

News and Notes

Activities

Earl Black, University of South Carolina, spent the academic year 1977-78 in Washington, D.C., as a fellow of the Woodrow Wilson International Center for Scholars. His research topic was "Change and Continuity in Southern Electoral Politics."

Susan C. Bourque, **Donna Robinson Divine**, and **Martha A. Ackelsberg**, Smith College, are sharing in a \$350,000 Mellon grant for a multi-disciplinary study on "Women and Social Change."

Lewis Brownstein, State University of New York, College at New Paltz, attended the State Department Scholar-Diplomat Seminar on the Middle East in January 1978.

Jeremy Byman, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, has been awarded a National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar fellowship to study "Myth, Symbolic Modes, and Ideology" at Claremont Graduate School.

John R. Chamberlin, University of Michigan, participated in a conference on Political Science and the Study of Public Policy sponsored by Michigan State University at Hickory Corners, Michigan, May 15-17, 1978, and in the Workshop on Ethics and Public Policy, sponsored by the University of Maryland and the Hastings Center, June 18-24, 1978.

Harold Clare and **Lawrence LeDuc** of the University of Windsor, and **Jane Jenson** and **Jon Pammett** of Carleton University, have been awarded a grant of \$289,000 by the Canada Council to conduct a national survey of the Canadian electorate following the next federal election in Canada. The survey which they will direct is of partial panel design, and represents a continuation of work begun by this group in 1974. Their book, based on past studies of electoral behavior in Canada entitled *Political Choice in Canada*, is presently being published by McGraw-Hill Ryerson, Ltd. of Toronto.

Gregory A. Daneke, University of Michigan, will spend much of the academic year 1978-79 on a faculty fellowship with the U.S. General Accounting Office in Washington, D.C. There he will be conducting assessments of alternative energy policies.

Leon D. Epstein, University of Wisconsin, Madison, received the Faculty Prize for teaching and scholarship awarded by the Madison Chapter of Phi Beta Kappa.

Charles R. Foster, Committee on Atlantic Studies, participated in the annual meetings of the Standing Conference of Atlantic Organiza-

tions in Steyning, England, June 1-4, 1978, the Conference on Participation and Public Policy of the Political Education Academy, Tutzing, Bavaria, June 5-10, and the 199th Wilton Park Conference on "Supernationalism, Nationalism, and Regional Identity," June 11-18.

Steven Goldstein, Smith College, was one of the co-organizers of a workshop on Chinese Communist Rural Base Areas—1922-1944, held at the Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, Harvard University, summer 1978.

William C. Havard, Vanderbilt University, delivered the 36th series of Edward Douglass White Lectures on Citizenship at Louisiana State University on April 11-12, 1978. His subject was "The Urge to Reform: Preserving and Extending the Meaning of Representative Institutions."

Martin O. Heisler, University of Maryland, will spend 1978-79 at the University of Aarhus, Denmark, as Senior Fulbright Lecturer at the Institute of Political Science. He will conduct research on the evolution of the welfare state from a policy perspective and complete a book on the political economy dimensions of ethnic and regional autonomy movements. In January-February 1978, Heisler participated in the Second Paterson Conference on Federal Responses to Current Political Problems at Bar-Ilan University, Israel.

Chun-tu Hsueh, University of Maryland, is Research Associate at the Fairbank Center for East Asian Research, Harvard University, for the fall of 1978. His edited book, *Dimensions of China's Foreign Relations*, was selected by the *Asia Mail* for honorable mention in its list of the best 10 books in 1977 concerning Asian subjects.

Nolan Jones, University of Michigan, is on leave serving as Staff Associate for the Committee on Criminal Justice and Public Protection at the National Governors' Association.

Akira Kubota, University of Windsor, was reelected chairperson of the Committee on Scholars of Asian Descent of the Association for Asian Studies during the 1978 annual meeting of the Association for Asian Studies in Chicago, March 31-April 2, 1978.

Lawrence D. Longley, Lawrence University, will be on leave for the fall semester of 1978 while he serves as Academic Director of the Washington Semester Program, American University.

