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## COMMITTEE LAUNCHES CRITICAL NEW-FUND DRIVE

BY CHARLES CHRISTENSON

CHAS. CHRISTENSON ATTENDED PASADENA AND CORNELL BRANCHES, BECOMING AN ASSOCIATION MEMBER IN 1951. HE RECEIVED HIS M.A. FROM HARVARD BUSINESS SCHOOL IN 1954 AS TOP MAN ACADEMICALLY. FRESH FROM THE ARMY AS SPECIALIST THIRD-CLASS AND WITH THE COMMENDATION RIBBON FOR MERITORIOUS SERVICE, HE GOES THIS MONTH TO THE GRAD.SCHOOL OF INDUSTRIAL ADMINISTRATION AT CARNEGIE TECH.

ONCE AGAIN THE COMMITTEE TO RAISE FUNDS FOR DEEP SPRINGS AND TELLURIDE ASSOCIATION HAS INVITED THE ALUMNI AND FRIENDS OF THESE TWO INSTITUTIONS TO JOIN IN THEIR FINANCIAL SUPPORT. ANOTHER SUCCESSFUL CAMPAIGN IS ANTICIPATED IN VIEW OF THE FACT THAT \$1713 HAS BEEN CONTRIBUTED BY 38 DONORS EVEN BEFORE THE FIRST GENERAL APPEAL LETTER WAS SENT OUT.

READERS WHO HAVE BEEN STUDENTS AT DS OR AT A TELLURIDE BRANCH OR WHO HAVE SERVED AS MEMBERS OF THE ASSOCIATION KNOW FROM PERSONAL EXPERIENCE THE VALUABLE PART THESE TWO INSTITUTIONS CAN PLAY IN THE EDUCATION OF A YOUNG MAN. IN ADDITION, THE NEW FUNDS DRIVE PROVIDES A CONCRETE MEANS THROUGH WHICH TA AND DS ASSOCIATES CAN ANNUALLY RENEW THEIR FAITH IN THE FUTURE OF THE NUNN IDEALS.

THIS IS THE SIXTH YEAR IN WHICH A COMBINED APPEAL HAS BEEN MADE. DURING THIS PERIOD, THE EFFORTS OF THE COMMITTEE HAVE DEVELOPED INTO A MOST IMPORTANT SOURCE OF INCOME FOR BOTH THE BENEFITING INSTITUTIONS. LAST YEAR, FOR EXAMPLE, THE PROCEEDS WERE EQUIVALENT TO THE INCOME FROM AN ENDOWMENT OF APPROXIMATELY A QUARTER OF A MILLION DOLLARS.

ALTHOUGH IT IS DIFFICULT TO EARMARK SPECIFIC USES TO WHICH THESE MONIES HAVE BEEN PUT, THERE ARE TWO PROGRAMS WHOSE SUCCESS MAY BE SAID TO DEPEND ON THE DRIVE. ONE OF THESE IS AN EXPANDED ACADEMIC BUDGET AT DEEP SPRINGS. IF DS IS TO STAY COMPETITIVE IN FACULTY SALARIES AND OFFER THE FIRST-RATE SCHOLASTIC PROGRAM WE EXPECT, AN EXPANDED ACADEMIC BUDGET MUST BE MET.

THE SECOND PROGRAM IS THE TELLURIDE ASSO-

CIATION SUMMER PROGRAM, WHICH IS TO BE OFFERED AT DEEP SPRINGS IN 1957. IN ADDITION TO THE PRAISE IT HAS EARNED ON ITS EDUCATIONAL MERITS, TASP HAS PROVEN AN INVALUABLE METHOD OF EXPOSING HIGH-SCHOOL YOUTHS TO THE NUNN INSTITUTIONS AND THUS ENCOURAGING THEM TO DEVELOP A CONTINUING RELATIONSHIP WITH DS AND TA.

IN COMMON WITH MOST EDUCATIONAL INSTITUTIONS, TA AND DS HAVE SEEN THEIR COSTS OF OPERATION OUTSTRIP THEIR INCOME OVER THE PAST DECADE. WERE IT NOT FOR THE SUPPORT OF MEMBERS, ALUMNI AND FRIENDS, THE FINANCIAL PICTURE WOULD INDEED BE CRITICAL. SOME OF THIS DEFICIT HAS ARISEN FROM SUCH PROGRAMS AS THE "ONE-SHOT" REHABILITATION OF TELLURIDE HOUSE. OTHER PROGRAMS OF A MORE PERMANENT NATURE, HOWEVER, CAN BE MAINTAINED ONLY IF INCOME BEYOND THAT FROM THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TWO INSTITUTIONS IS FOUND.

AS MOST READERS MAY BE AWARE, IT HAS BEEN THE PRACTICE OF THE COMMITTEE TO DIVIDE THE PROCEEDS OF THE DRIVE EQUALLY BETWEEN DS AND TA, EXCEPT WHERE THE DONOR PREFERRED TO DESIGNATE A SPECIFIC RECIPIENT. THE 1955-56 CAMPAIGN RESULTED IN THE FOLLOWING APPROPRIATIONS:

	<u>DS</u>	<u>TA</u>	<u>TOTAL</u>
UNEARMARKED CONTRIBUTIONS	\$3,632.30	\$3,635.18	\$7,278.48
EARMARKED CONTRIBUTIONS	<u>715.00</u>	<u>1,048.96</u>	<u>1,763.96</u>
TOTAL	\$4,358.30	\$4,684.14	\$9,042.44

THESE FIGURES REPRESENT NET PROCEEDS AFTER DEDUCTING ALL EXPENSES. INASMUCH AS VIRTUALLY ALL OF THE WORK INVOLVED IN THESE DRIVES IS PERFORMED ON A VOLUNTARY BASIS, DS AND TA RECEIVE ALMOST THE ENTIRE BENEFIT OF THE CONTRIBUTIONS. IN 1955-56, TOTAL EXPENSES REPRESENTED ONLY ABOUT 2% OF THE PROCEEDS OF THE DRIVE.

