meetings, financed from Mershon funds and sponsored jointly by the Defense Studies Committee and the Department of History at Ohio State, discussed such topics as the development of wartime civilian leadership in Great Britain, Germany, Russia, and the United States; the tradition of civil-military relations in recent American history; the role of public opinion in policy-making; and the place of the military leaders in the Soviet Union and in Communist China. The featured speaker, Norman Gibbs, Chichele Professor of the History of War at Oxford University, delivered an address on "Winston Churchill and the British War Cabinet." Ten other papers were read; it is planned to publish them in a collective volume at a later date.

The Twelfth Annual Conference on the Causes of War and Conditions of Peace sponsored by the Borah Foundation for the Outlawry of War was held at the University of Idaho March 18-19, 1959. The theme selected for this year's conference is "Integrity and Expediency in Foreign Policy." Major addresses were delivered by Professor Malcolm Moos, Johns Hopkins University, on "The Role of Ideals in Foreign Policy"; Dr. Charles B. Marshall, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, on "The Demands of Expediency"; and Charles Malik, President of the General Assembly, "Causes of War and Conditions of Peace." The Conference is a public event attended by interested citizens and representatives of neighboring institutions.

The Woodrow Wilson Department of Foreign Affairs of the University of Virginia held a conference on "POLAND SINCE 1956" on April 3-4, 1959. The subjects discussed were, The Political and Ideological Situation, the Economic Picture, Foreign Relations, Intellectual Life, and Conditions of the Polish People Today. Some of the participants were, Zbigniew Brzezinski, Harvard University, Roman Michalowski, New York University, Marian K. Dziewanowski, Boston College, John C. Campbell, Council on Foreign Relations, New York, Jan Wzelaki, Washington, D. C. and others.

Indiana University was host to the directors of university public administration training programs on December 29-30, 1958 to discuss recruitment and selection of graduate students, improving pre-service academic programs, university in-service training services and research in university public administration programs.

Lloyd M. Short of the University of Michigan served as Chairman of the meeting, and local arrangements were made by York Willbern, Department of Government, Indiana University. Universities represented were Alabama, American, California (Los Angeles), Colorado, Cornell, Florida, Georgia, Harvard, Indiana, Maryland, Michigan, Michigan State, Minnesota, Missouri, Ohio State, Pennsylvania, Pittsburgh, Syracuse, Washington, Washington (St. Louis), Wisconsin and City College of New York, Also attending were individuals from Brookings Institution, Ford Foundation, the U.S. Office of Health Education and Welfare, the Southern Regional Training Program and The American Society for Public Administration.

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

The American Academy of Arts and Sciences has announced annual awards of \$1000 to the authors of unpublished monographs, one each in the humanities, the social sciences and the physical and biological sciences; recipients will be expected to arrange for publication. Closing date for 1959 is October 1. The reading committee for the social sciences consists of Clyde K. M. Kluckhohn, Merle Fainsod and Robert M. Solow. Address Committee on Monograph Prizes, AAAS, 280 Newton St., Brookline Sta., Boston 46, Mass.

Awards of \$1000 each for the three best speeches or articles on public leadership have recently been established by The Fund for Adult Education. The prize-winning articles and speeches will eventually be published in a single volume either by the Fund or commercially. Awards, to be given in each of the years 1959 and 1960, are designed to generate the best thinking on the nature of public leadership and on ways in which more adequate education can be provided to help prepare American leadership on every level of social, economic and political organization to serve the general welfare. To be considered for an Award, a copy of the talk and a description of the occasion on which it was delivered should be sent to the Office of Information, The Fund for Adult Education.

While behavioral scientists are making increasing use of high speed computers in many novel ways, a rather serious lack of communication about them still exists. For instance, a considerable duplication of effort has been noted in the writing of programs for various kinds of statistical computations. To fill this gap, a behavioral science computer newsletter is being started, as a department of the quarterly journal Behavioral Science, published by the Mental Health Research Institute of The University of Michigan.

