## THE 1942 ANNUAL MEETING

UNDER decisions of the Executive Council (see the preceding pages) it is now possible to announce a schedule presumably fixed except for possible minor modifications.

1. The meeting will be held on December 29-31 in New York, N. Y., with headquarters at the Hotel Astor (Times Square), where all sessions will be held with ample accommodations.

2. A Local Committee is being assembled through the cooperation of Professor Homer A. Watt. Communications addressed to it should meanwhile be sent in care of the Secretary of the Association.

3. The usual Circular will be issued about November 1 with a hotel reservation card, and the Program (with December PMLA) near Thanksgiving.

4. Admission to Sections and General Meetings remains open to the public, but admission to Discussion Groups is confined to members (unless exception is made by the Secretary of the Association). Prompt registration is therefore advisable.

5. General Meetings will be held as follows:

Dec. 29 (evening): The Address of Welcome and Presidential Address (following upon a dinner of the Old Guard); a Presidential Reception.

Dec. 30 (2:30-4:00 P.M.) The Business Meeting.

Dec. 30 (7:30-10:00 P.M.) The Banquet or an equivalent.

A dinner of the Mediaeval Academy is under consideration.

6. The present order of Section and Group meetings will be modified only to accommodate the new interdepartmental Mediæval Section. The changes under consideration [and now approved] are as follows:

Group	from		to	
English III English IV	Thursday Thursday	9:15-10:45 3:45- 5:15	Thursday Thursday	3:45- 5:15 9:15-10:45
French <b>I</b> French III	Thursday Thursday	9:15-10:45 2:00- 3:30	Thursday Thursday	2:00-3:30 9:15-10:45
Celtic I GT V (Exp. Phon.)		11:00-12:30 4:00- 5:30		4:00- 5:30 11:00-12:30
Scandinavian I	Thursday	9:15-10:45	Thursday	3:45- 5:15

7. The Mediæval Section (Thursday, 9:30-12:30) is in charge of Professors Urban T. Holmes, Jr. (chairman), Roger S. Loomis, and Archer Taylor.

8. The present order of Sections and Groups follows:

## Tuesday, December 29, 11:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M.

General Topics VI: Relations of Literature and Society. Chairman, William S. Knickerbocker, Univ. of the South; Secretary, Henry A. Pochmann, Univ. of Wisconsin. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Sculley Bradley, Ch., Helen White, Haakon Chevalier, Harry Slochower, Theodore Spencer, H. R. Warfel, Frederick Hard. Bibliography Com .: Theodore Geissendoerfer, Ch., Haakon Chevalier, Réne Wellek.)

