

NEWS AND NOTES

PERSONAL AND MISCELLANEOUS

Compiled by the Managing Editor

Professor David P. Barrows is on semi-sabbatical leave from the University of California this semester, and Professor Eric C. Bellquist is in the meantime serving as chairman of the political science department.

Dr. Herman Finer, of the London School of Economics and Political Science, who was to have served as visiting professor at the University of Michigan during the first semester, was recalled to England in October.

Professor Ralston Hayden, on leave from the University of Michigan, has been appointed a member of the Board of Analysts in the federal Office of Coordination of Information.

Professor William Anderson, of the University of Minnesota, has been elected president of the Minneapolis Research Bureau, an affiliate of the Minneapolis Civic Council. The Bureau is organized for research in problems affecting the welfare of the city, including matters of government, taxation, and administration.

Dr. Harold D. Lasswell is continuing a second year as chief of the Experimental Division for the Study of War-Time Communications, at the Library of Congress, and would be glad to be informed of research studies in progress in the field of crisis communication.

Professor Frank M. Stewart, director of the bureau of governmental research at the University of California at Los Angeles, was elected president of the Western Governmental Research Association at that organization's meeting at Sacramento in October.

Professors John A. Fairlie, of the University of Illinois, Roger Shumate, of the University of Nebraska, and Carl M. Frasure, of West Virginia University, were delegates to the thirty-fourth annual conference of the National Tax Association in St. Paul, October 13-16. Professor Fairlie also lectured to the graduate seminar in public administration at the University of Minnesota.

Professor A. N. Christensen, of the University of Minnesota, was a member of the lecture staff of two schools held under the auspices of the Division of Program Study and Discussion of the U. S. Department of Agriculture at Spokane, Washington, October 27-31, and Portland, Oregon, November 3-6.

Mr. Henry N. Williams, who recently completed his work for the doctorate in public administration at the University of Chicago, has been

added to the staff at Vanderbilt University, and is giving half his time to the new Institute of Research and Training in the Social Sciences.

Professor H. Schuyler Foster, of Ohio State University, was at the University of West Virginia during the second term of the summer quarter. Earlier in the summer, he was a member of the War Communications Research Division of the Library of Congress.

Dr. Max Ascoli, dean of the Graduate Faculty of the New School for Social Research, has been appointed associate director of cultural relations of the Committee for the Coördination of Commercial and Cultural Ties Between the American Republics. During his year's leave of absence, his position on the Graduate Faculty is being filled by Dr. Hans Simons.

Dr. Pitman B. Potter is engaged upon a research project at the Brookings Institution, and in the autumn will assume the chairmanship of the department of political science at Oberlin College, succeeding Professor Oscar Jászi, who at that time will retire from active teaching.

Professor Harvey Walker, of Ohio State University, has been called to active duty as a captain in the Finance Department of the U. S. Army, and has been given leave of absence from the University for a year, although he will continue to supervise the work of his present graduate students. He is assigned to duty as assistant finance officer in the Finance Office, U. S. Army, Columbus, Ohio.

Professor William B. Ballis has received a year's leave from Ohio State University to work in Washington in the national defense program. Going first as Russian and Far Eastern expert in the Office of the Administrator of Export Control, he has subsequently been transferred to the Office of Production Management, where he is senior liaison officer for Russia and China. Professor Ballis' place at Ohio State is being filled this year by Professor James T. Watkins IV, recently of the University of Chicago.

Professor Amry Vandenbosch, of the University of Kentucky, has been granted leave of absence to become an associate in the Division of Special Information, Office of the Coördinator of Information, at Washington. During Professor Vandenbosch's absence, Professor J. B. Shannon is acting head of the political science department at Kentucky.

The Connecticut Valley Political Science Association has agreed to meet in Amherst, Massachusetts, next spring, with Massachusetts State College and Amherst College acting as hosts.

Professor Frank M. Russell, of the University of California, has taken a semester's leave in order to engage in research and writing.

At the University of Missouri, Dr. William L. Bradshaw has been advanced to a full professorship; and at Hamilton College, Dr. Henry Janzen to an associate professorship.

Miss Sarah G. Blanding has resigned her associate professorship of political science at the University of Kentucky to accept an appointment as director of the School of Home Economics at Cornell University.

Dr. Alexander T. Edelmann, of the University of Tennessee, has been appointed assistant professor of political science at the University of Kentucky.

Dr. Edward George Lewis has been appointed instructor in government at the University of Texas, and Mr. Paul Kelso at Ohio State University.

Recent recipients of the doctor's degree at Ohio State University are Robert Robbins, instructor at Tufts College, and Ceph L. Stephens, instructor at Ohio State.

At the University of Virginia, Dr. Alfred Fernbach, who received his degree at the University of Wisconsin last June, is substituting for Professor R. K. Gooch during the latter's period of service in connection with the national defense program.

Dr. Angus M. Laird, assistant professor in the department of history and political science at the University of Florida, has been appointed merit system supervisor of the merit system of the Florida state board of health and the crippled children's commission.