The first number of the newsletter appears in the April 1959 issue of Behavioral Science, and consists of: (1) News items about installations, people, training courses, and computer programs; (2) Brief papers descriptive of integrated systems of data processing, computation, information retrieval or simulation; (3) Somewhat longer papers about more general topics related to computer usage or programming; and (4) More theoretical papers about linear programming, machines that learn or play games, foreign language translation by machine, etc.

The committee responsible for the newsletter is: Steven G. Vandenberg, Mental Health Research Institute, University of Michigan; Bert F. Green, Lincoln Laboratories, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; Bruce MacKenzie, International Business Machines; John Mauchley, Remington Rand UNIVAC; Martin Rogoff, U. S. Bureau of Mines; Charles Wrigley, Michigan State University.

Manuscripts can be sent to Dr. Vandenberg, Dr. Green or Dr. MacKenzie. The subscription price of *Behavioral Science* is \$6.00 a year, or \$5.00 to persons who identify themselves as members of a recognized national professional or scientific organization. Checks may be made out to: *Behavioral Science*, Mental Health Research Institute, The University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, Michigan.

The editors are striving for a level of presentation somewhere between the elegance and length of the Journal of the Association of Computer Machinery and the brevity and popular tone of commercial news journals such as Datamation or Computers and Automation.

The Brookings Institution announces the award of six research fellowships in economics and governmental-studies for the academic year 1959-60. The Fellows were chosen competitively from a list of candidates nominated by the graduate faculties of leading universities. The awards went to David Ott, University

of Maryland, Hourmouzis G. Georgiadis, Cornell University, Robert N. Schweitzer, University of California, Joseph Cooper, Harvard University, Eugene N. Feingold, Princeton University, Nelson Polsby, Yale.

The Graduate School of the University of Florida announces the initiation of a scholarly series to be entitled University of Florida Monographs: Social Sciences. The series will be devoted primarily to the publication of research by present and former members of the scholarly community of the University. Four numbers will be published each year with the first appearing early in 1959. Monographs will be drawn from the fields of anthropology, economics, history, political science, sociology, and from appropriate areas in education, geography, law, and psychology. Editorial communications should be addressed to L. N. McAlister, 111 Peabody Hall, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida. Business correspondence should be directed to Lewis F. Haines, Director, University of Florida Press, Gainesville, Florida.

The department of social sciences at the University of Idaho has for many years had a master's program in political science. New doctoral programs in political science, and also history, will be initiated September 1959. Supporting fields within the department are sociology and philosophy and a strong supporting program is available in economics. The combination of faculty specialization with existing library resources seems particularly strong in the areas of American governmental institutions, state and local governments, political parties, legislation, public administration, and international relations. Prospective doctoral candidates should expect to write a dissertation in one of these areas.

A new scholarly journal, Labor History, is being planned for publication in late 1959 or 1960. The following are members of the editorial board: Richard B. Morris, Chairman; Daniel Bell, Walter Galenson, John Hall, Maurice Neufeld, Brendan Sexton and Philip Taft.

Labor History will publish articles in the following fields: original research in labor history, studies of specific unions and of the impact of labor problems upon ethnic and minority groups; broad interpretive articles on the theory of labor history, biographical memoirs and studies of important trade union figures; studies of foreign labor movements

which shed light on American labor development; and studies of radical groups or radical history related to labor history.

Labor History, which will appear three times a year, is being published under a grant from The Tamiment Institute and in cooperation with the Society of Labor Historians. Contributions are welcome and should be addressed to Dr. Norman Jacobs, editorial director, c/o The Tamiment Institute, 7 East 15th Street, New York 3, New York.

The University of Oregon has established a research and graduate training Institute for Community Studies. The department of political science is cooperating with the department of sociology and the school of education in the comparative study of political, social and economic structures of American communities, from small villages to metropolitan areas. Robert Agger is Deputy Director and E. S. Wengert is a member of the policy advisory committee of the Institute.

The opening of the new Pius XII Library at St. Louis University will make available the Vatican Library in microfilm to scholars in all fields. This should be of particular interest to researchers in the history of political thought.

