

New Periodicals of 1952—Part II

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THE NUMBER of journals of interest and value which were launched in the year 1952 was an increase over that of recent years if one can judge by the receipts of the Library of Congress. And since many of these journals are published or sponsored by government agencies, societies, libraries and universities of long standing it would seem they should have a good chance of survival.

Literature

The new journals in the field of literature are of interesting variety. *The Blue Guitar*, *Four Winds* and *2 1/2* are "little magazines." The first, published in Los Angeles, has three editors and a college representative at a number of schools. The contents are arranged in three sections, "Intellectual directions" which consists of poems, "Explications" of one or more of the poems and "Prosodic Problems." "The belief that a wide exchange of creative talent can contribute to understanding between peoples, and between groups within peoples, and that our future, the world's future, is dependent upon the activity and encouragement of creative individuals," led to the starting of *Four Winds*. This little magazine is published in Gloucester, Massachusetts under the direction of a board of editors. In addition to the poetry and prose of new writers there are reproductions of drawings and paintings of new artists. *2 1/2*, a *Magazine of the Contemporary Arts* lists as contents of number one such art forms as a story, a poem, a portfolio, a documentary film, a play, and a madrigal. It is

published in New York. *Tyro*, a *Collection of Freshman Writings* is made up of themes written in the freshman English and composition courses at the University of Minnesota. Its aim is to serve as an incentive for the writing of good exposition as well as to provide a selection of student themes for classroom analysis. Two new poetry journals, *Poesía de América* from Mexico and *Poesía Española* from Madrid were launched in 1952. Both will provide opportunities for new poets to publish their works. Also from Madrid comes *Revista de Literatura* which will present the results of literary research as well as essays, poetry and drama. Any contribution of value by either a Spanish or foreign author will be considered for publication. In *The Colorado Quarterly* the University of Colorado will "publish what can be said in an interesting way about those matters which are the concern of a university—literature and the arts, public affairs, the sciences, and the professions—and which are of interest to the general rather than the specialized reader." Contributors will not be limited to University of Colorado faculty.

Bibliography

The Literature of Research published by the Harmon Institute in Hyattsville, Maryland contains book reviews and annotated lists of new publications which report the results of scientific research. The first issue, seven pages in length, included a "Selection of Russian Chemical Monographs," "Ultrasonics in Industry," which is a review of Bergmann's "Ultraschall," "News of the Publishers," brief announcements of new publications and other bibliographical information. *Politische Literatur, Berichte*

Über das Internationale Schrifttum zur Politik is a book reviewing journal published by the Institute of Political Science, Goethe University, Frankfurt.

Libraries

Library administration and techniques, resources and histories of libraries and histories of library associations are subjects treated in the new library journals examined. *Biblios*, *Osterreichische Zeitschrift für Buch- und Bibliothekswesen*, *Dokumentation und Bibliographie* is published in Vienna at the National Library by the Gesellschaft der Freunde der Osterreichischen Nationalbibliothek, the Vereinigung Osterreichischer Bibliothekare and the Osterreichische Gesellschaft für Dokumentation und Bibliographie. Brief articles concerning these societies and an article entitled "Die wissenschaftlichen Bibliotheken in Osterreich 1945-51" are among the contents of the first issue. The University of Illinois Library School is now publishing *Library Trends*. The first issue on "Current Trends in College and University Libraries" edited by R. B. Downs was reviewed in the January, 1953, issue of *C&RL*. Because *Libri*, *International Library Review* had been omitted unfortunately from earlier listings of new periodicals it was decided to include it here, although it has been published since 1950. It comes from Copenhagen and is edited by the librarian of the University of Denmark and the state librarian of Denmark. It is an international journal which is trying to link together the work of libraries in different countries and to help in promoting a spirit of mutual understanding. It will publish articles, reviews, notes and other communications in English, French or German. Included in the first issue were "Bibliophiles in Ancient Rome" by the director of the University of Uppsala Library, "Dawn of Library Consciousness" by Mr. Ranganathan and "Die

Deutsche bibliographische Situation der Gegenwart" by the librarian of the University of Tübingen. The *Philippine Library Journal* is a new journal for the librarians of the Philippines.

Education

Revista de Educación published by the Spanish Ministry of Education deals with the problems of education at home and abroad. The teaching of music, the study of Greek at the undergraduate level, curricula and schools in Portugal, Italy and France are subjects illustrative of the contents of number one. From Darmstadt comes *Praxis der Kinderpsychologie und Kinderpsychiatrie*, a journal which will report on the progress being made in clinics, schools and homes by specialists in child psychology and psychiatry.

History

Past & Present, a Journal of Scientific History is published in London under the supervision of an English editor and assistant editor and a group of advisers from Europe (including the U.S.S.R.) United States, China and other countries. This journal aims to bring to non-specialist readers knowledge of Indian, Chinese, Arab, African or Latin American history and to make available the work of historians writing in unfamiliar languages. *Tyler's Quarterly, a Journal of American History, Biography, and Genealogy* supersedes an earlier publication of similar title. The new journal will publish articles of historical interest, historical documents and book reviews.

