HONOURS TO STAFF

Professor F.R. Beasley (Law) Special Lecturer in the Faculty, has recently been created a Professor Emeritus of the University of Western Australia.

Professor J. Bornstein (Biochemistry) has been nominated by the Council of the Australian Academy of Science as one of the members of its Committee on Biochemistry.

Mrs. Yette Glass (Anthropology and Sociology) before leaving South Africa was awarded the Simon Biesheuvel Medal for her contribution to the growth and development of industrial sociology in Southern Africa. This annual award is made by the South African Association for the Advancement of Science to scientists working in Africa and making a contribution to the science of man.

Professor D.H. Monro (Philosophy) has been awarded a Commonwealth Fellowship at St. John’s College, Cambridge, for 1965.

Professor R. Selby Smith (Education) has been appointed to the Commonwealth Advisory Committee on Science Facilities in Independent Schools and will act as Chairman of the Committee in the absence of Mr. R.C. Robson.

Professor R. Street (Physics) has been asked to serve as a member of the Australian Scientific Research Journal's Board of Standards which is appointed jointly by the Executive of C.S.I.R.O. and the Council of the Academy of Science. He has also been elected as one of the two Vice-Presidents of the Australian Institute of Nuclear Science and Engineering.

Mr. J. Theobald and Mr. H. Schoenheimer (Education) have been co-opted by the Australian Council for Educational Research to assist with the preparation of examinations in connection with the new Commonwealth Secondary Schools Scholarship Scheme.

ENGINEERING CHAIR

Dr. N.W. Murray has been appointed to a Chair in the field of structures. Before his appointment Professor Murray was Senior Lecturer in Civil Engineering at this University.

A graduate of the University of Adelaide, Professor Murray was awarded the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in the University of Manchester in 1955 where he worked until 1957 when he was appointed as Senior Research Assistant in the Department of Mechanical Engineering in Sheffield University. From 1959 until his appointment at Monash in 1961 Professor Murray was Senior Stress Analyst and Deputy Head of Structural Development, Atomic Energy Division, of G.E.C. - Simon Carves at Erith in Kent. For the last three years he has been acting as head of the Department of Civil Engineering at Monash and has been responsible for setting up the department.

He has designed the Heavy Laboratories, stage three, and has participated as a member of the Union Building Committee, the Site Works Committee, Faculty Club Committee, Faculty of Engineering Executive Committee, and the Standards Association of Australia. He is also a coach of the Monash Rugby Team. His main research interests are in the fields of structural and stress analysis with emphasis on stability of frameworks and shell theory. Professor Murray is married and has three children.
STUDENT ADVISER

Mr. George Cally has been appointed Student Adviser at Monash. He is at present Assistant Student Counselor in the University of Melbourne and is a graduate of that university. Mr. Cally will take up his appointment later this year.

CHAPLAIN

Father Peter Knowles, O.P., has taken up duty as Roman Catholic Chaplain succeeding Father Peter Little, S.J. Before his appointment to Monash, Father Knowles was Chaplain at the University of New England. He has also been Chaplain at the University of Auckland.

STAFF ARRIVALS - JUNE

Dr. Gale Davis - Senior Lecturer in Zoology and Comparative Physiology graduated B.S. from Western Carolina College in 1957, M.A. from the University of North Carolina in 1960, and Ph.D. from the University of Georgia in 1963. Under the sponsorship of a United States Public Health Service Research Fellowship, Dr. Davis was engaged in research into the behaviour of chromosomes jointly at the University of Georgia and the Oak Ridge National Laboratory. His most recent appointment was that of Research Associate in the Biology Division of the Oak Ridge National Laboratory. Dr. Davis is married with two children.

Mrs. Yette Glass - Senior Lecturer in Anthropology and Sociology - was born in South Africa and received her B.A. (Hons.) degree in Social Anthropology at Witwatersrand University. Mrs. Glass has lectured in the Department of Native Law and Administration at the University of Witwatersrand and her most recent position was as head of the division of Industrial Sociology and Demography in the National Institute for Personal Research. Her work there was concerned with demographic, sociological and psychological aspects of industrial and community research. She is at present engaged in a doctoral thesis on "The Industrialization of an Indigenous People". Mrs. Glass has one child.