F. Glenn McNitt, State University of New York, New Paltz, was a participant in the AAAS-NSF short course on "Social Indicators"

at the University of Hartford during the 1977-78 academic year.

Donald C. Menzel, West Virginia University, has received a grant from the Ford Foundation to study the impact of the energy crisis on public policy and decision-making in West Virginia.

Josephine F. Milburn, University of Rhode Island, was on sabbatical leave during 1977-78 and received an NSF Scientists and Engineers in Economic Development (SEED) grant for a study of marketing of cocoa in Ghana.

Manindra Mohapatra, Old Dominion University, has been selected for a 1978 Summer Faculty Fellowship by NASA. He will be doing research with an interdisciplinary scientific team at NASA, Langley, Virginia. He has also been nominated to be a member of the Academic Advisory Board of the International Ombudsman Committee.

Charles Prysby, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, has been awarded a National Endowment for the Humanities Summer Seminar Fellowship to study "Political Participation in Comparative Perspective" at Yale University.

Robert H. Puckett, Indiana State University, received a grant to attend an eight-week NEH seminar at the University of Virginia. He also was recently elected to a three-year term on the Board of Directors of the Southern Indiana Health Systems Agency.

Donald Allen Robinson, Smith College, has been serving during 1977-78 as Director of Project 87, an interdisciplinary study of the United States Constitution, sponsored jointly by the American Historical Association and the American Political Science Association.

George K. Romoser, University of New Hampshire, and Chairman, Conference Group on German Politics, has been appointed a Rockefeller Fellow of the Aspen Institute for Humanistic Studies, 1978-79.

Richard Rose, University of Strathclyde, was the keynote speaker at the Annual Summer School of the Australian Institute of Political Science, Canberra, January 1978. In May 1978, he was a visiting professor at the European University Institute, Florence, Italy.

Stanley Rothman, Smith College, is conducting a study of mass media in the United States in conjunction with The Research Institute on International Change at Columbia University.

David Spitz, Hunter College and Graduate Center, City University of New York, has been awarded a Rockefeller Fellowship for 1978-79 and will be on sabbatical leave to do research on John Stuart Mill and the Principle of Liberalism.

Ronald Steinberg, State University of New York, New Paltz, received a summer grant from the SUNY Research Foundation to continue his work on the New York State Court of Appeals.

Ronald J. Stupak, Federal Executive Institute, received outstanding performance recognition with a Quality Step Increase from the U.S. Civil

Service Commission, was awarded a "Certificate of Appreciation" from the U.S. Army Audit Agency, and has been made a member of the Editorial Boards of *The Bureaucrat* and *The Public Administration Times*.

Gary E. Thompson, Abilene Christian University, has won nomination in the Democratic Primary for a two-year term in the Texas House of Representatives.

John A. Vosburgh, University of Arizona, has received a Fulbright-Hays lecture grant to teach international relations in the Faculty of Law at the University of Furinam for the 1978-79 academic year.

Stephen L. Wasby, State University of New York at Albany, is on leave serving as Program Director, Law and Social Science Program, National Science Foundation.

Meredith W. Watts, University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee, is on administrative leave to serve as Assistant to the Chancellor.

New Appointments

Shlomo Avineri, professor-at-large, Cornell University.

Nathaniel L. Beck, assistant professor, University of California, San Diego; formerly of Washington State University.

Devin C. Bent, associate professor, James Madison University; formerly Special Assistant to the Mayor of Atlanta.

T. R. Carr, assistant professor, Texas Tech University; formerly of University of Oklahoma.

John E. Chubb, assistant professor, Stanford University.

William H. Dutton, associate professor, San Diego State University; formerly of University of California, Irvine.

Patrick L. Eagan, associate professor, John Carroll University; formerly of University of Massachusetts, Amherst.

Philip S. Gillette, associate professor, Old Dominion University; formerly of Kalamazoo College.

John D. Harman, assistant professor, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University.

Douglas A. Hibbs, Jr., professor, Harvard University; formerly of M.I.T.

Robert A. Isaak, associate professor, The Johns Hopkins University, School of Advanced International Studies, Center in Bologna, Italy.

