

popularity of Newtonianism. In some cases, Newtonianism and Leibnizianism were combined to form a fruitful synthesis of ideas. The dissertation is to be completed by 1996 and will be available in English.

The recent book by **Cornelis Anthonie van Peursen**, *Ars inveniendi. Filosofie van de inventiviteit van Francis Bacon tot Immanuel Kant* (Kampen: Kok Agora, 1993, 235 p.) contains interesting chapters on *ars inveniendi* in Leibniz and Wolff. Van Peursen is emeritus professor of philosophy at Groningen, Leiden and Amsterdam.

### **News from Canada: François Duchesneau, Université de Montréal**

**F. Duchesneau**, *La logique de Leibniz*, Paris: Vrin, 1994 (collection: Mathesis) 368 p., has been published. This has appeared at the same time as the publication of **M. Fichant** (ed.), *G.W. Leibniz, La réforme de la dynamique. De corporum concursu (1678) et autres textes inédits, Edition, présentation, traductions et commentaires*, Paris: Vrin, 1994, (collection: Mathesis) 444 p.

**A special Leibniz issue of the *Revue Internationale de Philosophie***, Vol. 48, No. 188, April 1994, pages 97-263, has appeared. It is edited by F. Duchesneau and M. Fichant, with contributions by J. Bouveresse, H. Breger, F. Duchesneau, A. G. Ranea, M. Fichant, M. Schneider, and C. Wilson.

An international symposium on **Logic and the Workings of the Mind: Ramus to Kant**, is planned for 19-21 May 1995 at the University of Western Ontario, by the members of the Early Modern Logic Project, under the direction of Thomas M. Lennon.

F. Duchesneau will be invited professor in the Mercier Chair at the University of Louvain (Belgium) in March-April 1995. He will deliver a series of lectures, partly on Leibniz, entitled “**Empirisme et rationalisme classique: la problématique de l’être vivant.**”