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SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS

Academic Organization

MORSE, MARSTON

Biographical

✓ WEAVER, WARREN

ROCKEFELLER

Foundations

Correspondence between Morse and the Rockefeller Foundation (Warren Weaver) on the suggested request of the Institute on behalf of the International Congress of Mathematics through the Institute for \$7,500 for the Congress to be held in 1940. The Institute has pledged the amount of \$7,500, but Morse makes the point to Weaver that if the \$7,500 is paid for this purpose, stipends for foreign mathematicians will be cut by that much since the Institute hasn't got the funds. After that the Rockefeller Foundations grants \$7,500 on condition that the Institute give the Congress \$2,500 which is done.

D, Morse, Marston, 1933-1945

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ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION

Foundations

GENERAL (ZENTRALBLATT)

Publications

✓ WEAVER, WARREN

Biographical

VEBLER, O.

FLEXNER, A.

Letter from Weaver to Flexner, December 19, 1938, regarding above. Also correspondence relating to Courant and Heugebauer in file.

Letter of Dec. 19 filed in Chronological file under 1938, ~~IX/IX~~
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D. Warren/ Weaver

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Government Relations

MORSE, MARSTON

Biographical

~~WEAVER, WARREN~~

From Warren Weaver, Chief, Applied Mathematics Panel of the National Defense Research Committee of the Office of Scientific Research and Development, to Aydelotte, December 21, 1943.

An invitation to Morse to join the Applied Mathematics Panel of National Defense Research Committee.

Aydelotte to Weaver, December 22, 1943.

Aydelotte concedes Morse would be useful, but his own researches are developing in a very interesting way ; he is at the same time giving four days a week to the Ordnance Department. Aydelotte suggests he might cut down on his work for the Ordnance Department.

Aydelotte to Weaver, January 26, 1944.

A suggestion that one day a month devoted the Applied Mathematics

Panel might be satisfactory.

Apparently that was the arrangement finally effected, and ~~was~~ acknowledged by a letter from Weaver to Aydelotte February 5, 1944.

D File, Morse, Marston, 1933-1945

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MATHEMATICS (ALGEBRA)

Academic Activities

~~WEDDEBURN~~

Biographical

Veblen to Flexner.

Weddeburn and Dickson best algebraists in U. S. and then
Albert.

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1948

February - June

✓ WEDGWOOD, C. V.

Biographical

EARLE, E. M.

Correspondence regarding the appointment of Miss Wedgwood.

Filed in Chronological File under 1948, February - June.

Earle, I. A. S., 1947-8

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PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION

Academic Personnel

✓ WEDGWOOD, MISS VERONICA

Biographical

Five-year appointment for one term a year for Miss Wedgwood
at \$4,000 suggested and approved.

Faculty Minutes, 1/13/53 and 2/13/53

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TEACHING

Academic Procedures

NEUMAN

Biographical

RAFFLE, E. H.

~~WEDGWOOD, C. V.~~

Dinner table conversation with Sigmund Neuman,
February 8, 1956.

Filed in Vertical File under Neuman Interviews.

Dinner table conversation with Sigmund Neuman, 2/8/56

1956

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PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

LIBRARY

APPOINTMENTS

EARLE, E. M.

✓ WEDGWOOD

LOWE, E. A.

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Academic Personnel

Biographical

Interview with Julian Boyd, June 15, 1956.

Filed in Vertical File under Boyd Interviews.

Interview with Julian Boyd, 6/15/56

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

Anatomist

Born, Cleveland, Ohio, November 15, 1886

Son of Charles Henry and Mary Frances (Lewis) Weed

Degrees: A. B., Yale, 1908
A. M., 1909
M. D., Johns Hopkins, 1912

Honors: Sc.D., University of Rochester, 1929, University
of Pennsylvania, 1942, Washington University (St. Louis),
Lafayette College, 1944, University of Western Ontario,
1947
LL. D., Duke, 1938, Tufts College, 1943, Tulane University,
1944, Birmingham University, England, 1947.

Unmarried

Career: Fellow in charge of Laboratory of Surgical Research,
Harvard Medical School, 1912-13

Arthur Tracy Cabot fellow, Harvard Medical School,
1913-1914

Instructor, Associate and Associate Professor anatomy
Johns Hopkins University, 1914-19, professor, 1919-47
Dean medical faculty, 1923-29, director School of
Medicine, 1929-46.

Activities: Served as captain Medical Corps, U. S. Army,
August 1917-May, 1919

Was military director Army Neuro-Surgical Laboratory
at Johns Hopkins Medical School

Research associate Carnegie Institution of
Washington, 1922-35.

Trustee Institute for Advanced Study since 1930

Trustee Carnegie Institution of Washington since 1935

Member Medical Fellowship Board, National Research
Council, 1935-39

Chairman Division of Medical Sciences of above
1939-49

Successor fellow Yale Corporation Mem. Health and
Med. Com., Council of National Defense, 1940-41

Member and Vice-Chairman Committee on Medical Research,
Office of Scientific Research and Development, 1941-47
Chairman Medical and Health advisory committee American
Red Cross, 1943-44, Chairman advisory board for The
Health Services, 1945-47, Member board of honorary
consultants Army Medical Library since 1944
Member American Association Anatomists, A.A.A.S.,
American Physiological Society, American Philosophical
Society

Honors: Received Medal for Merit, 1946; Order British Empire

Home: 720 Centre Avenue, Reading, Pennsylvania

Who's Who in America, Volume 27, 1952-1953

BIRMINGHAM MEDICAL SCHOOL (ENGLAND)

Educational Institutions

WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

A tribute to Dr. Lewis Hill Weed.
Biographical file under Weed, Lewis H.

Filed in ~~Chronological~~

Fulton, Weed, Lewis H.