Mr. Robert Gani - Lecturer in Mechanical Engineering - graduated B. Mech. E., M. Eng. Sc. from the University of Melbourne. He was a tutor at that university from 1957-1958, and in the following year joined the Vacuum Oil Co. Pty. Ltd. as a combustion engineer. He remained with this company until August 1961, and was then employed by Rolls-Royce Ltd., as a research assistant in the Combustion Department of the Aero-Engine Division in Derby, England. Mr. Gani's research interests are in the field of fluid flow associated with combustion and heat transfer. He is married with one child.

Dr. D. Pager - Lecturer in Mathematics - graduated B.Sc. with first class honours from the University of Cape Town and received his Ph.D. from the University of London. From 1957-59 he was a mathematical consultant to E.M.I. Electronics Ltd., England, and from 1962-63 was consultant to Air Services Department of Transport for the Canadian Government. His most recent appointment was as mathematical consultant to I.B.M. His main research interest is in the field of cybernetics. Dr. Pager is single.

Mr. Richard Pannell - Lecturer in English - graduated B.A. from Oxford University in 1960. He then took up his most recent position as assistant lecturer at the Singapore University. His special interests are in seventeenth century poetry, particularly Ben Jonson, and in the poetry and prose of Dr. Johnson. Mr. Pannell is married with one child.

Mr. J.C.G. Wright - Lecturer in Economics - graduated B. Com., with first class honours from the University of Melbourne in 1959. Until 1961 he was a research officer with Ian Potter and Co., stockbrokers, Melbourne. He then took up his most recent position as lecturer in the department of Economics at the University of Adelaide. His main interests are in the fields of industrial organization and value theory, business finance and administration and methodology. Mr. Wright is married with one child.
STAFF ARRIVALS (cont.)

Mr. G.C. Birkett - Teaching Fellow in French - graduated B.A. (Hons.) in Modern Languages with first class honours in French from the University of Manchester. From 1962-63 he was a graduate research scholar at the same university. He is interested in linguistic problems particularly concerning French syntax and semantics in all periods of the language. Mr. Birkett is single.

Mr. Michael G. Hoare - Teaching Fellow in German - graduated B.A. with first class honours in German and Geography from the University of Hull in 1963. Since his graduation he has been assistant master at Kelvin Hall Secondary Grammar Technical School, Kingston-upon-Hull, Yorkshire. Mr. Hoare is married.

Mr. D.G.J. Roberts - Senior Teaching Fellow in German - was an Open Scholar in German at Lincoln College, Oxford from 1959-63 which included one year on a scholarship at the University of Cologne. He received his degree in the French and German Honours School at Oxford in 1963. His main periods of literary study were 19th and 20th century German, with a special study of Goethe and French medieval literature. His most recent position was in the German and Austrian Section of the Foreign Office. Mr. Roberts is married.

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FACULTY CLUB

Furniture has been chosen for the Club's new premises in the Union building, and unless anything unforeseen happens - which is always possible - the Club will occupy its new home by the end of July. There will be dining accommodation for 160 people, as well as lounge chairs and coffee chairs for about 80.
FACULTY CLUB (cont.)

The law will prevent the bar from going into operation immediately, and as it is apparently impossible to pin the Licensing Court to a date, the Committee can hold out no estimate. Meanwhile, in anticipation of better times to come, a wine sub-committee has been appointed from among the University's experts. They will advise the committee on stocking a cellar.

Subscriptions for 1964 are now due, and notices have been circulated by the Treasurer. (Rev. J. Hawkes). By resolution of the last annual general meeting, the subscription is £3.3.0. for members and £2.2.0. for associate members. Since the Club will soon be involved in considerable capital expenditure, prompt payment will be appreciated.

