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## NEWSLETTER

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INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE  
AT VICTORIA UNIVERSITY IN  
THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO

### THE LEGACY OF NORTHROP FRYE

29-31 OCTOBER 1992

Friday, 30 October — Afternoon  
Conference Session III: Northrop  
Frye and Imaginative Literature

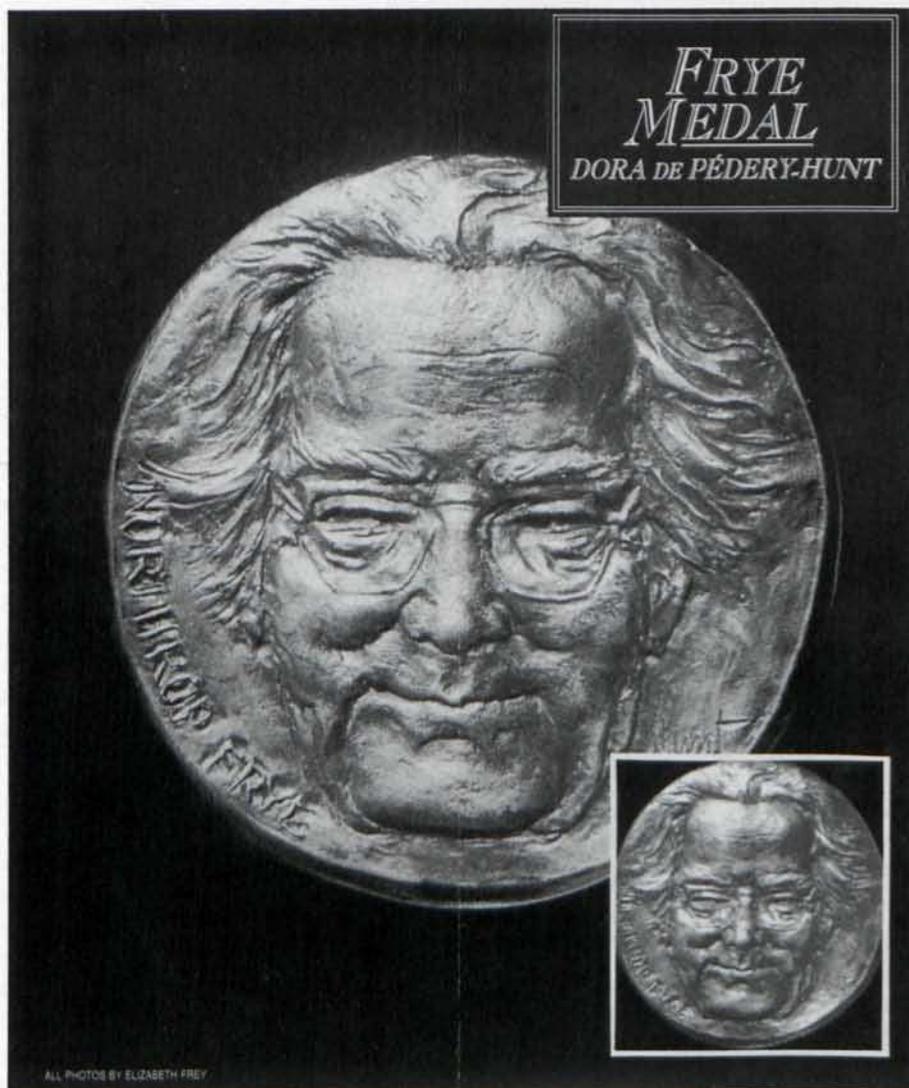
Some papers on Blake and related subjects:

Gerald E. Bentley, Jr. (University of Toronto), "Blake on Frye and Frye on Blake"; Angela Esterhammer (University of Western Ontario), "The Constitution of Blake's Innocence and Experience"; Michael Fischer (University of New Mexico), "Northrop Frye and the Politics of English Romanticism"; Monika Lee (University of Western Ontario), "Shelley's *Defence of Poetry* and Northrop Frye: A Theory of Synchronicity."

### THE NORTHROP FRYE CENTRE AND THE FRYE MEDAL

The Northrop Frye Centre officially opened at Victoria University in September, 1989. Its aim is to enable promising scholars to carry out research in the humanities or reflect upon that work in the spirit of the tradition of Frye. The Centre offers small research grants, invites visiting scholars from abroad, and has begun to support lectureships. A selection committee chooses the projects to be supported. Send inquiries to the Northrop Frye Centre, c/o Dr. Eva Kushner, President, Victoria University, 73 Queen's Park Crescent, Toronto, Ontario M5S 1K7.

A special commemorative medal cast individually in bronze, silver, vermeil or gold, featuring the late Northrop Frye, by Canada's foremost sculptor and medal designer, Dora de Pédery-Hunt, is now available for pur-



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chase for a limited time. Proceeds will be shared by the Northrop Frye Centre and Victoria University. Send inquiries to Frye Medal, Victoria Alumni Office, 150 Charles Street West, Toronto, Ontario M5S 1K9.

### SHELLEY BICENTENARY UNISA INTERNATIONAL CONFERENCE

#### CALL FOR PAPERS

The Department of English at the University of South Africa will hold a three-day international conference from 15 to 17 October 1992 to mark the bicentenary of the birth of Percy Bysshe Shelley. The title of the

conference, "The Most Unfailing Herald," refers to the role of poetry as the precursor of enlightenment and reform. According to the organizers, there will be scope for those who wish to relate Shelley's thought to conditions prevailing in South Africa. Well-known scholars from overseas will be participating in the conference. The conference fee, which includes lunch and tea, will be R100 (approx. \$35) per delegate. Those interested in delivering a paper should contact the convener, Dr. Alan Weinberg, at: Dept. of English, PO Box 392, University of South Africa, 0001 Pretoria, South Africa. Tel: (012) 429-6294. Fax: (012) 429-3221.