- General Topics VII: Relations of Literature and Science. Chairman, Grant McColley, Chicago, Ill.; Secretary, Theodore Hornberger, Univ. of Texas. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: George C. Taylor, Ch., Walter Clyde Curry, J. Milton French, Allan H. Gilbert, Harry R. Warfel—Officers serve with Nominating Committee. Bibliography and Microfilm Com.: Hyatt A. Waggoner, Ch., Francis R. Johnson, Everett B. Gladding, Fred A. Dudley, Albert J. George, Theodore Silverstein, Arnold L. Williams, and the secretary ex officio. Coördinating Committee: Thomas O. Mabbott, Ch., Harry H. Clark, Hardin Craig, Richard F. Jones, Samuel A. Nock, George R. Potter.)
- General Topics IX: Literature and the Arts of Design. Chairman, Allan Gilbert, Duke Univ.; Secretary, Frederick Hard, Newcomb Coll. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Z. S. Fink, Ch., Finley Foster, Denver E. Baughan, Merritt Y. Hughes, George R. Coffman, Roger S. Loomis, Austin Warren. Bibliography Com.: Ernest C. Hassold, Ch., John W. Draper, Haldeen Braddy, Robert P. Adams, F. H. Heidbrink. Com. on a Program of Research: Ruth C. Wallerstein, Ch., Rosemond Tuve.)
- English VII: Philosophy and Literature of the Classical Period. Chairman, Knox Chandler, Vanderbilt Univ.; Secretary, James M. Osborn, Yale Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: R. H. Griffith, Ch., W. J. Graham, John Robert Moore.)
- French II: French Literature of the XVIth Century. Chairman, S. F. Will, Univ. of Illinois (1943); Secretary, George O. Seiver, Univ. of Pennsylvania. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: George E. Diller, Ch. (1943), Marcel Françon (1942), Edward F. Meylan (1944). Bibliography Com.: W. L. Wiley, Ch., S. F. Will. Research Com.: Advisory Committee.)
- North American French Language and Literature. Chairman. Marine Leland, Smith College; Secretary, Ian Forbes Fraser, Columbia Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: J. M. Carrière, Ch., Arthur L. Eno, Mgr. Camille Roy. Com. on French influences upon American speech: Urban T. Holmes, Jr., Ch., J. M. Carrière, Jay K. Ditchy, Belmont Freeman, Raven T. McDavid. Com. on publication of French Canadian folk songs: Marine Leland, Ch., Jean Bruchési, J. M. Carrière.)
- Portuguese I: Language and Literature of Galicia, Portugal, and Brazil. Chairman, William Berrien, American Council of Learned Societies; Secretary, George I. Dale, Cornell Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Charles H. Stevens, Ch., Kimberley S. Roberts, Joseph G. Fucilla, J. H. D. Allen, Lloyd A. Kasten. Bibliography and Research Com.: Marion A. Zeitlin, Ch., 1942–44, Henry H. Carter, 1942, Lloyd A. Kasten, 1942, Joseph Fulger, 1942–43, Gerald Moser, 1942–43, Richard W. Ross, 1942–44.)

## Tuesday, December 29, 2:30-5:30 P.M.

English Section I: English to 1650. Chairman, John Webster Spargo, Northwestern Univ.; Secretary, Robert R. Cawley, Princeton Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: J. S. P. Tatlock, Ch., Warner G. Rice, Archibald Hill. TOPIC: The persistence of medievalism into the Renaissance.)

## Tuesday, December 29, 2:00-3:30 P.M.

- English VIII: Literary Tendencies during the Second Half of the Eighteenth Century. Chairman, Dixon Wecter, Univ. of California at Los Angeles; Secretary, James L. Clifford, Lehigh Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: W. Powell Jones, Ch., J. H. Caskey, J. M. Osborn, Henry Pettit, Jr., F. A. Pottle, W. D. Templeman. Bibliography Com.: Arthur Friedman, Ch., Richmond P. Bond, A. T. Hazen, H. T. Swedenberg, Jr. Com. on Research Projects: E. L. McAdam, Jr., Ch., Margery Bailey, R. L. Greene, A. D. McKillop.)
- French VI: French Literature of the XIXth Century. Chairman, Jean Albert Bédé, Columbia Univ.; Secretary, Margaret Gilman, Bryn Mawr College. (Advisory Com.: Aaron

Schaffer, Ch., E. D. Seeber, Theodore Bowie. Bibliography Com.: Bernard Weinberg, Ch., William T. Bandy, Don L. Demorest, Thomas R. Palfrey.)

- German IV: German Literature of the XIXth Century. Chairman, Paul C. Graham, Smith College; Secretary, Uhland E. Fehlau, Univ. of Cincinnati. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: George H. Danton, Ch., Mimi Jehle, Robert T. Clark. Bibliography Com.: Victor Lange, Ch., H. Boeschenstein, H. Bluhm.)
- Spanish I: Spanish Language and Mediæval Literature. Chairman, Lloyd A. Kasten, Univ. of Wisconsin; Secretary, Mack H. Singleton, Queens College. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Hayward Keniston, Ch. (1942), Tomás Navarro Tomás (1943), R. S. Boggs (1944). Com. on an Old Spanish Dictionary: Hayward Keniston, Ch., R. S. Boggs, L. A. Kasten, H. B. Richardson, C. P. Wagner, R. S. Willis, Jr.)