Sheldon Kamieniecki, assistant professor, California State College, San Bernardino.

James D. Kinnaird, Jr., instructor, James Madison University; formerly of Valdosta State College.

Kay M. Knickrehm, assistant professor, James Madison University; formerly of University of Maryland.

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Herbert Kritzer, assistant professor, University of Wisconsin, Madison; formerly of Rice University.

Arend Lijphart, professor, University of California, San Diego; formerly of University of Leiden, Holland.

Theodore Roosevelt Malloch, Jr., assistant professor, Gordon College, Wenham, Massachusetts.

Philip G. Roeder, assistant professor, University of New Mexico.

Ellis Sandoz, professor, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge.

Joseph Stewart, assistant professor, University of New Orleans; formerly of Wichita State.

Donald V. Weatherman, assistant professor, College of St. Catherine.

Mary Weaver, assistant professor, Trinity College, San Antonio.

William T. Weber, assistant professor, James Madison University.

Visiting and Temporary Appointments

Stephen C. Craig, visiting assistant professor, University of New Mexico, 1978-79.

Henry L. Ehrmann, Dartmouth College (Emeritus); University of California, San Diego.

Ada Finifter, Michigan State University; visiting fellow, Research School of Social Sciences, The Australian National University, April-June 1978.

Michael M. Gunter, senior Fulbright-Hays Lecturer, The Middle East Technical University, Ankara, Turkey, 1978-79.

Saray McCally Morehouse, visiting lecturer, Wesleyan University, Spring 1978-1979.

Edward Sidlow, visiting instructor, Arizona State University, 1978-79.

Administrative Appointments

William P. Angrick, Citizens' Aide/Ombudsman, State of Iowa; formerly of Drake University.

Marilyn Chelstrom, President and Chief Operating Officer, The Robert A. Taft Institute of Government.

Joseph N. Crowley, acting President, University of Nevada, Reno.

Don W. Driggs, Chairperson, University of Nevada, Reno.

Melvin Dubnick, coordinator, Institute for Political Philosophy and Policy Analysis and Director, Public Affairs Program, Loyola University of Chicago.

John Foster, Director, Master of Public Affairs Program, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale.

Philip Green, Chairman, Smith College.

Joel B. Grossman, Editor, *Law and Society Review*.

Gerald E. Kerns, Chairman, University of Dayton.

Joel Margolis, general associate, New York State Legislative Commission on Expenditure Review.

David RePas, chairman, University of Connecticut, Storrs.

James Svava, Director of Graduate Studies in Political Science and Public Affairs, University of North Carolina, Greensboro.

David B. Truman, President, Russell Sage Foundation; formerly of Mount Holyoke College.

Clement E. Vose, chairman, Wesleyan University.

Promotions

John H. Aldrich, Michigan State University: associate professor.

Kathleen L. Barber, John Carroll University: professor.

Alan Chartock, State University of New York, New Paltz: professor.

Robert DiClerico, West Virginia University: associate professor.

Donna Robinson Divine, Smith College: associate professor.

Charles F. Doran, Rice University: professor.

Robert Booth Fowler, University of Wisconsin, Madison: professor.

Douglas M. Fox, William Paterson College of New Jersey: professor.

F. Chris Garcia, University of New Mexico: professor.

Alan Gitelson, Loyola University of Chicago: associate professor.

M. Lal Goel, University of West Florida: professor.

Fred M. Hayward, University of Wisconsin, Madison: professor.

John S. Jackson, III, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale: professor.

Nannerl O. Keohane, Stanford University: associate professor.

David J. Louscher, University of Akron: associate professor.

Donald C. Menzel, West Virginia University: associate professor.

Russell D. Murphy, Wesleyan University: professor.

Charles Prysby, University of North Carolina, Greensboro: associate professor.

Donald Allen Robinson, Smith College: professor.

David W. Rohde, Michigan State University: professor.

Richard D. Shingles, Virginia Polytechnic Institute and State University: associate professor.

Steven A. Shull, University of New Orleans: associate professor and director of graduate students.