Dr. Lewis Hill Weed

He is the greatest living authority on the nature and functions of cerebro-spinal fluid. His searching and successful work in embryology has won him an almost equal title to fame. Breathes there a man, woman or child among us so brainless, so spineless, or so embryonic, as to decline to pay him due tribute? His pupils have gone forth to fill professorial chairs in many American universities; and his fame as a teacher has attracted many English anatomists and biologists to study in America under his guidance. His long spell of office as Dean of the Medical School of the Johns Hopkins University proved him to possess administrative qualities that made inevitable his appointment, in 1937, to the Chairmanship of the Division of Medical Sciences of the National Research Council of the United States.

On the outbreak of war his aid was promptly sought by the heads of the Naval and Military Services. Within a few months he had set up seven main committees and nearly forty sub-committees to consider the multiplicity of medical and surgical problems that arose in the unprecedented crisis of our civilisation. He found and backed the best men to serve on each committee, devised and directed the best systems of research, established and maintained the best relations with his professional and lay colleagues, and won complete confidence and eager co-operation from the heads of similar services in Great Britain, Canada, Australia and South Africa. Largely through his efforts the calamity of war has resulted in an enormous extension of the art and science of healing. We rejoice to hear that he has consented to prolong his beneficent labours into the more propitious era of precarious peace.

It is difficult to add lustre to such a reputation as that which he already enjoys. Yale is his wash-pot and over Harvard he hath cast his shoe. Between him and the Medical School of Birmingham strong bonds exist already; and this University is proud to be the first in Great Britain that calls him forward for enrolment in the highest rank of those whom she recognises as most worthy of honour.

There will be fireworks tonight in Dr. Weed's home town - for this is the fourth of July. He will not expect us to share in celebrating Independence Day. But as that day recurs he will, we hope, remember that once, when he was far from his own country, we did our best to make it a festal day for him.

BRONK, DETLEV

Biographical

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Weed described a speech by Bronk which Bronk read. He said that if he closed his eyes he thought it was Gabriel Heater speaking.

Fulton - Lewis Weed

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WEED, LEWIS H.	Biographical

Weed answers a letter of December 11 not in the file, apparently containing a number of questions as to the shape and nature of the Institute. His answers are as follows:

(1) I believe the Institute would do best to devote its efforts initially to some phase of the Humanities. History, the one subject to be undertaken immediately; History in the broadest possible interpretation as the story of mankind. We should be chosen competent to deal not only with political aspects, but also with social, linguistic, ethnological and many other viewpoints. "...philosophy, science, and other apparently distantly related subjects should be brought into a harmonious discipline. I should be particularly keen to see the History of Science developed from this standpoint of biological hypotheses and concepts; it is a great field relatively unexplored.

"I should support also any effort towards the development of any particular phase of the Humanities, omitting for the time being any emphasis on archaeology...I place emphasis on the initial efforts of the Institute towards the Humanities largely because I believe the natural sciences are being well supported in American institutions, both academic and commercial; the Humanities are not fostered to the same extent. On the basis of scholarship, also, I believe that American science ranks on a higher plane than do American studies in the Humanities. In the intellectual well-being of the world, the Humanities will ultimately play as important a role as does strict science.

"I should not place any weight at all on the factor of 'timeliness of study'; the Institute should be free from any bias leading towards popularization or response to immediate demands."

(2) He hesitates to recommend anyone to start with in the Humanities, but does think that George Sarton, Editor of Isis and Research Associate of the Carnegie Institution, was working at Harvard, needs looking into. He also should suggest consulting Gordon Laing, Arthur Lovejoy, and others.

(3) Admission of students should be liberal, ^{and} departmental only. Research Acceptability should be according to the head of the department.

(4) "The completion of a specific research problem rather than the completion of a thesis in the ordinary sense should determine conferring of doctors' degrees." Evidence of scholarship to be the important factor with liberal technical requirements for a degree.

(5) The Institute should not concern itself with the conduct of students or with the eagerness with which they study. No paternalistic attitude of any kind should be taken towards the student. The department head should be allowed to encourage or discourage the students enrolled in his own field.

(6) I do not believe that design of buildings, living conditions, or other physical arrangements will produce anything but an artificial facilitation of contacts between faculty and students. He suggests free and informal seminars and a central luncheon place to facilitate meeting of Faculty and students.

(7) Space will depend upon the branches of learning upon which the Institute embarks at its inception. Ultimately, a library will be required, but it should be developed through a system of departmental needs.

(8) He suggests that the things covered by the word Administration should be in the hands of a first-class Business Manager who shall serve as an assistant to the Treasurer and as a Bursar.

(9) No absolute figures for salaries should be set, as such will depend on the exact location of the new Institute and the social requirements of the environment. Professors should be paid salaries sufficient for comfortable living, with some possibility of tax saving, the range probably should be \$12,000 to \$18,000 a year; and no standard salary should be employed. Those in the lower grades should receive compensation in like manner according to the same principles, that is. No young assistant should be attracted to the field because of the financial return. "But after the assistant has proved his worth, he should be advanced in salary very rapidly."

(10) Tuition fees from \$250 to \$500. Arrangement for very extensive loan funds, administered on a most liberal basis. Remission of any fees or charging-off of loans should be possible on recommendation of the Director.

(11) Wee would establish a number of fellowships paying from \$2,500 to \$3,000 a year, to be given serious workers whom the departmental head may wish to retain. Such fellows belong to the instructional staff and without any definite teaching duties. They should never in any case be candidate for a degree.

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EINSTEIN, A.

Biographical

WEED, LEWIS H.

FLEXNER, A.

Weed to Flexner, September 27, 1932.

