

From the Editor

Themes. For 1957-1958 the themes of EDUCATIONAL LEADERSHIP are these:

OCTOBER: "Education for the Foreseeable Future"

NOVEMBER: "Curriculum Planning for the Surging College Enrollment"

DECEMBER: "Trends in Meeting Individual Differences"

JANUARY: "Evaluation of Teaching"

FEBRUARY: "Continuing Education for the Teaching Profession"

MARCH: "Staff Participation in Curriculum Development—A Searching Look"

APRIL: "Lay Participation in Curriculum Development Reexamined"

MAY: "Experiences in Cultural Integration."

New publications. In recent weeks ASCD has released these booklets:

Action Research: A Case Study by HILDA TABA and ELIZABETH NOEL

Selected Bibliography for Curriculum Workers (1957 Edition) edited by JULIA MASON HAVEN

Elementary School Science: Research, Theory and Practice by MAXINE DUNFEE and JULIAN GREENLEE.

Personnel. We welcome MARGARET GILL, who joined the ASCD headquarters staff in July as an associate secretary. Dr. Gill's assignment is to work with state and regional groups and with the ASCD national study conference. She comes to us from the faculty of Southern Methodist University, Dallas, Texas, where her major responsibility was in the area of secondary teacher training.

MRS. EVELYN FORD, who claims Newport, R. I., for her home town, will be Dr. Gill's assistant. We also welcome MRS. SUZANNE BUCKLER as advertising and

promotion manager of the journal. Sue is a former teacher of Spanish and English in the Brookville, Indiana, High School. She replaces MRS. GLENDA L. JONES, who left the staff in August when her husband was transferred to another city. VIRGINIA BERTHY joined the headquarters staff in August as ASCD's administrative assistant, replacing ORIN McCARLEY who has moved to Bowling Green, Ohio.

Vacation days. RODNEY TILLMAN and family managed a week's visit to Toronto, Canada, in August, following attendance at the New England ASCD workshop at the University of Maine at Orono.

Your editor, during the period June 7-July 9, vacationed on a trip through several countries of Western Europe: Ireland, Scotland, England, The Netherlands, West Germany, Switzerland and France. Especially memorable were the visits to Dublin, Glendalough, Princes Street in Edinburgh, London, the "Shakespeare country," the Rhine, the Black Forest, Lucerne, Interlaken, the Jungfrau, Geneva, Chamonix, and Paris.

In London I visited the offices of the New Education Fellowship, and talked with DR. P. VOLKOV, editor of *The New Era in Home and School*. In Geneva I visited the International Bureau of Education where many of the Association's publications, including the journal, are a part of a permanent exhibit for use by professional people in education. It was pleasant to meet in person Mlle. MARCELLE COLLET, librarian with the International Bureau.

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