#### Tuesday, December 29, 3:45-5:15 P.M.

- General Topics I: Poetic Form and General Æsthetics. Chairman, Cleanth Brooks, Jr., Louisiana State Univ.; Secretary, Lionel Trilling, Columbia Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Morton D. Zabel, Ch., Wallace Fowlie, Theodore Spencer, Austin Warren, Robert Penn Warren. Bibliography Com.: Robert Penn Warren, Ch., William Troy, Fred O. Nolte, René Taupin.)
- English IX: Wordsworth and His Contemporaries. Chairman, Newman I. White, Duke Univ.; Secretary, Newton P. Stallknecht, Bowdoin College. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Charles F. Harrold, Ch., Claude L. Finney, Alice D. Snyder. Bibliography Com.: Walter Graham, Ch., Alice Snyder, A. D. McKillop, N. I. White, C. F. Harrold, Paul Landis, Walter J. Johnson.)
- French VII: French Literature of the XXth Century. Chairman, René de Messières, Wellesley College; Secretary, Siegwalt O. Palleske, Miami Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Hélène Harvitt, Ch., Georges Lamaître, Philip Kolb. Bibliography Com.: Howard L. Nostrand, Ch., Wm. Leonard Schwartz, Joseph F. Jackson, Henri Peyre.)
- German V: Modern German Literature. Chairman, Hermann J. Weigand, Yale Univ.; Secretary, Erich Hofacker, Washington Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Ernst Jockers, Ch., Harvey Hewett-Thayer, B. Q. Morgan. Com. on Bibliography: Harry Steinhauer, Ch., Hermann Barnstorff, R. T. Hardaway, Anna Jacobson, Marjory Lawson, Wolfgang Seiferth. Research Com.: D. W. Schumann, Ch., F. W. J. Heuser, E. Hofacker.)
- Spanish II: Spanish Literature of the Renaissance and Golden Age. Chairman, R. H. Williams, Univ. of Texas; Secretary, Mabel M. Harlan, Indiana Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Otis H. Green, Ch., G. T. Northrup, Rudolph Schevill. Com. on Bibliography: C. E. Anibal, Ch., W. H. Shoemaker, R. H. Williams, R. S. Boggs, R. L. Grismer. Research Com.: J. E. Gillet, Ch., S. G. Morley, W. L. Fichter.)

#### Wednesday, December 30, 9:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M.

Romance Section. Chairman, Henry Grattan Doyle, George Washington Univ.; Secretary, Lucius G. Moffatt, Univ. of Virginia. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Joseph G. Fucilla, Ch., Joseph Jackson, Walter Scott Hastings.)

## Wednesday, December 30, 9:15-10:45 A.M.

Comparative Literature I: Prose Fiction. Chairman, Eugène Joliat, Univ. of Iowa; Secretary, John Robert Moore, Indiana Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: A. W. Secord, Ch. (1943), J. W. Beach (1942), J. M. Carrière (1944), Justin O'Brien (1945), Fred B. Millett (1946). Bibliography Com.: Ernest Bernbaum, Ch., Thomas G. Bergin, Clarence A. Manning, Irving Putter, Alvan S. Ryan, Jefferson R. Spell, Arturo Torres-Rioseco, Edwin H. Zeydel.)