Miss Sabin "told me that you had confirmed the newspaper accounts of Einstein's appointment to the new Institute. I want you to know that I am thoroughly delighted as I think the appointment is a 'ten strike'. We could not have started out in any better way, both as a demonstration of the ideals of the new institute and as a matter of selection of proper personnel. Many, many congratulations to you on this very definite and outstanding first step. And Miss Sabin tells me that there are other steps of equal significance to come before the Board at the October meeting."

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1930-1940

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✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

FLEXNER, A.

EINSTEIN, A.

VEBLEN, O.

A letter of fulsome from Weed to Flexner, October 28, 1932.

"You have achieved a perfect balance between the outstanding world figure and the best of the American school; it is the most desirable combination that we could have for the inauguration of a great undertaking in Mathematics. Comment here in Baltimore is widespread, and universal approval and commendation are heard on every side. I am more proud than ever to be connected with the new Institute even in a thoroughly minor capacity. Again many congratulations."

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1930-1940

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POLICIES

Administration

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICS

Academic Personnel

WEED, LEWIS H.

Weed to Flexner.

Harlow Shapley's commencement address contains a stimulating and clear-cut exposition of our own educational tenets. "There is no doubt that intelligent men every where approve your plan for the Institute... it marks a stupendous educational advance.

"...Every step which you recommend adds another feature to the Institute's headpiece. I am most happy that we are starting out in the wide field of economics, and I believe that your choice of Mitrany is outstanding. Frankfurter's letter about him indicates that we have a man of unusual ability, training and originality. He should prove the proper leader in a wholly difficult and relatively unexplored field."

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1930-1940

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✓ WEED, LOUIS H.

Biographical

VEBLEN, OSWALD

FLEXNER, A.

Veblen (Fine Hall, Princeton) to Flexner (Princeton):

Flexner placed 5 people connected with IAS Math. group in positions where they could be useful. Veblen feels action justified--"Every one of us feels it to be a part of his problem to help these men and women to find jobs when they are ready for them."--has no influence on their scientific work, but Dr. Weed has misgivings.

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Academic Procedures

FRANKFURTER, F.

Biographical

WEED, LEWIS H.

FLEXNER, BEN

Frankfurter correspondence with Weed and Weed's with Flexner
regarding relations with secondary schools and mathematicians. Also with
Ben Flexner on ~~Abe's~~ ^{Abe's} intractable position.

See Vertical File, Frankfurter-3.

Vertical File, Frankfurter-3.

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SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS

Academic Organization

MEMBERS

Academic Personnel

WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

FLEXNER, A.

Flexner to Weed, January 17, 1935.

He compliments Weed on what he said at the meeting, and particularly on the comment regarding the grants-in-aid or stipends which the Institute is spending. This money should be preserved for men of such promise that they can hope to make research careers. But, says Flexner, not all men turn out as expected, and for those who do not qualify for higher research, they can be used adequately to bring up the level of college and secondary teaching.

D File, Lewis H. Weed, 1930-1940

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CARNEGIE INSTITUTE

TRUSTEES

✓ WEED
FLEXNER, A.

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Foundations

Corporation

Biographical

Weed to Flexner, December 14, 1935.

Weed informs Flexner he has been elected as a Trustee of the Carnegie Institution of Washington. "I am of course eager to accept but I do not care to do so unless I receive assurances that service on the Carnegie Board will not affect my relationship to the Institute for Advanced Study, in which I am fundamentally interested. I am therefore writing to ask if you, as Director, can give me this assurance."

Flexner to Weed, December 16, 1935.

"It was extremely courteous of you...I should like you to accept, not particularly on account of the Institute, because of course as a Trustee of the Carnegie Institution you will have to be absolutely impartial, but because you are one of the few scientists who are keen to develop humanistic studies and interests. I hope that our Institute and the Carnegie Institution will cooperate, but quite aside from that the

scientific interest in humanistic studies can exercise a most wholesome influence. In any event, there is no conflict between positions on the two Boards."

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1930-1940

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COMMITTEE

Corporation

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

BAILEY, ESTHERS.

Mrs. Bailey advises Weed on April 25, 1936, he is reappointed as Chairman of the Executive Cpmmittee, the same committee, except for the substitution of Edgar S. Bamberger for Aydelotte as full member.

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1930-1940

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STIPENDS

Academic Personnel

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MEMBERS

Academic Personnel

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

FLEXNER, A.

Flexner to Weed, October 15, 1936.

I was sorry not to be able to discuss with you after the meeting the question of stipends, to which I had given a lot of thought. I omitted to mention several considerations which I think are important:

(1) These stipends take the place of fellowships which are given by all American universities.

(2) Those who come on stipends realize the desirability of having appointed in their own departments in their own universities men who have had Princeton training. Veblen tells him that two of the younger men who have had stipends since our meeting have received calls to other universities.

(3) Stipends have worked in a way that no one anticipated. Not all the fields of mathematics have been covered in the Princeton group. Sometimes someone on a stipend who are able to give seminars and lectures on phases of the subject not represented by any one in either the University or the Institute faculty. Thus, for example, Dr. Kurt Gödel, distinguished authority in the field of symbolic logic, a new mathematical development, came on a stipend. This has resulted in transplanting symbolic logic from Europe to America, with the result that it is now proposed to begin in a modest way the publication of a small journal of symbolic logic. Furthermore, our concern is not simply to develop a great school of mathematics here, but in every way possible to assist in lifting the level of American mathematics.

Weed to Flexner, October 19, 1936.

Suggests the following points, largely administrative and fiscal:

(1) By voting at the fall meeting for the stipend obligations for the next fiscal year, we commit ourselves without having any estimate of income for that fiscal year prepared by the Treasurer. This action makes the appropriation the first charge against our funds nine months in the future.

