

## NEWS AND NOTES

### PERSONAL AND MISCELLANEOUS

*Compiled by the Managing Editor*

At Princeton University, Professor William S. Carpenter resigned the chairmanship of the department of politics last spring and has been succeeded by Professor George A. Graham. Professor Carpenter is president of the New Jersey civil service commission and during the current year is teaching only half-time.

Professors Harwood L. Childs, George A. Graham, and Harold H. Sprout, of Princeton University, have been advanced to full professorships. Since the retirement of Professor Edward S. Corwin, the department's work in constitutional law has been in charge of Professor Alpheus T. Mason, with the assistance of Professor John A. Schroth.

Lt. Col. Benjamin E. Lippincott, of the University of Minnesota, was recently awarded the Legion of Merit for distinguished work as historian of the Thirteenth Air Force in the Southwest Pacific. He was in the area of combat for nearly two years.

Mr. Paul H. Appleby has resigned as assistant director of the U. S. Bureau of the Budget to accept the deanship of the Maxwell School of Citizenship and Public Affairs at Syracuse University. Dean Appleby will serve also as a professor of political science.

Drs. John Russell and Philip Taylor have returned to their academic work in the political science department of Syracuse University. Dr. Russell has been with the U. S. Bureau of the Budget, and Dr. Taylor ended his military service as a Lieutenant Colonel on the staff of General MacArthur.

Professor John A. Perkins, secretary of the Institute of Public Administration at the University of Michigan, has been appointed budget director of the state of Michigan. He assumed his new duties on November 27.

Professor J. A. C. Grant, of the University of California at Los Angeles, spent the spring semester and summer of 1946 in Colombia completing a research project on Colombian judicial review, begun under a Guggenheim fellowship in 1942 but interrupted by war service. On the return trip, he gave an open lecture at the law school of the National University of Mexico entitled "Estudio comparativo de los sistemas de control de la legalidad en los Estados Unidos, Colombia, y Mexico."

Professor Roger H. Wells, on leave from Bryn Mawr College, has been

appointed consultant to the director of the Civil Administration Division, Office of Military Government for Germany, in Berlin.

Professor J. William Robinson, on leave from Purdue University, is at the Social Science Foundation of the University of Denver, completing a research project in the field of international relations.

During recent months, Dr. Walter H. C. Laves, of the U. S. Bureau of the Budget, has served as adviser to various United States delegations, including those to the ILO Governing Body and Conference, the General Assembly of UN, and the UNESCO conference in Paris. Not long ago, he likewise was appointed United States representative on a five-government committee of experts on ILO matters affecting staff emoluments, etc., and on January 20 he was sworn in as deputy director-general of UNESCO.

At the University of California (Berkeley), Professor P. Orman Ray reached emeritus status last July 1, and Dr. Charles Aikin has been advanced to the rank of professor.

Professor Dayton Voorhees, of the department of politics at Princeton University, has been reelected to membership in the Princeton borough council.

Dr. Joseph Dunner has returned from two years of overseas service with the Office of War Information and the Psychological Warfare Division of the U. S. Army. Prior to going abroad, Dr. Dunner was instructor in area studies at the School for Overseas Administration at Harvard University. From May, 1944, to April, 1945, he was chief of the Intelligence Section of the London OWI. From April, 1945, to March, 1946, he headed the press control section for Munich and Upper Bavaria attached to the Information Control Division and the Third U. S. Army. Dr. Dunner spent last summer in Palestine, Egypt, and the Lebanon, and upon his return to the United States, resumed his teaching at Grinnell College.

Mr. Robert Lacour-Gayet, former director of the Economic Department of the Bank of France and chief of the Inspection General of Finances of the French Ministry of Finances, is teaching history and social science at St. John's University, Brooklyn, N. Y., during the current academic year. He is also conducting a course on contemporary French civilization at the School of Education of New York University.

At the sixth annual conference of the Western Governmental Research Association in Sacramento, Calif., Professors Harris, May, and Waldo of the department of political science, University of California, were in attendance, as well as members of the Bureau of Public Administration staff. Mr. Russell Barthell, associate public administration analyst with the Bureau, was elected executive secretary of the Association.

Dr. David G. Farrelly, formerly in the G-1 Section of the General Headquarters of the Supreme Commander of the Allied Powers in Tokyo, has been appointed part-time instructor in politics at Princeton University.