Political Affairs

Two new journals from Italy are devoted principally to present day political and economic conditions in that country. *Italian Affairs* published by the Centro di Documentazione in Rome has as its object "to afford full information about Italy, her

structure, her problems and her life today." The first issue treats such subjects as the Trieste question, unemployment in Italy, agrarian reform and the southern Italy question. *Quaderni di Cultura e Storia Sociale* published in Leghorn also treats the southern Italy question as well as such subjects as politics and religion in France, and eighteenth century Tuscan society. Book reviews and brief notes from the press were also included. The *Yugoslav Review* published in New York by the Yugoslav Information Center will attempt to answer such questions as: What is going on in Yugoslavia? Is it really Socialist? Democratic? Can cooperation be built with other countries? The *Field Reporter* published by the United States Department of State supersedes the Department's *Record*. This journal is to provide the reader with information on our program of international cooperation in education, culture, science and technology. It consists of attractively presented reports prepared by field workers.

Economics

The Institute of Economic Affairs, New York University is publishing *Challenge Magazine* which will treat of the science of economics and economic processes in a non-technical, popular style. *Economic & Technical Monthly, Japan* is published in Tokyo by the Society for Economic Cooperation in Asia. From its contents foreign industrialists, technicians and scientists can get an idea of the economic and technical developments in Japan.

Statistics

Applied Statistics published in London is a journal of the Royal Statistical Society. The special feature of this journal is that while it will be concerned with theoretical statistics it will also try to meet the needs of workers in industry, commerce, science

and other branches, who must handle, understand and apply statistical methods. The first issue includes such articles as "Estimating the Social Class of Towns," "A Statistical Approach to the Specification of Plastics," and "The Accuracy of Systematic Sampling from Conveyor Belts."

Operations Research

The newly organized Operations Research Society of America is publishing a *Journal* for the advancement and diffusion of knowledge concerning operations research. Two articles are included in the first issue: "New Mathematical Methods in Operations Research" by B. O. Koopman, Columbia University and "Some New Statistical Techniques Applicable to Operations Research," by R. L. Ackoff, Case Institute of Technology.

Social Sciences

The *Commission on the Social Sciences* of the *Public Relations Society of America* will announce "Who is doing what in the social science research centers" in its *Report*. The first issue is a collection of brief reports on the activities of the social science research centers at Columbia, Harvard, Michigan, Minnesota and other universities. The *Journal of Human Relations* is concerned with solving our social problems through study and research. It is published by Central State College, Wilberforce, Ohio. Articles, abstracts, reviews and bibliographical notes are included.

Negroes

Current, News of the Negro World is being published in New York for the American Negro who is interested in reading about and understanding world events as they affect him. For example, the first issue which appeared before the political conventions of last summer, devotes considerable space to the stand on civil rights

of each of the presidential candidates. The racial turmoil in South Africa, Ralph Bunche, and education for Negroes are some of the other topics treated.

Nutrition

The Journal of Clinical Nutrition is a scholarly new publication whose contributions are based upon research done in clinics, hospitals and research centers at universities. Articles, abstracts from journals and book reviews make up number one. *La Gastronomie Neuvième Art* is a popular journal from Paris. In addition to articles on gastronomy and literature, and gastronomy and art there are illustrations, some in color, of table settings, reproductions of still life paintings, etc.

Nursing

Nursing Research sponsored by the Association of Collegiate Schools of Nursing was created to inform members of the nursing and allied professions of the results of scientific studies in nursing and to stimulate research in nursing. The principal article in the first issue "The Personal Adjustment of Chronically Ill Old People Under Home Care," is an abstract of the author's dissertation at the University of Chicago.

Botany

Materiae Vegetabiles organ of the International Commission for Plant Raw Materials is concerned with the cultivation, improvement, preparation and utilization of vegetable materials. Contributions are in English, French, German, Italian or Spanish and are accompanied by summaries and bibliographies.

Periodicals

The American Journal of Comparative Law. Legal Research Building, University of Michigan, Ann Arbor. v.1, no.1/2, Winter/Spring 1952. Quarterly. \$5.

Engineering

The American Institute of Electrical Engineers is issuing three new bimonthlies, *Applications and Industry, Communication and Electronics* and *Power Apparatus and Systems*. Articles are illustrated and accompanied by references and synopses and occasionally by discussions. Also in the field of electrical engineering is *Direct Current* published in London. Articles here are also illustrated and accompanied by bibliographies. *European Shipbuilding* is published in Oslo under the supervision of an International Editorial Committee. The committee will suggest topics for discussion which will advance the science and art of naval architecture. Articles are illustrated and accompanied by bibliographies.

Law

Another "forum in which academic scholarship and the practicing bar can provide mutual assistance in the examination of basic or current legal problems on a comparative basis" will be found in *The American Journal of Comparative Law* published by the University of Michigan. Articles, notes and comments, book reviews and book notes are included. The *University of Kansas Law Review* features articles by authorities, case notes and comments, selected decisions of Kansas District Courts, book reviews, etc.

Art

Seven Arts from San Francisco is interested in modern architecture for homes and public buildings, modern furniture, painting, ceramics and interior design.

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- Current.* Wyke Publications, Inc., 443 W. 50th St., New York 19. v.1, no.1, July 1952. Monthly. \$3.
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