THE FINANCIAL NEEDS OF DS AND TA CONTINUE AS GREAT THIS YEAR AS IN THE PAST. THE GENERAL APPEAL LETTER WHICH YOU RECENTLY RECEIVED IS WORTHY OF STUDY. WE KNOW THAT ALL READERS OF THIS ARTICLE WHO BELIEVE IN THE EDUCATIONAL IDEALS OF DEEP SPRINGS AND TELLURIDE ASSOCIATION WILL RESPOND AS GENEROUSLY AS THEY HAVE IN THE PAST.

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EDITOR'S NOTE

BY ALBERT N. VOTAW

NL Editor ALBERT VOTAW APPARENTLY WAS ENTRUSTED WITH HIS TASK BECAUSE OF HIS VAST EXPERIENCE IN INTERVIEWING GANGSTERS AND POLITICIANS, EDITING COPY ON FASHIONS AND COOKERY, AND CHASING FIRE ENGINES AND WOMEN DURING THE COURSE OF A FEW YEARS AS A NEWSPAPERMAN IN CHICAGO. A GRADUATE OF DEEP SPRINGS AND THE UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO, VOTAW CURRENTLY IS IN CHARGE OF A NEIGHBORHOOD REDEVELOPMENT COMMISSION IN THAT CITY.

EDITING A NEWSLETTER, ESPECIALLY ONE INVOLVING THE OBLIGATION WHICH ACCOMPANIES ANY ASSOCIATION WITH THE TA NEWSLETTER, SHOULD REQUIRE SOME ATTEMPT TO OUTLINE THE PARTICULAR SET OF PREJUDICES AND PRECONCEPTIONS WITH WHICH THE EDITOR APPROACHES HIS TASK.

THE NL IS CIRCULATED AMONG A GROUP WHICH IS ALLEGEDLY ABOVE AVERAGE IN LITERACY AND INTELLIGENCE AND WHICH IS BOUND BY AN EXTREMELY NEBULOUS COMMUNITY OF INTERESTS -- NAMELY, AN ASSOCIATION AT ONE TIME OR ANOTHER AND OF ONE OR ANOTHER NATURE WITH ONE OR MORE OF THE NUNN ENTERPRISES. IT IS NO SIMPLE TASK TO ATTEMPT TO PROVIDE READING MATERIAL FOR ACTIVE TA MEMBERS AND THE PARENTS OF RUSTICATED STUDENTS, FOR OLD-TIME ASSOCIATES OF MR. NUNN AND CB AND DS FRESHMEN, FOR EX-DEEP SPRINGERS, AND FORMER FACULTY GUESTS.

YOUR EDITOR IS AWARE OF THIS PROBLEM, IF, INDEED, IT IS ONE, BECAUSE HE, HIMSELF, IS AN ASSOCIATION MEMBER WHOSE ACTIVITIES CONSISTED PRIMARILY OF ATTENDANCE AT CONVENTIONS. HE IS GEOGRAPHICALLY REMOVED FROM THE CORE OF TA ACTIVITIES AND HOLDS NO OTHER POSITION OF TRUSTEESHIP. IN ADDITION, HIS MEMBERSHIP IN TA IS RELATIVELY NEW, AND IT CAME AFTER A PERIOD OF ABSENCE FROM ACTIVITY IN THE NUNN ENTERPRISES. HE IS JUNIOR IN THE ASSOCIATION TO MANY WHO WERE HIS JUNIORS AT DEEP SPRINGS, AND HE NEVER ATTENDED THE CORNELL BRANCH.

TO PERSONS LIKE YOUR EDITOR, THE NL WAS A MAJOR SOURCE OF CONTACT WITH TA AND DS. IT IS HIS HOPE TO DEVELOP, SOMEHOW, A NEWSLETTER THAT, IN ADDITION TO PROVIDING FOR AN EXCHANGE OF INFORMATION AMONG ACTIVE MEMBERS, CAN PROVIDE A DEGREE OF FEELING FOR WHAT THE ACTIVITIES ARE AND FOR WHAT THE TYPES OF PARTICIPANTS ARE THAT WILL BE MEANINGFUL TO THAT GREAT GROUP OF ASSOCIATION FRIENDS WHO ARE SEPARATED IN TIME, SPACE AND INTEREST FROM OUR ACTIVITIES, BUT WHO STILL FEEL DRAWN TO WHAT WE ARE ATTEMPTING TO ACHIEVE.

CORNELL BRANCH REPORT

BY DANIEL A. PANSHIN

A NUMBER OF GUESTS STAYED AT CORNELL BRANCH DURING AN ACTIVE AND FRUITFUL FALL TERM. DR. H. J. EMELEUS, BAKER LECTURER, AND HIS WIFE WERE AT THE HOUSE FOR THE GREATER PART OF THE FALL. DR. ALFRED J. KROEBER, MESSENGER LECTURER IN ANTHROPOLOGY, AND HIS WIFE STAYED AT THE BRANCH FOR SEVERAL WEEKS. OTHER GUESTS WERE PIANIST ROBERT CASADESUS, THE HUNGARIAN STRING QUARTET, THE REVEREND GEORGE LAWRENCE, PASTOR OF THE FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST CHURCH IN HARLEM AND HODDING CARTER, THE LIBERAL MISSISSIPPI EDITOR.