The newly elected officers of Pi Sigma Alpha are: Claude E. Hawley, President, Washington, D. C.; Eric C. Bellquist, Vice-President, University of California; Don L. Bowen, Secretary-Treasurer, American Society for Public Administration; Thomas I. Cook, Johns Hopkins University; Cullen B. Gosnell, Emory University; W. Brooke Graves, Library of Congress; Francis H. Heller, University of Kansas; Edward H. Hobbs, University of Mississippi; Frederick C. Irion, University of New Mexico; Evron M. Kirkpatrick, American Political Science Association; Charles E. Martin, University of Washington; Reuben G. Steinmeyer, University of Maryland.

A significant portion of the Truman Presidential Papers was opened to researchers at the Harry S. Truman Library in Independence, Missouri on May 11, 1959. Announcement of the opening date was made at the second annual meeting of the Harry S. Truman Library Institute for National and International Affairs, a nonprofit organization established in 1957 to foster the development of the Library as a research center.

Persons wishing to use papers and other

materials are requested to make advance application to Dr. Philip C. Brooks, Director of the Library, at Independence, informing him of the nature and purposes of their projects. Students will normally be expected to include letters of introduction from their professors with their applications.

At the same time the Institute initiated a program of Grants-in-Aid. These will normally be grants of less than \$500 to provide travel and living expenses for short periods of work at the Library. For the immediate future grants will be concentrated on those who are working on the period of former President Truman's public career and those who will be using the resources of the Truman Library.

The papers that will be opened include about three-fourths of two principal segments of President Truman's White House central files, those of some of his immediate staff, and a portion of the papers representing Mr. Truman's service as a Senator. It is estimated that they contain about one and one-half million pages. A collection of books, microfilm, and microprint will also be made available to users of the Library. In addition to supplementing the manuscripts, these materials deal with the nature and history of the Presidency and foreign relations of the United States in the first half of the 20th century. Many of the books came from the President's personal library. Others have been purchased from a grant of \$48,700 made to the Harry S. Truman Library Institute by the Rockefeller Foundation.

Papers opened by the Library will be made available on an equal basis to all persons engaged in serious scholarly research.

Closed materials will be subjected to continuing review with the purpose of opening additional segments of the papers as rapidly as the passage of time and other pertinent factors permit. All papers temporarily retained by Mr. Truman for his current use will be similarly reviewed as soon as possible after their deposit in the Library. Categories closed for the present include papers that are security classified by Federal law or regulations; that may be prejudicial to the conduct of American foreign relations; that reveal statements made by or to the President in confidence; or that contain information likely to injure or embarrass living persons.

Morley Ayearst of New York University has been granted a sabbatical leave for the academic year beginning February, 1959. He will devote his time to research in Western Europe and a study of party politics and pressure group activity in Ireland.

Alan Barth, editorial writer of the Washington Post, was visiting research professor of governmental affairs at the University of California (Berkeley) during the current year.

Rene Beauchesne, graduate student at Syracuse University, was serving as visiting lecturer in political science at Harpur College during the second semester.

Onkar P. Bhatnagar, professor, Allahabad University, India, has joined the faculty of the Woodrow Wilson department of foreign affairs of the University of Virginia as visiting professor for the second semester of the 1958–59 session.

Leonard Binder of the University of California, Los Angeles, is conducting research in Iran on certain religious groups, under the auspices of the Social Science Research Council.

Mr. W. Terrell Blodgett, assistant city manager of Austin, Texas, was serving during the spring semester, 1959, as visiting lecturer in government at the University of Texas.

Henry C. Bush of the department of political science of Wayne State University is on leave from February 1959 until February 1961 to serve with the International Cooperation Administration. He will be public administration advisor to the Ministry of Home Affairs of the Republic of Indonesia.

Raymond L. Carol is now associate professor of political science in the graduate school, St. John's University, Jamaica, Long Island.