A housewarming party will be held in conjunction with the Monash Women's Society on the evening of Friday 14th August (the first Friday of the vacation). The estimated cost is £1 a head, including drinks. Details will be circulated later.

WARDEN - SECOND HALL OF RESIDENCE

General information concerning the proposed appointment of a Warden for the second hall of residence was provided in the June issue of the Monash Reporter. It has been decided that applications should simply take the form of a letter to the Registrar to be received by him by July 18th.

The conditions of appointment as approved by the Council are as follows:
(a) The Warden shall be required to reside in the house provided in the Hall and no rent shall be charged to him.
(b) Any municipal rates or charges in respect of the Warden's residence and charges for electricity, gas and water used therein shall be a charge upon the maintenance of the Hall.
(c) The Warden and his wife may take meals in the dining room of the Hall free of charge.
(d) The appointment will be for a period of three years in the first instance.

Intending applicants are advised to make further enquiries from Dr. J.A. McDonell, Executive Warden (560-9001) as to the details and extent of the duties and responsibilities which might attach to the appointment.

RELIGIOUS CENTRE

During first and second term the Centre has arranged a weekly course of evening lectures on 'Comparative Religion'. Over 120 students and staff have enrolled for the course and in spite of shocking weather attendances have been very satisfactory.

The Chaplains are indebted to the Rev. G. Bolster and the staff of the Semitics Department of Melbourne University for arranging the lectures.

CHILDREN'S PLAY CENTRE

The Centre for children between two and five is at Birch Cottage in the University grounds just beyond the Library. It has two rooms and is fully equipped and heated. It also has a large covered verandah and a fenced-in playground with swings, sand-pit and various other things to interest the youngsters. The children get daily allocation of free school milk.

The Centre is organized and run privately by a committee of staff members' wives. There is a full-time trained Directress in daily charge of the children. The Play Centre has been approved by the Ministry of Health and other public authorities.

The Centre runs three groups:
(a) Children 2-3 years of age - Tuesdays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. - £1.15.0.
(b) Children 3-5 years of age - Mondays, Thursdays and Fridays from 9 a.m. to 12 p.m. - £4.15.0.
(c) Children 3-5 years of age - Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays and Fridays from 12.30 p.m. to 3 p.m. - £5.5.0 (Fees per term).

The Centre is large enough to take ten children in each group at the present time. The morning groups are full just now but waiting lists are being opened. For the afternoon group there are still a couple of vacancies which when filled a waiting list will be opened for this group also.
CHILDREN'S PLAY CENTRE (cont.)

The following people will be glad to answer any queries: the Directress (Mrs. de Hahn) at the Centre; the committee's chairman, Dr. J. Wilson (Physiology; home telephone 560-8176); or the committee's secretary, Mrs. Susan Gelber (C/- Mr. H. Gelber, History).

DEPARTMENTAL NEWS OF GENERAL INTEREST

ANTHROPOLOGY AND SOCIOLOGY

In the past few months, Professor Marwick has been invited to speak to various student groups and professional associations on Anthropology and Sociology, both subjects of which are relatively new to Victoria as academic disciplines.

APPLIED MECHANICS

The Department has organized again this year an engineering research colloquium series which seeks to stimulate informal discussion at an advanced level across the whole Faculty. The first session, held on 8th June, was conducted by the Dean, Professor K.H. Hunt, when he discussed his recent work on connectivity between rigid bodies. He developed some fundamental kinematic theorems as a basis for the analysis of three-dimensional mechanisms, so often ignored by designers. This work will be published in the Department's recently inaugurated Research Report Series.

At a session on 22nd June, Professor W.A. Wittrick, Professor of Aeronautics, Sydney University, spoke on the propagation of surge waves in helical springs.

Mr. J.D.C. Crisp, Acting Director of the Engineering Computer Laboratory, reports that formal arrangements will soon be completed which will enable general access to the Laboratory's analogue computers. These have been in service for two years now and have already been extensively used. The Department of Civil Aviation has recently completed extensive preliminary studies of the control and navigation at landing of jet aircraft. Towards the end of May the smaller of the two computers was used by members of the Australian Physiological Society. The versatility of the larger of the computers is shortly to be enlarged by a substantial increase in its amplifier capacity.