(2) A lump-sum appropriation of \$30,000 should not, in my opinion, be made by the Trustees without information regarding detailed allocations. The Executive Committee of the Board should certainly pass upon the recommended allocations under this lump-sum appropriation, as is done by item throughout other parts of the annual budget.

(3) \$30,000 for stipends is out of scale for an annual budget of less than \$300,000.

So much for the fiscal considerations. Now as to the other considerations:

(1) No institution of high caliber needs to put itself in the position of paying students to come. The danger here is that we are on the descent to the class of theological seminaries.

(2) The granting of stipends to professors on leave of absence with half pay seems to me essentially unnecessary. Almost every institution of higher grade in this country will allow a professor leave of absence on full pay for periods of at least six months. With proper arrangements the six months can with vacation time run into nine or ten months. Such men should be able to work in Princeton under the salaries from their own institutions.

(3) Such people as these should not be classed among fellowship fellows receiving fellowship stipends.

(4) His experience in the medical group indicates that the very younger men with very little to live on can, if given leave of absence, make their way for six months with pay, even though their remuneration is very small.

(5) Weed does not consider the influence of the mathematics group in the Institute upon American mathematics will be diminished by the omission of stipend awards. Our contribution is sufficiently outstanding. Young mathematicians of promise will come to Princeton at any cost to themselves to be close to our staff.

He calls attention to the fact that he does not emphasize collection of tuition fees. He thinks that no tuition fees should be collected from any of the advanced workers. He believes that we should commit our funds to make permanent appointments in the fields of mathematics, or economics and politics, or the humanistic studies.

Flexner to Weed, October 23, 1936.

Appropo of the obligation in the future we obligate if we sh take out a lease or engage a professor. Why should be not obligate in advance grants, if grants are an essential part of our operation? As a matter of fact, we could perfectly well charge the \$30,000 to this

to this year's budget, and do so continuously hereafter, for the Treasurer's report shows that we are really way within our actual income.

(2) The Trustees and the Executive Committee are not qualified to pass on the allocation. We are none of us mathematicians, humanists, or economists.

(3) He thinks that the money so expended, that is by stipends, to brush up and re-stimulate a group of men occupying important posts ~~is~~ is one of the most important things we can do, and is more important than hiring two more professors.

As to the non-fiscal points ~~made~~ made in his letter of October 23:

(1) The men to whom we make grants are usually married men who are no longer in the ordinary student class. They have responsibilities. Is there any logical reason why we cannot do for American mathematicians the sort of function that with propriety can be done by the National Research Council? "The recent report of the University Grants Committee in England shows that 42 per cent of the total number of British university students are assisted by scholarships or grants of the same kind that we are making, and the Committee is asking Parliament for a larger sum to be devoted to the same purpose."

(2) It takes some time for the stipendiates "to forget themselves and adjust to the kind of work that is going on at Princeton." Then they go on under their own steam, and they refresh our faculty. "Yesterday Professor von Neumann...came over to tell me that a problem on which he had been working since 1929 had been solved, not by himself alone, however, but by means of suggestions which he derived from one of the men here on a stipend; and Dean Eisenhart spoke to me with glee on the same subject this morning. We get a good deal out of these men, even while they are getting a good deal out of us."

(3) Things come up which require quick action, for instance, Flexner learned long after the Board Meeting in April that Harvard was bringing over to its celebration three of the greatest mathematicians in Europe. Two of these three men would like to come to Princeton for several months. The third, Cartan, of Paris, also desired to come but was prevented by his engagements. We brought Levi-Civita, head of the great mathematical school at Rome, and Hardy, the most distinguished of English mathematicians. They have been here and have stimulated our group. He says that one meeting with Levi-Civita was prolonged two hours when Einstein and he got into an argument, and it was an argument which no one who witnessed it could forget.

Also, since the last meeting, Niels Bohr of Copenhagen is passing through America on his way to Japan and would like to come to Princeton for about a month. Eisenhart reached Flexner on this and offered to bear one-half the expense of bringing Bohr to Princeton if the Institute could bear the other half. Here is a chance to bring a

Nobel Prize winner in mathematical physics to the Institute. We should not lose such chances.

(4) The men who come here on stipends do not live any too easily, and notwithstanding the fact that we do for them what we can, their lives are Spartan. Princeton is an expensive place in which to live on any decent scale.

(5) I think our influence at the moment would be lessened if we omitted the stipends, but that does not mean that they need to go on in perpetuity. "We embarked on the policy at the moment when the Rockefeller Foundation cut down their grants to the National Research Council. I am hopeful that these grants will be restored, for I think the Rockefeller Foundation never made a better investment. Ninety per cent of the men who won grants from the National Research Council hold excellent places in academic faculties today. Great Britain has had an endowment, the proceeds of which have been used in this same way, ever since the Crystal Palace Exposition in 1851. The men who were enabled by grants from this fund to carry on their studies longer are now professors all over the world. Two of them hold full professorships in Princeton."

Flexner agrees that we should not spend so much on mathematics that we cripple the other schools, and also that the time may come when the amount we spend may be reduced; but in the depression years our School of Mathematics would have been a very different affair if the mathematicians had not had these stipends as a means of building up the mathematical group and making conditions of working here at Princeton known throughout the whole world.

Went to Flexner, November 12, 1936.

He reiterates his points that the permanent commitments, the appointments of professors on a long-tenure basis, are our first lien on our funds, and that under the stipend plan if the income of an institution falls off, the Institute can only reduce the salaries which has been done in American universities during the depression. He also reiterates his point that the Trustees or the Executive Committee should pass on detailed allocations. "It is not that the Trustees would ordinarily dispute any items if they had the desired confidence in the Executive; rather it is that every one having to do with expenditures of funds should feel that his is only the power of recommendation, not of action."

