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## School Of Communications Established By Annenberg Fund

The Annenberg School of Communications, recently established by agreement between the Annenberg Fund, Inc. and the University, will involve an expenditure of \$3,000,000 for its housing, equipment, and operation.

The school will be located in its own building on Walnut Street, somewhere between the new Faculty Club and 37th Street, and will be erected in honor of the late M. L. Annenberg, father of Walter H. Annenberg, President of the Annenberg Fund, Inc. and of Triangle Publications, Inc.

Intended primarily for graduate professional education, the school will also offer its courses to undergraduates in combination with programs for baccalaureate degrees in other schools of the University. It will conduct "teaching and research programs in radio, television, and other fields of communication." The school will be open to

students in September, 1959. Classes will be held in various buildings on the campus until completion of the new quarters.

Funds for the operation of the school will derive from contributions and fees, and will be underwritten over a ten-year period by the Annenberg Fund, Inc. A grant from the M. L. Annenberg Foundation will make possible the construction of the building.

In announcing plans for the new school, Mr. Walter H. Annenberg and President Gaylord P. Harnwell issued the following statement:

"The existence of free and effective channels of communication among men is a basic requisite to an informed public consensus upon the important issues of society which, in turn, is essential to the viability of our democratic form of government.

"The ability to utilize the techniques of communication provided by the technology of our age for the clear and rapid dissemination of information and the ability to draw upon the scholarship and arts of our institutions of higher education to reduce the incidence of semantic ambiguity and demagogic device require the existence of a skilled and educated profession of communications.

"The new school is being established as an educational institution to teach the art, science and techniques of mass communications, with particular emphasis on radio, television, and publishing.

"Instruction will be offered, however, not only in the technical and highly specialized aspects of communications, but in the liberal arts and other fields as they relate directly, or indirectly, to such broad studies as the psychology and sociology of mass communications media, the effects of mass communications on international affairs, and other subjects requiring a cross-pollination of various disciplines.

"It is generally recognized that both economic and educational necessities have determined that the trend of

## Board Of Governors Of Faculty Club Defines Membership, Dues

According to amendments to the by-laws recently voted by the Board of Governors of the Faculty Club, the Club will consist of two classes of membership: Regular Members and Associate Members.

*Regular Members* will be entitled to attend meetings, vote, serve on committees, hold office, and "enjoy all other rights and privileges of regular membership." Regular Members are defined in five classifications as follows:

1. Retired Faculty members who are retired before July 1, 1959; or who retire before July 1, 1964, having been members of the Club since before July 1, 1959; or who retire after June 30, 1964, having been Club members in good standing for five years immediately preceding retirement; or who are emeritus members of the Lenape Club.

2. Faculty members in the various statutory ranks, namely: Professors, Associate and Assistant Professors,

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## Ravdin Institute Nears Goal

The campaign to raise \$7,300,000 for the University of Pennsylvania's I. S. Ravdin Institute and a new residence for student nurses of the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania has reached 78% of its goal, with more than \$5,750,000 already contributed, according to Campaign General Chairman Isaac W. Roberts.

A former President of the Philadelphia Savings Fund Society, Mr. Roberts expects the full goal to be raised by July 1, 1959. Ceremonies marking the beginning of demolition of the old nurses' residence to make way for the Ravdin Institute construction were held late last month.

The Honorable Harry Shapiro, Secretary, Department of Public Welfare, Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, together with members of the Campaign Committee and of the Hospital's junior surgical staff, participated.

Of the \$5,750,000 which has been raised, Chairman Roberts stated that \$1,005,000 has been received from the immediate "Family" of the University Hospital—Medical and Surgical staff, the Board of Managers, Women's Committees, and nurses and employees. "This record of unusually generous giving evidences a remarkable loyalty to the Hospital and confidence in its future on the part of those who know it best," Mr. Roberts said.

Division of the \$7,300,000 to construct the two new buildings provides for \$5,730,000 for the Ravdin Institute and \$1,570,000 for the Hospital School of Nursing student nurses' residence. Ground was broken for the residence at the Kings Court site last November.

Co-chairman of the Campaign is Dr. Francis C. Grant, Emeritus Professor of Neurosurgery at the University's School of Medicine. Orville H. Bullitt, President of the Board of Managers of the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, is Executive Vice-Chairman. Vice-chairmen include Malcolm Adam, President, Penn Mutual Life Insurance Company; Wilfred D. Gillen, President, Bell Telephone Company of Pennsylvania; Dr. Jonathan E. Rhoads, Provost of the University; Bernard G. Segal, partner in the law firm of Schnader, Harrison, Segal and Lewis.

