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FROM THE EDITORS

In Memoriam

MICHAEL I. HANDEL

The editors greatly regret to report the passing on 14 June 2001 of an esteemed colleague, scholar, friend, and contributor to this journal—Dr. Michael I. Handel, a member of the Naval War College's Department of Strategy and Policy and the holder of the Philip A. Crowl Chair of Comparative Strategy.

ANDREW E. GIBSON

The editors further regret to report the passing on 8 July 2001 of Andrew E. Gibson, formerly the holder of the Emory S. Land Chair of Maritime Affairs at the Naval War College, Assistant Secretary of Commerce, president of the Delta Steamship Company, coauthor of *The Abandoned Ocean*, and in World War II the youngest master (age twenty-two) of a Liberty ship, commanding the *Leonidas Merritt*. He also was a frequent contributor to the *Naval War College Review*.

NEWPORT PAPER NUMBER 15

A new volume in our Newport Papers series is now available: *International Environmental Law and Naval War: The Effect of Marine Safety and Pollution Conventions during International Armed Conflict*, by Sonja Ann Jozef Boelaert-Suominen. Dr. Boelaert-Suominen is currently an adviser on international law to the Office of the Prosecutor of the International Criminal Tribunal for the Former Yugoslavia. For a copy, contact our associate editor, Mrs. Pat Goodrich, at goodricp@nwc.navy.mil, (401) 841-6583, or by fax at (401) 841-1071. The monograph is also available at full length (Adobe Acrobat required) on our Website: www.nwc.navy.mil/press/npapers/newpaper.htm.

WINNERS OF THE HUGH G. NOTT PRIZE FOR 2000

The President of the Naval War College has announced the winners of prizes for the finest articles (less those considered for our history prize) appearing in the *Naval War College Review* in the 2000 publishing year:

- First Prize (\$500)** Dr. John Garofano, “Deciding on Military Intervention: What Is the Role of Senior Military Leaders?” (Spring)
- Second Prize (\$300)** Yoram Dinstein, “The Right to Humanitarian Assistance” (Autumn)
- Third Prize (\$200)** Maj. Robert D. Critchlow, USAF, “Whom the Gods Would Destroy: An Information Warfare Alternative for Deterrence and Compellence” (Summer), *and* Michael N. Schmitt and Maj. Peter J. Richards, USAF, “Into Uncharted Waters: The International Criminal Court” (Winter).

WINNER OF THE EDWARD S. MILLER HISTORY PRIZE FOR 2000

Through the generosity of the distinguished historian Edward S. Miller, the President of the Naval War College has awarded a prize to the author of the finest article on a historical subject to appear in the *Naval War College Review* in 2000. The winner (\$500) is Dr. Donald Chisholm, of the Naval War College, for “Negotiated Joint Command Relationships: Korean War Amphibious Operations, 1950” (Spring).

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