The expenditure of \$30,000 for the general improvement of American mathematics is a matter of opinion, and he is not competent to express it. But he thinks that perhaps if additional professors are not needed in mathematics, they are in our two other fields of activity, particularly of the humanities. He thinks it were better to discuss these things rather than to write about them.

Flexner to Weed, November 17, 1936.

He points out that whether you use the \$30,000 to appoint two professors in mathematics, or two professors in the humanities, you come to the same result if the income drops. You have to cut down, and, therefore, you reduce salaries. "The policy which we are pursuing has exactly the opposite effect. It increases what you aptly call the 'cushion' which we have hitherto maintained. We have fifteen persons to whom we have a long-term obligation, in addition to this a few secretaries. If any sort of financial crisis should occur, we could at once drop for as long a period as is necessary all the grants we make in all departments, amounting to something between \$30,000 and \$40,000 a year and thus double the 'cushion' so that from the standpoint of safe financing we are a good deal safer with the grants than we would be with professorships."

Weed to Flexner, November 21, 1936.

He is conscious of the futility of further discussion by letter, but he thinks that his suggestion of the employment of two full professors for \$30,000 is not his "weak point" as Flexner has said it is. He is still for expending the \$30,000 for outstanding men. But if there is likelihood that the income will drop, and that we haven't got the \$30,000, "I agree that the money should not go to any permanent appointments which are a first lien on our funds." But he still thinks that the Trustees should not appropriate such a fund for an ensuing year unless our total budgetary estimates are in hand.

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1936-1940

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WEED

Questioned advisability of faculty members on Board. See
Flexner to Aydelotte 1/27/38 on subject. Aydelotte's letter
to Flexner 1/23 and after 1/27 not there.

A I. A. S. (Home)

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POLICIES

Administration

PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION

Academic Personnel

AYDELOTTE, F.

Biographical

✓ WEED, LOUIS H.

FLEXNER, A.

See Vertical File Policies for Aydelotte-Flexner
correspondence on election of faculty trustees.

A, Confidential Files, 3/7/57

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POLICIES

Administration

AYDELOTTE, P.

Biographical

FLENNER, A.

✓ WEED

PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION

Academic Personnel

See handwritten copies of Fleener to Aydelotte and
Aydelotte to Fleener.

Filed under Policies in Vertical File. ("P")

PA Confidential Files, March 7, 1957

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STIPENDS

Academic Personnel

~~WEED~~

Biographical

Note that the Budget Committee meeting that day voted against the budget item of stipends for the year 1939-1940 during the preceding academic year. This apparently reflects Weed's controversy with Flexner over stipends, although it appears in the action of the Budget Committee to be a refusal to commit any funds for the forthcoming academic year.

Volume III, Minutes, Budget Committee, April 7, 1938

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GENERAL

Public Relations

/WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

Weed suggested annual publication of securities of
I. A. S. No action. (p. 14)

Trustees' Minutes, 10/10/38

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TRUSTEES (MINUTES)

Corporation

✓ WEED, LOUIS H.

Biographical

Weed to Bailey--approves minutes.

D, Weed

1938

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BUDGET

Finance

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICS

Academic Organization

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

Weed to Bailey, October 28, 1938.

Acknowledges receipt of letter of October 24,
enclosing the Minutes of the Regular Meeting of the Trustees
October 10, 1938. "I have read the minutes and find no
corrections or changes to suggest."

D File, WEED, Lewis H., 1930-1940

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NOMINATIONS (p. 7)

Academic Personnel

PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION (pp. 4-13)

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FLEXNER, A. (pp. 4-10)

Biographical

VEBIEN, O. (p. 10)

~~WEED~~ (p. 10, 11)

GARRELL (p. 11)

SABIN (p. 11)

RIEFLER, W. W. (p. 12)

Flexner on autonomous schools. Protests against idea
it is disorder. Comments on Faculty government.

Trustees' Minutes, 1/23/39

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GIFTS

Finance

✓ WEED

Biographical

PLEXNER, A.

Postscript Flexner to Weed.

He had another conversation since seeing Weed on Budget which makes him more certain than he has ever been that the Institute's income will be \$50,000 more next year than the income from endowment.

Weed's answer indicates opposition to the budget (5/16/39).

D, Weed

1939

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GEORGE ORIENTAL LIBRARY

Facilities

ROCKEFELLER

FOUNDATIONS

FLENNER, A.

Biographical

WEED, LEWIS H.

Fleener to Weed, May 13.

He submits the budget showing the East Oriental Library a separate item since it cannot be housed in Fuld Hall. "I should have said yesterday when the question of storing the East Library was raised that, if any such step were taken, the Institute would be compelled to return to the Rockefeller Foundation the sum of \$62,500.00, contributed by the Foundation to the Institute on condition that the Library should be open equally to the scholars of Princeton University and the Institute."

D File, Weed, Lewis H.

1939

August - October

FOUNDERS

Corporation

STEWART, WALTER W.

Biographical

FLEXNER, A.

AYDELOTTE, F.

BAMBERGER, E.

VEBLEN, O.

RIEFLER, W.

BOUGHTON

✓ WEED

ROCKEFELLER

Foundations

Handwritten notes in Stewart's file during period of August to
October, 1939, and concerning Flexner's retirement.

Filed in Chronological File under 1939, August ¹⁹⁻²⁵ ~~October~~.

S File, General, 1939-1942

1939

DIRECTOR
FLEXNER, A.
HOUGHTON, A.
STEWART W.
✓ WEED, L.
MOE, H. A.

Administration
Biographical

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9/11 (1936)
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10 9/17

Correspondence on the Stewart-Flexner side of
the retirement of Flexner and the succession of Aydelotte.