James C. Charlesworth, University of Pennsylvania and president of the American Academy of Political and Social Science, and United States Senator Joseph S. Clark are jointly engaged in a project to analyze the key leadership and manpower needs of the United States and to see if a plan of corrective allocation can be devised and implemented. A conference looking toward these ends was held in Philadelphia on November 12, 1958, and a book on the subject will be widely circulated in September 1959. The circulation of the book will be followed by a campaign of implementation.

George A. Codding, Jr., assistant professor of political science at the University of Pennsylvania, was on leave of absence during the academic year 1957-1958 and the fall term of the academic year 1958-59. During this period Dr. Codding acted as consultant to UNESCO on telecommunication problems and carried out research on international organizations under a Guggenheim Fellowship.

Robert H. Connery of Duke will spend the academic year as visiting professor of government at Columbia University.

Milorad Drachkovitch, formerly professor of political science of the College of Europe, Bruges, Belgium, was visiting assistant professor of political science at the University of California (Berkeley) during the 1959 spring semester.

Joseph Dunner, professor of political science at Grinnell College, has returned to Grinnell from his sabbatical leave. During the last year he has lectured at the University of Wisconsin and at Cornell College, in Iowa. The Institute for Mediterranean Affairs has invited him to assist in the preparation of its study on "United States Foreign Policy in the Near East" under a grant of the Senate Committee on Foreign Relations.

Samuel J. Eldersveld, professor of political science at the University of Michigan, has received a leave of absence for the academic year 1959–1960. He will spend the year at the center for advanced study in the behavioral sciences.

During the first semester of 1958-59 Ahmet S. Esmer, professor of history at Ankara University, was visiting professor of history in the department of social sciences of the University of Idaho, and offered a course in history on the Middle East and another in political science on international relations. The department was able to secure Dr. Esmer's services through the cooperation of the John Hay Whitney Foundation.

Beginning with the Winter 1958-1959 issue of Background on World Politics, Alona E. Evans, professor of political science, Wellesley College, became an associate editor in charge of international law. She replaces Manuel R. Garcia-Mora, University of Detroit, who has gone to Lima, Peru, on a Fulbright grant.

Russell H. Fifield, professor of political science at the University of Michigan, has received a leave of absence for the academic year 1959-1960, in order that he may accept a research fellowship under the auspices of the Council on Foreign Relations. He will under-

take a study of "Security in Southern Asia: Challenge to American Foreign Policy."

Russell H. Fitzgibbon of the University of California (Los Angeles) is in Italy pursuing an investigation of certain Latin American problems on a Fulbright grant.

Ernst Fraenkel, professor of political science at the Free University of Berlin, was visiting professor of political science at the University of California (Berkeley) during the 1958-59 academic year.

Carl M. Frasure, head of the department of political science at West Virginia University has been named special assistant to the regional director, Region 2, OCDM to work on the continuity of government program in the states comprising Region 2.

Richard W. Gable of the University of Southern California was elected chairman of International Section of the Los Angeles Metropolitan Chapter of the American Society for Public Administration. This is the first international section to be organized within a local chapter.

Charles D. Goff, assistant professor of political science at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee is on leave of absence February 1959–June 1960 to serve as research director of the Milwaukee Metropolitan Study Commission.

William Goodman is on leave from his position as professor of political science at the University of Tennessee, serving as a fulltime consultant on the staff of the Commission on Civil Rights in Washington, D. C.

J. A. C. Grant, dean of the division of social sciences at the University of California (Los Angeles) has been invited to deliver the Gaspar G. Bacon lectures on the Constitution of the United States at Boston University in October. 1959. He has also been granted a year's leave of absence from the department of political science to accept a senior research award in American governmental affairs under the auspices of the Social Science Research Council. He will pursue research on the constitutional problems of American federalism and continue his previous investigations of guild practices. The work in question will be carried on at UCLA, Harvard, and in Washington during 1959-1960.