Senator Gaetano Mosca, eminent teacher of political theory and public law at the Universities of Palermo, Turin, and Rome, and author of many scholarly works, died at Rome on November 9 at the age of eighty-three. An English translation of his well-known *Elementi di Scienza Politica*, prepared by Professor Arthur Livingston, of Columbia University, and bearing the title, *The Ruling Class*, was published at New York in 1939.

An institute of Pan-American relations will be held at Drake University, December 5-6. Among persons who will participate are Professors J. Fred Rippy, University of Chicago, and F. W. Schultz, Iowa State College; Dr. Wallace McClure, U. S. Department of State; and Senor Gonzalo Macias, agricultural attaché of the Mexican Embassy.

Professor Stuart A. MacCorkle, of the University of Texas, has been granted leave of absence for the present academic year, and has been awarded a research fellowship by the University Research Institute. He likewise is serving as visiting educational counsellor at the National Institute of Public Affairs in Washington, D. C. Professor Charles A. Timm is also on leave during the first semester and is working under a grant from the University Research Institute.

The annual series of lectures at Berkeley, sponsored by the President's Committee on International Relations, University of California, was this year entitled "Problems of Hemispheric Defense." The panel of lecturers included Professors John B. Condliffe, William H. Alexander, Russell H. Fitzgibbon, Baldwin M. Woods, and Herbert I. Priestley.

In August, Professor Edward F. Dow, of the University of Maine, was appointed by Governor Sewall chairman of the state personnel board, separated under a legislative act of 1941 from the department of finance. Formerly the budget officer was *ex officio* chairman of the board.

Mr. James O. Overby has resigned an assistantship at the University of Kentucky to accept appointment to an instructorship at Indiana University.

Mr. W. Crafton Nealley, formerly with Central Washington College of Education, has been appointed to an instructorship at Syracuse University.

Mr. Leroy Ferguson has been appointed instructor in the division of political science at the Florida State College for Women.

Mr. Norman Beck, who received his doctorate at the University of Chicago last summer, has been appointed to the department of political science in the School of Business of New York University.

Dr. Karl A. Bosworth has resigned his position with the bureau of public administration at the University of Alabama to accept the position with the Illinois Legislative Council recently vacated by Dr. Gilbert G. Lentz.

At Dartmouth College, Mr. John Pelényi, former minister to the United States from Hungary, has been appointed visiting lecturer, with the rank of professor of political science, for the current academic year, and Dr. Bernard Brodie, formerly of the Princeton Institute for Advanced Study, has been appointed instructor. Professor Harold J. Tobin has succeeded Professor Hugh L. Elsbree as chairman of the department.

Professor David Y. Thomas, lately retired at the University of Arkansas, has been serving as visiting professor at the University of Texas during the first semester of the present year. Professor A. R. Hatton, of Northwestern University, will serve in the same capacity during the second semester. Professor Thomas is teaching courses in international politics and international law; Professor Hatton will conduct courses in municipal government and American political issues.

Dr. W. O. Scroggs, formerly with the Council on Foreign Relations, has been appointed dean of the Graduate School at Louisiana State University and will have charge of the undergraduate course in American diplomacy and international relations formerly conducted by Dean Charles W. Pipkin.

Professor Philip H. Taylor is on leave from Syracuse University, and is serving in the Intelligence Division of the War Department at Washington. To the resulting vacancy in the field of international affairs, Professor W. Lonsdale Taylor, recently returned from study in Mexico, has been appointed.

At the University of Oregon, Professor James D. Barnett, head of the department of political science for thirty-three years, has been made professor emeritus, and Professor William C. Jones, formerly of Willamette University, has been named as his successor. Dr. Herman Kehrlí has been promoted to an associate professorship, and Dr. Fred V. Cahill, who received his degree at Yale in June, has been appointed instructor.

At the University of Kentucky, Professor E. G. Trimble has been made acting director of the bureau of government research for the current year, and Mr. John E. Reeves has been promoted from instructor to assistant professor.

Mr. Dale Pontius has become an associate planning editor under the National Resources Planning Board and is occupied with a study of industrial location as related to national defense.

Dr. Albert Lepawsky is director, and Professor Leonard D. White chairman of the advisory committee, of the Institute of Public Service recently established by the University of Chicago and described briefly in the preceding issue of this *Review*.

At Seattle, early in November, the Bureau of International Relations presented Professors Graham H. Stuart, of Stanford University, and L. B. Simpson, of the University of California, in a symposium on Latin American affairs.

An all-university study of the Louisiana state revenue system is under way at Louisiana State University under the direction of Professor Jefferson B. Fordham of the law faculty. Eight departments of teaching and research are associated in the undertaking. Mr. Donald H. Morrison, instructor in government and associate in the bureau of government research, is giving half time to the project, and Professor Charles S. Hyneman, director of the bureau of government research, is a member of the coordinating committee set up to supervise the study.