Filed in Vertical File under Director, D.

S File, IAS General, 1939-42

1939

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TRUSTEES

Corporation

MOE, HENRY ALLEN,

Biographical

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Weed to Stewart, October 5, 1939.

Advises against the filling of vacancies on the Board at this time, and in any event would not favor the nomination of Moe because he thinks there are other persons interested in the Institute whose value to the Board would be far in excess ~~of~~ of that of Mr. Moe. "I shall be glad to explain my reasons for opposition to Mr. Moe's nomination when I see you on Monday."

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1930-1940

1939

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ROCKEFELLER

Foundations

BUDGET

Finance

AYDELOTTE, P.

Biographical

WEED

Aydelotte to Weed, December 19, 1939.

Expresses desire to get to Baltimore to talk to him about the Institute to discuss the budget, etc.. "I am sure some economies are possible, indeed some are already going into effect, and I hope very much that we may get some help from the Rockefeller Foundation, and perhaps some money for books which are very much needed from another source."

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BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Corporation

WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

AYDELOTTE, F.

Weed to Aydelotte, May 7.

He has had a letter from Dr. Friedenwald enclosing a copy of Mr. Bamberger's reply to Friedenwald's inquiry regarding Percy Straus' resignation. Friedenwald suggests proceeding with John Fulton as the nominee of the Committee.

Aydelotte to Weed, May 9.

With acceptance of Straus' resignation cleared, there will be an additional vacancy to fill this year. "On the other hand, I have had a talk with Mr. Bamberger and find that he would be a little happier if we did not go forward too rapidly with making changes in the Board. In deference to Mr. Bamberger's wishes I have arranged with Stewart and Riefler to postpone their resignations until next year, leaving us only two vacancies to fill on Monday. I suppose the committee will feel that

we had better select Lessing Rosenwald and Lewis Douglas for those two places, but we can decide that at the meeting on Monday. We must certainly keep Moe and Fulton in mind, but I am very happy not to go too rapidly."

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1930-1940

1940

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TRUSTEES

Corporation

FOUNDERS

✓ WEED

Biographical

RIEFLER

STEWART

Aydelotte to Weed.

Bamberger has consented (to Friedenwald) to acceptance of Straus' resignation from Board. Aydelotte talked with Louis Bamberger and Bamberger would be a little happier if too rapid changes were not made in Board. Accordingly W. W. Stewart and Riefler are withholding resignations. Select L. Rosenwald and L. Douglas for present two vacancies; keep Roe and Fulton in mind for later? Aydelotte asks.

D. Weed, 1930-1940

1941

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TRUSTEES

Corporation

CARREL

Biographical

✓ WEED

AYDELOTTE

Weed to Aydelotte.

Approving Aydelotte's suggestion Carrel be not reappointed to Board. Weed tired of his intellectual superiority and of talk about Collège de France. Rockefeller Foundation didn't regret his retirement. Will probably bury himself with Vicky French; one State Department will be embarrassed. He was not re-elected.

D, Weed, Lewis

1941

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TRUSTEES

Corporation

WEED, LEWIS T.

CARREL, A.

Biographical

Weed to Aydelotte, May 9, 1941, in answer to a ~~request~~ request for Weed's confidential judgment as to whether he should be re-elected to the Board of Trustees (whether Carrel should be re-elected to the Board). "Of course we all like the man and enjoy his company. But as a trustee I have always considered him not too valuable: I have tired of his repeated references to the College de France and his all-too-general discussions of intellectual superiorities. As a medical man, Carrel has lost of his reputation and glamour; I am sure the Rockefeller Institute had no hesitations over his retirement.

"I doubt very much if Carrel will carry much ~~wisdom~~ weight from now on in this country. He will probably devote himself to futile movements to aid the French, much to the embarrassment of our State Department. He will be here in this country only to raise money and only if France is no longer possible as a place for him. I should not hesitate to fail to renominate him for a trustee's position--but perhaps I am prejudiced and another view should prevail."

D Weed, Lewis R., 1941-1945

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TRUSTEES

Corporation

WEED

Biographical

AYDELOTTE

Weed to Aydelotte responding to Aydelotte to Weed,
December 22 complaining of complexity of proposed set up and
suggesting withdrawal of his name as v. p.

Opposed to Faculty-Trustee members

Suggests Medical man for Trustee.

A, 10/18/56, Report, January 1942

1942

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TRUSTEES

Corporation

RIMPLER, W.

Biographical

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Weed to Aydelotte, acknowledging a memorandum of December 22, evidently outlining Bamberger's suggestions and requirements. That letter not in the file.

"It seems to me that the suggested plan of organization is about as complicated as it could be but if it satisfies Mr. Bamberger, Mr. Hardin and Mr. Maass, I shall have no objections. I feel however that with the projected set-up it is quite unnecessary to have a Vice-President of the Corporation and I would therefore suggest the withdrawal of my name.✓

"In thinking about the relationship of faculty members to the Board of Trustees, I can only re-affirm what I have said many times in the last two or three years: that is, I believe it is most unfortunate to have faculty members on the Board. I therefore would be thoroughly agreeable to have Mr. Riefler's resignation accepted, with prompt filling of the vacant place.

"In the list of Trustees it does seem to me important to add an outstanding medical man. Dr. Sabin and Dr. Garrell have both dropped out and Dr. Friedenwald has died." He offers to present names for consideration

D File, Weed, Lewis H. 1941-1945

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TRUSTEES

The Corporation

AYDELOTTE, F.

