NEWS AND NOTES

PERSONAL AND MISCELLANEOUS Compiled by the Managing Editor

In the preliminary program of the Chicago meeting of the American Political Science Association as distributed to members in November, there was an inadvertent omission of a joint luncheon with the American Labor Legislation Association on December 20 to be addressed by Dean Lloyd K. Garrison, of the University of Wisconsin, and others.

Professor Manley O. Hudson, of the Harvard Law School, was on October 8 elected to the World Court bench to fill one of the vacancies caused by the resignation of Frank B. Kellogg, former Secretary of State of the United States, and the death of Dr. Walter Schucking of Germany. He received forty-eight of the fifty-three votes in the Assembly.

Professor Frederick S. Dunn, of Yale University, and at one time lecturer on international law at Johns Hopkins University, will be visiting professor of international relations at Columbia University during the coming winter session.

Professor Charles G. Haines, of the University of California at Los Angeles, while on leave of absence in 1936-37, is teaching during the first half-year in the department of government at Harvard University and during the second half-year will carry on research and writing at the Harvard Law School.

The members of the faculty of law at the University of Lyons are planning three volumes of essays in honor of Professor Edouard Lambert, director of the Institute of Comparative Law, who is retiring after forty years of service as a teacher at the University.

Dr. Benjamin E. Lippincott, assistant professor of political science at the University of Minnesota, will return from a year's travel and study in Europe to take up his duties at the University in the winter quarter.

Beginning February 18, Dr. Salvador de Madariaga will deliver a series of five lectures at Swarthmore College on "The Theory and Practice of International Relations."

Miss Louise Overacker will be on leave from Wellesley College during the second semester and plans to spend a portion of the time in Washington.

Dr. Charles B Fahs, who has spent the last three years studying the Japanese language and Japanese politics and government in Paris, Kyoto,

and Tokyo under a fellowship from the General Education Board, has been appointed instructor in Oriental affairs at Pomona College.

- Dr. Charles J. Rohr, who during the summer was administrative assistant to the director of the emergency education program of the Works Progress Administration in Connecticut, is serving this year as acting assistant professor of history and government at the University of Maine during the absence of Professor Edward F. Dow.
- Dr. H. Schuyler Foster, Jr., who has been on leave of absence as tutor and research associate at Harvard University, has returned to Ohio State University and has been promoted to an assistant professorship.
- Dr. Albert J. Schwieger, formerly an instructor in economics at the University of North Dakota and more recently at the Worcester Polytechnic Institute, has been appointed assistant professor of economics and government in the latter institution.
- Dr. F. R. Aumann, of the department of political science at Ohio State University, spent the spring and summer quarters in Washington, D. C.

Professor Charles H. Titus is on leave from the University of California at Los Angeles during the first semester. He taught at Berkeley during the summer.

In the department of political science at Stanford University, the following appointments have been made for the academic year 1936-37: instructor, Hilden R. Gibson, Victoria Schuck, and A. Bruce Wright; acting instructor, Walter T. Bogart.

- Dr. Clifford E. Garwick, instructor at Ohio State University last year, is now holding an assistant professorship at the University of West Virginia.
- Mr. Joseph A. Kitchin has been appointed a teaching fellow in political science at the University of Michigan.

While on leave this year from the University of Maine, Professor Edward F. Dow is studying various phases of public administration in Washington.

- Dr. Robert Harris, formerly of the University of Cincinnati, is now a member of the political science department at Lousiana State University.
- Dr. Franklin L. Burdette, formerly of the University of North Carolina, is now teaching at Princeton University.

The Women's Organization for National Prohibition Reform has established at Barnard College a fellowship paying \$1,400 and open to graduate students in government, history, economics, and related fields.

Dr. Paul K. Walp has been appointed head of the political science department at Marshall College. He succeeds Dr. Thomas C. Donnelly, who was on leave of absence as professor of political science at the University of New Mexico last year, and who has accepted reappointment there. Dr. Conley H. Dillon has been promoted from instructor to assistant professor of political science, and Dr. A. E. Harris, formerly a graduate student at the University of Iowa, has been appointed to an instructorship. Plans are under way for a bureau of government research.

A bureau of government research was established recently at Louisiana State University as a part of the department of government. Professor R. L. Carleton is acting head of the department and director of the bureau. The bureau's activities are subject to general control by the members of the department, who constitute a board of directors.

The fifty-sixth annual meeting of the Academy of Political Science, held in New York on November 12, was devoted to the general subject of transportation development in the United States.

Dr. Frank W. Notestein has been appointed a lecturer in the School of Public and International Affairs at Princeton University, and will carry on research and teaching in population problems. The appointment has been made possible by a donation from the Milbank Memorial Fund, with which Dr. Notestein has been associated for some years. Dr. Robert K. Reischauer, who was appointed a lecturer in the School last year in consequence of a donation by the Rockefeller Foundation, has been made an instructor in the department of Oriental languages and literatures and in addition to continuing his work in the department of politics is this year giving a senior course in Japanese language and a one-term graduate course in Japanese culture.