Professor Marshall E. Dimock, of Northwestern University, is advising the General Accounting Office on government corporations, and is assisting in the preparation of a report to Congress dealing with the policies and principles relating to the corporate device.

Dr. John W. Lederle, of the University of Michigan, has been serving as consultant to the Senate's special committee to investigate senatorial campaign expenditures in the 1946 elections.

Professor J. Q. Dealey, Jr., has resigned at Hamilton College in order to take a position with the Historical Division, War Department Special Staff.

Miss Sonya Forthal, a hearing officer for the War Labor Board, VI, during the war years, is now teaching at Roosevelt College, Chicago.

Professor Hans W. Weigert, of Antioch College, has accepted an appointment as legal adviser to Military Government in Berlin.

Dr. Vernon A. O'Rourke has resigned at Swarthmore College to accept a post with the Standard Oil Company of New Jersey, where he will work in the field of labor relations.

Dr. Leslie Lipson, formerly chairman of the department of political science at Victoria University College, University of New Zealand, has accepted an associate professorship at Swarthmore College.

During January, Professor Lin Tung-chi, of the National Fudan University, and at present visiting professor on invitation of the Department of State, delivered a series of four lectures at the University of Michigan.

Professor James K. Pollock, of the University of Michigan, is spending the months of February and March in Germany as an adviser to General Clay.

During February and part of March, Professor Carl B. Swisher, of Johns Hopkins University, delivered at University College, a unit of the University of London, a series of lectures on the Supreme Court of the United States. The lectures were sponsored in connection with a grant for a professorship in American history at University College made some years ago by the Commonwealth Fund of New York.

Dr. J. Donald Kingsley, formerly of Antioch College, has been appointed by President Truman to the newly-created White House post of

program coördinator. In his new position, he will assist in the development and coördination of policies and programs affecting two or more government agencies, and will serve as White House liaison with the President's Commission on Higher Education and as executive secretary of the President's Scientific Research Board.

In January, Professor Rodney L. Mott, of Colgate University, was awarded the Army Commendation Ribbon for "exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services with the Office for Military Government for Germany." In November, 1945, Dr. Mott also received the Legion of Merit.

Dr. Henry Reining, who since 1934 has served successively as educational director of the National Institute of Public Affairs, on a government mission to Rio de Janeiro, on the staff of the National Resources Planning Board, and as executive director of the Port of New York Authority, has re-joined the faculty of the University of Southern California.

Dr. Vincent J. Browne has been appointed assistant professor of political science at Howard University.

Dr. Reuel G. Hemdahl, recently of South Dakota State College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts, has accepted an assistant professorship at the University of Louisville.

Mr. Delavan Evans, assistant professor at the University of Texas, has accepted an appointment at Williams College.

Mr. O. W. Campbell, former member of the staff of the Bureau of Public Administration, University of California, and until recently with the Local Government Division, A.U.S., has been appointed city manager of San José, California.

Mr. A. M. Hillhouse, associate professor of public finance, returned to the University of Cincinnati in September after a four-year leave of absence. Professor Hillhouse was an agency budget officer in Washington in 1942-43, and later served in England, France, and Austria with Military Government agencies as a public finance specialist.

After serving three and one-half years as a Lieutenant in the Photographic Service, Mr. John S. Harris was ordered to inactive duty by the U. S. Navy in the summer of 1946 and is now an instructor at the University of Cincinnati.

Professors H. Malcolm Macdonald and Edward G. Lewis have resumed their duties at the University of Texas after extended service in the armed forces. New instructors at Texas this year include Messrs. Victor Thomp-

son, Hobart P. K. Sturm, James A. Norton, A. Z. Gammage, James Collins, Commer Clay, and R. K. Huitt.

Dr. Willard F. Barber, who since 1938 has been in the Latin American or Economic Division of the Department of State, has been designated chief of the Division of Caribbean Affairs. Prior to entering the Department in 1938, Mr. Barber was a member of the staff of the College of the City of New York.

In order to provide efficient service to teachers of international relations, the Office of Public Affairs of the Department of State has arranged with a number of libraries throughout the country to cooperate in displaying copies of the publications of the State Department which are available in limited quantities without charge. Copies of such publications will be distributed by the libraries in the appropriate area distribution center.