CIVIL ENGINEERING

Professor N.W. Murray and Mr. R. McPherson will give two lectures on "A modern approach to the teaching of strength of materials" to a meeting of the Education Branch of the Institution of Engineers, Australia, on 9th July at 5.15 p.m. in theatre S2.

Dr. I.B. Donald and Mr. H. McC. Dickson are studying the settlement of the Arts building to compare this information with the theoretical estimates which involve a number of simplifying assumptions.

EDUCATION

Dr. Maurie Baison, who is responsible for Educational Psychology in the Department, is conducting two research projects at present. One study is designed to determine the social structure of the Geelong district and to relate social class membership to various aspects of school performance within five secondary schools in the Geelong area. Another study is concerned with an intensive study of the top five percent of Monash students who entered the University this year. Measures of scholastic aptitude, personality, values, study habits and reading comprehension have already been secured from the students and it is the intention of this study to follow the academic and professional careers of these students over the next decade.

Dr. Baison has also recently been elected Chairman of The Association for Modern Teaching Methods, a group formed to advance programmed instruction in schools and universities. He is to address a conference of headmasters this month on Programmed Instruction. The Department plans to offer a one-day seminar on programmed instruction later this year to Faculty members and to representatives of industry.
DEPARTMENTAL NEWS (cont.)

Mr. Henry Schoenheimer is to give a lecture on "The Role of Humanities in Secondary Schools" on 21st July as a part of a series of lectures on the Secondary School Curriculum. Other lecturers are Professor Harry Messel, Professor Merle Curti (Pulitzer prize winner) and Mr. Ron Reed (Chief Inspector of Secondary Schools). Tickets available from Dr. Balson at 10/- each.

Dr. Claire Pederson, who is a Supervisor of Secondary Education in the School of Education, University of California, is at present conducting lectures on American education for students taking Comparative Education in the Department.

ELECTRICAL ENGINEERING

An informal research seminar on circuit theory was held on 16th and 17th June. Among those present were Professor D.C. Pederson, Professor R.W. Newcomb from Stanford University, Mr. D.C. Pawsey from University of Adelaide, Mr. J.H. Brodie from University of Tasmania, Mr. D. Hooper from the University of Melbourne, as well as permanent staff and research students of the Department of Electrical Engineering.

On 11th June, Professor D.G. Lampard presented the inaugural lecture on 'Some Statistical Aspects of Communication' to the Victorian Branch of the Statistical Society of Australia.

Recent gifts to the Department have included a 5V 1000 amp motor generator from the Department of Electrical Engineering of Melbourne University, a mercury arc tube from the Wilson Electric Transformers Co., Pty. Ltd., electromechanical control equipment from H. Rowe and Co., as well as technical literature from the Australian Electrical Industries Ltd.

ENGLISH

Mr. Philip Martin led a staff research seminar on 3rd June on 'The Problems of Shakespeare's Sonnets.' The July seminar on Irony will be given by Mr. Doug. Muecke, who is completing a book on the subject. He will also speak to The Eighteenth Century Society on Irony at Melbourne University on the 20th July.

Mr. Andrew Bear is to speak to the Donald Society for Music, Literature and Art on 'The Suspense Story in Modern Fiction' on 27th August.

At the Australian Universities Language and Literature Association Conference to be held in Melbourne in August, Mr. Dennis Douglas is to give a paper on 'Some Problems of Interpretation in Blake's "Europe"', and Mr. Muecke is to give a paper on 'Concepts of Irony'.

For the National Union of Australian University Students Drama Festival, to be held at the University of Melbourne in August, The Monash Players are to present a double-bill of Samuel Beckett's 'Endgame', to be produced by Mr. Dennis Douglas and Molières 'Love's The Best Doctor', produced by Mr. David Bradley.