Biographical

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Aydelotte suggests to Weed some Trustee material. He agrees with Weed that the Vice-President is, in his judgment, no longer necessary, but Hardin says officially the Vice-President is necessary to act in place of the President if he is not there to sign official documents. He defends Riefler, saying Riefler has been ready to resign, but that the Board has not accepted his resignation. He suggests the following for the new Trustees: F. P. Keppel; Roland Morris, the president of the American Philosophical Society; Grenville Clark of the Harvard Corporation, New York lawyer; Henry Allen Moe of the Guggenheim Foundation, Leo Wolman of Columbia; Clarence Pickett of the American Friends Service Committee; Thomas W. Lamont, Marjorie Nicholson, a great university teacher of English; and Paul Kieffer, Rhodes scholar, New York lawyer, President of the Board of Franklin and Marshall, and a man with free time. He says Douglas wants Wolman.

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1941-1945

1942

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GENERAL

Publications

POLICIES

Administration

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

AYDELOTTE, F.

Weed asked if Institute subsidized American publications. Director: no, but we get others to subsidize. We contribute to the math journal. Aydelotte did not hold with subsidizing publication of our members. Weed agreed generally but said we may be forced into it in future.

D, Reports of the Director

1940

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CHINESE ORIENTAL LIBRARY

TRUSTEES

DIRECTOR

MAASS, HERBERT

WELL,

Facilities

Corporation

Administration

Biographical

"The point was made that if the Institute does not intend to establish a School of Oriental Studies it was unwise to continue the annual expenditure of approximately \$7,000 for the maintenance of the /East/ library, especially in view of the fact that the Institute has difficulty at the present moment in balancing its budget." Mr. Maass proposed that a committee of three be appointed to study the question. Committee to consist of Edgar Benninger, Chairman; Mr. Nee and Mr. Veblen.

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GEST ORIENTAL LIBRARY

Facilities

MAASS, HERBERT H.

Biographical

WEED,

AYDELOTTE, F.

Aydelotte to Flexner, October 20, 1942.

Maass and Weed are urging upon the Board that it dispose in some way of the Gest Oriental Library immediately.

D File, Flexner, Abraham

1944

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PUBLICATIONS (GENERAL)

Publications

GOLDMAN

Biographical

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Weed to Aydelotte, July 15, 1944. He approves Institute subsidizing the publication of Miss Goldman's monograph to the extent of \$3,000, if an additional amount can be secured outside.

D File, Weed, Lewis H., 1941-1945

1945

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TRUSTEES

Corporation

PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION

Academic Personnel

WASS, HERBERT H.

Biographical

WEED

AYDELOTTE

Hetty Goldman said attitude of Wass and Weed was very insulting toward Aydelotte (and faculty itself) at faculty meeting. She and other members became enraged at their rude and callous disregard of Aydelotte's sensibilities and their failure to observe "common courtesies."

Interview with Hetty Goldman, 7/12/57

1945

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PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION

Academic Personnel

POLICIES

Administration

TRUSTEES (BOARD)

Corporation

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICS

Academic Organization

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS

MAASS, HERBERT H.

BIOGRAPHICAL

VINER, J.

~~WEED~~

VEBIEN, O.

Meeting of the Faculty, the Director, and Professors Maass and Weed with the Board of Trustees in regard to new appointments.

Filed in Chronological File under 5/22/45

Minutes Faculty Meeting, May 22, 1945, File V-1

1945

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DIRECTOR

Administration

AYDELOTTE, F.

Biographical

HARDIN, JOHN R.

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

FULTON, JOHN F.

RUSSELL, JOHN
DOLLARD, CHARLES

Weed to Fulton, October 24, 1945.

Says the only members of the Committee on Selection of a Director who know what a Director should be are Fulton and Douglas. "I remember that I objected to Aydelotte being on the committee but your good friend, Mr. Hardin, insisted on his appointment."

Weed suggests as new Director John Russell and Charles Dollard, both products of Fred Keppel's tutelage. Russel with Keppel for 5 years when taken away to be special assistant to Conant. Dollard followed Russel in Carnegie and did an equally magnificent job.

Both in the Army during the war under General Frederick Osborn's
"Special Services." Neither an academician, both qualified in
academic administration.

John F. Fulton, Institute for Advanced Study, 1942-47

1946

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DIRECTOR

Administration

FULTON, JOHN

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

VEBLER, O.

BROOK

Fulton to Veblen, November 20, 1946, regarding his suggestions for the new Director.

Fulton to Veblen, December 3, 1946. with an additional suggestion.

Letters filed in Chronological file under 1946, 11/20.

John Fulton's Files, I. A. S., 1942-4

1946

12/11

STRAUSS, LEWIS H.

Biographical

FULTON, JOHN M.

WRUB / WEED, LEWIS H.

Fulton to Weed, December 11, 1946.

"Strauss has gotten around to calling a meeting of the Nominating Committee which will forgather immediately after the meeting of the Executive Committee next Tuesday. One of my reasons for writing him about Dunham was to remind him that he had not called a meeting in November as he had promised. I really think he ought to retire and let someone do it who could give the time to it."

John M. Fulton, Institute for Advanced Study, 1942-47

1947

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OFFICERS

Corporation

OFFICERS, P.

Biographical

FRANKFURTER, F.

HARRIS, H. S.

FULTON, J. S.

✓ WOOD, LEVIN S.

Fulton to Hanes, February 3, 1947.

He is writing on a delicate matter. He understands that Strauss has been approached about becoming Chairman of the Board if and when Hanes withdraws. This was before his appointment to the Atomic Energy Commission. He indicated that he would take over when Hanes withdraws. There is a fairly strong sentiment in the Board that so long as he is devoting himself to the Atomic Energy Commission, it would be unfair to him and the Institute if he took the responsibility of Chairman. The

next few years will be very critical for the Institute. We should have a Chairman who can be readily at hand and give the time and energy needed. "Until you took over, things were handled in a very automatic fashion. Now it has become possible to have discussion and we always feel free to turn to you when we have something on our mind. I would not have dared, for example, to write a letter of this sort to your predecessor."