SOCIALLY, THE BRANCH HAS PARTICIPATED IN A WIDE RANGE OF ACTIVITIES. IT HAS BEEN TWICE HOST TO THE FOLK-SING GROUP. THE HOUSE HAS HAD EXCHANGE DINNERS WITH VIA AND ALPHA PHI AND THROWN A NUMBER OF PARTIES. FALL WEEKEND WAS LIVELY. THE FACULTY DANCE ON DECEMBER 15 WAS AN OVERNIGHT FOR HOUSE MEMBERS AND THEIR GUESTS. AND THIS FALL THE BRANCH INITIATED SUNDAY MORNING CHAMPAGNE BREAKFASTS WITH FRESHMAN CORRIDORS, A DELIGHTFUL PRACTICE WHICH IT IS HOPED WILL BE CONTINUED.

AFTER A GOOD DEAL OF DISCUSSION, THERE SEEMS TO BE RENEWED INTEREST IN THE PUBLIC SPEAKING PROGRAM THIS YEAR. A ONE-ACT CHRISTMAS PLAY, DIRECTED AND PRODUCED BY HOUSE MEMBERS AND FRIENDS, WAS ONE RESULT OF THIS RENEWED INTEREST.

SPORTSWISE THE BRANCH HAS ENTERED A BASKETBALL TEAM, REASONABLY ENTHUSIASTIC IF PERSISTENTLY UNSUCCESSFUL, IN ONE OF THE INTRAMURAL LEAGUES.

THE RESIDENT GUEST COMMITTEE HAS RECENTLY ANNOUNCED A NEW PROCEDURE FOR INTERVIEWING CANDIDATES FROM CORNELL FOR CONVENTION. INSTEAD OF THE FORMER INITIAL LUNCHEON CONTACT, THERE IS NOW A PRELIMINARY PAPER INTERVIEW. THIS IS PROVING TO BE MORE SATISFACTORY.

PLANS FOR THE WINTER TERM INCLUDE THE PRESENCE OF MR. D. KEITH FALKNER, ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR IN THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC, WHO WILL BE FACULTY GUEST SECOND SEMESTER. HE WAS IN AUSTRIA FIRST SEMESTER.

THE BRANCH HAS OFFERED ROOM-AND-BOARD PRE-FERMENT AND CORNELL A FULL TUITION SCHOLARSHIP TO A HUNGARIAN STUDENT, PROVIDED ONE MAY BE FOUND WHO WILL MEET THE EDUCATIONAL STANDARDS OF THE ASSOCIATION. FEES AND INCIDENTAL EXPENSES WILL BE MET BY CONTRIBUTIONS OF UNIVERSITY STUDENTS TO THE STUDENT COUNCIL. AT PRESENT, NEGOTIATIONS ARE UNDERWAY WITH HUMPHREY FISHER, LINCOLN EXCHANGE SCHOLAR AT OXFORD, TO OBTAIN SUCH A STUDENT.

FRESHMAN DANIEL A. PANSHIN, A GRADUATE OF PHILLIPS EXETER ACADEMY, IS ENROLLED IN THE COLLEGE OF ARTS AND SCIENCES. HE COMES FROM OKEMOS, MICHIGAN.

# DEEP SPRINGS REPORT

BY EDWARD KEONJIAN, JR.

A REVIEW OF THE SCHOOL YEAR UP TO THE CHRISTMAS VACATION WILL FOR THE MOST PART VERIFY THE OPTIMISM EXPRESSED AT THE BEGINNING. THIS HAS BEEN A PERIOD OF ADJUSTMENT, FOR MOST OF THE STUDENT BODY MEMBERS ARE RECEIVING EDUCATION AT A COLLEGE LEVEL FOR THE FIRST TIME.

AFTER A SOMEWHAT SLOW START, THE ACADEMIC PROGRAM HAS PICKED UP CONSIDERABLY. AT FIRST THE PRIMARY CONCERN OF THE NEW STUDENTS WAS TO BECOME BETTER ACQUAINTED WITH DEEP SPRINGS IN GENERAL. THIS INCLUDED A FAMILIARIZATION WITH THE SURROUNDING AREA, AN UNDERSTANDING OF THE PURPOSES OF THE WORK AND COMMITTEE PROGRAMS, AND THE FORMATION OF FRIENDSHIPS NECESSARY FOR SUCCESSFUL GROUP LIVING.

THE WORK PROGRAM IS OFF TO A GOOD START. AN EARLY INTRODUCTION TO THE REQUIREMENTS OF THE PROGRAM WAS PROVIDED BY THE CORN HARVEST AND THE LAST CUTTING OF HAY. BOTH OF THESE CAME IN LATER THAN USUAL AND KEPT HALF THE STUDENT BODY OCCUPIED. AT PRESENT SOME FIRST-YEAR MEN ARE ALREADY ESTABLISHED ON SUCH RESPONSIBLE ASSIGNMENTS AS THE DAIRY, THE OFFICE WORK, AND THE MAINTENANCE. BECAUSE OF THE PRESSING IMMEDIATE DUTIES, NO LARGE PROJECTS HAVE BEEN UNDERTAKEN.

THERE IS EVERY INDICATION THAT THE COMMITTEE PROGRAM HAS PRODUCED THE SPARK OF INITIATIVE THAT SHOULD BE PRESENT. UNDER THE DIRECTION OF A FACULTY MEMBER THE LIBRARY HAS BEEN REORGANIZED. THE RECORD COLLECTION HAS UNDERGONE MANY CHANGES, SOME EXCELLENT MOTION PICTURES HAVE BEEN ORDERED, AND A NUMBER OF RIDING-INSTRUCTION SESSIONS HAVE BEEN HELD. THE FACULTY HAS BEEN INSTRUMENTAL IN CREATING AN ATMOSPHERE OF GROUP LIVING AT A HIGH LEVEL. MEMBERS HAVE TAKEN PART IN STUDENT BODY FUNCTIONS AND HAVE CONSISTENTLY MADE THEMSELVES AVAILABLE FOR INFORMAL AID AND DISCUSSIONS.