During the second part of the first session of the United Nations General Assembly held in New York, Francis O. Wilcox, head international relations analyst of the Library of Congress, served as special adviser to Senator Connolly, who represented the United States Delegation on the Political and Security Committee. Mr. Wilcox served also in the same capacity during the London meetings of the General Assembly in January and February, 1946.

At the biennial convention of Pi Sigma Alpha, honorary political science fraternity, held in Cleveland, December 29, 1946, the following officers were elected: John W. Manning (American University), president; H. Malcolm Macdonald (University of Texas), Frank H. Jonas (Utah State Agricultural College), and John E. Stoner (Indiana University), vice presidents; and Franklin L. Burdette (University of Maryland), secretary-treasurer.

The initial issue of a new quarterly, the *Middle East Journal*, appeared in January under the editorship of Harvey P. Hall, of the Middle East Institute, Washington, D. C. The subscription rate is six dollars a year, and subscriptions may be sent to the editor at 1906 Florida Avenue, N.W., Washington.

At the University of Virginia, Professor R. K. Gooch is serving as acting chairman of the new Woodrow Wilson School of Foreign Affairs and Professors Alfred P. Fernbach and Charles A. Micaud have been transferred to the unit from the School of Political Science. It is anticipated that a permanent head will be selected during the year.

Dr. Charles S. Hyneman has been appointed to a professorship at Northwestern University, where he will be responsible for developing the

work of the political science department in public administration and local government. Since 1942, Dr. Hyneman has been employed with the federal government, first in the Bureau of the Budget, then as chief of the Civil Affairs Training Program of the War Department, and finally with the Federal Communications Commission. In FCC, he served first as director of the Foreign Broadcast Intelligence Service, and upon the termination of that wartime activity, he became assistant to the chairman of FCC, with special responsibility for directing the internal management activities of the agency.

Messrs. Geddes Rutherford, formerly of Howard University, and Joseph Kitchin, formerly of the University of Maryland, are now assistant professors at Queens College, and Professor Henry P. Jordan, of New York University, is serving as lecturer on the government and politics of Latin America.

Mr. John D. Holstrom, chief of police, Berkeley, California, and lecturer in political science (police administration) at the University of California, attended the convention of the International Association of Chiefs of Police at Mexico City in September, 1946.

Mr. Benjamin Kizer, former director of UNRRA in China, is lecturing at the University of Washington under the auspices of the political science department.

Professor Charles E. Martin, of the University of Washington, presented papers at both the Institute of World Affairs meeting at Riverside and the I.P.R. meeting in Asilomar during the Christmas recess.

Dr. Paul T. David has resigned his position as assistant chief, Fiscal Division, U. S. Bureau of the Budget, to enter the Department of State, having been appointed by the President to serve as United States representative on the Air Transport Committee of the Provisional International Civil Aviation Organization (PICAO) at Montreal. The Committee is continuing work on the development of a multilateral agreement on commercial air rights. Prior to leaving the Budget Bureau, Dr. David served as a member of the United States delegations at the First Assembly of PICAO, Montreal, in May, 1946, and the Second Conference of the Food and Agriculture Organization (FAO), Copenhagen, in September, 1946, in each case representing the delegation on a finance committee approving the budget of the respective international organizations. He also served as financial adviser to the United States delegation to the Ocean Weather Stations Conference at London in September, 1946.

The Department of State has announced that, under legislative authorization provided in 1946, some 120 officer appointments may be made

before July, 1947, to the middle and upper grades of the Foreign Service. Applications are being currently received and, if approved, qualify the candidate to appear for a competitive oral examination. Candidates must be at least thirty-one years of age, have been an American citizen for at least fifteen years, hold a bachelor's degree or its equivalent, be able to read with facility one of eight selected foreign languages, have served in a military or governmental capacity during the war, and have had previous experience of a high order and of some duration either in business, government, or academic, research, or editorial work. Application forms may be obtained from the Board of Examiners of the Foreign Service, Department of State, Washington, D. C.

Members of the department of political science at the University of Minnesota are playing important parts in the establishment of a new introductory social science course which is a feature of the program of general education of the College of Science, Literature, and the Arts. Professor Evron M. Kirkpatrick is chairman of the Social Science Division and also of the group planning the social science course; Dr. Willmoore Kendall has been appointed to have permanent charge of the social science course, and has been largely responsible for organizing it; Dr. Herbert McClosky is acting chairman of the course during Dr. Kendall's absence this year, and Drs. Werner Levi, Max Kampelman and George Demetriou are handling sections in the course. Dr. Russell M. Cooper, associate professor of political science, and assistant dean of the Junior College, is in charge of the development of general studies in the College of Science, Literature and the Arts.

