

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

The Eagleton Foundation for the Study of Practical Politics, Rutgers University, has been reorganized as the Eagleton Institute of Politics. Donald G. Herzberg has been appointed executive director and Paul Tillett assistant director.

A Public Affairs Conference Center has been established at the University of Chicago with Robert A. Goldwin, Lecturer in Political Science and former Director of Research, American Foundation for Continuing Education, as director.

The purpose of the Center is to meet the need for bettering the interchange of ideas and knowledge between responsible men of affairs and men who devote their lives to study. Topics to be discussed at meetings held several times each year will bear on matter of importance to the welfare of the nation, and will have as a main characteristic an immediate relevance to present political life. The meetings will be designed primarily to serve the education of the participants rather than to produce joint statements or reports. The Center will, however, from time to time publish papers and books related to its purposes.

A faculty advisory committee has been set up for the Public Affairs Conference Center with Leo Strauss as chairman; other members are Joseph Cropsey and Herbert Storing, Assistant Professors of Political Science.

The first conference of the Center will be held in January, 1961, on the topic of "Federalism."

With support from the Television Bureau of Advertising, and awards running from \$250 up to \$4250 (in a 16-to-1 ratio) a competition for plans for television research—in its mass communication and human behavior, not engineering, phases—has been announced. Eighteen winning plans are to be published in a book; Emeritus Professor Mark A. May, Psychology, Yale, is Chairman of the Governing Committee. Closing date for entries is March 15, 1961. For further details write to Television Research Plan Competition, 1 Rockefeller Plaza, New York 20, New York.

The Municipal Manpower Commission, under the chairmanship of former U. S. Budget Director James E. Webb, and with Allen E. Pritchard, Jr., who has served several state leagues of municipalities (most recently Kansas), as Director, was organized in June with the aid of a Ford Foundation grant, to undertake an extensive program of research and education, calculated to help meet the great increase foreseen in the need for trained people in municipal administration. The general aim is to strengthen local

self-government. "Unless highly qualified personnel who understand the governmental problems of the 1960's are available to administer the affairs of America's exploding urban areas, citizens will look elsewhere for solutions—to state or federal agencies," Mr. Webb said in announcing the Commission's formation. Its office is at 1612 K Street, N. W., Washington 6, D.C.

Jacob H. Abers, chief of the Inspection and Classification Division, 12th Region, U. S. Civil Service Commission, has been appointed lecturer in the department of political science, University of California, Berkeley, for the 1960 fall semester.

Larry Adams has been appointed instructor in political science for the fall semester of 1960 at the University of California, Santa Barbara.

Bernard Brodie, senior staff member of the RAND Corporation, has been awarded a Reflective Year Fellowship for one year by the Carnegie Corporation of New York. His fellowship year, which began on June 30, 1960, will be spent mostly in Paris. Dr. Brodie intends to follow a study program oriented round the psychological causes of war.

Ardath W. Burks has been appointed director of the Institute of Asian Culture, Rutgers University.

Eugene L. Burdick, associate professor of political science, University of California, Berkeley, is on leave during the current academic year.

Francis M. Carney of the Riverside campus of the University of California is visiting assistant professor of political science at the Berkeley campus during 1960-61.

During the spring semester of 1960, Professor P. C. Chakravarti of the University of Jadavpur in Calcutta, India served as visiting professor at Indiana University.

John M. Clauch, professor of government at Southern Methodist University, has been appointed by the Governor of Texas as a member of the newly-created Commission on City and County Governments.

Louis H. Douglas, professor of political science at Kansas State University, was awarded a nine-months Fulbright grant to lecture in the Philippines.

Harold H. Fisher, professor of history, emeritus, Stanford University, and former chairman of the Hoover Institute and Library, is serving as visiting professor of political science at the University of California, Berkeley, during 1960-61.

Louis L. Friedland served as acting chairman of the department of political science, Wayne State University during the academic year 1959-60.

Paul Geren, formerly with the Department of State and currently executive director of the Dallas Council on World Affairs, will serve as interim professor of American diplomacy at Southern Methodist University next year.

Federico Gil of the University of North Carolina delivered a series of lectures in Argentina during the month of August and participated in the Congreso Internacional Argentino de Ciencia Politica.

George Ginsburgs of UCLA has been awarded a Social Science Research Council grant to study Soviet Legal Philosophy. He will conduct his research at the Hoover Institute.

Edward M. Goldberg, formerly of the University of New Mexico, has been appointed visiting assistant professor of political science at San Diego State College.

Samuel Halperin, Wayne State University, has been granted an American Political Science Association Congressional Fellowship for 1960-61. He has also received a Wayne State University Research fellowship for the summer of 1960.

Arnold J. Heidenheimer, Wayne State University, has been granted a leave-of-absence for one-year to teach at the University of Florida, Gainesville.

Ralph K. Huitt of the University of Wisconsin is spending 1960-61 on research under a grant from the Rockefeller Foundation.

Harry Kantor is on leave from the University of Florida for the academic year 1960-61 to the Institute of Political Education, San Jose, Costa Rica. He will be on the faculty of the school which is a cooperative school among Latin American countries.

Hans Kelsen, professor of political science, emeritus, of the University of California, Berkeley, has received the Feltrinelli International Prize of \$32,000 from the Accademia Nazionale Dei Lincei of Rome, for "his outstanding contribution to the fields of legal science." The award was presented at ceremonies in Rome attended by Giovanni Gronchi, President of the Italian Republic. Professor Kelsen, who taught international law and jurisprudence at Berkeley from 1942 to 1952 has continued to lecture and publish since his retirement.