THE STUDENT BODY HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN TAKING ADVANTAGE OF THE WONDERFUL PHYSICAL LOCATION OF DEEP SPRINGS. THE BEGINNING OF THE YEAR DID NOT PRESENT ENOUGH OPPORTUNITY FOR A FALL TRIP, AND THIS ANNUAL EVENT WAS POSTPONED UNTIL THE THANKSGIVING PERIOD. AS LAST YEAR, DEATH VALLEY WAS THE DESTINATION. THE TRIP WAS AN ENORMOUS SUCCESS; THIS AMAZING TERRITORY STRIKINGLY EMPHASIZES THE UNTAMED BEAUTY OF THE DESERT - BEAUTY SOMEWHAT SIMILAR TO THE DEEP SPRINGS VALLEY AREA. EARLIER IN THE YEAR A ONE-DAY TRIP ON WHITE MOUNTAIN ROAD PROVED OF GREAT INTEREST. SEVERAL SHORTER EXCURSIONS AROUND THE VALLEY WERE ALSO UNDERTAKEN.

OUR ONLY LECTURER PRIOR TO THE CHRISTMAS BREAK WAS AN IRANIAN ECONOMIST. HIS TALK PERTAINED TO THE MIDDLE EAST AND PARTICULARLY IRAN, WITH EMPHASIS ON THE ECONOMIC AND POLITICAL RELATIONSHIP OF THAT AREA TO THE REST OF THE WORLD.

DS CORRESPONDENT EDW. KEONJIAN, JR., IS A SECOND-YEAR MAN AND PRESIDENT OF THE STUDENT BODY. HE CAME TO DS VIA THE 1954 TASP. HIS HOME IS IN SYRACUSE, N. Y.

TO THE DISAPPOINTMENT OF THE STUDENT BODY, THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES WAS UNABLE TO HOLD ITS FALL MEETING HERE. TWO MEMBERS OF THE BOARD, MR. LAYLIN AND MR. MONROE, TOGETHER WITH TA PRESIDENT CLAUDY, DID MANAGE TO MAKE A SHORT VISIT DURING WHICH MEETINGS WERE HELD, THE SECOND ONE BEING ATTENDED BY MR. WHITMAN AND THE FACULTY. A GOOD PART OF THE DISCUSSION CENTERED ON THE MERITS AND DISADVANTAGES OF A 24-HOUR WORK-PROGRAM WEEK, A MATTER WHICH HAS BEEN OF INTEREST TO THE STUDENT BODY. SEVERAL CONSTRUCTIVE IDEAS WERE PRESENTED ALONG THESE LINES DURING THE COURSE OF THE DISCUSSION, AND IT IS HOPED THEY CAN BE TRIED OUT IN THE NEAR FUTURE.

SEVERAL WELL-ORGANIZED PARTIES AND THE TRADITIONAL THANKSGIVING DINNER WERE SOME OTHER HIGHLIGHTS OF THE FALL TERM. FORTUNATELY SEVERAL MEMBERS OF THE FACULTY AND OF THE STUDENT BODY HAVE MUSICAL TALENT, WHICH ADDS TO THE MERRIMENT OF MANY GROUP ACTIVITIES. THE RECORD COLLECTION, WITH MANY NEW ADDITIONS, HAS CREATED THE USUAL HOST OF NEW MUSIC LOVERS.

THE PUBLIC-SPEAKING PROGRAM HAS PRODUCED SOME ENCOURAGING RESULTS. MOST OF THE PARTICIPANTS HAVE SHOWN MARKED IMPROVEMENT IN THEIR ABILITY TO ADDRESS AN AUDIENCE. MANY TIMES A PARTICULAR SPEECH WILL TOUCH UPON A CONTROVERSIAL TOPIC, THUS CREATING A LIVELY AND INTERESTING DISCUSSION. A DEBATE ON RACIAL SEGREGATION WAS ONE RECENT EVENT.

ALTHOUGH WE ARE WELL ON THE WAY TOWARD A SUCCESSFUL YEAR, IT IS IMPORTANT THAT SEVERAL PROBLEMS BE MET AND NOT LOST AMID A FEELING OF ENTHUSIASM. THERE IS, FOR ONE, THE QUESTION OF TIME ORGANIZATION BY THE INDIVIDUAL STUDENT. OUTSIDE-OF-CLASS READING HAS BEEN NEGLECTED, PARTLY BECAUSE OF IMPROPER TIME BUDGETING. ALSO IT IS VITAL THAT STUDENTS MORE FULLY UNDERSTAND MR. NUNN'S PURPOSE FOR ESTABLISHING THE INSTITUTION. "THE PURPOSE OF THE ISOLATION POLICY" WAS THE TOPIC OF A STUDENT BODY DISCUSSION HELD IN ORDER TO BRING THE STUDENTS CLOSER TO MR. NUNN'S IDEALS.