According to Mr. Roberts, the Ravdin Institute will have "the most advanced surgical facilities yet devised," with operating rooms designed for the closest possible control over the patient while he goes through the most advanced and complex forms of surgery.

Designed by the Chicago architectural firm of Schmidt, Garden and Erikson, and named for the distinguished University of Pennsylvania surgeon Dr. I. S. Ravdin, the 224 bed unit will increase the patient capacity of the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania to approximately 950, making it one of the largest teaching hospitals in the United States.

A medium sized hospital in itself, the Ravdin Institute will be a major clinical teaching unit of the University's School of Medicine. In addition to its advanced surgical and patient care facilities, it will include laboratories for medical students and residents, and special teaching facilities.



Architect's sketch of the \$5,730,000 I. S. Ravdin Institute at the University of Pennsylvania. Ceremonies marking the demolition of the building now on the future site of the Ravdin Institute were held December 19 behind the old nurses' residence, on 34th Street, just south of Spruce Street. Activities in the building, a wing of the Hospital of the University of Pennsylvania, will include teaching, patient care, and research. Architects for the Ravdin building are Schmidt, Garden and Erikson, of Chicago, Illinois.

## Charity Campaigns Top Record

For the second consecutive year the University has surpassed all previous giving records in its recently completed campaigns on behalf of the United Fund, the Heart Association, and the Cancer Society.

The United Fund current total is \$36,742.05 against a quota of \$35,253. The University's percentage of quota achieves, therefore, a highly satisfying 104%. Last year's total was \$32,900.

The campaign total for the Cancer Society was \$1,792 against last year's figure of \$1,518; and for the Heart Association a sum of \$1,635 against last year's \$1,375.

The campaign committee consisted of Dr. Glenn R. Morrow, Professor of Philosophy, Chairman; Mr. Miles H. Sucher, Project Director, Development Program, Co-Chairman; and Mrs. Edythe R. Marren, Cashier, and Miss Lynn Brussock, Administrative Assistant to the Treasurer, Auditors.

## New Dean To Be Selected

A committee has been elected by the College Faculty to consult with the Administration on the selection of a new Dean of the College to succeed Dean Lloyd W. Daly, who has resigned from the post effective at the end of the present academic year.

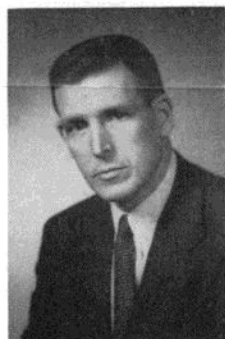
The committee consists of Dr. Theophilus E. M. Boll, Associate Professor of English; Dr. Loren C. Eiseley, Professor and Chairman of Anthropology; Dr. Holden Furber, Professor and Chairman of History; Dr. Francis W. Irwin, Professor of Psychology; Dr. Glenn R. Morrow, Professor of Philosophy; Dr. Daniel J. O'Kane, Associate Professor of Microbiology; Dr. Charles C. Price, Professor and Chairman of Chemistry; Dr. David M. Robb, Professor of the History of Art; and Dr. William E. Stephens, Professor of Physics.

## Letters to the Editor

DEAR SIR:

Once again I am appreciative of this opportunity to reach all members of the Faculty with information concerning the forthcoming *Bibliography of Faculty Publications* for 1958.

Publication of this year's *Bibliography* has been set for approximately the same time as last year, with distribution planned for the middle of May. Letters have been sent to Department Chairmen asking them to forward publication report blanks to their colleagues by January 14 and to have all entries returned to the Secretary's Office by not later than February 4. An attempt will be made to produce a more co-ordinated classification of entries by fields of inquiry, retaining departmental and school identities as in the past, so that the collective contributions of members of administrative units will be readily evident.



Dr. Rhoads

Last year's *Bibliography*, issued in commemoration of the 75th Anniversary of the Graduate School of Arts and Sciences, listed some 1800 items which appeared in print during the year as reported by more than 1400 members of the University. These entries were from both full- and part-time faculty and staff as well as graduate students whose work represented the scholarly efforts of their departments. This was an increase of 150 items over 1956 and 500 items over 1955. Those concerned with the publication of the *Bibliography* are hopeful that the continued cooperation of their colleagues will serve to advance this trend.