Lowell H. Hattery of the American University has been awarded a Social Science Re-

search Council travel grant for the summer of 1959 to attend the triennial congress of the International Institute of Administrative Sciences to be held in Wiesbaden, Germany, from August 27 to September 3. Professor Hattery will be general rapporteur for the automation sessions at the Congress. He has prepared six background papers on the subject which are to be sent to the various national sections of the Institute throughout the world for comment. The background papers with the comments will provide the basis for discussion at the Congress. In addition, Professor Hattery will attend the International Conference on Information Processing to be held in Paris in June, and the British Computer Conference to be held in Cambridge, England.

John Perry Horlacher, University of Pennsylvania, recently presided over a Labor Arbitration Conference which was held at the University of Pennsylvania. The conference was sponsored by the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce and the American Arbitration Association.

Robert H. Johnson, member of the special staff, National Security Council, is engaged in travel and study in India and Southeast Asia during 1958-59 under a Rockefeller Public Service Award.

Thomas Kewley, senior lecturer in political science at the University of Sydney served as visiting professor of political science at Colgate University during the Spring Semester.

Fred Kort of the University of Connecticut, Storrs, Connecticut has been granted a leave of absence to accept a research fellowship at the University of Chicago Law School for the academic year 1958-59.

Chao Kuo-chun, formerly with Harvard University, has been appointed visiting professor and head of East Asia Department, Indian School of International Studies, Delhi University.

Shao Chuan Leng, assistant professor, Woodrow Wilson department of foreign affairs, University of Virginia, has been appointed an associate editor of *Background on World Politics* and is to be in charge of the newly instituted section on Asia.

Heath Macquarrie was reelected to the Canadian House of Commons for the constituency of Queens (PEI) in the national election of March 1958. A former professor of political science and international relations, he served with the Canadian delegation to the Thirteenth General Assembly of the United Nations.

Duncan MacRae, Jr., of the University of Chicago, has received an auxiliary research award from the Social Science Research Council, as well as a faculty research grant for work on electronic computation in political sociology.

J. Lloyd Mecham of the University of Texas has been awarded a research leave for the spring semester of 1958-59 by the University's Research Institute.

Wallace Mendelson of The University of Texas has been awarded a research leave for the spring semester of 1958-59. Awarded by the University's research institute, the grant will enable Dr. Mendelson to complete the manuscript of a book on Justice Frankfurter.

Charles A. Micaud, associate professor in the Woodrow Wilson department of foreign affairs, University of Virginia, was visiting lecturer on European Affairs at Johns Hopkins Advanced School of International Studies in Washington during the spring term of 1959.

Hans J. Morgenthau gave in April the Albert Shaw Lectures at Johns Hopkins University under the general title "The Purpose of America." He will teach this summer at Harvard University.

Rodney L. Mott, professor of political science, director of the division of the social sciences, and a member of the faculty since 1934, has been appointed first incumbent of the Charles Evans Hughes chair of government and jurisprudence at Colgate University, it has been announced by President Everett Case.

Harding C. Noblitt served as acting editor of Discourse: A Review of the Liberal Arts, during the academic year 1958-59. Discourse is published quarterly by Concordia College, Moorhead, Minnesota, where Noblitt is professor of political science.

Norman D. Palmer, University of Pennsylvania, organized and served as chairman of a session on "Technical Assistance in Public Administration: Pakistan as a Case Study," at the Second Annual Conference on International Administration, New York, February 6, 1959, which was sponsored by the New York

Metropolitan Chapter and the International Section of the American Society for Public Administration.

C. Northcote Parkinson, formerly of the University of Malaya, and author of Parkinson's Law, has been appointed George A. Miller visiting professor of political science and history at the University of Illinois for the first semester, 1959-1960.

George A. Peek, associate professor of political science at the University of Michigan, spent the spring semester of the academic year 1958-1959 in Washington on sabbatical leave. He is doing research on the Rules Committee of the House of Representatives as a policymaking agency.

Robert V. Presthus, professor of public administration and editor of the Administrative Science Quarterly, Cornell University, has received a Ford faculty fellowship for a year of study in social science at Berkeley, California. Professor Presthus participated recently in a conference on Turkish Economic Development sponsored by the Center for Middle Eastern Studies, Harvard University.