Dr. William J. Ryland, professor of history and political science at Beaver College, Jenkinton, Pennsylvania, died on November 16.

A sixth annual student conference on international affairs, participated in by Macalester College of St. Paul and United College of Winnipeg, was held at St. Paul last November, and dealt with national ideologies and the prospects for world order. The conference is held at the two institutions in alternate years, and something like it is being considered by United States-Canadian border institutions farther west.

The Bureau of the Census has issued a publication entitled *Votes Cast in Presidential and Congressional Elections, 1928-1944*. State totals by major political party, and relative party percentages, are presented; and for presidential electors and senators, the vote cast in the two most recent elections recorded is broken down by counties and the vote for representatives is presented by congressional districts. Copies may be obtained from the Governments Division, Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce.

On November 29 and 30, the Southern Institute of Local Government met in Nashville, Tennessee, for its sixth annual session. Principal speakers were Dr. M. H. Satterfield, Tennessee Valley Authority; Dean William Bradshaw of the University of Missouri; Dean William H. Wicker of the University of Tennessee; Mr. Charlton F. Chute of the Governmental Research Institute of St. Louis; and Mr. Morton L. Wallerstein of the League of Virginia Municipalities. The program dealt with constitutional revision as it affects local government.

Professor James K. Pollock, of the University of Michigan, has been presented with the Medal for Merit, the highest civilian decoration, for his work in Germany in the past year. President Truman's citation was as follows: "Dr. James Kerr Pollock, for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services to the United States in connection with the Military Government of Germany from October 17, 1945, to August 6, 1946. Dr. Pollock, as director of the Regional Government Coördinating Office, coördinated and instructed the minister presidents of the three German states in the United States zone of Germany, sitting as the Laenderrat, or Council of States, in unifying the administration of the United States zone, assisting in the delegation of responsibilities to German agencies, and supervising the preparation, plans, and recommendations of German government to the United States Military Government. He acted as senior representative of the Deputy Military Governor in guiding the German minister presidents in preparation of such critically important and delicate matters as the Law of Political Liberation. Dr. Pollock's energy, foresight, breadth of vision, diplomacy, and insight into the German problem contributed greatly to the successful administration of Military Government in the United States zone of Germany."

The regular annual meeting of the American Council of Learned Societies was held at the Westchester Country Club, Rye, New York, on January 29-31. Sessions were presided over by Professors Fred N. Robinson (Harvard University), chairman, and Frederic A. Ogg (University of Wisconsin), vice-chairman; and a concurrent conference of secretaries of the twenty-four constituent societies was participated in by Professor Kenneth Colegrove, of the American Political Science Association. During the ensuing year, the chairman will be Dean William C. DeVane (Yale University), and Mr. Ogg will continue as a member of the Executive Committee. After a study of personnel covering several months, a committee consisting of Messrs. DeVane, Robinson, Richard H. Shyrock (present acting director), William E. Lingelbach and Glenn R. Morrow (both University of Pennsylvania), and Mr. Ogg (chairman) has selected as executive director, in succession to Dr. Waldo G. Leland, Professor Cornelius Krusé, of the department of philosophy at Wesleyan Univer-

sity and executive secretary of the American Friends Service Committee. Professor Krusé is expected to assume charge of the Council's Washington offices in September.

The Société d'Histoire de la Révolution Française, founded in New York by its president, Professor B. Mirkine-Guetzévitch, dean of the faculty of Law and Political Science of the École Libre des Hautes Études and director of the Institute of Studies of Comparative Government and Education, Teachers College, Columbia University, consists of several hundred American and French scholars in the fields of history and political science. Its secretary-general is Jean-Albert Bédé, of Columbia University, and the members of its board of directors are: Professor Leo Gershoy, New York University; Professor Louis Gottschalk, University of Chicago; Dean William F. Russell, Teachers College, Columbia University; and M. Georges Wildenstein, editor of the *Gazette des Beaux Arts*. Under auspices of this organization, the first volume of a new publication, *Cahiers d'Histoire de la Révolution Française*, has recently appeared, edited by Professor Mirkine-Guetzévitch and the French historian, Philippe Sagnac.

