

WILLIAM H. VATCHER, JR. has been named professor of political science at San Jose State College.

HAROLD M. VINACKE retires from his position as professor of political science and head of the department of political science, University of Cincinnati, at the end of this academic year, becoming emeritus professor and fellow of the graduate school. DIETER DUX has been appointed as head of the department of political science, University of Cincinnati, effective September 1, 1963.

DAVID D. WARREN has been promoted to asso-

ciate professor of political science at the University of Rhode Island.

LEO WEINSTEIN has been promoted to the rank of professor in the department of government, Smith College. He is also chairman of the department.

M. CRAWFORD YOUNG, now completing his Ph.D. at Harvard, has been appointed an assistant professor at the University of Wisconsin, effective September, 1963.

JAY K. ZAWODNY of the University of Pennsylvania has been appointed professor of political science at Washington University.

IN MEMORIAM

JOHN HUSS, director of the Michigan Municipal League and lecturer in political science, the University of Michigan, died in January, 1963.

KAZUO KAWAI, professor of political science at the Ohio State University, died of cancer in Columbus May 4, 1963, at the age of 59. Born in Tokyo in 1904, the son of a Protestant minister, he was brought to this country as a child and grew up in the Los Angeles area. He took his degrees at Stanford, in history: B.A., 1926; M.A., 1928; Ph.D., 1938; and taught at the University of California at Los Angeles, 1932-1941. On a trip to Japan in the summer of 1941 his return was cut off when travel between the two countries ceased in consequence of the presidential order

freezing Japanese assets in this country. He became foreign news editor of the *Nippon Times* (now the *Japan Times*), the leading English-language daily, and held that post through the war; under the Occupation he was made editor-in-chief of the paper. In 1949 he returned to Stanford and came to Ohio State in 1951; he was naturalized a citizen in 1953 and appointed a full professor in 1959.

His newspaper experience under both regimes and his detached objectivity helped qualify him to write his best known work, *Japan's American Interlude* (1960). He was also a contributor to this REVIEW and other professional journals, on far eastern affairs. He is survived by his widow and by four sisters living in Tokyo.—HARVEY C. MANSFIELD