It may also be of interest to note that in 1957 more than 1300 copies of the *Bibliography* were sent to department chairmen at other institutions, educational foundations, selected contributors to the University, Trustees, and State Senators, and that this policy of wider distribution will be continued and somewhat expanded this year.

The idea of publishing a bibliography is not novel to many universities, but few have a continuous record comparable to that of the University of Pennsylvania. It is recognized that publication is only one facet of educational fertility, though perhaps the most tangible measure thereof, and in a number of fields, particularly in Architecture and the Fine Arts, the end product is in design and form rather than the printed word. Nonetheless, the usefulness of a bibliography in presenting scholarly activity either of individuals or of institutions is fairly broadly realized. The recent action by the Educational Council recommending an increase in the allocation of University funds in support of publications and other scholarly pursuits leading thereto is in consonance with the importance of this activity.

It is my sincere hope that the 1958 issue of the *Bibliography of Faculty Publications* will be truly representative of the scholarly efforts of faculties.

Sincerely yours,  
JONATHAN E. RHOADS  
Provost

## Teaching Assistants Recommended

At its meeting of December 4, 1958, the Educational Council approved "the principle that those graduate students in the Humanities considering teaching as a career or actually planning to teach would profit from appointments as teaching assistants."

In approving this principle, endorsed by the Committee on Educational Policy, the Council also agreed that "experience as teaching assistants" should not be required of "all graduate students, candidates for the Ph.D."

The Council's action carries with it approval of a number of recommendations based on the CEP's consideration of the Educational Survey reports on Graduate Study in the Humanities.

These recommendations are:

- (1) That such appointments be provided in as many departments as possible;
- (2) That each department in making such appointments consider that two annual appointments probably provide the most effective period for such service and that ordinarily an appointment should not be renewed more than twice;
- (3) That each department organize some regular training program for assistants, so that they may be effectively instructed in the art of teaching;
- (4) That wherever necessary the budget allocation of any department provide for the assignment of appropriate members of the regular faculty to devote a fraction of their time to this training program for graduate assistants or assistant instructors;
- (5) That the Graduate School record of the teaching assistant show the departmental evaluation of the student's accomplishment in the training program; and
- (6) That the attention of other quadrants in the Graduate School be directed to these recommendations which the Committee on Educational Policy believes apply equally to them.

## Museum Offers Varied Program

The University Museum will present an unusually varied series of offerings in its Sunday Film and Music Program for January and February:

The schedule is as follows:

January 18: "Ancient Egypt," an outstanding historical and archaeological color film;

January 25: "Life in the Arctic," an award winning documentary dealing with the little known Arctic regions north of Russia;

February 1: "Commemorative Program for George Friedrich Handel (1685-1759)," a performance of chamber music with Dr. Joseph Barone conducting the University's Collegium Musicum; and

February 8: "The Civil War, the Fall of Fort Sumter," and "Robert E. Lee," film studies, including a re-enactment of the attack on Sumter.

The programs take place at 3 p.m. in the Museum Auditorium. Admission is free.



### Faculty Club (Continued from page one)

Associates, Instructors, Assistant Instructors with regularly assigned teaching responsibilities, and Lecturers with continuing classroom duties.

3. Trustees and Associate Trustees of the University.

4. Resident and non-resident members of the Lenape Club, in good standing as of June 30, 1959, who are no longer members of the University Faculty or Administration.

5. Administrative Officers under the cognizance of the University Director of Personnel who are classified as A1, among them Statutory Officers and Senior Administrative Officers, Administrative Staff Personnel, and Professional Personnel (research investigators, athletic coaches, physicians attached to Student Health, etc.).

Associate Members will be entitled to attend meetings and to enjoy the privileges of regular membership except the right to vote, serve on committees, and hold office. They will number visiting scholars, post-doctoral researchers, distinguished administrators temporarily employed by the University, clergy affiliated with the University, and Directors or Managers of institutes, associations, foundations, etc., affiliated with the University but not under the cognizance of the Director of Personnel.

