NEWS AND NOTES

PERSONAL AND MISCELLANEOUS

Compiled by the Managing Editor

Dr. Harry A. Garfield, eighteenth president of the American Political Science Association, died at his home in Williamstown, Massachusetts, on December 12, 1942, and Dr. A. Lawrence Lowell, fifth president, at his home in Boston on January 6, 1943. Memorials prepared by committees of the Association will appear in the next issue of the REVIEW.

Professor Walter H. C. Laves, of the University of Chicago, who from December, 1941, was director of the United States Division of the Office of the Coördinator of Inter-American Affairs, has been transferred to the post of chief of the Division of Special Operations of the OCD.

Professor Edwin A. Cottrell, of Stanford University, has recently been elected president of the Western Governmental Research Association, and reëlected vice-president of the California Merit System League.

Professor Roland W. Maddox is on leave this year from the University of Kansas in order to carry on special studies for the research department of the Kansas Legislative Council.

Professor Joseph R. Starr, of the University of Minnesota, is now in active service with the U. S. Army and is stationed at Fort Omaha, Omaha, Nebraska.

Professor E. Allen Helms, of Ohio State University, has been chosen chairman of the Central Ohio Branch of the Foreign Policy Association.

Dr. Malcolm C. Moos, formerly of the University of Wyoming, has been appointed an associate in political science at the Johns Hopkins University to take over for the time being the work of Dr. V. O. Key, now on leave with the U. S. Bureau of the Budget.

Swarthmore College granted leave of absence for the current year to Professors Vernon O'Rourke and Bryce Wood. The former is serving as a mediator for the National War Labor Board, and the latter is attached to the Division of Special Research in the Department of State. At Swarthmore, Dr. G. Homer Durham, of Utah State Agricultural College, has been appointed acting assistant professor to carry on the work given up by Professor O'Rourke; while Mr. Herbert G. Sonthoff has been appointed an instructor and is conducting Professor Wood's work.

Mr. Robert Strausz-Hupé, of the University of Pennsylvania, participated in a conference on September 25 at Princeton University on "Military Manpower and American Policy." Professor Orba F. Traylor, of the University of Kentucky, has been employed to organize a finance office at Grand Rapids, Michigan.

At the University of Vermont, Dr. Andrew E. Nuquist has been promoted to the rank of associate professor.

Dr. Richard H. Heindel, formerly of the University of Pennsylvania, has been appointed director of the American Library in the U.S. Office of War Information at London.

At Iowa State College, Dr. John R. Mashek has been appointed assistant professor of government, effective January 1, 1943.

Mr. Roy Melbourne, graduate student and one time holder of a Penfield Fellowship at the University of Pennsylvania, was interned in Japan for six months and is now serving at the U. S. Embassy in Turkey.

Dr. Edgar B. Cale, who handles the course in Latin American government and politics at the University of Pennsylvania, has been promoted to an assistant professorship.

Mr. Paul Kelso, formerly instructor at Ohio State University, is now a member of the political science staff at the University of California at Los Angeles.

Dr. Joseph A. Kitchin, formerly a teaching fellow at the University of Michigan, has been promoted at the University of Maryland from the instructorship which he held last year to an assistant professorship.

Professor Arthur W. Bromage, of the University of Michigan, received early in January a commission as Major in the U. S. Army, and was ordered to report at the School of Military Government at Charlottesville, Virginia.

Professor Jane Perry Clark Carey, of Barnard College, has become principal training specialist on the training of women for government service under the Civil Service Commission. Professor Carey continues her work at Barnard on a part-time basis.

Professor Harold Sprout, of Princeton University, is directing the preparation of a strategical atlas for the OWI and doing consultation work for the Geopolitical Section of the General Staff.

While on leave from the Wharton School, University of Pennsylvania, Professor Smith Simpson is serving as chief of the Allied Nations Section in the Recruitment and Manning Organization of the War Shipping Administration.

Dr. Herman Finer has resigned from the London School of Economics in order to serve for some time with the International Labor Organization as special consultant on post-war reconstruction. In the main, he is engaged upon the problem of International Development Authorities for assisting the under-developed countries better to exploit their natural resources and so raise their standard of living. He expects to be on this side of the Atlantic for some time, and correspondence may be addressed to him at the I.L.O. in Montreal.

Dr. John B. Andrews, for thirty-two years secretary of the American Association for Labor Legislation, founder and editor of the American Labor Legislation Review, and an outstanding figure in the field of labor and other social legislation, died in New York City on January 3 at the age of sixty-two.

Professor Heinrich P. Jordan has been granted leave of absence from New York University for the second semester of the current academic year to serve as visiting professor in the College of Liberal Arts and Sciences at the University of Puerto Rico, San Piedras, P. R. He is offering courses on "Dictatorships of Today," "Government and Politics of Latin America," and "Problems of Post-War Reconstruction."

At Tulane University, Professor W. V. Holloway has secured leave of absence to serve with the New Orleans department of city civil service as head of the classification division. Professor Hollis W. Barber also has secured leave and has been awarded a commission as a Lieutenant in the U. S. Naval Reserve. Mrs. Mary Symons Strong, who received a master's degree from the University of Cincinnati, has been made acting instructor, and is giving courses in public administration and constitutional law. Professors Howard P. Johnson, and W. E. H. Baringer, of the department of history, are devoting half-time to the department of political science, the former offering courses in international relations and the latter courses in American government.