A second biennial conference designed to give newly elected county officers the practical details of operating their offices was held on the Michigan State College campus on December 19-21. The sponsoring agencies were the Michigan Institute of Local Government, the Institute of Short Courses, the Michigan State Police, and the department of public administration of Michigan State College. In attendance were the newly elected sheriffs, clerks, treasurers, registers of deeds, prosecuting attorneys, and drain commissioners. The practical instruction was given by members of the state police and federal agencies, and by men and women who have had extensive experience in their respective offices.

Dr. Thomas H. Reed and Doris D. Reed, of Wethersfield, Connecticut, have resigned from the Connecticut Public Expenditure Council to devote themselves exclusively to their municipal consultant practice throughout the country. They are now employed by the charter commission of Richmond, Virginia, to draft a new charter for that city. They are likewise formulating a plan of consolidation for the city of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and East Baton Rouge Parish, and will frame a charter for that community. They have recently prepared a sheaf of legislation for the Richmond county, Georgia, legislative delegation, including a city-manager charter for Augusta, which has been introduced in the current Georgia legislature, and are working on a study of Richmond county for its board of county commissioners. Their study of possible consolidation in the Tarrytown-North Tarrytown-Irvington-Pocantico Hills area of

Westchester county, New York, made for Mr. John D. Rockefeller, Jr., was published late in December. Dr. Reed is the author of the Hartford manager-plan charter adopted by a two-to-one vote there on December 3, 1946.

The Russian Institute of Columbia University began its first session in September, 1946. Directed by Professor Geroid T. Robinson, its staff includes Professors Philip E. Moseley, Abram Bergson, Ernest J. Simons, and John N. Hazard. All the work of the Institute is on a graduate level. Courses are offered in the government, public administration, jurisprudence, literature, history, social philosophy, economics, and international relations of Russia and the Soviet Union. Intensive courses in the Russian language are offered by the department of Eastern European languages. Students are required to register for graduate study in a functional department of the University, as well as in the Institute, and to work for an advanced academic degree as well as the Institute's two-year certificate. Courses are designed to provide the student with a broad and well-integrated knowledge of Russia and the Soviet Union; command of a well-developed specialty in a selected academic discipline, as applied to that country; and a broad training in the more general aspects of this selected discipline. Thus, a student of Soviet political institutions is expected to qualify himself in political science no less well than the other students of the department of public law, as well as in basic courses in history, economics, international relations, and literature as they relate to the USSR. Students in Columbia University registered in other graduate schools and departments may register for individual courses in the Institute, to provide comparative materials for further study in their functional field. Registration in seminars is limited to those with a working knowledge of Russian, and preference is given registrants for the certificate of the Institute. Close association is maintained by the Institute with the School of International Affairs.

The University of Southern California reports the establishment of a Delinquency Control Institute to provide specialized training for law enforcement officers and practitioners in allied fields. Students attend full time for a semester and are on leave with pay from their regular positions. Supervised field work in juvenile bureaus is provided. While the Institute is placed in the School of Public Administration for administrative convenience, the program and concept are definitely inter-departmental, with representatives of the College of Letters, Arts, and Sciences, the School of Law, the School of Education, and the Graduate School of Social Work participating in plan and operation. The curriculum was developed on a conference basis, including academic, public, and private agency members meeting at intervals over a period of two years, with Dr. John M. Piffner

as chairman. Courses of study include Social Treatment Aspects of Delinquency Control, Special Police Techniques, Conditioning Factors in Juvenile Delinquency, Crime Prevention Techniques, Administrative Aspects of Delinquency Control, Techniques of Learning and Teaching, and Legal Aspects of Crime Prevention.

Political scientists will be interested to learn that the *Oesterreichische Zeitschrift fuer oeffentliches Recht* (formerly *Zeitschrift fuer oeffentliches Recht*) has made its reappearance. Editors are again A. Verdross, professor of international law and political theory, R. Koestler, professor of church law, and L. Adamovich, professor of administrative law and president of the Austrian Supreme Constitutional Court. All are connected with the University of Vienna. The first issue (Heft 1-2) contains obituaries of two famous academic figures who died during the Nazi occupation of Austria: Adolf Menzel, professor of political theory and public administration and Gustav Walker, professor of international private law and a former president of the International Law Association. Other contributions are articles on the foundation of international law by H. Kelsen, on postal law by R. Koestler, on the political theory of Sanders by E. Voegelin, on positive international law by R. Bluehdorn, on police and administration by L. Werner, on constitutional law in the United States by R. Neumann, on the character of the individual Soviet republics under international law by A. Verdross, and on income tax reforms by O. Jettmar. In view of the difficulties under which all publications labor in Austria, the journal will appear at irregular intervals; but presumably there will be several issues each year. It is published by the Springer-Verlag, Moelkerbastei 5, Vienna 1, Austria.