The full official schedule of dues and admission fees follows:

	Annual Dues	Admission Fees
Retired faculty and emeritus Lenape Club members .....	\$ 1.00	\$ None
Professors, Associate Professors ..	50.00	25.00
Assistant Professors, Associates, Instructors .....	35.00	17.50
Assistant Instructors .....	25.00	12.50
Lecturers .....	50.00	25.00
Trustees and Associate Trustees .....	50.00	25.00
Lenape Club Members no longer members of the University faculty or administration ....	50.00	25.00
Administrative Officers .....	50.00	25.00
provided that where annual University salary is less than the announced minimum salary for the rank of Associate Professor a reduction may be applied for to .....	35.00	17.50
Visiting Scholars, postdoctoral researchers, and administrators on temporary appointment .....	25.00 per semester (Summer school shall count as a semester)	
Directors or Managers of Institutes, etc. ....	50.00	25.00
Clergy .....	50.00	25.00

In the application of the above schedules:

- Where two or more charges are applicable, the highest will be made.
- The admission fee will be waived for all who apply for membership before July 1, 1959.
- The admission fee will be waived for all Faculty members on leave of absence during the spring term, 1958-59, who apply for membership before January 1, 1960.
- Annual dues for the year 1958-59 will be pro-rated according to the fraction of the academic year, to

### Annenberg School (Continued from page one)



Mr. Walter H. Annenberg, President of the Annenberg Fund, Inc., discusses the University's newest school, The Annenberg School of Communications, with President Gaylord P. Harnwell.

all professional or specialized education is toward centralization in the higher seats of learning under the broadening influence of university relations.

"The University of Pennsylvania now conducts well-established schools, departments and courses in various subjects related to communications, and owns and operates the basic facilities and resources otherwise necessary to a well-rounded educational program, but does not have a highly specialized and departmentalized communications school of the scope and character which the new school will possess."

The school will have its own director, and candidates for that post are now being studied by a Selection Committee of the Faculty headed by Dr. Loren C. Eiseley, Professor and Chairman of Anthropology. Other faculty members of the committee are: Dr. Sculley Bradley, Vice-Provost and Professor of English, Dr. John R. Brobeck, Chairman and Professor of Physiology, Dr. Reavis Cox, Professor of Marketing and Foreign Commerce, Dr. Frederick C. Gruber, Associate Professor of Education, Dr. G. Edward Janosik, Assistant Professor of Political Science, Dr. Charles Lee, Associate Professor of English, and Dr. Froelich G. Rainey, Director of the University Museum.

The M. L. Annenberg Foundation was established in 1944. Mr. Walter H. Annenberg, editor and publisher of The Philadelphia Inquirer and an alumnus of the Wharton School of Finance and Commerce, has been its President since its inception.

Triangle Publications, Inc. publishes Seventeen, TV Guide, and various trade publications, as well as the Philadelphia Inquirer, and operates radio and VHF television stations in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, Altoona, Pennsylvania, New Haven, Connecticut, Binghamton, New York, and a UHF television station in Lebanon, Pennsylvania.

the nearest quarter year, throughout which the Club is in operation.

- Upon application to the Board of Governors, a member's dues may be waived during such period as he is on official leave of absence from the University.

## Know Your University

(The fourth "Know Your University" feature, prepared by Mr. Bruce Montgomery, describes the work of the Musical Activities Office, of which he is Director.)

Creating outlets for the useful exercise of students' almost boundless enthusiasm and talents in all types of music is one of the most satisfying and rewarding jobs on the campus. Since its inception two years ago, the Musical Activities Office has tried to coordinate much of the extra-curricular music in a manner that makes participation in many kinds of groups possible to the student who may be majoring in music or physics alike.

With the University of Pennsylvania Glee Club the student may enjoy singing major works by Handel and Beethoven or Rogers and Hammerstein. He will work on Bach and Berlin and he'll intone early Gregorian and modern Hebrew chants. He'll sing a concert of tremendous variety (as the Glee Club performed in Irvine Auditorium in December) or he'll devote an entire evening to one work (as it will with Honegger's *King David* in May). He can blend strictly modern harmonies with the Penn Pipers or he can sing 16th century madrigals with the Club's new Madrigal Singers group.



Mr. Montgomery

For the student who plays an instrument there has been a growing interest and activity in the Band. Following the close of the football season—during which they performed at every game—band men have reorganized into an augmented Concert Band. Under the excellent direction of Mr. Joseph Colantonio, this group plays worthwhile music of the classicists as well as the modern composers and everything from minuets to marches.

Our office brings together still another group of instrumentalists of special talent to play in the pit orchestras for the original musicals presented by the Mask and Wig Club and the Broadway shows of the Pennsylvania Players.