WITH MINOR EXCEPTIONS IT IS EVIDENT THAT HARMONY PREVAILS IN THE STUDENT BODY ITSELF A NECESSARY CONDITION FOR THE TYPE OF GROUP EXPERIENCE THAT SHOULD EXIST. ON THE WHOLE, THE STUDENTS ARE INDUSTRIOUS AND SHOW A STRONG DESIRE TO ACCOMPLISH A TASK SUCCESSFULLY. THE ADMINISTRATION, THE FACULTY, AND THE RANCH PERSONNEL HAVE BEEN VERY HELPFUL AND COOPERATIVE THROUGHOUT THESE FIRST MONTHS, AND THEIR ACTIONS HAVE BEEN GREATLY APPRECIATED. THIS HAS BEEN AN ENCOURAGING PERIOD, AND BY ALL INDICATIONS A SUCCESSFUL YEAR WILL BE ATTAINED.

## PERSONAL NOTES

DONALD ROSE HAS BEEN WORKING FOR A YEAR IN SOILS ENGINEERING. HE PLANS TO RESUME STUDY AT LOS ANGELES CITY COLLEGE THIS AUTUMN, SPECIALIZING IN ENGINEERING GEOLOGY AND SOIL MECHANICS, AT THE SAME TIME HOLDING A PART TIME JOB.

DR. GEORGE B. SABINE AND DR. JEAN C. SABINE HAVE LEFT LOS ALAMOS AFTER SEVERAL YEARS OF WORK THERE AND NOW RESIDE AT 1440 SIXTH AVE., BELMONT, CALIF. DR. GEORGE IS WORKING FOR THE UNIV. OF CALIF. RADIATION LABORATORY AT LIVERMORE, AND DR. JEAN HAS ACCEPTED A RESEARCH AND TEACHING POSITION WITH THE RANK OF ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR AT THE UNIV. OF CALIF. SCHOOL OF MEDICINE.

PAUL P. ASHWORTH HAS BEEN NAMED A MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE OF THE GREAT SALT LAKE COUNCIL OF THE BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA. HE HAS BEEN ACTIVE IN SCOUTING FOR 39 YEARS; DISTRICT CHAIRMAN, NATIONAL CHAIRMAN, MEMBER OF THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, AND VICE PRESIDENT OF THE UTAH NATIONAL PARKS COUNCIL.

GARETH SADLER, FORMERLY ON THE STAFF OF THE GENERAL COUNSEL OF THE ATOMIC ENERGY COMMISSION, HAS TAKEN UP THE GENERAL PRACTICE OF THE LAW AT 234 E. COLORADO ST., PASADENA 1.

THE CHARLES BRUNELLE COMPANY - PUBLIC RELATIONS AND ADVERTISING -- MOVED ON AUG. 1 FROM 15 LEWIS ST. TO 37 LEWIS ST., HARTFORD, CONN. PRESIDENT & TREASURER, CHARLES BRUNELLE. THE MOVE WAS NECESSARY FOR THE INCREASED STAFF AND ADDED FACILITIES FOR THE CLIENTS.

BIO-PHYSICIST ROBLEY WILLIAMS OF THE BERKELEY STAFF OF THE UNIV. OF CALIF. IS SPENDING THE YEAR AT CAMBRIDGE UNIV. WITH THE VIRUS RESEARCH UNIT OF THE MOLTENO INSTITUTE DOING WORK ON VIRUS THAT ATTACK INSECTS. MRS WILLIAMS AND THE TWO CHILDREN WILL SPEND THE YEAR IN ENGLAND.

AUSTIN KIPLINGER, NBC NEWS COMMENTATOR AND BUSINESS NEWS BROADCASTER IN CHICAGO, MOVED TO WASHINGTON, D. C., IN SEPT. TO BECOME EXECUTIVE VICE-PRESIDENT OF THE KIPLINGER WASHINGTON AGENCY, WHICH PUBLISHES WEEKLY "THE KIPLINGER WASHINGTON LETTER" AND THE MONTHLY MAGAZINE, "CHANGING TIMES." KIPLINGER'S FIRST PROGRAMS IN CHICAGO WERE SEEN ON WGN-TV IN 1950.

IN ADDITION TO HIS DAILY NEWS AND BUSINESS BROADCASTS, HIS WEEKLY COMMENTARY "CHICAGO ON THE MOVE," WAS HEARD LAST SEASON DURING INTERMISSIONS OF THE CHICAGO SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA TELECASTS OVER WGN-TV. HE RECEIVED THE 1954 TV GUILD AWARD AS CHICAGO'S BEST TELEVISION NEWS-CASTER.

BEFORE ENTERING RADIO AND TELEVISION, KIPLINGER WAS A COLUMNIST FOR THE CHICAGO JOURNAL OF COMMERCE. DURING THE WAR, HE SERVED AS A NAVY TORPEDO BOMBER PILOT AND WAS AWARDED THE AIR MEDAL FOR HIS SERVICE IN THE PACIFIC. HE ATTENDED HARVARD GRADUATE SCHOOL AFTER GRADUATION FROM CORNELL.

DR. ROY PIERCE HAS JOINED THE STAFF OF THE DEPT. OF POLITICAL SCIENCE OF THE UNIV. OF MICH. AT ANN ARBOR. PIERCE HAD BEEN ON THE STAFF OF SMITH COLLEGE SINCE 1950.

STEVEN PHILLIPS HAS BEGUN HIS SECOND YEAR AT HAHNEMANN MEDICAL COLLEGE IN PHILADELPHIA.

EDWARD HOENICKE, JUNE GRADUATE FROM THE LAW SCHOOL OF THE UNIV. OF MICH., BEGAN WORK IN AUG. WITH THE NEW YORK FIRM OF CRAVATH, SWAINE & MOORE.

