and counties; comparisons to reform movement of late

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Glen Sparrow (Con't)

19th, early 20th century.

Completion Date: September 1981

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Public Administration in an Intergovernmental Context," in Parsley and Shortland Managing Government Organizations.

Description of the role ICR plays in the administration of state and local government.

2. The Arkansas Plan: A Case Study in Public Policy, a monograph of the University of Arkansas at Little Rock.

NAME: Marianne C. Stewart
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CURRENT RESEARCH:

"The Dynamics of Political Support in the Canadian Federal System"

Analyses of the impact of affective feelings for and evaluations of the operations of components of the Canadian federal system on political support. Political support is conceptualized in terms of specific and diffuse support for the political regime and community, utilizing various national surveys of the Canadian public conducted during the past 15 years.

Starting Date: August 1980 Completion Date: August 1981

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Federalism and Fragmentation: Political Support in Canada" (co-authored with Allan Kornberg and Harold D. Clarke), Journal of Politics 41 (August 1979), pp. 889-906.

An analysis of the effects of various socio-economic and demographic variables, evaluations of the distribution of costs, benefits and power in the federal system, party identification, and support for other political objects on regime and community support in Canada.

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Marianne C. Stewart (Con't)

2. "Public Support for Community and Regime in the Regions of Contemporary Canada" (co-authored with Allan Kornberg and Harold D. Clarke), American Review of Canadian Studies 10 (Spring 1980), pp. 75-93.

An analysis of the relationships between political efficacy, political trust, and political support, and of the extent to which these relationships vary by region.

NAME: William H. Stewart
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CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Dictionary/Handbook of Federalism"

Identification with brief descriptions of major and many minor conceptualizations of federalism, historically and recently.

Completion Date: Late 1981

2. "Explanation for Ambiguity in Federal Theory"

Paper on identification of sources of confusion and disorder in federal theory.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

Citizen Participation in Public Administration (University, Alabama: Center for Administrative and Policy Studies, University of Alabama).

Analysis of CP movement dating from the 1960's, its problems and prospects. Partially excerpted in A Workbook on Organization and Action (1979, NML).

NAME: Richard T. Sylvester
Department of Political Science
University of Delaware
Newark, Delaware 19711

CURRENT RESEARCH:

"Organizing the U.S. Department of Energy: A Political Analysis"

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Richard T. Sylvester (Con't)

A political and administrative history of the new U.S. Department of Energy. Will assess DOE policy implementation record in solar, conservation and nuclear technologies.

Starting Date: January 1981 Completion Date: July 1981

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "Energy Demand Management: The Next Phase?" Public Administration Review Vol. 39, No. 4 (July/August 1979), pp. 395-399.

Review essay of five energy policy books.

2. "Carter Nuclear Licensing Reform Versus Three Mile Island," PEBLIDS Vol. 10, No. 1 (Winter 1980).

Reviews the fate of President Carter's nuclear licensing reform effort before and after the accident at Three Mile Island Unit #2 nuclear facility in March 1979.

NAME: David B. Walker
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Washington, D.C. 20575

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "The Federal Role in the Federal System: The Dynamics of Growth"

Ten volume study (including seven functional case studies) of the collapsing constraints and political dynamics contributing to the federal government's role.

Starting Date: January 1978 Completion Date: June 1980

2. "State-Local Assignment of Functions"

Multi-volume study of state and local functions and capacities.

Starting Date: January 1978 Completion Date: September 1980

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David B. Walker (Con't)

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "The New System of Intergovernmental Relations: More Fiscal Relief and More Governmental Intrusions," Managing Fiscal Stress, ed. by Charles H. Levine, Chatham House Publishers, 1980.
2. "American Federalism in a Transitional Era," Readings on Federalism, ed. by Akinyemi, et. al, Nigerian Institute of International Affairs, Ibadan University Press (Nigeria), 1979.

NAME: Jerold Waltman
Department of Political Science
University of Southern Mississippi
Hattiesburg, Mississippi 39401

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "The Income Tax and Political Change?" (Tentative title)
An analysis of how the income tax moved from a redistributive to a distributive policy.
2. "Federalism and Innovation: An Empirical Test"
Using a number of adoptions of innovations, several tests will be constructed to determine whether there was a greater propensity to adopt among federal or non-federal polities.

Completion Date: Spring 1981

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. Copying Other Nations' Policies: Two American Case Studies (Schenkman Publishing Company, Forthcoming).
An attempt to assess how the presence of policies in one country may affect the process and outcome of policy-making in others. The cases are the income tax and social security.
 2. "Planning in American School Districts," Southern Journal of Educational Research (Fall 1980).
An attempt to assess the political factors that affect planning in school districts.
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NAME: Hugh Wilson
Institute for Suburban Studies
Adelphi University
Garden City, New York 11530

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Public Policy and Women in the Suburbs"

A look at the changing status of women in the suburbs--
more singles, separated, divorced, and widowed women--
and the responses of public and private sector deci-
sion-makers.

Completion Date: September 1980

2. "Adolescent Pregnancy in Suburbia"

A survey of teenage pregnancy outcomes in four suburban
communities and recommendations for public policy.

Completion Date: October 1980

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

"Getting It on With the Dream: Blacks in Suburbia,"
New York Affairs (New York University Graduate School
of Public Affairs)

A look at black migration and experiences in the suburbs
and some thoughts around the future of black suburban-
ization.

NAME: Joseph F. Zimmerman
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Albany, New York 12222

CURRENT RESEARCH:

1. "Local Discretionary Authority"

A national study of the amount of local discretionary
authority possessed by each type of general purpose
local government in each of the fifty states. Also
includes preparation of Indices of Local Discretionary
Authority for each type of local government by state.

Completion Date: August 1980 (First Draft)

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Joseph F. Zimmerman (Con't)

2. "The Impact of Federal Preemption Upon Intergovernmental Relations"

A study of partial federal preemption and its impact upon state and local governments, with particular attention paid to the impact upon state governors and their relations with state legislatures.

3. "Ethics and Intergovernmental Relations"

A study of the use of federal funds by state and local governments to avoid state constitutional civil service requirements, debt limits, and tax limits.

RECENT PUBLICATIONS:

1. "A 'Fair' Voting System for Local Governments," National Civic Review Vol. 68, No. 9 (October 1979), pp. 481-487 and 507.

Deals with the Federal Voting Rights Act and local election systems.

2. "The Metropolitan Governance Maze in the United States," Urban Law and Policy Vol. 2, (1979), pp. 265-284.

The title is descriptive (includes the roles of the federal and state governance).

3. "Local Representation: Designing a Fair System," National Civic Review, Vol. 69, No. 6 (June 1980), pp. 307-312.

Deals with the Federal Voting Rights Act and local election systems.

4. "Recent Trends in Local Governance in the United States," Actes du Colloque: Colloque International l'administration publique: Perspective d'avenir (Quebec: Ecole nationale d'administration publique, 1980), Vol. XI, pp. 2679-2746.

Deals with the federal, state, and local roles in the local governance system.

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