- American Literature. Chairman, Milton Ellis, Univ. of Maine; Secretary, Alexander Cowie, Wesleyan Univ. (Nominating Com.: Henry A. Pochmann, Ch., George F. Whicher, George E. Hastings. Advisory Com.: Louise Pound, George F. Whicher, Willard Thorp, Leon Howard, Perry Miller, Louis B. Wright. Executive Com.: Milton Ellis, Ch., Alexander Cowie, Robert E. Spiller. Bibliographer: Gregory Paine, aided by a committee of 13 members. Com. on a Bibliography of Printed Materials for the Study of American Literature: Sculley Bradley, Ch., Robert E. Spiller, Arthur H. Quinn, Edward H. O'Neill, Oscar Cargill. Com. on Resources for Research: Thomas O. Mabbott, Ch., H. H. Clark, E. H. Eby, Lewis Leary, Norman Pearson, Henry A. Pochmann. Com. on Materials of American Literary History: Robert E. Spiller, Ch., Louis B. Wright, Gregory Paine, Ernest E. Leisy, G. Harrison Orians, Sculley Bradley. Com. on Curricula in American Civilization: C. H. Faust, Ch., Willard Thorp, Luther Mansfield.)
- English I: Old English. Chairman, Herbert D. Meritt, Stanford Univ.; Secretary, Elliott V. K. Dobbie, Columbia Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Francis P. Magoun, Jr., Ch., Robert J. Menner, Merrel D. Clubb. Bibliography Com.: Rudolph Willard, Ch., John C. Pope, A. C. Baugh.)
- German II: German Language and Literature to 1700. Chairman, Robert H. Fife, Columbia Univ.; Secretary, Henry W. Nordmeyer, Univ. of Michigan. (Advisory Com.: R. H. Fife, Ch., Otto Springer, G. J. Metcalf, C. F. Bayerschmidt, G. J. Jordan. Bibliography Com.: R. Jente, Ch., G. O. Arlt, W. Kurrelmeyer, H. W. Nordmeyer, C. A. Williams.)
- Slavonic I: Slavonic Languages and Literatures. Chairman, Arthur P. Coleman, Columbia Univ.; Secretary, Nikander Strelsky, Vassar College. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Alfred Senn, Ch., Alexander Kaun, Clarence A. Manning, Ernest J. Simmons, Orin Stepanek. Bibliography Com.: Francis Whitfield, Ch., J. A. Posin, Edmund Zawacki, Anthony Klančar, D. S. von Mohrenschildt, Katherine Strelsky. Research Com.: Samuel H. Cross, Ch., A. P. Coleman, Manfred Kridl, Waclaw Lednicki, René Wellek.)

## Wednesday, December 30, 11:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M.

- General Topics II: Critical Study of Romanticism. Chairman, Domenico Vittorini, Univ. of Pennsylvania; Secretary, John C. Blankenagel, Wesleyan Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Nicholson B. Adams, Ch., Walter Silz, Elizabeth Nitchie. Com. on Bibliography (jointly with English IX): Walter Graham, Ch.)
- Comparative Literature II: Popular Literature. Chairman, A. P. Hudson, Univ. of North Carolina; Secretary, H. W. Thompson, Cornell Univ. (Nominating Com.: Ralph S. Boggs, Ch., Emelyn E. Gardner, G. H. Gerould. Com. on Folksong: Reed Smith, Ch., Martha W. Beckwith, Arthur K. Davis, Jr., George Herzog, Archer Taylor. Com. on the Proverb: Barlett J. Whiting, Ch., Morris P. Tilley, Francis W. Bradley, Archer Taylor, Richard Jente. Com. on Federal Writers' Project Folklorist Material: Arthur K. Davis, Jr., Ch., Bartlett J. Whiting, Walter Blair. Com. on Folklore of Non-English-Speaking Groups: A. M. Espinosa, Jr., Ch., Emelyn E. Gardner, J. M. Carrière, H. W. Thompson.) American Literature. Second Meeting.
- English II: Middle English Language and Literature. Chairman, John Webster Spargo, Northwestern Univ.; Secretary, Harold Whitehall, Indiana Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Frances A. Foster, Ch., Bartlett J. Whiting, Archibald A. Hill. Bibliography Com.: Laura Hibbard Loomis, MacEdward Leach. Com. on Editing ME Texts: John E Wells, Ch., Sir William Craigie, Sanford B. Meech.)
- German I: Historical Grammar. Chairman, Edwin C. Roedder, College of the City of New York; Secretary, William F. Kamman, Carnegie Inst. of Technology. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Otto Springer, Ch., W. F. Twaddell, Hans Sperber. Research

Com.: Edward H. Sehrt, Ch., E. C. Roedder, J. A. Walz, Carl Selmer, Otto Springer. Com. on American Dialects: E. C. Roedder, Ch., Leonard Bloomfield, F. W. Bradley, Hans Kurath, Alfred Sen.)