VENGALA JAYA RAM, WORKING TOWARD A FEB. DOCTORATE IN SOCIOLOGY, HAS WON FIRST-PLACE HONORS IN THE FOURTH ANNUAL ESSAY CONTEST SPONSORED BY "THE ASIAN STUDENT." HIS ESSAY ON "CHANGE VS. TRADITION IN ASIA: IS COMPROMISE POSSIBLE?" HAS BROUGHT HIM A \$100 PRIZE AND A CERTIFICATE OF MERIT.

CHARLES LEM HAS AGAIN RUNG THE GONG BY ACCEPTANCE AS A QUALIFYING MEMBER OF THE 1956 MILLION DOLLAR ROUND TABLE OF THE NAT'L ASSN. OF LIFE UNDERWRITERS. HE IS AT THE CAPITAL BRANCH OFFICE OF THE NEW YORK LIFE IN MADISON.

LEM AND TWO ENGINEERING STUDENTS AT MADISON HAVE FOUNDED A NEW CORPORATION, HYDROCYCLE, INC., OF WHICH LEM IS PRES. THE CORPORATION HOLDS THE PATENT ON A NEW STEERING TECHNIQUE FOR A SPEEDY WATER VEHICLE OF UNUSUAL MANEUVERABILITY WHICH RESEMBLES A SEA-GOING MOTORCYCLE. A WORKING MODEL OF HYDROCYCLE HAS BEEN BUILT AND TESTED, AND THE CORPORATION IS ABOUT READY TO LICENSE PRODUCTION.

LEE IRISH OF THE 1955 SUMMER PROGRAM HAS ENTERED STANFORD UNIV. ON A \$1,300.00-A-YEAR SCHOLARSHIP GRANTED HIM BY THE SLOAN FOUNDATION.

JAMES BARKENQUAST, GRADUATED FROM WITTENBERG COLLEGE IN 1954, ENTERED THE SEMINARY ON THE SAME CAMPUS (LUTHERAN) AND WILL BE GRADUATED AND ORDAINED NEXT MAY. AFTER A PERIOD OF SERVICE IN THE PASTORATE, HE PLANS TO STUDY SYSTEMATIC THEOLOGY IN GERMANY.

DR. JULIAN STEWARD AND HIS WIFE ARE SPENDING SEVEN MONTHS IN JAPAN TO TEACH AND DIRECT THE AMERICAN STUDIES SEMINARY AT THE UNIVERSITIES OF KYOTO AND DOSHISHA.

THE REV. NORMAN BARBOUR, SAN MATEO, CALIF., REPORTS TWO SONS: CHAN CRAWFORD AND HUGH MATTHEW. BARBOUR WAS GRADUATED IN 1952 FROM SEABURY-WESTERN EPISCOPAL SEMINARY AFTER RECEIVING HIS B. S. AT NORTHWESTERN.

ADRIEN DUNCAN WORKS IN TEHRAN, IRAN, WITH AMMANN & WHITNEY, ARCHITECT-ENGINEERS. FOR OVER TWO YEARS, DUNCAN DID ENGINEERING AND LIAISON WORK IN CONNECTION WITH THE NATO AIR-BASE PROGRAM BEFORE HE WENT TO IRAN.

SAMUEL R. PIERCE, JR., WAS APPOINTED ASST. TO THE UNDER SECRETARY OF LABOR ON JAN. 31, 1955. PIERCE WAS GRADUATED BY THE CORNELL LAW SCHOOL IN 1949, WORKED AS ASSISTANT DISTRICT ATTY. OF NEW YORK COUNTY, AND RECEIVED HIS LL.M. IN TAXATION AT NYU SCHOOL OF LAW IN 1952.

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## MRS. J. J. NUNN DIES

MRS. JENNIE D. NUNN, 80, DIED AFTER A BRIEF ILLNESS ON NOV. 10 IN SALEM, ORE., WHERE SHE HAD LIVED FOR THE PAST FORTY YEARS. SHE WAS A SCHOOL TEACHER WHEN IN 1901 SHE MARRIED THE LATE JOSIAH J. NUNN.

MRS. NUNN WAS A MEMBER OF THE SALEM FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, WHICH SHE SERVED IN VARIOUS WAYS ON BOTH LOCAL AND STATE LEVELS. SHE WAS AT THE TIME OF HER DEATH A TRUSTEE OF A CHILDREN'S HOME IN CORVALLIS AND TREASURER OF THE COUNTY WCTU.

MRS. NUNN IS SURVIVED BY TWO SONS: CHAS. T. OF WALLA WALLA, WASH., AND JOSEPH J. OF SAN MARINO, CALIF., BY TWO DAUGHTERS: LOUISE N. MCGILVRA OF FOREST GROVE, ORE., AND MARGARET N. NEWELL OF PIEDMONT, CALIF., AND BY FOUR BROTHERS: MERRILL DURLAND, HARRY J. DURLAND, WALTER H. DURLAND, AND BENJ. DURLAND.

M. E. BUCK, 78, RETIRED VICE-PRESIDENT AND GENERAL SUPERINTENDENT OF MONTANA POWER CO., DIED RECENTLY IN BUTTE.

MARKHAM CHEEVER, 76, DIED IN NEW YORK CITY ON DEC. 7 AFTER A BRIEF ILLNESS.

MRS. H. R. ROODHOUSE DIED RECENTLY FOLLOWING A PROLONGED ILLNESS.

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## BIRTHS

ABSENT-MINDED EDITOR ALBERT VOTAW REPORTS THAT HIS THIRD CHILD, AND DAUGHTER, BORN OCT. 22 IS NAMED SUSAN. "A ROUTINE PRODUCTION," HE REPORTS, "INCLUDING THE FACT THAT BEFORE LEAVING FOR THE HOSPITAL I NEARLY PARALYZED ONE OF THE OLDER GIRLS BY DRESSING HER WITH HER SHOES ON THE WRONG FEET AND LEAVING HER THAT WAY."