Seventy-four traffic policemen, divided about equally between ranking officers and patrolmen, completed a two-weeks course of study at the Fourth Annual Traffic Officers' Training School held at Northwestern University October 12 to 24. The men represented forty-six cities in twenty-three states. Fifty-nine attended the basic course and fifteen the advanced course which was conducted for men who had previously taken the basic course and had been invited to carry further their study of traffic control and accident prevention. The Northwestern University Traffic Safety Institute, which had charge of these courses, conducted similar courses for county and state police from November 9 to 21.

Under its new program of training in public administration, the University of Minnesota has appointed for the year 1936–37 six pre-service fellows and five in-service fellows. Those awarded pre-service fellowships

are: Robert C. Bast, Northwestern University; Alice Hardenbergh, Bryn Mawr College; Howard T. Heun, University of Wisconsin; Gunnar G. Mykland, University of Kansas; Leonard F. C. Reichle, University of Chicago; and Albert H. Rosenthal, University of Colorado. Those appointed to in-service fellowships are: Ann M. Connoy, director's office, Minnesota State Employment Service, St. Paul; Carl W. Frank, city engineer, New Ulm, Minnesota; William H. Sherman, city accountant, Albert Lea, Minnesota; Arthur W. Smith, statistical clerk and assistant examiner, Civil Service Bureau, St. Paul; and Chesley L. Sweney, associate accountant and auditor, St. Paul office, Interstate Commerce Commission.

At the University of Virginia, Dr. Rowland Egger, director of the Bureau of Public Administration, has been advanced to a full professorship in the school of political science. He recently returned to the University after sixteen months' leave of absence, during which time he served as secretary of the Joint Committee on Planning and Coöperation of the International Institute of Administrative Sciences and the International Union of Local Authorities. Dr. Raymond Uhl, formerly secretary of the Bureau and acting director in the absence of Dr. Egger, has been made assistant director of the Bureau and assistant professor of political science. Mr. Anthony Vincent Shea, formerly staff member of the Virginia Commission on County Government, has been appointed statistician and accountant on the staff of the Bureau, with the rank of instructor in the school of political science.

An Institute of Public and Social Administration has been set up at the University of Michigan for the purpose of correlating existing offerings in these fields and providing a definite curriculum for graduate students desiring work in public and social administration. Dr. George C. S. Benson, formerly of the Council of State Governments, has become associate professor of public administration in the Institute, and Miss Eleanor Goltz has become associate professor of social work. Dr. William Haber, formerly of Michigan State College, and emergency relief director for the state of Michigan, has become professor of economics in the Institute. This recent creation of the Institute follows earlier developments at the University aimed at providing training for the public service. The first "school of political science" was set up in 1881, and in 1914 the curriculum was expanded to train men and women for municipal service. The Institute is an integral part of the Graduate School, and the various phases of the curriculum are in charge of special committees.

A bibliography and union holding list of county official publications now being prepared by James G. Hodgson, librarian of Colorado State

College, at Fort Collins, Colorado, should prove a valuable aid in the study of county government. The list is an outgrowth of a collecting trip made by Mr. Hodgson in 1934 and 1935 for the University of Chicago Libraries, in which he visited all of the states of the United States and all but two of the provinces of Canada, collecting state and local government publications. A preliminary report on the condition of county official publications in the United States was made before the public documents committee of the American Library Association at the meeting of last May in Richmond, Virginia. The list under preparation is an expansion of the material noted in that report. Libraries or individuals who have good collections of official county publications (printed or in mimeographed form) and wish to have their holdings listed in the final work are requested to correspond with Mr. Hodgson. Because of the few good collections of county materials in the United States, he desires to list even collections of single counties when such collections are available to scholars.

The Graduate Institute of International Studies in Geneva. Several months spent as a guest of the Graduate Institute of International Studies in Geneva have given me certain impressions which might be of interest to some of my American colleagues, and I venture to transmit them in this form.

The Institute was established in 1927 with the financial support of the Swiss Confederation, the Republic and Canton of Geneva, and the Rockefeller Foundation. It is in intimate relation with the University of Geneva, some of its professors serving also in the University. In the main, however, it is autonomous and independent, functioning under an executive council of five members, of whom two are not Swiss. Its co-directors, Professor William E. Rappard (Swiss) and Professor Paul Mantoux (French), are both scholars of eminent attainments who have played, and are playing, conspicuous rôles in current international affairs. The permanent faculty of some eleven men, including the directors, is a strong integrated group containing men with wide reputations, drawn from eight countries.

The work of the Institute is confined to the broad field of international relations, with emphasis on contemporary relations. It aspires to be "a center for the study of contemporary international questions," in their political, juridical, economic, and social aspects. To this end, its faculty has been selected with admirable discrimination. Its activities are centered in an adequate building, near but not the property of the University.

The Institute now has about 80 students, of whom 29 are German, 15 American, 9 Swiss, 7 Polish, 3 British, and 3 Chinese; 12 other nationalities are represented by one or more students. All of the students seem