Mr. Laurence Davies has arranged a series of lectures in the late afternoons to provide a background for 17th Century literary studies. Several members of staff are taking part.

Professor J.J. Lawlor, Professor of English Language and Literature, University of Keele, will spend Monday afternoon and Wednesday morning of the week beginning 27th July with the English Department and will lead one or two seminar discussions on Chaucer and Shakespeare.

Professor Douglas Grant, Professor of American Literature at Leeds will also be visiting the Department this month.

The Listening Room on the 8th floor of the Humanities Building is now in operation. Groups of up to twenty can listen in comfort to the programmes played at regular hours twelve times a week. These programmes are advertised on the English Department notice-boards a week in advance.

At other times, records can be borrowed from the Department's collection and played on the pick-ups installed in the Listening Room. Each of the four pick-ups is fitted with three sets of ear-phones.
DEPARTMENTAL NEWS (cont.)

The Department has a modest but growing collection of records and tapes of spoken verse, prose and drama. Records may not be borrowed for use outside the Humanities Building, but members of staff are welcome to use the Listening Room for private listening at any time, other than during the hours of the regular programmes. There are also recording facilities. Bookings for the use of the room for any purpose that interrupts individual listening-time must be made at least a week in advance. Please get in touch with Miss L. Nethercott, Room 804, Ext. 2131.

GEOGRAPHY

Professor Johnson will attend the Congress of the International Geographical Union to be held in London during July. En route he will also visit Geography Departments in the New Zealand Universities, at Rangoon and Singapore, and revisit Pakistan.

On Friday, 5th June, Professor Johnson addressed a gathering of about 150 members of the Geography Teachers' Association of Victoria on "Recent Developments in India". A display of maps was also held in the departmental laboratory indicating the sort of material that is available for teaching purposes.

HISTORY

Professor J.D. Legge left Melbourne on 16th May on sabbatical leave. He was in London until 25th June, and is at present with the South East Asia Programme at Cornell University. At the end of August, he will proceed to the Department of History at the University of British Columbia, returning to Melbourne in January.

Dr. A.G. Serle is acting-head of the Department until Professor Legge's return. It is expected that Professor-designate A.G.L. Shaw will arrive to take up the second Chair in the Department in November.

Dr. Eleanor Searle, who holds a research fellowship the the Institute of Advanced Studies, Australian National University, with special responsibility for promoting and co-ordinating mediaeval studies in Australia, visited the Department on 11th and 12th May. Her programmes included a public lecture to the students' Historical Society, as well as highly stimulating seminars with staff and honours students. It is hoped that Monash history students will attend a summer school in mediaeval studies to be held in Canberra in January 1965.

Dr. G.S. Kitson Clark, Fellow of Trinity College, Cambridge, will visit the Department this month.

MATHEMATICS

Members of staff who have been associated with the University of Melbourne will be interested to know that the first Behrend Memorial Lecture will be given by Professor B.H. Neumann, F.A.A., F.R.S. of the Australian National University on Friday, 3rd July at 8 p.m. in the new Arts Building, Melbourne University. These lectures, commemorating Associate Professor F.A. Behrend, have been founded to promote advanced studies and research in mathematics.

Lectures are soon to be given by Dr. M.H.C. Butler, at present visiting the University of Melbourne from the University of Liverpool, and Dr. Simon Rosenblat, visiting Australia from King's College, London.

During second term a series of lectures is being given by Dr. L.C. Woods of Balliol College, Oxford.

MECHANICAL ENGINEERING

Professor R.G. Barden will give the Youth Lectures for 1964 arranged by the Melbourne Division of the Institution of Engineers, Australia. His subject will be "Power Generation in Principle and Practice". This will describe the basic steps in the processes for the generation of power. The lectures will be given on Thursday, 2nd July at 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. in the Masson Theatre, at the University of Melbourne, and on Friday 3rd July at 4 p.m. and 8 p.m. at Monash. The lectures are directed at school pupils in their Leaving Certificate year, and are intended to stimulate their interest in professional engineering as a way of life.
DEPARTMENTAL NEWS (cont.)