James B. Kessler, instructor in government at

Indiana University, has been granted a leave of absence for the academic year 1960-61 to serve as resident director, Commission on State Tax and Financing Policy, State House, Indianapolis.

Harold D. Lasswell of Yale has become one of five social scientists who are members of a newly established advisory council to the president of the Prudential Insurance Co. The Council will advise on broad trends in American society as they affect Prudential.

Walter H. C. Laves, chairman of the department of government at Indiana University will be on leave of absence during the fall of 1960 to conduct a study for the Department of State and the Advisory Commission on Educational Exchanges.

Harvey C. Mansfield, Jr. joined the political science faculty of the University of California, Berkeley, in September, as acting assistant professor.

Nicholas A. Masters, Wayne State University, has been studying the Congressional Committee structure under a Ford Foundation grant. His leave-of-absence has been extended to permit him to teach at Washington University, St. Louis for the 1960-61 academic year.

R. Stephen Milne, formerly of the University of New Zealand, spent the year 1959-60 as Rockefeller visiting professor at the Institute of Public Administration, University of the Philippines. From September 1960 until January 1961 he will be visiting professor at the Institute of Social Studies, The Hague.

David G. Monroe of the University of North Carolina is a visiting professor in the department of police administration of the University of Indiana for the academic year 1960-61.

Carl C. Moses, assistant professor of political science at Virginia Polytechnic Institute, is on leave of absence for the academic year 1960-61 at the University of Florida.

Herbert J. Muller, distinguished service professor of government and English, Indiana University, was given an honorary degree of Doctor of Literature at Purdue in June 1960.

Grady H. Nunn of the University of Alabama will be visiting assistant professor of government at Indiana University, replacing J. Gus Leibenow, who is on a social science research council grant in Africa for the academic year 1960-61.

William Whatley Pierson, Kenan professor of political science at the University of North Carolina, will be on leave during the academic year 1960-61 in order to serve as acting chan-

cellor of the Woman's College of the University of North Carolina in Greensboro, North Carolina.

Howard Penniman, of the department of government, Georgetown University, assisted Dr. Ivan Hinderaker in conducting the program for political scientists at the Republican National Convention. This program was under the auspices of the Citizenship Clearing House and the Eagle-ton Foundation.

James W. Prothro of the Florida State University will be visiting professor of political science at the University of North Carolina through August, 1961.

Yosal Rogat, assistant professor of political science, University of California, is on leave during the current year. He is conducting research at the center for the study of democratic institutions at Santa Barbara.

Andrew M. Scott, acting associate professor of political science at the University of North Carolina, has been awarded a Fulbright grant for 1960-61 to teach at the University of Bologna in Italy.

Frank J. Sorauf, assistant professor of political science at the Pennsylvania State University has been granted a leave-of-absence for the year 1960-61, to serve as a visiting associate professor of political science at the University of Arizona.

Murray S. Stedman, Jr., who formerly taught at Swarthmore College and is at present director of the Presbyterian Office of Information, last semester taught the course in national government and is currently teaching the course on state and local government at Teachers College, Columbia University.

Robert Warren of the University of California at Los Angeles has accepted an acting assistant professorship at the University of Washington.

Maurice Waters, Wayne State University, has been granted a year's leave-of-absence to accept a World Affairs Center Fellowship and will be located in New York City.

William Welch is serving as lecturer in political science at the University of California, Berkeley, during 1960-61.

Henry Wells, associate professor, University of Pennsylvania, will be on leave during the fall semester 1960-61. He has an S.S.R.C. Faculty Research Fellowship to complete a study of value determinants in Puerto Rican politics.

Herbert H. Wood, a member of the department of history and government at the University of Maine since 1950, has been granted leave to accept a fellowship in university administration at the University of Michigan during the 1960-61 college year.

## APPOINTMENTS AND STAFF CHANGES

Fred F. Abrahams has been appointed assistant professor of political science at the University of Idaho.

Merritt G. Abrash has been appointed instructor for 1960-61 in the department of history, government and international relations, Clark University.

Charles W. Anderson has been appointed an assistant professor at the University of Wisconsin.

John A. Armstrong has been promoted to the rank of professor at the University of Wisconsin.

Douglas E. Ashford was promoted to assistant professor during the spring semester at Indiana University.

Elton Atwater, professor of political science at the Pennsylvania State University, has been appointed head of the department for the period July 1, 1960 to June 30, 1963. He succeeds Professor M. Nelson McGeary, whose term expired June 30, 1960.

Gordon E. Baker has been promoted to the

rank of associate professor of political science at the University of California, Santa Barbara.

Rene R. Beauchesne, doctoral candidate at Syracuse University, has been named assistant professor of political science at Creighton University.

George S. Blair, associate professor, formerly of the University of Pennsylvania, has been appointed as associate professor of political science, Claremont Graduate School.

Robert O. Byrd at North Park College and Theological Seminary has been promoted to professor and is on leave during the 1960-61 academic year on a Smith-Mundt lectureship at the University College of East Africa, Kampala, Uganda, British East Africa.

Byrum C. Carter of Indiana University has been promoted to full professor.

C. W. Cassinelli of Whitman College has accepted an assistant professorship at the University of Washington.