In connection with Princeton University's bicentennial program, Professor Harold H. Sprout served as chairman of the committee on a three-day conference, October 11-14, 1946, on "The Development of International Society." The conference was attended by a select group of fifty scholars from the United States and abroad. Harold W. Dodds, Isaiah Bowman, Richard P. McKeon, Harold J. Laski, Frank G. Boudreau, Sir John Boyd Orr, Eugene Staley, Theodore W. Schluttz, Charles W. Hendel, Hans Kohn, Florian Znaniecki, Philip C. Jessup, Tyler Dennett, Raymond Kennedy, Hamilton Fish Armstrong, Arnold Wolfers, Cornelius W. deKiewiet, Edward C. Carter, Allen W. Dulles, Owen Lattimore, Philip E. Mosely, Frederick S. Dunn, E. L. Woodward, Grayson L. Kirk, Raymond J. Sontag, Crane Brinton, Gerhart Niemeyer, Denna F. Fleming, and Quincy Wright were among the principal participants. Professor John F. Sly was chairman of a committee which arranged a conference on "The Evolution of Social Institutions," October 7-9, 1946.

Walton Hamilton, Peter F. Drucker, Edward S. Corwin, Rupert B. Vance, Philip M. Hauser, Charles E. Merriam, Denis W. Brogan, E. Franklin Frazier, Corwin D. Edwards, Robert A. Gordon, Sumner H. Slichter, William Leiserson, David A. McCabe, Morris A. Copeland, Frank H. Knight, Jacob Viner, William Y. Elliott, Luther Weigle, Louis Finkelstein, Amos N. Wilder, Howard F. Lowry, Emil Brunner, William E. Hocking, and Henry P. Van Dusen were discussion leaders. On November 13-14, 1946, under the chairmanship of James Forrestal, assisted by Dr. Joseph McLean of the Princeton Local Government Survey, the University sponsored a conference on "University Education and the Public Service." The principal speakers and discussion leaders were Patterson H. French, Arthur H. Flemming, Leonard D. White, Donald C. Stone, Robert A. Lovett, Ferdinand Eberstadt, H. Struve Hensel, Seldon Chapin, George F. Kennan, Frederick S. Dunn, Sir James Grigg, E. L. Woodward, Paul Appleby, John M. Gaus, Pendleton Herring, Harold W. Dodds, Arthur Krock, Robert M. LaFollette, Jr., and James Forrestal.

At the twenty-fifth annual meeting of the Council on Foreign Relations, an expanded program of research and publication in the field of international affairs was approved. This will include a comprehensive history of American foreign relations during the war period, which will be prepared by Professor William L. Langer and a staff of assistants. Dr. Langer, professor of history at Harvard University, has been given leave of absence for a period of four years to enable him to undertake this monumental work. The meeting also approved the reinstatement of the annual survey of American foreign relations which was published from 1931 to 1941 under the title "The United States in World Affairs," but which had to be suspended during the war years; and confirmed the appointment of Dr. John C. Campbell as editor of the forthcoming annual volumes. Dr. Campbell has served in the Department of State as an expert in the Division of Southern European Affairs, and was recently secretary to the American delegation at the Council of Foreign Ministers and the Paris Conference. As a part of the expanded program of work, the Board also appointed Mr. Joseph Barber, Jr., to have charge of the development of foreign relations committees which the Council maintains in more than twenty cities throughout the country to study the foreign policy of the United States. Mr. Barber is the author of *Hawaii, Restless Rampart*, and during the war served on the staff of Admiral King in the Pacific theater. The Board also appointed Mr. William Diebold, Jr., to be economist of the Council from January 1 and to work under Professor Percy W. Bidwell, director of studies, in the field of international trade. Mr. Diebold is at present a member of the staff of the Division of Commercial Policy of the U. S. Department of State.