Richard L. Siegel, University of Nevada, Reno: professor.

James Svava, University of North Carolina, Greensboro: associate professor.

Leonard B. Weinberg, University of Nevada, Reno: professor.

Richard F. Weisfelder, University of Toledo: associate professor.

Robert Youngblood, Arizona State University: associate professor.

Retirements

David Fellman, University of Wisconsin, Madison, Vilas Professor of Political Science, retired from active teaching in June 1978.

Edwin C. Hoyt, University of New Mexico, professor emeritus.

Lenoir Wright, University of North Carolina, Greensboro, has retired after 25 years with the University.

In Memoriam

William Welch

William Welch, Professor of Political Science at the University of Colorado, died of cancer at his home in Boulder in February 25, 1978 at the age of 60. He is survived by his widow, Katharine, and three sons: William Pierce Welch, assistant Professor of Economics at the University of Pittsburgh; James H. Welch, a graduate student in solar technology at Arizona State University; and H. Gilbert Welch, a medical student at the University of Cincinnati.

Bill Welch was born in New Haven, Connecticut on September 11, 1917. He graduated from Harvard, *magna cum laude*, in 1938. He returned to New Haven to teach and earn a Master's degree from Yale University. He received his Ph.D. degree from Columbia University in 1951. His areas of special interest were political philosophy and comparative government, with special emphasis on Russian and East European affairs.

During World War II Bill served for three years in the U.S. Army and was assigned to a specialized training program at Harvard in 1943-44 to study the Russian language and the East European area. After the war he taught at Hamilton College in Clinton, New York from 1948 to 1952. He then went to Washington, D.C. where he was a research analyst for the

Central Intelligence Agency from 1952 to 1960. He was awarded a fellowship for 1957-58 at the Washington Center for Foreign Policy Research. In 1960-61 he was a visiting Professor at the University of California in Berkeley.

Bill Welch joined the Political Science Department at the University of Colorado in 1961, where he taught Political Theory, International Affairs, Comparative Government (especially Soviet-East European), and American Government. He was associate director of the Honors Program from 1962 to 1967. During the academic year 1967-68 he was awarded a Faculty Fellowship; the fall semester of 1968 was spent in Vienna, Austria, and traveling in Russia and other East European countries.

Bill Welch was the author of *American Images of Soviet Foreign Policy*, published by Yale University Press in 1970 and numerous articles in journals, including the *Journal of Central European Affairs*, *South Atlantic Quarterly*, *Midwest Quarterly*, *Rocky Mountain Social Science Journal*, and *University of Colorado Studies: Series in Political Science No. 3* and others. In addition Bill was an accomplished pianist and wrote an article on his favorite composer, Mozart, entitled "A Layman's Appreciation of Mozart" for the November 1957 issue of *The Music Review*.

As colleagues and students alike have expressed, Bill Welch was one of those rare individuals who stands out as a model of the ideal university professor. An expert in political theory and international affairs, he used his scholastic research to give his students a thorough understanding of these disciplines. Widely read in music, art, and literature he could add new dimensions to his students' perspectives. He invited student participation during his lectures, relying on the Socratic method to stimulate discussion. His sincere, gentle, and gracious manner always put one at ease and instilled confidence—be it lower classman, graduate student, or faculty member. As one colleague expressed it, Bill achieved a "rare blending of scholarly detachment and warm attachment, a sense of standard and concern for excellence *and* a compassion for the frailties of the human species."

In addition to his academic and musical talents, Bill had many interests. He enjoyed tennis, mountain hiking, and cross-country skiing. He was an avid reader of mysteries, an occasional writer of doggerel and haiku, an authority on Groucho Marx, a naturalist and bird-watcher, and an enthusiastic train traveler. His sense of humor was an unflinching source of delight to family, friends, and students even as he knew the end of his life was near. He was always most considerate of others—never speaking ill of anyone. When he learned that he was dying of cancer, he approached the inevitable calmly and reconciled himself to death as part of life. But what disturbed him most about his illness and its final consequences was the inconvenience he believed he was causing others.

At the time of his death, Bill Welch was working on a textbook in Political Philosophy