Slavonic I: Second Meeting.

#### Wednesday, December 30, 4:00-5:30 P.M.

- General Topics V: Experimental Phonetics. Chairman, J. M. Cowan, 1219 16th St., Wash., D. C.; Secretary, N. E. Eliason, Univ. of Florida. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: C. E. Parmenter, Ch. (1943), R.-M. S. Heffner (1942), J. M. Cowan (1944), Ernest F. Haden (1945), S. N. Treviño (1946).)
- Comparative Literature III: Arthurian Romances. Chairman, Urban T. Holmes, Jr., Univ. of North Carolina; Secretary, Helaine Newstead, Hunter College. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Louis Cons, Ch., Archer Taylor, John R. Reinhard.)
- Comparative Literature V: Anglo-French and Franco-American Literary Relations. Chairman, Ernest H. Wright, Columbia Univ.; Co-Chairman, Charles I. Silin, Tulane Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Minnie M. Miller, Ch., Norman Torrey, J. F. McDermott. Bibliography and Research Com.: D. F. Bond, Ch., Joseph Tucker.)
- English V: Shakespeare. Chairman, G. E. Bentley, Univ. of Chicago; Secretary, Willard Farnham, Univ. of California. (Nominating Com.: Kenneth O. Myrick, Ch., John Robert Moore, Theodore Spencer. Advisory Com.: C. F. Tucker Brooke, Ch., Hardin Craig, Baldwin Maxwell, Alfred Harbage. Com. on Bibliography and Microfilming: Warner G. Rice, Ch., Louis B. Wright, Matthew W. Black.)
- English XI: Contemporary Literature. Chairman, Arthur Mizener, Wells College; Secretary, Carlos Baker, Princeton Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Cleanth Brooks, Ch., Raymond D. Havens, F. Cudworth Flint, Morton D. Zabel, Wallace Stegner. Executive Council: Advisory Committee and the Officers.)
- German III: The Age of Goethe. Chairman, F. W. Kaufmann, Oberlin College; Secretary, Hans Jaeger, Princeton Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Heinrich Meyer, Ch., Henry W. Nordmeyer, Erich Funke. Bibliography Com.: Philip M. Palmer, Ch., Myra R. Jessen, Ada Martha Klett, Heinz Bluhm. Research Com.: Adolph Busse, Ch., F. H. Reinsch, John A. Walz, Carl F. Schreiber.)
- Spanish III: Modern Spanish Literature. Chairman, Edith F. Helman, Simmons College; Secretary, Paul P. Rogers, Oberlin College (1943). (Advisory and Nominating Com.:
  E. H. Hespelt, Ch. (1942), C. C. Glascock (1942), J. K. Leslie (1942), Ada M. Coe (1943),
  L. L. Barrett (1944).)

## Thursday, December 31, 9:30 A.M.-12:30 P.M.

English Section II: English, including American Literature, after 1650. Chairman, Alan D. McKillop, Rice Inst.; Secretary, George F. Whicher, Amherst College. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Alan D. McKillop, Ch., George F. Whicher, Theodore Hornberger.)