Dr. L.C. Woods of the Engineering Department, Oxford University, and Fellow of Balliol College, is at Monash this term as a visiting Professor. He is giving a course of lectures in plasma physics and several seminars on his research work. After he leaves Australia he will spend the fall semester in the Division of Aeronautics, University of California, Berkeley. Dr. Woods is the representative for Monash University in the United Kingdom.

MODERN LANGUAGES

From the beginning of this year, the Modern Languages Recording Studio has been available for use by outside bodies in the periods when it is not required by the Department. This perfectly sound-proof (-50 Decibels) studio with high-quality microphones has a control room with two Tandberg four-track tape recorders, a microphone-mixer for four microphones, monitoring facilities, inter-communications with persons in recording studio, radio tuner, stereo record player, matching networks, etc. The recording studio was designed by sound experts and is one of the best of its kind in Melbourne. Arrangements for its use and hire should be made with Miss Milazzo, Administrative Assistant, Modern Language Department.

PHILOSOPHY

Mr. L.B. Grant will read a paper entitled "Professor Baier and the Meaning of Life" on 22nd July at 7.45 p.m. at the Redmond Barry Building, University of Melbourne.

Mr. D.J. Muschamp will represent Australia at the Biennial Conference of World University Service at Lund, Sweden (12th-19th July). After the conference he will visit universities in the United Kingdom, India and Pakistan.

PHYSIOLOGY

The Department was host for the May meeting of the Australian Physiological Society. Ninety research communications were presented during the two and a half days of the meeting, both medical lecture theatres being used continuously. About half of the 200 members who attended were from interstate or overseas. A feature of the meeting was the demonstrations, contributed from several other departments besides our own, notably Melbourne's Physiology and Monash's Electrical Engineering. Two meetings were held during June at which visitors were shown some of the research activities of the Department. The first meeting was the Society for Medical and Biological Electronics addressed by Professor McIntyre on "Perception of Vibration" and the second was a Scientific Meeting of the Australian Medical Association.

POLITICS

Dr. Leopold Labedz, editor of "Survey" and a specialist in the study of Soviet and East European affairs, addressed a staff seminar towards the end of June on "The Party and Intellectuals - a comparison of trends in the U.S.S.R. and in Poland".

Mr. J.F. Besemeres, Senior Teaching Fellow, has been awarded a Commonwealth Scholarship. He will take up residence at St. Antony's College, Oxford, later in the year.

SURGERY

At the recent meeting of the Australian Medical Association held at Geelong, the Department took part in a symposium on renal failure and has mounted demonstrations at a meeting of the Association in the Alfred Hospital.

Mr. J. Nayman has just returned after his world trip as holder of the Travenol Travelling Fellowship of the American Society of Artificial Internal Organs. He has had an opportunity to discuss the problems of organ transplantation with many experts in the field both in America and United Kingdom.
SPECIAL LECTURESHIP IN LAW

One of the difficulties facing Australian University Faculties of Law, as they become properly staffed with full-time teachers, is to attract men with wide professional experience and senior men distinguished in the legal profession to be concerned with teaching and to be part of the Law School's life. Placed as it is at Clayton this difficulty is likely to be greater at Monash than at a University nearer the centre of legal activities.

For this reason a special teaching post, separate from ordinary academic appointments, has been created. The position of Special Lecturer will be filled by distinguished lawyers about to retire from active practice or from judicial or high academic positions. The University is fortunate that Emeritus Professor F.R. Beasley, E.D., B.A. (Oxon.), LL.B. (Sydney), LL.D. (Melb.), Barrister-at-Law, has accepted the invitation to be the first to hold such a Special Lectureship at Monash.

Professor Beasley retired at the end of 1963 as Dean of the Faculty of Law in the University of Western Australia. He was foundation Professor in the Faculty of Law 36 years ago and has been responsible for the development of Law teaching in the University of Western Australia ever since. His experience, his learning and his skill as a teacher are of great value to Monash in the early days of the establishment of a Law School in this University.