The Third Annual Conference on Governmental Problems, held at Marshall College on October 22, was devoted to the subject, "Government and Labor," with Dr. Marshall E. Dimock, U. S. Department of Justice; Robert J. Watt, A. F. of L. representative, National Defense Mediation Board; Philip G. Philips, director, National Labor Relations Board,

Ninth District; Charles J. Sattler, commissioner of labor, state of West Virginia; John B. Easton, West Virginia Industrial Council (C. I. O.); and other state and local labor and government leaders participating. Professor Conley H. Dillon, chairman of the department of political science, served as chairman of the committee on arrangements.

At Louisiana State University, Professor Charles S. Hyneman has been relieved of his teaching duties for the current year so that he may assist in the work of the newly created department of state civil service. The University's bureau of government research has been asked to lay the groundwork for a program of public service training and to undertake certain duties in connection with the classification of state employees, and Dr. Hyneman has been given the title of supervisor of classification and public service training in the civil service department. Professor Robert J. Harris has been appointed head of the department of government at the University for the current year.

The Southern Institute of Local Government, which on October 17 and 18 held its second meeting at the University of Tennessee, has been organized permanently with a directing committee under the chairmanship of Mr. Frank Ahlgren, editor of *The Commercial Appeal* of Memphis, Tennessee. This year's meeting was devoted to problems of local finance. The principal speakers included Mr. J. M. Cunningham, deputy comptroller of New York City; Mr. Walter Millard, of the National Municipal League; Dr. Frederick L. Bird, of Dun and Bradstreet; Mr. Harland Bartholomew; and Dr. Albert Lepawsky, of the University of Chicago.

The committee of the American Political Science Association appointed to consult with the Advisory Board of the National Citizenship Education Program sponsored by the U. S. Department of Justice (see this REVIEW, October, 1941, p. 965) consists of the following persons: Marshall E. Dimock, U. S. Department of Justice, chairman; Franklin L. Burdette, Butler University; Joseph P. Chamberlain, Columbia University; Kenneth Colegrove, Northwestern University; John M. Gaus, University of Wisconsin; Pendleton Herring, Harvard University; Roscoe C. Martin, University of Alabama; John B. Mason, Fresno State College; Peter H. Odegard, Amherst College; Mrs. Catheryn Seckler-Hudson, American University; Russell M. Story, Claremont Colleges; and Elbert D. Thomas, U. S. Senator from Utah.

The Southern Political Science Association held its fourteenth annual meeting at Nashville, Tennessee, November 14-15. The subjects for discussion included "Competence in Political Science," "One-Party Government in the South," "Civil-Military Relations," and "Post-War Objectives." Mr. Arthur S. Flemming, member of the U. S. Civil Service Commission,

was one of the speakers, and Professors T. V. Smith, of the University of Chicago, and Harvey Walker, of Ohio State University, represented the American Political Science Association. Some sessions were held jointly with the Southern Economic Association. Officers were elected for the coming year as follows: president, Roscoe C. Martin, University of Alabama; vice-president, James Hart, University of Virginia; recording secretary, John T. Caldwell, Vanderbilt University; secretary-treasurer, Manning J. Dauer, University of Florida; members of the Executive Council; Taylor Cole, Duke University; Paul K. Walp, University of Tennessee; Miss Marian D. Irish, Florida State College for Women; and A. B. Daspit, Louisiana State University. Robert J. Harris, Louisiana State University, was reelected editor of the *Journal of Politics*.

Northwestern University is announcing a program of post-entry university training for public service employees in the Chicago area. The program is sponsored by a group of public officials including the following: Louis Brownlow, director, Public Administration Clearing House; H. H. Woolhiser, village manager, Winnetka; Robert J. Dunham, president, Board of Commissioners, Chicago Park District; Robert Kingery, Illinois State Planning Commission; W. W. DeBerard, city engineer of Chicago; and Joseph L. Moss, director, Cook County Bureau of Public Welfare. Professor George C. S. Benson, of the political science department, is chairman of the University committee in charge of the program. Representatives of the schools of commerce, law, engineering, education, and of the departments of economics, psychology, and sociology are included. The main training program will be carried on at Northwestern's Chicago campus under the auspices of University College, and will specialize in courses requested by public officials and employees and of genuine practical value to them. Those giving courses will include James M. Mitchell, executive director, Civil Service Assembly; David W. Robinson, executive director, Public Administration Service; V. K. Brown, director of recreation, Chicago Park District; and other officials, in addition to members of the University staff.

Exiled Governments: Their Official Records. The removal of the seat of government of the Polish Republic to France on September 25, 1939, marks the beginning of the march of other governments into exile. Their current printed official records in exile may assume much more than ordinary importance if and when these governments return to their national territories. In view of the difficulty of communications at the present time, a brief description of the printed records may likewise be of more than ordinary importance.

For Poland, which had removed from its national territory on September 17, 1939, the removal to the territory of a then friendly ally was