The newly formed Women's Glee Club is sponsored and guided by our office even though it is entirely student run and conducted. It is precisely this type of worthwhile group participation and enthusiasm that the Musical Activities Office tries to encourage.

It gives further encouragement to many student soloists and practically runs a booking agency for them! We constantly are able to find interesting places where our students can display their talents—which include everything from opera singers to folk balladeers, concert pianists, tap dancers, dixieland combos and barbershop quartets.

There is no question that the musical purist raises an eyebrow at the choice of some of the music being performed by these many student groups with which we work. But the fact remains that we are filling the idle hours of

hundreds of students with the most wholesome and constructive kind of fun, and that nearly every dyed-in-the-wool "pops" performer is being exposed to—and enjoying—the greatest of the classics as well. In addition, in every case the student is not only *learning* music but he is gaining the joy and widened experience and poise that can be learned only through *performing* for many types of audiences all over the country. And all of this is not only benefitting the student who participates in one of these groups, but is constantly bringing further credit to the University of Pennsylvania.

## Lecture Series Offered

Technical discussions of the latest developments in terrestrial and extra-terrestrial communications will feature the second series of six lectures on "Modern Communications" to be presented by the Philadelphia Section of the Institute of Radio Engineers. All programs will be held in the auditorium of the Physical Sciences Building, 7.30 p.m. Information concerning registration may be had from Mr. Fred Haber, Assistant Professor in Electrical Engineering, The Moore School.

The complete lecture program is as follows: January 19: "Properties of Physical Channels," by Dr. A. H. Benner, Manager of Systems and Development, the Radio Corporation of America; January 26: "Noise and Interference," by Dr. R. M. Showers, Professor in Electrical Engineering, The Moore School; February 2: "Ultimate Limits of Receiver Sensitivity," by Mr. C. T. McCoy, Research Division, Philco Corporation; February 9: "Coding Theory," by Dr. R. M. Fano, Professor of Electrical Engineering, Massachusetts Institute of Technology; February 16: "Trends in Digital Communication," by Mr. Siegfried Reiger, Air Force Cambridge Research Center; and February 23: "Communication Through Analog Channels," by Dr. Paul E. Green, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and Mr. L. A. DeRosa, Federal Telecommunications Laboratory of Nutley, N. J.

Other participants from The Moore School of Electrical Engineering include Dr. P. L. Bargellini, Associate Professor, Mr. John Diamessis, Assistant Instructor, Mr. Fred Haber, Assistant Professor, and Mr. H. G. Sparks, Administrative Assistant to the Director.

## In Case You Didn't Know

The University student body now includes representatives from every state in the Union, excepting Alaska, and from 64 foreign countries. Leading states are Pennsylvania (10,194), New Jersey (2,080), and New York (1,339), followed by Massachusetts, Connecticut, Delaware, Maryland, Ohio, Illinois, and Florida. Canada and India send us 49 students each, followed by Japan (39), Korea (28), Thailand (26), and Colombia (23).

## What Education Needs

"In education all you need are a few benches, a desk, a pointer, a blackboard, some chalk and a TEACHER: everything else is 'the fixins.'"—Harry Golden in "Only in America" (World).

## Among Other Things

**CONGRATULATIONS:** to Dr. *Edwin B. Williams*, Professor of Romance Languages, unanimously elected a corresponding member of the Hispanic Society of America at a meeting of the Board of Trustees of that organization recently held in New York . . . to Dr. *Paul Gyorgy*, Professor of Pediatrics, recipient of the degree of Honorary Medical Doctor from the University of Heidelberg . . . to Dr. *Carl F. Schmidt*, Professor and Chairman of Pharmacology, just elected to Fellowship in the New York Academy of Sciences . . . to Miss *Mildred McFerren*, recently appointed as Director of Nursing of the Hospital (effective January 19) by the Board of Managers of the University Hospital . . . and to these three new Fellows of the Institute of Radio Engineers: Dr. *Carl C. Chambers*, Vice-President for Engineering Affairs and Professor of Electrical Engineering; Dr. *George W. Patterson*, Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering; and Dr. *Herman P. Schwan*, Professor of Electrical Engineering . . .

**CELEBRATION:** Faculty and students are invited to attend the first of a series of lectures commemorating the 50th Anniversary of the establishment of the School of Social Work, to be given by Dr. *Ewan Clague*, Commissioner, Bureau of Labor Statistics, U. S. Department of Labor, on January 22 at 8:30 p.m. in the auditorium of the University Museum. Dr. Clague's topic will be "Economic Myth and Fact in Social Work."