In Professor Beasley's own words, he prefers to keep his hand in at teaching than "go to grass" on his retirement from Perth.

GIFTS

£500 has been received from the Joe White bequest for the University Library Fund.

Deakin Hall has received £50 guineas from Arthur Andersen & Co.

The residue of the estate of the late Harold Armstrong to be applied without binding the trustees absolutely, in the furtherance of the study and promotion of the applied sciences, having particular regard to the relationship of the sciences to industry in the broadest sense.

A donation of £100 has been received by the Australian Journal of French Studies (Department of Modern Languages) from the French firm of Pechiney, Compagnie de Produits Chimiques et Electrometallurgiques, 23 rue Balzac, Paris 8e.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS TO THE UNIVERSITY DURING JUNE

Mr. Frank Dalby Davison, M.B.E., (Author).
Dr. Henry Speeht, National Institute of Health, Tokyo.
Dr. Charles Kidd, National Institute of Health, U.S.A.
Dr. P.O. Siple, American Embassy, Canberra.
Mr. Alan Marshall (Author).
Dr. Soghra Azarmie, Cancer Institute, Pahlavy Hospital, Tehran, Iran.
Mrs. Ubol Huvanandana, Colombo Plan Special Visitor from Thailand and Vice-President of the College of Education, Bangkok.
Professor J.G.D. Clark, Disney Professor of Archaeology, Cambridge University.
Mr. John Mulvaney, Department of History, University of Melbourne.
Mr. P.J. Jackson, Mechanical Engineering Laboratories, United Kingdom.
Professor E.R. Love, Dean of the Faculty of Arts, University of Melbourne.
Mr. M.V. Cook, Superintending Architect, Public Works Department, Victoria.
Mr. R. Kirkby, Superintending Architect, Public Works Department, N.S.W.
His Excellency, Dr. Eoin MacWhite, Ambassador of Ireland.
Mr. R.P. Ross-Williamson, First Secretary (Information), British High Commission.
FREEDOM TO READ ASSOCIATION

Several members of the University including Professor D.H. Monro, Professor R.R. Andrew, Dr. I.A.H. Turner, Dr. N.D. MacLachlan, and Miss A.J. Winduss, have been active recently as committee members of the Freedom to Read Association. The Association has been conducting a campaign against the present book censorship laws, and has held various public meetings.

PURCHASE OF PAINTINGS

The Art Purchasing Committee reports that to date three paintings have been purchased with the 1964 budget allocation. These are: "Gedipus and Antigone" (Two Faces) by Donald Laycock - Main Library, "Dark People" by Noel Counihan - Hargrave Library, "After the Storm" by Michael Shannon - Bio-medical Library. Complete lists of paintings and etchings and their location will be included in the next two issues of the Reporter.

PUBLIC LECTURE

Professor J.J. Lawlor, Professor of English Language and Literature in the University of Keele, will give a public lecture on "Britain's New Universities: Facts and Problems" at 8.15 p.m. Tuesday 28th July, in the Public Lecture Theatre, University of Melbourne.

Professor Lawlor will visit Monash on Monday 27th and Wednesday 29th July.

CONFERENCE OF AUSTRALIAN UNIVERSITIES - 1964

The Second Conference of Australian Universities will be held in the Melba Hall, University of Melbourne on the 20th and 21st of August 1964. The Conference theme is "Student Residence in Australian Universities". The first session will examine the "Present position and future plans in respect to residence in Australian Universities". At the second session, Miss D. Langley, Principal of the Women's College, University of Sydney, will present a paper on "A study of the relationship between the form of student residences and student performance, and the effect of residence on student health".

A paper on "The extent to which Australian universities can provide non-residential students with equivalent collegiate facilities" will be read at the third session by Professor B.L. Coghlan, Professor of German in the University of Adelaide, and at the fourth session Mr. R.R. Priestly, Student Counsellor, University of Melbourne, will present a paper on "The economic, sociological and psychological aspects of student residence of various types."

