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## From the President's Desk

OUR FIRST venture across the Atlantic to co-host the 8th Annual International Symposium at Washington, D.C., 1st – 5th October, 1990, proved a great success. The Library of Congress provided a fine

venue for the lectures and the Washington Map Society was an admirable partner as joint organiser and sponsor.

At the Banquet on 4th October, the Washington Map Society handed out a