

Announcement of Awards Presented by the Florida Historical Society

The Florida Historical Society annually awards three literary prizes for original work done in Florida history. The awards for 1993 were announced at the annual meeting held in Pensacola on May 20-22, 1993.

The **Arthur W. Thompson Memorial Prize in Florida History** was awarded to Dr. Donald W. Curl, Florida Atlantic University, Boca Raton, for his article, "Joseph Urban's Palm Beach Architecture," which appeared in the April 1993 issue of the *Florida Historical Quarterly*.

The **Rembert W. Patrick Memorial Book Award** went to Dr. Edward A. Fernald and Dr. Elizabeth Purdum, Institute of Science and Public Affairs, Tallahassee, for their book *Atlas of Florida*, which was published by University Presses of Florida.

The **Charlton W. Tebeau Book Award** was presented to Dr. Robert E. Snyder and Dr. Jack B. Moore, University of South Florida, Tampa, for their book, *Pioneer Commercial Photography: The Burgert Brothers, Tampa, Florida*. Their book was published by University Presses of Florida.

The Florida Historical Society also recognizes outstanding essays in Florida history submitted by graduate and undergraduate students. The **Leroy Collins Prize** went to Patrick Riordan, a graduate student at Florida State University, for his paper, "Finding Freedom in Florida: African Americans, Indians, and Escape, 1739-1816." The winner of the **Caroline Mays Brevard Prize** was Heath Nailos, an undergraduate student at the University of South Florida, for her paper, "Tarpon Springs and the Great Depression." The **Frederick Cubberly Award** for the best high school essay went to Mia Bich from Zephyrhills High School for her paper, "Down and Dirty: Claude Pepper versus George Smathers." And the **Frederick Cubberly Award** for the outstanding high school teacher was presented to Jean McNary of Zephyrhills High School.

The Society awarded two **Golden Quill Awards**, which are given for outstanding media participation relating to Florida history. The recipients are: Patricia Kemp, WUSF FM 89.7, Tampa, for "The Child of the Sun"; and *Florida Living Magazine*, Gainesville, for "Our Florida Heritage" series.

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