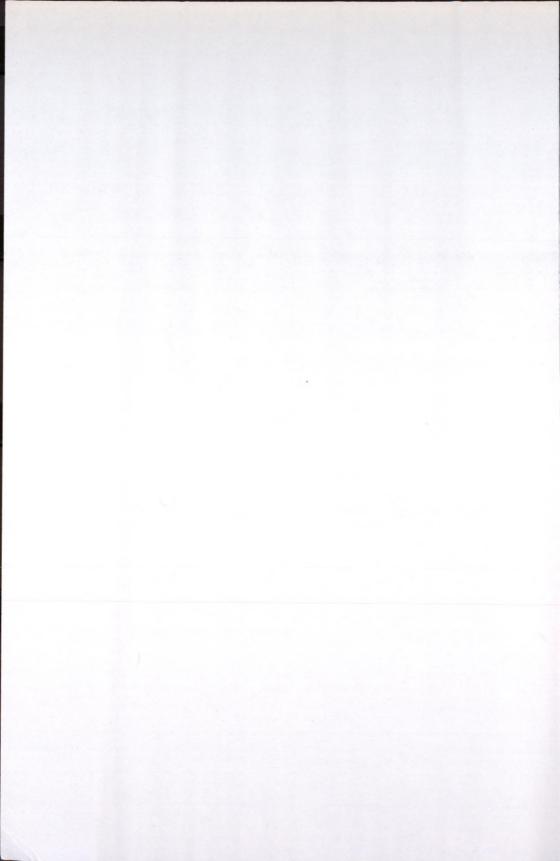
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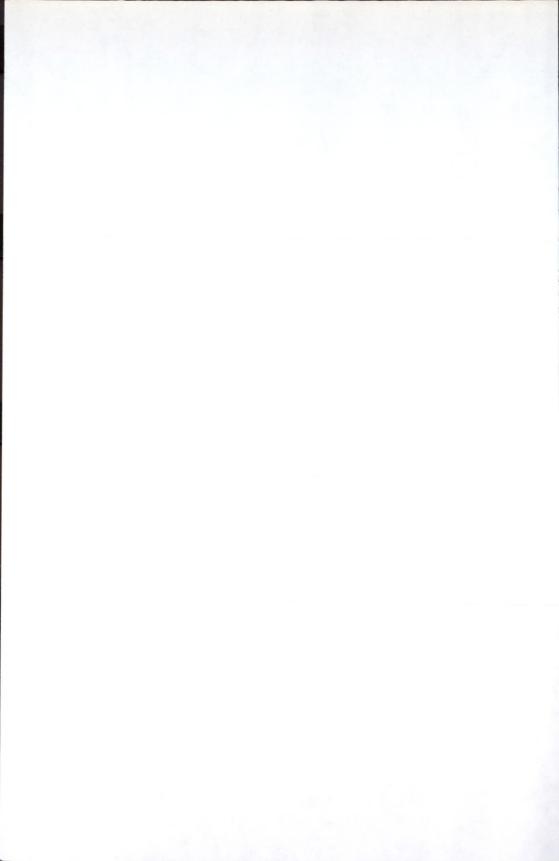
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#### FROM THE EDITORS

After eight years of untiring effort in compiling the "Annual Bibliography of German-Americana," Steven Benjamin, Renate Benjamin, and Donna Kauffman have decided to cease their bibliographic work for the Society in order to pursue other scholarly interests. We would like to take this opportunity to express our deepest appreciation for the significant and long-lasting contributions which Steve and his colleagues have made to the field of German-American Studies. Their successors as co-chairpersons of the Bibliographic Committee, Giles and Dolores Hoyt, join us in that expression of gratitude as well as in the wish for successful future endeavors for the Benjamins and Donna Kauffman. It goes without saying that our thanks and appreciation also are extended to those individual members of the Bibliographic Committee, past and present, whose careful scrutiny of sources from a variety of disciplines provides the basis for the compilation of the annual bibliography.

In addition to welcoming the Hoyts to the *Yearbook* team, we are happy to announce the appointment of Dr. Jörg Nagler, German Historical Institute, Washington, D.C., to the Editorial Board. The Institute, directed by Dr. Hartmut Lehmann, has done much in recent years to stimulate and support research in German-American Studies.

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