## Thursday, December 31, 9:15-10:45 A.M.

Comparative Literature VI: Anglo-German Literary Relations. Chairman, Harry R. Warfel, Univ. of Maryland; Secretary, Karl J. Arndt, Louisiana State Univ. (Nominating Com.: G. Harrison Orians, Ch., L. M. Price, Gregory L. Paine. Research Com.: A. E. Zucker, Ch., Henry A. Pochmann, Bayard Quincy Morgan, Philip A. Shelley. Program Com.: Bertha R. Coffmann, Leo L. Rockwell, Harold S. Jantz, John C. Blankenagel, E. E. Leisy, Orie W. Long, Harold E. Stearns, the officers for 1940 and 1941.)

- English III: Chaucer. Chairman, J. Burke Severs, Lehigh Univ.; Secretary, Haldeen Braddy, Texas Christian Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Walter C. Curry, Ch., Laura H. Loomis, James A. Work. Com. on Research and Bibliography: Robert A. Pratt, Ch., J. Burke Severs, Roland M. Smith. Com. on the Anthology of Chaucer's Minor Sources: Margaret Schlauch, Ch., George R. Coffman, Roger S. Loomis, Sanford B. Meech, Robert A. Pratt.)
- English XIV: English Drama. Chairman, Dougald MacMillan, Univ. of North Carolina;
   Secretary, Arthur H. Nethercot, Northwestern Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.:
   Harold N. Hillebrand, G. F. Reynolds. Com. on Research and Microphotography: Robert H. Ball, Ch., Dougald MacMillan, Gerald E. Bentley.)
- French I: Linguistics and Mediæval Literature. Chairman, William J. Roach, Univ. of Pennsylvania; Secretary, Linton C. Stevens, Michigan State College. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: E. B. Ham, Ch. (1943), Urban T. Holmes, Jr. (1942), Ruth Dean. Com. on Microfilming: Frederick B. Agard, Ch., Alfred Foulet.)
- Scandinavian I: Scandinavian Languages and Literatures. Chairman, Adolph B. Benson, Yale Univ.; Secretary, Caroline Brady, Univ. of California Coll. of Agriculture. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Einar Haugen, Ch., Alrik Gustafson, Stefan Einarsson.)

## Thursday, December 31, 11:00 A.M.-12:30 P.M.

- General Topics VIII: Bibliographical Evidence. Chairman, R. C. Bald, Cornell Univ.; Secretary, Allen T. Hazen, Yale Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Giles E. Dawson, Ch., R. S. Crane, Fredson T. Bowers. Com. on index of booksellers' advertisements: Philip B. Gove, Ch.)
- Comparative Literature IV: The Renaissance. Chairman, George C. Taylor, Univ. of North Carolina; Secretary, John Van Horne, Univ. of Illinois. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Allan H. Gilbert, Ch., Daniel C. Boughner, Olin Moore.)
- Celtic I: Celtic Languages and Literatures. Chairman, John J. Parry, Univ. of Illinois; Secretary, Charles Donahue, Fordham Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Fred N. Robinson, Ch., John L. Gerig, Roland M. Smith. Research Com.: Fred N. Robinson, Ch., Roland M. Smith, Kenneth Jackson, Vernam Hull, Myles Dillon.)
- English XIII: Present-Day English. Chairman, Janet R. Aiken, Columbia Univ.; Secretary, Reed Smith, Univ. of South Carolina. (Special Committee for the study of American Place Names: H. M. Ayres, Harold W. Bentley, Robert Ramsay, W. A. Read, Allen W. Read, Edward Ehrensperger.)
- French V: French Literature of the XVIIIth Century. Chairman, George R. Havens, Ohio State Univ.; Secretary, Herbert Dieckmann, Washington Univ. (St. Louis). (Advisory and Nominating Com.: D. C. Cabeen, Ch., Clarence D. Brenner, Morris Bishop. Bibliography and Research Com.: Kenneth N. McKee, Ch., A. S. Crisafulli, H. A. Grubbs.)
- Italian II: Italian Language and Literature. Chairman, Robert A. Hall, Jr., Brown Univ.; Secretary, A. Marni, Univ. of Cincinnati. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: O. H. Moore, Ch. (1942), T. G. Bergin (1943), Giuliano Bonfante (1944). Bibliography Com.: John Van Horne, Ch., C. R. D. Miller, D. Vittorini. Research Com.: A. Marni, Ch., C. A. Swanson, R. F. French, A. L. Mezzacappa.)

