

(The College of Wooster) - on Kornej Čukovskij; **Semyon Garevich** - on the synthesis of Dante and Solov'ev in the works of Belyj; **Christine Tomel** (Allegheny College) - on color symbolism, the semiotic structure of *Petersburg* (1922); **Zoya Yurieff** (NYU) - a book, *Andrej Belyj: Cosmos-In-Creation*; **Bernice Rosenthal** (Fordham University) - on Nietzsche and the occult in Russian and Slavic culture; **Galina L. De Roock** (Michigan State University) - a book on literature and the other arts; one chapter, dealing with literature and music, includes a section on Belyj; **Olga Cooke** (Texas A&M University) - a book on the grotesque in Belyj's novels and a forthcoming article, "Gogol's 'Strašnaja mest'" and Belyj's Prose Fiction: the Role of Karma," *Russian Language Journal*; **Charlene Castellano** (Ohio State University) - a series of three essays on the subject of Belyj's place in Russian literary history, using *Petersburg's* synesthetic scheme as a focal point; **Amy Mandelker** (Graduate School of CUNY) - a forthcoming article, "Synaesthesia and Semiosis: Icon and Logos in Andrej Belyj's *Glossololija and Kotik Letcev*," *SE EJ*, No. 2, 1990.

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Charlene Castellano writes that the publication of her article on Belyj's memoirs, announced in *ABS N*, No. 7, has been postponed until May 1990. The full reference is: "Andrej Bely's Memories of Fiction," forthcoming in *Autobiographical Statements in Twentieth Century Russian Literature*, ed., Jane Gray Harris (Princeton: Princeton University Press, 1990), pp. 66-98.

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Peter I. Barta of Texas Tech University has organized a panel entitled "Belyj and Women" for the IV World Congress for Soviet and East European Studies, which will be held in Harrogate, England in July, 1990. Here are the participants:

Chairperson: Pamela Davidson

Discussant: John D. Elsworth

Olga Muller Cooke, "Virginity, Maternity and Promiscuity in Belyj's Women."

Lena Szilard, "Andrej Belyj i ego Beatrice."

Peter I. Barta, "*Kotik Letcev* and the Flight of the Witches."

Magnus Ljunggren, "Belyj's Dornach Inferno."

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Thomas R. Beyer, Jr. of Middlebury College writes to us from Heidelberg, FDR, where he is on leave for an entire year, working on Belyj in Berlin.

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Pekka Pesonen of the University of Helsinki has two articles in print: "Problematika rasskazčika v romane *Peterburg* Andreja Belogo i problemy romana samosoznanija v ruskoj proze XX veka," *Sbornik praci filosofické fakulty Brněnské universitety. Rada literarnevedna.* 10 pp; and "Semiotics of a City. The myth of St. Petersburg in Andrej Bely's Novel *Peterburg*," *Semiotica*, 20 pp.

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