THE VOTAW'S PREVIOUS EFFORTS ARE NAMED CLAIRE-LOUISE, 2½, AND CATHERINE-LEE, 1½. IN HIS SPARE TIME, VOTAW IS EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR OF THE UPTOWN CHICAGO COMMISSION, A NEIGHBORHOOD CONSERVATION GROUP.

STEPHEN-LYON, SECOND SON, THIRD CHILD OF THE THOS. R. PALFREYS, "BORN LAST MAY," IN WEST LAFAYETTE, IND.

CATHERINE-JANE, No. 4 OF THE FREDERICK REINHARDS, ON NOV. 5 AT THE AMERICAN EMBASSY, SAIGON.

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## ADDITIONS TO HISTORICAL FILE

THE OPTIMUM STRATEGY IN BLACKJACK BY ROGER BALDWIN IN COLLABORATION WITH MESSRS. CANTEY, MAISEL, AND McDERMOTT, REPRINTED FROM THE JOUR. OF AM. STATISTICAL ASSN., SEPT., 1956. THE AUTHORS SAY, "BLACKJACK IS BY FAR THE MOST NEGLECTED IN THE SCIENTIFIC LITERATURE OF GAMBLING AND OFFERS A RELATIVELY UNEXPLORED AREA FOR MATHEMATICAL AND STATISTICAL ANALYSIS." MATHEMATICIAN BALDWIN WRITES, "THE PROJECT WAS UNDERTAKEN IN SPARE TIME IN THE ARMY AND AROSE NATURALLY OUT OF THE PHENOMENAL AMOUNT OF IN-

## GRANTS IN AID

### BASED ON NEED

THE 1956 CONVENTION PASSED A RESOLUTION DIRECTING THE CHANCELLOR TO PROCURE FROM ALL APPLICANTS FOR GRANTS-IN-AID AT THE 1957 CONVENTION A FIGURE FOR "FAMILY CONTRIBUTION" AS DEFINED AND CALCULATED BY THE COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP SERVICE.

MOST OF THE SCHOLARSHIP-GRANTING PRIVATE COLLEGES AND UNIVERSITIES REQUIRE OF ALL CANDIDATES FOR SCHOLARSHIPS A FINANCIAL REPORT BY THEIR FAMILIES UPON WHICH A COMPUTATION IS BASED TO DETERMINE THE ASSISTANCE NEEDED. FAMILY RESOURCES ARE MEASURED ON A FORMULA, AND THE NEED OF THE STUDENT IS EXPRESSED IN TERMS OF DOLLARS. SOUND MERIT, OF COURSE, IS THE BASIC CONSIDERATION FOR THE AWARD OF SCHOLARSHIP AID, BUT THE AMOUNT OF AID IS DETERMINED BY INDIVIDUAL NEED. IF TWO CANDIDATES OF EQUAL ABILITY APPLY FOR BLUTZ SCHOLARSHIPS, ONE WITHOUT FINANCIAL NEED WILL RECEIVE \$100 AS AN HONOR AND TOKEN AWARD IN RECOGNITION OF MERIT, AND THE OTHER WILL RECEIVE \$2,000 BECAUSE HE HAS BOTH HIGH MERIT AND A DEMONSTRATED NEED.

DEEP SPRINGS AND TELLURIDE ASSOCIATES WHO PLAN TO APPLY AT THE 1957 CONVENTION FOR GRANTS-IN-AID SHOULD COMMUNICATE AT ONCE WITH CHANCELLOR JOHNSON, AND HE WILL SEND THEM THE FORM DEvised BY THE COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP SERVICE FOR THE FAMILY FINANCIAL STATEMENT. IF THE FAMILY HAS ALREADY MADE SUCH A STATEMENT TO THE COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIP SERVICE OR TO ANY UNIVERSITY, THE CHANCELLOR CAN PROCURE THE NECESSARY INFORMATION WITHOUT THE FILING OF ANOTHER STATEMENT. FINANCIAL STATEMENTS SHOULD BE IN THE HANDS OF THE CHANCELLOR NO LATER THAN MAY 1, BECAUSE THERE MUST BE TIME TO MAKE THE NECESSARY COMPUTATIONS. SINCE NOBODY CAN TELL WHO PLANS TO APPLY FOR A GRANT-IN-AID, THE RESPONSIBILITY FOR TAKING THE INITIATIVE RESTS WITH THE CANDIDATES.

BETWEEN ONE-QUARTER AND ONE-THIRD OF ALL APPLICANTS FOR ADMISSION AT PRIVATE UNIVERSITIES FILE FINANCIAL STATEMENTS AND APPLY FOR SCHOLARSHIPS. THIS RELATIVELY NEW WAY OF BASING GRANTS ON THE COMBINATION OF MERIT AND NEED DIMINISHES SHOPPING AROUND TO INDUCE UNIVERSITIES TO BID AGAINST EACH OTHER, AND IT INSURES THE MOST EFFICIENT USE OF SCHOLARSHIP FUNDS. A LARGE PROPORTION OF APPLICANTS FOR SCHOLARSHIP HAS NO DEMONSTRABLE NEED.

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INTEREST IN GAMBLING." MILITARY ASSOCIATES WITH TRAINING IN HIGHER MATHEMATICS SHOULD OWN A COPY OF THIS SCHOLARLY STUDY.