### Thursday, December 31, 2:30-5:30 P.M.

Germanic Section: Chairman, A. E. Zucker, Univ. of Maryland; Secretary, Lawrence M. Price, Univ. of California. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Taylor Starck, Ch., G. O. Arlt, A. W. Aron. Bibliography Com.: Archer Taylor, Ch., T. M. Campbell, W. Kurrelmeyer, V. Lange, C. F. Schreiber, Carl Selmer, C. A. Williams.)

## Thursday, December 31, 2:00-3:30 P.M.

- General Topics IV: Practical Phonetics. Chairman, Tomás Navarro Tomás, Columbia Univ.; Secretary, R. H. Stetson, Oberlin College. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: P. C. Delattre, Ch., C. E. Parmenter, Jeanne Vidon-Varney. Com. on Courses in Phonetics: John S. Kenyon, R. H. Stetson, Miles L. Hanley, James B. McMillan.)
- English VI: The Seventeenth Century. Chairman, Charles Monroe Coffin, Kenyon College; Secretary, Rudolf Kirk, Rutgers Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Frederick Hard, Ch., Francis A. Johnson, R. Florence Brinkley. Bibliography Com.: James G. McManaway, Ch., Louis B. Wright, Edward N. Hooker, R. C. Bald, Walter N. Houghton. Microfilm Com.: Roger E. Bennett, Mark Eccles, Harris Fletcher.)
- English X: Victorian Literature. Chairman, William D. Templeman, Univ. of Illinois (1942-44); Secretary, Paull F. Baum, Duke Univ. (1942-43). (Executive Com.: William D. Templeman, Ch., Joseph W. Beach (1942), Carl J. Weber (1943), R. W. Armour (1944). Nominating Com.: Hill Shine, Ch., William Irvine, J. Gordon Eaker. Bibliography Com.: William D. Templeman, Ch., C. Frederick Harrold, Samuel P. Chew, Austin Wright. Com. on Programs: William C. DeVane, Ch., Joseph E. Baker, Finley M. K. Foster. Toprc: Victorian Poetry.)
- French III: French Literature of the XVIIth Century. Chairman, Charles I. Silin, The Tulane Univ.; Secretary, George D. Hocking, Kenyon College. (Nominating Com.: Bert E. Young, Ch., and the Advisory Com. Advisory Com.: H. C. Lancaster, Ch., Lawrence M. Riddle, H. H. Thornton. Com. on French Bibliography of the Seventeenth Century: Colbert Searles, Ch., Maurice Baudin, Helen R. Reese.)
- Italian I: Mediæval and Renaissance Italian. Chairman, J. G. Fucilla, Northwestern Univ.; Secretary, Salvatore Castiglione, Yale Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: James E. Shaw, Ch., Gabriella Bosano, A. T. MacAllister. Com. on Bibliography: J. G. Fucilla, Ch., C. B. Beall, Vincent Cioffari, A. H. Gilbert, R. A. Hall. Research Com.: Rudolph Altrocchi, Ch., G. R. Silber, John Van Horne.)
- Spanish IV: Latin American Languages and Literatures. Chairman, E. Herman Hespelt, New York Univ.; Secretary, Ernest R. Moore, Oberlin College. (Nominating Com.: N. B. Adams, Ch., W. K. Jones, Ruth Sedgwick. Advisory Com.: Otis Green, Ch., Sturgis E. Leavitt, E. K. Mapes. Com. on Bibliography: Ralph S. Boggs, Ch., R. L. Grismer, John T. Reid. Com. on Research Activities: E. K. Mapes, Ch., the Advisory Committee and Officers.)

