

## SSRC PROGRAMS, 1966

The Social Science Research Council's programs of Research Training Fellowships and Faculty Research Grants are currently under review, and it is not yet certain what form these may take for the coming year.

The Council will again offer grants to mature scholars, not candidates for degrees, on essentially the same basis as before, for research on American Governmental and Legal Processes, and for research on International Organization.

Under joint sponsorship of the Social Science Research Council and the American Council of Learned Societies, several programs of fellowships and grants for training and research on certain foreign areas will be continued; inquiries concerning these should be directed respectively to the offices indicated:

Grants to mature scholars for research on Africa, Contemporary China, Latin America, and the Near and Middle East are administered by the Social Science Research Council; for research in Asian Studies and in Slavic and East European Studies, by the American Council of Learned Societies (345 East 46th Street, New York, N. Y. 10017);

Fellowships for training in foreign area studies are administered by the Foreign Area Fellowship Program (444 Madison Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10022).

Inquiries, and requests for a final announcement to be issued in late September, should be addressed to Social Science Research Council Fellowships and Grants, 230 Park Avenue, New York, N. Y. 10017

To avoid missing deadlines, prospective applicants should correspond with appropriate office by early October.

## IN MEMORIAM

WILLIAM MONTGOMERY MCGOVERN, professor of political science at Northwestern University, died December 12, 1964, at the age of 67. Born in Brooklyn, N. Y., he spent most of his childhood in the Orient. He obtained his Doctor of Philosophy degree from Christ Church College, Oxford, England, in 1922, and joined the faculty of Northwestern University in 1929. In 1937 he left the University to report the developing war in the Far East for the *Chicago Times*, returning in 1940 to lecture at Harvard University. Beginning in 1941 he served in the Navy as a special advisor to the Joint Chiefs of Staff. On his discharge from the Navy he held the rank of commander and received the Legion of Merit. He then returned

to full time teaching duties at Northwestern and also participated actively in public affairs both in party politics and in various capacities in the national government.

Professor McGovern was the author of eleven books. Their range reflects the spectrum of his life's interest: *Modern Japan*, *Colloquial Japanese*, *An Introduction to Mahayana Buddhism*, *Manual of Buddhist Philosophy*, *To Lhasa in Disguise*, *Jungle Paths and Inca Ruins*, *Growth of Institutions*, *Early Empires of Central Asia*, *From Luther to Hitler*, *Radicals and Conservatives*, and *Strategic Intelligence and the Shape of Tomorrow*.

He is survived by his widow, two daughters and a son.—R. BARRY FARRELL