PAUL ASHWORTH HAS WRITTEN FOR HIS FAMILY THE EARLY-DAY EXPERIENCES OF HIS PARENTS IN THE UTAH TERRITORY. A CONTINUATION OF THIS SAGA IS PAUL'S AUTOBIOGRAPHY, A 20,000-WORD EXCERPT OF WHICH HAS BEEN SENT TO THE ASSOCIATION FILES. THIS PORTION BEGINS WITH PAUL'S FIRST MEETING WITH MR. NUNN FIFTY YEARS AGO AND DEALS WITH HIS HALF-CENTURY OF WORK WITH THE NUNN ENTERPRISES. THE SECTION IS FULL OF

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TELLURIDIANA, OF OLD-TIME TELLURIDE PERSONALITIES, AND OF THE GROWTH OF A GREAT INDUSTRY.

PAUL ASHWORTH WAS FOR A NUMBER OF YEARS DESIGNATED HISTORIAN OF THE ASSOCIATION, AND HE HAS COLLECTED AND ADDED TO THE FILES MUCH VALUABLE MATERIAL. HE HAS A FINE 'NOSE' FOR THE MATERIAL WHICH IS OF HISTORICAL INTEREST AND VALUE.

THERE ARE A NUMBER OF OTHER TELLURIDE ASSOCIATES WHO COULD WRITE MEMORABLY AND SIGNIFICANTLY OF THEIR EARLY-DAY WORK WITH MR. NUNN AND THE ASSOCIATION. MR. BACON, MR. BIERSACH, MR. NOON, MR. VINCENT, MR. KELSO, OTHERS. PAUL ASHWORTH HAS SET A GOOD EXAMPLE FOR THESE OTHERS.

JOHN Q. TILSON AND THE REAPPORTIONMENT ACT OF 1929, BY DR. ORVILLE SWEETING, IN THE WESTERN POLITICAL QUARTERLY OF JUNE, 1956. CHEMIST SWEETING WRITES, "THIS FOOTNOTE TO HISTORY...WAS SO MUCH FUN TO WRITE THAT I AM TEMPTED TO CHANGE FIELDS.

DR. W. PAUL JONES HAS CONTRIBUTED MUCH VARIED TELLURIDIANA, DEALING PRIMARILY WITH THE 1914-17 PERIOD AT BEAVER AND CLAREMONT. THERE IS A FILE OF THE BEAVER "HARLEQUIN," SOME PICTURES, RARE NUMBERS OF THE NL, AND A 4-INCH FILE OF CORRESPONDENCE BETWEEN JONES AND MESSRS. NUNN, NOON, AND THORNHILL. THE ACADEMIC REPORTS OF BEAVER BRANCH WILL BE KEPT IN THE LOCKED FILE.

WE HAVE RECEIVED "THE SOCIAL SCIENCES AND THAILAND," A COMPILATION OF ARTICLES ON VARIOUS SOCIAL-SCIENCE FIELDS AND THEIR APPLICATION TO THAILAND, PUBLISHED IN BANGKOK (1956) UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE EDUCATION SOCIETY OF THAILAND, WITH DR. G. WILLIAM SKINNER AS GENERAL EDITOR. ALL ARTICLES ARE PRINTED IN BOTH THAI AND ENGLISH.

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## PERSONALS (CONTINUED)

PROF. EMERITUS GEORGE H. SABINE RECEIVED AN HONORARY DEGREE FROM OHIO STATE UNIV. AT ITS AUTUMN QUARTER COMMENCEMENT ON DEC. 20. HE WAS PROFESSOR OF PHILOSOPHY AT CORNELL AT THE TIME OF HIS RETIREMENT IN 1948 AND IS CURRENTLY FACULTY GUEST AT THE CORNELL BRANCH.

PROF. DAVID CURTISS OF THE CORNELL LAW SCHOOL HAS BEEN APPOINTED EXECUTIVE SECRETARY OF THE NEW YORK STATE LAW REVISION COMMISSION. THE WORK OF THE COMMISSION INVOLVES THE STUDY OF STATE LAWS AND THE RECOMMENDATION OF NEEDED CHANGES TO THE LEGISLATURE.

N. K. CHAMBERLIN WORKS WITH THE ATLANTIC REFINING CO. IN PHILADELPHIA. HE IS PRESENTLY CONCERNED WITH THE PROBLEMS OF AIR-POLLUTION CONTROL THAT INVOLVE THE PHILADELPHIA REFINERY AND FIVE OTHERS IN THE DELAWARE RIVER VALLEY. AFTER HIS SERVICE IN WW I WITH THE ENGINEER CORPS, HE WAS GRADUATED WITH A BSME AT THE UNIV. OF MICH., AND SINCE THAT TIME HAS WORKED IN THE NON-PUBLIC UTILITY POWER FIELD, BUILDING AND OPERATING PLANTS IN MICH., IND., AND PENN.

TAKING ADVANTAGE OF A YEAR'S SABBATICAL, DR. ALICE BERGEL WRITES THAT SHE CONTEMPLATES CATCHING UP ON THIRTY YEARS OF FRENCH AND GERMAN LITERATURE. SHE AND HER HUSBAND, DR. KURT, RETURNED FROM FIVE MONTHS IN EUROPE IN NOV. AFTER GUIDING 90 PERSONS THROUGH A TOUR, THEY TOOK A BUSMAN'S HOLIDAY AND WENT TOURING THEMSELVES, THROUGH LONDON, BERLIN, FRANKFURT, VIENNA, ZAGREB, LUBLJANA, BELGRAD, MOST OF GREECE, CRETE, SICILY, ROME, MOST OF SPAIN AND LISBON.

ARCHITECT GERRARD POOK IS ASSOCIATED WITH HOLABIRD & ROOT & BURGEE IN CHICAGO. HE AND HIS WIFE, HELEN, HAVE A GIRL, BARBARA, BORN NOV. 1, 1955.

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