## Thursday, December 31, 3:45-5:15 P.M.

English IV: The Period of Spenser. Chairman, Rosemond Tuve, Connecticut College; Secretary, Rudolf Gottfried, Indiana Univ. (Advisory and Nominating Com.: Leicester Bradner, Ch., Don Cameron Allen, Mark Eccles. Bibliography and Microfilm Com.: James G. McManaway, Ch., T. P. Harrison, Hugh Dick, M. Y. Hughes, Josephine W. Bennett. Special Committee on Biographical Dictionary of Elizabethan Authors: Mark Eccles, Ch., Ray Heffner, J. G. McManaway, F. B. Williams, Jr., L. B. Wright.)

# CONSERVATION OF SCHOLARLY JOURNALS

The AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION created this last year the Committee on Aid to Libraries in War Areas, headed by John R. Russell, the Librarian of the University of Rochester. The Committee is faced with numerous serious problems and hopes that American scholars and scientists will be of considerable aid in the solution of one of these problems.

One of the most difficult tasks in library reconstruction after the first World War was that of completing foreign institutional sets of American scholarly, scientific, and technical periodicals. The attempt to avoid a duplication of that situation is now the concern of the Committee.

Many sets of journals will be broken by the financial inability of the institutions to renew subscriptions. As far as possible they will be completed from a stock of periodicals being purchased by the Committee. Many more will have been broken through mail difficulties and loss of shipments, while still other sets will have disappeared in the destruction of libraries. The size of the eventual demand is impossible to estimate, but requests received by the Committee already give evidence that it will be enormous.

With an imminent paper shortage attempts are being made to collect old periodicals for pulp. Fearing this possible reduction in the already limited supply of scholarly and scientific journals, the Committee hopes to enlist the cooperation of subscribers of this journal in preventing the sacrifice of this type of material to the pulp demand. It is scarcely necessary to mention the appreciation of foreign institutions and scholars for this activity.

Questions concerning the project or concerning the value of particular periodicals to the project should be directed to Wayne M. Hartwell, Executive Assistant to the Committee on Aid to Libraries in War Areas, Rush Rhees Library, University of Rochester, Rochester, New York.

# LIBRARIES HAVING STANDING ORDERS FOR MONOGRAPH, REVOLVING FUND, AND GENERAL SERIES

- Bowdoin College Library, Brunswick, Me. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Brown University Library, Providence, R. I. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Bryn Mawr College Library, Bryn Mawr, Pa. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- California State Library, Sacramento, Calif. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- University of California Library, Berkeley, Calif. (Monograph Series, General Series)
- University of California at Los Angeles Library, Los Angeles, Calif. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- University of Cincinnati Library, Cincinnati, Ohio (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Columbia University Library, New York, N. Y. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Dartmouth College Library, Hanover, N. H. (Revolving Fund Series)
- Duke University Library, Durham, N. C. (Monograph Series, Revolving Fund Series)
- Emory University Library, Emory University, Ga. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Harvard College Library, Cambridge, Mass. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Haverford College Library, Haverford, Pa. (Monograph Series)
- Henry E. Huntington Library and Art Gallery, San Marino, Calif. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- University of Illinois Library, Urbana, Ill. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- University of Iowa Library, Iowa City, Ia. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Johns Hopkins University Library, Baltimore, Md. (Monograph Series, Revolving Fund Series)
- Lehigh University Library, Bethlehem, Pa. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- University of Minnesota Library, Minneapolis, Minn. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- University of Missouri Library, Columbia, Mo. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- University of Nebraska Library, Lincoln, Neb. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- Newberry Library, Chicago, Ill. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- New York Public Library, New York, N. Y. (Monograph Series, General Series, and Revolving Fund Series)
- New York State Library, Albany, New York (Monograph Series)
- New York University Library, University Heights, New York, N. Y. (Monograph Series)
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