Mr. C. Rodman Porter, research associate of the Texas Research League, was serving during the spring semester of 1959 as visiting lecturer in government at the University of Texas.

Paul A. Pfretzschner of Lafayette College is serving as part-time consultant to the Bureau of Community Development in the Department of Conservation of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

During the 1959 summer session Leo C. Riethmayer, University of Colorado will teach at the University of Southern California's school of public administration.

Carl Rosberg, Jr., of Boston University is visiting assistant professor of political science at the University of California (Berkeley) during the current year.

James N. Rosenau, Douglass College, Rutgers University, was awarded an international relations training fellowship by the Ford Foundation for 1958-59.

Joseph S. Roucek, chairman, departments of sociology and political science, University of Bridgeport, toured Germany last summer as the official guest of the Bonn Government. He also joined recently the editorial board of the Journal of Human Relations and of Il Politico (University of Pavia).

Justice Walter V. Schaefer of the Illinois Supreme Court gave the annual James Lecture on government at the University of Illinois, February 10, 1959. His topic was "Courts and the Commonplaces of Federalism."

Leonard Schapiro of the London School of Economics will be at Columbia University as visiting professor of government during the fall term, during John Hazard's sabbatical leave.

Karl Schmitt, assistant professor of government at the University of Texas will serve as visiting lecturer in history at the University of California at Los Angeles during the summer session of 1959.

Dwight J. Simpson, assistant professor of political science at Williams College has received a Social Science Research Council grant for study at the Near and Middle East Institute at Columbia University during the summer of 1959.

J. David Singer has been reappointed visiting assistant professor of political science at the University of Michigan for the academic year 1959-60.

Frank J. Sorauf, of the Pennsylvania State University, has been granted leave the second semester to conduct research under a grant for research in state politics from the Social Science Research Council.

George W. Spicer, is serving as consultant to the Commission on Civil Rights. He was on partial leave from the University of Virginia during the spring semester. He will teach at the summer session of the University of Buffalo as visiting professor in the department of history and government.

Paul G. Steinbicker, chairman of the government department of St. Louis University, has been elected president of the Missouri Political Science Association for the year 1958–1959.

Richard N. Swift, associate professor at New York University, has been appointed visiting lecturer in political science at Yale University for the academic year 1958-59.

John S. Vanderoef from Princeton University will be lecturer in the political science department at Florida State University for the Spring Semester 1959.

John A. Vieg, professor of government at the Claremont Graduate School, was visiting research professor of political science at the University of California (Berkeley) during the past year. He is doing research on the role of pressure groups in California state politics.

John C. Wahlke of Vanderbilt University was visiting associate professor of political science at the University of California (Berkeley) during the 1958-59 academic year.

Myron Weiner of the department of political science at the University of Chicago has been appointed assistant editor of the *Journal of Asian Studies*. He will be in charge of South Asian articles submitted to the journal.

Lloyd M. Wells, associate professor, department of political science, school of business and public administration, University of Missouri, succeeds W. W. Kaempfer, formerly of Southern Methodist University, now of the University of Alabama, as an associate editor in charge of public administration on the staff of Background on World Politics.

York Willbern, professor of government and director of the bureau of government research at Indiana University, was a visiting lecturer in the department of political science at the University of Mississippi from April 20-24.

Quincy Wright, professor of foreign affairs at the University of Virginia, will lecture at the Hague Academy of International Law, August 3-21, 1959. This is the thirtieth year of the program's inception.

Ronald J. Yalem was appointed visiting assistant professor of political science at the University of Missouri for the second semester, 1958-1959.

## APPOINTMENTS AND STAFF CHANGES

Emile B. Ader has been promoted from associate professor to professor of political science at the University of Tulsa. He will be on leave of absence from July 1 to January 1 to serve as consultant in International Relations at the Naval War College.

Fred T. Bent has accepted a position as associate professor of public administration in the graduate school of business and public administration, Cornell University.

Eugene L. Burdick has been promoted to