Dr. Oswaldo Trigueiro, an exchange fellow from Brazil in 1939–40 who received his master's degree in political science in June, 1940, has recently published a monograph entitled *O Regime Dos Estados Na União Americana*. Dr. Trigueiro, who at present is a director of the Instituto Brasil-Estados Unidos, states that this is the first Brazilian work on the governmental institutions of the United States.

During November and December, the political science department at the University of Pennsylvania had as guest speakers Dr. John Earl Baker, former inspector-general of the Burma Road; Dr. Anup Singh; Captain Edward J. Lobkowicz, attaché of the Czechoslovakian government-in-exile; and Dr. Randolph Paul, general counsel of the U. S. Treasury Department. War-time administration is the subject dealt with in a new seminar offered during the winter term at the University of Washington. Officials of various federal agencies, as well as members of the University staff, are participating.

The Southern Institute of Local Government, sponsored by the University of Tennessee, held its third annual meeting at Memphis on November 13 and 14. It was addressed by James W. Martin, University of Kentucky; John K. Langum, Federal Reserve Bank of Chicago; and Clarence E. Ridley, International City Managers Association. Joint sessions held with the Tennessee Law Institute were addressed by Professor Roscoe Pound and Mr. James P. Pope. The department of political science at the University of Tennessee is assisting the city of Knoxville in a classification survey.

In an effort to make quasi-judicial decisions easier of access, the Brazilian government has, beginning with August 13, 1942, been publishing daily a fourth section to the official gazette (*Diario Oficial*). This separately paged section includes not only a brief record of the proceedings, but the decisions of the first and second councils of tax and customs appeals, the national council of water and electric power, the national and regional labor councils, the tariff council, the national traffic council, and the administrative maritime tribunal. Previously these proceedings and decisions were more or less buried in the bulky first section of the Brazilian official gazette.

The American University and the Bar Association of the District of Columbia, in coöperation with the coördinator of Inter-American affairs, presented an Institute on the Law of Our American Neighbors on November 18, on the occasion of the opening of the Inter-American Bar Association Council meeting in Washington. With a view to developing materials which may be made available to other local bar associations wishing to sponsor similar institutes to study the juridical systems of the Western Hemisphere, the following program was arranged: "The Sources and Structure of the Civil Law," by Dr. Ricardo Alfaro, secretary-general of the American Institute of International Law; "Constitutional Guarantees in the Americas," by Professor Noel T. Dowling, of Columbia University Law School: "Procedure and Practice in Civil Law Countries." by Mr. Otto Schoenrich, of New York; and "Criminal Code and Proceedings," by Hon. Justin Miller, associate justice of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, and Dr. Gaston Godoy, of the Havana Bar. Each paper was discussed by a panel including the presidents of both the Brazilian and Cuban bar associations. Members of the panel were: Dr. Raoul Herrera-Arango, secretary of the Cuban embassy; Dr. Roberto Cordova, counselor of the Mexican embassy; Dr. Mario Rodriguez, counselor of the Chilean embassy; Dr. Hector Castor, minister of El Salvador; Dr. Edmundo de Mirando Jordaou, president of the Brazilian Bar; Dr. Manuel F. Supervielle, president of the Cuban Bar; and Donald Richberg, Edmund L. Jones, and William S. Culbertson, of the Washington Bar. A copy of the proceedings of the Institute may be obtained by writing to President Paul F. Douglass, The American University, Washington, D. C.

Universities Committee on Post-War International Problems. For the purpose of creating a central organization by which to focus the attention and mobilize the thought particularly of scholars in residence at American colleges and universities on the problems of post-war settlement, a Universities Committee on Post-War International Problems has recently been organized. This Committee originally grew out of conferences held at the Institute for Advanced Study in Princeton during the summer and autumn of 1942. The work of the Committee has recently become one of collaboration between the Committee and the World Peace Foundation by the action of the board of trustees of that organization in agreeing to give the project financial and staff support. The Committee plans to undertake and encourage, through local coöperating individuals and groups, the systematic survey, analysis, discussion, and appraisal of policies and ideas, rather than research on matters of fact. Discussion outlines and memoranda on significant questions of policy will be prepared and circulated to coöperating groups. On the basis of comments received and occasional conferences of specially qualified and interested persons, it is anticipated that memoranda on significant questions will be put into shape for final publication and that the interested Government agencies will be informed of conclusions reached. The Central Committee consists of Ralph Barton Perry, as chairman, Frank Aydelotte, Edwin F. Gay, Arthur O. Lovejoy, Leland M. Goodrich, James Phinney Baxter, III, George H. Blakeslee, Frederick S. Dunn, Edward Mead Earle, Guy Stanton Ford, Charles H. McIlwain, Wallace Notestein, Edwin G. Nourse, C. Reinold Noyes, Jacob Viner, and Payson Wild. Contacts have been made with over 150 colleges and universities and a substantial number have signified their intention of participating in the enterprise. Other individuals or groups who are interested are invited to communicate with Professor Leland M. Goodrich, Executive Secretary, Universities Committee, 40 Mt. Vernon Street, Boston, Massachusetts.

Thirty-eighth Annual Meeting of the American Political Science Association. The thirty-eighth annual meeting of the American Political Science Association was scheduled to be held in Chicago December 28-30, 1942, with the Hotel Sherman as headquarters. It was to have been a joint