**TV GUIDE:** Faculty members who have recently appeared on the University's WFIL-TV University of the Air program, *Frontiers of Knowledge*, include Dr. *Herbert B. Callen*, Associate Professor of Physics, Dr. *Emily H. Mudd*, Professor of Family Study in Psychiatry and Director of the Marriage Council of Philadelphia, Dr. *Ian L. McHarg*, Assistant Professor and Chairman of Landscape Architecture, Dr. *Loren C. Eiseley*, Professor and Chairman of Anthropology, Dr. *Ralph C. Preston*, Professor of Education and Director of the Reading Clinic, and Dr. *James C. Charlesworth*, Professor of Political Science and President of the American Academy of Political and Social Science . . . President *Gaylord P. Harnwell* headed an all-star panel discussing the nation's crisis in education on a special hour-long program presented last month on WCAU-TV. Among the panelists: Dr. *Loren C. Eiseley*, Chairman of Anthropology, Dr. *Jefferson B. Fordham*, Dean of the Law School, Dr. *Robert Maddin*, Director of the School of Metallurgical Engineering, Mr. *G. Holmes Perkins*, Dean of the School of Fine Arts, Dr. *Charles C. Price*, Chairman of Chemistry, Dr. *I. S. Ravdin*, Vice-President for Medical Affairs, Dr. *Kenneth M. Setton*, Director of Libraries, and Dr. *Willis Winn*, Dean of the Wharton School . . .

**DEFINITION:** "The common ends of education have become those of making power responsible, insuring the survival of free inquiry, and humanizing man in a dehumanized technology."—*Max Lerner in America as a Civilization* (Simon & Schuster) . . .

**NAMES:** Dr. *I. S. Ravdin*, Professor of Surgery, and Dr. *John McK. Mitchell*, Dean of the School of Medicine

and Vice Provost, have been appointed to the Surgeon General's Consultant Group on Medical Education . . . *John C. T. Alexander*, an honor man in his graduating class of 1956, has joined the staff of the Dean of Admissions to take charge of the secondary school visiting program . . . Dr. *Ralph Preston*, Director of the Reading Clinic, will be on leave next semester to act as a consultant for the Institute for International Educational Research at Frankfurt, Germany . . . Director of the Morris Arboretum Dr. *John M. Fogg*, equipped with color slides (one of which will never be forgotten by his audience), addressed the Lenape Club last month on *Temples, Tombs, and Treasure in Mexico* . . . Dean of Admissions *Robert H. Pitt II* has been named one of a nine-member advisory committee for Pennsylvania by the Federal Civil Rights Commission . . .

**BOOK SHELF:** Among the new publications by Pennsylvanians are *Lost Summer*, (Harcourt, Brace) a thoughtful and dramatic novel about life in a Main Line suburb by *Christopher Davis*, Lecturer in English; *Truth and Denotation, a Study in Semantical Theory* (University of Chicago Press), by Dr. *Richard M. Martin*, Associate Professor of Philosophy; *In Defense of Yesterday* (Coward McCann), a biography of James M. Beck and a study of the "politics of conservatism," by Dr. *Morton Keller*, Assistant Professor of History; *Public School Debt Administration* (University of Pennsylvania Press), by Dr. *William B. Castetter*, Associate Professor of Education; and *The Hidden Public* (Doubleday), a history of the Book-of-the-Month Club, by Dr. *Charles Lee*, Associate Professor of English . . . Dr. *Patrick D. Hazard*, Post-Doctoral Fellow in American Civilization, has contributed a chapter entitled "The Public Arts and the Private Sensibility" to a comprehensive survey of *Contemporary Literary Scholarship* (Appleton), edited by *Lewis Leary* . . .

**ROUNDUP:** The architectural firm of *Geddes, Brecher, Qualls, and Cunningham* recently won the Gold Medal of the Philadelphia Chapter of the American Institute of Architects for their design of the addition to The Moore School of Electrical Engineering . . . Parents of Pennsylvania students contributed \$15,404 to the 1957-58 Annual Giving Campaign, a new high . . . A budget of \$55,000 for a three-year period has been made available to the Library to survey the book stock preparatory to moving into the new building . . . Observation: "A committee should consist of three men, two of whom are absent."—Sir *Herbert Beerbohm Tree*.

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