The Monash delegation to the Conference consists of: Miss Alice Hoy and the Vice-Chancellor Dr. J.A.L. Matheson, (representing the University Council); Professor H.C. Bolton and Professor R. Selby Smith, (Professorial Board); Mrs. Betty Cumming (non-professorial academic staff); Dr. J.A. McDonell, Warden of Deakin Hall; and Mr. N.F. Perry (administration). The committee of the Staff Association has decided not to be formally represented.

HOSPITALITY FOR SWEDISH VISITOR

From 18th - 27th July the University will be visited by a member of staff of the University of Uppsala who, in order to learn something of family life in our community, has expressed a preference to be a paying guest in a teacher's home. The University would meet the costs involved.

If it is possible to do so, the University would like to be in a position to accede to this request. Any member of staff willing to act as host to the visitor is requested to contact Mrs. Dawson, Ext. 2036, Staff Section, Registrar's Department.
OBITUARY

As this last page was going to press, news was received by the University of the death of Mr. R.W.T. Cowan. Mr. Cowan had been a member first of the Interim Council and later of the Council of the University. His friendship and counsel will be greatly missed.

VISIT BY UNDERGRADUATES FROM BRITISH UNIVERSITIES

In 1963, the Inter-University Australia Committee in London promoted a visit to Australia by which 119 British undergraduates from 20 United Kingdom Universities spent their summer vacation in Australia, on a working holiday. This project was so successful that it has been repeated this year, with the help of a number of companies in the United Kingdom and Australia, the contribution of the students themselves thus being kept to a reasonable level. Assistance was also given in the way of vacation employment and concession fares for travel within Australia.

Some of the 1963 contingent on their return to the United Kingdom, expressed disappointment that they had not been brought more closely in touch with Australian Universities.

The 1964 Visitors under this Scheme will arrive in Australia during the first week in July. There will be 120 of them, about 25 per cent women students. Though the number coming to Victoria is not known, all will be carrying cards of introduction, and it is expected that they will contact S.R.C. offices in the first instance. They will leave Australia at the end of September.

DOMINION TRAVELLING FELLOWSHIPS

The Nuffield Foundation will continue in 1965 its scheme of offering a number of Travelling Fellowships to Australian graduates. Four awards will be available as follows: Medicine - one award; Natural Sciences - one award; Humanities and Social Sciences - two awards.

Candidates must be Australian citizens (persons either born in Australia or who have become Australian citizens), preferably between the ages of 25 and 35 years, and exceptionally up to the age of 40, and must be university graduates holding, preferably, a Master's or Doctor's degree, and having subsequently had a year or more of teaching or research experience on the staff of a university or comparable institution.

The period of a Fellowship will be 12 months, of which a minimum of at least 10 months must be spent in the United Kingdom. In special circumstances the period may be extended for a few months. A Fellow will be expected to resume residence in Australia on the completion of the Fellowship.

The value of the award will be at a rate of approximately £2,000 sterling per annum for a married Fellow who is accompanied by his wife and at a rate of approximately £1,640 sterling per annum in other cases. In addition the Foundation will pay the return travelling expenses of a Fellow and, in the case of a married Fellow who is accompanied by his wife, will also pay her return travelling expenses provided she spends a minimum of six months with him in the United Kingdom.

Except with the express permission of the Trustees of the Foundation, a Fellow may not hold any other award concurrently with the Fellowship. A study leave candidate will not be excluded from consideration for a Fellowship, but in his application he will need to make full disclosure of the allowances to which he will be entitled in respect of his study leave if he received no award and of the extent (if any) to which these allowances will be affected by the grant of an award. If the grant of an award will affect his allowances the value of the award may be reduced.

Further details and application forms may be obtained from the Secretary, The Nuffield Foundation Australian Advisory Committee, Chemistry Laboratory, Redmond Barry Building, University of Melbourne. Applications for Fellowships to begin in 1965 should be submitted not later than Friday, 7th August, 1964.

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