Another reason why Strauss might defer the chairmanship is that he is a newcomer. Wood has been with the Board a long time, since its beginning. "He would make a forceful chairman who would have three years to go before his retirement at sixty-five." Probably everybody on the Board and Oppenheimer also, would appreciate Wood's chairmanship, everybody except Sydeotte.

"One thing we did not foresee is that Oppenheimer is a very close personal friend of Felix Frankfurter and as soon as Oppenheimer approached him, Frankfurter let down his hair and brought up all the tribulation which he came had with the Institute. He then went to Lewis, who unfortunately had not

yet been informed of the action of our committee, but reacted quickly, told Oppenheimer that the Frankfurter episode was a thing of the past, that the Institute Trustees were a forward-looking group, that they would work with him in the fullest cooperation, and that this would be true whoever was appointed as Chairman of the Board. I think there would be some doubt in Oppenheimer's mind as to whether Strauss would have the time to give to it, but I don't believe that he would feel concerned on any other ground. They evidently saw a good deal of one another's work during the war and there is a strong feeling of mutual admiration.

"Weed is unaware that I am raising the question of Strauss' chairmanship and I have discussed the matter with no one save Lewis, who told me several days ago about his conversation with Oppenheimer and about the Frankfurter episode."

John H. Fulton, I. A. S., 1942-47

1947

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OFFICERS

Corporation

FULTON, JOHN

Biographical

LEWIS, WILMARTH

STRAUSS

✓ WEED

Fulton to Lewis saying that he had asked Moses: "It would be unfair to the I. A. S. and to Strauss to become Chairman of the Board while the A. E. C. is at the height of its activity, and since young Lew Weed will have only four years more on the Board, why not let give him the honor?"

Fulton, Wilmarth Lewis

1947

2/15

OFFICERS

Corporation

OPPENHEIMER, R.

Biographical

FRANKFURTER, P.

HAAS, H. H.

FULTON, J. W.

✓ WOOD, LEWIS E.

Wood to Fulton February 15, 1947.

Acknowledges his letter of February 13, enclosing Haas' letter of February 9. He thinks it is wise to have the chairmanship and the presidency held by two different individuals. "The important thing is the Chairmanship of the Board, and I feel most strongly that under no circumstances should Adelaide be elected to this post. I thought that Strauss would be ideal for the job, living as he did in New York City. The comments made by Lefty Lewis and

Dean Johnson, regarding Strauss' ability, have shaken me and if perchance he is confirmed as a member of the Atomic Energy Commission I should feel that he was excluded from any office in the Institute.

"As I have told you several times, I have no desire to assume additional burdens. It would be most convenient if the active officer of the Board of Trustees lived in New York, where he would be available for visits to Princeton. This, of course, is not essential but desirable.

"As for Oppenheimer, I doubt very much if he will accept, and I hope that he does not delay his decision unduly. After all, he has had almost a month now and a forceful individual should be able to make up his mind in that time."

John M. Falton, I. A. S., 1942-47

1947

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DIRECTOR

Administration
Corporation

OPPENHEIMER, ROBERT

Biographical

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

FULTON, JOHN

The cancellation of the Trustees' meeting for Saturday, March 29, has made me wonder if Oppenheimer is going to take the job. The delay is probably connected with the delay in the Senate confirmation of the President's nominations for the A. E. C. The Board should act promptly. It is the end of March.

Fulton to Weed, March 27, 1947.

He conferred with Oppenheimer who wishes the Board would make up its mind. He will come to the Institute only if both the faculty and the Board want him, but Strauss has made it clear to him that Strauss' approach to Oppenheimer was unofficial.

Fulton - Lewis Weed

1948

3/18

GENERAL (FULL-TIME EMPLOYMENT)

Academic ^{Procedures} ~~Activities~~

FACULTY

Academic Personnel

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

Weed to Oppenheimer, March 18, 1948.

Weed comments on faculty answers to the suggested definition of full-time ~~employment~~ employment. Amazed at the general agreement as to its reasonableness. Each professor will have an individual problem--maybe a change of wording or another item of exception will resolve all questions.

"I am still firmly of the opinion that employment by the federal government as a consultant represents an unique type of individual responsibility. I should not be willing to extend this function of consultation to commercial enterprises as I feel that there would be no ~~an~~ line of demarcation between the acceptable and the nonacceptable."

Attached to Chronological copy of this memo are view of
D, Full-time Employment -- Faculty Full-time appointment.

1949

6/20

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

LEWIS, WILMARTH

FULTON, JOHN F.

OPPENHEIMER, ROBERT

Fulton to Oppenheimer, June 20, 1949.

You will be distressed to learn of Lew Weed's illness. He has not been himself for the last six months, lost his voice completely during May, had a physical check-up; it turns out he has an advanced case of laryngeal tuberculosis and some pulmonary involvement. He is resigning from everything.

D, Fulton, John F.

1951

5/21

COMMITTEES (ON NOMINATIONS)

Corporation

TRUSTEES

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Weed to the Committee on Nominations, May 21, 1951

Gives his suggestions for the members of the Board of Trustees.

Filed in Chronological File under 1951, 5/21.

D, Committee on Nominations

1952

FULTON, JOHN F.

Biographical

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Weed twits Fulton all the time as being primarily for Taft but also for Eisenhower. He thinks the rapprochement between the two will destroy Eisenhower. Not sure whether Fulton is a Republican or a Democrat. He certainly wrote a most tender and admiring obit to F. D. R. in his diary.

Fulton - Lewis Weed

1952

WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

Weed died December 21, 1952,

For the article in the American Philosophical Society yearbook and
the article in the Yale Journal of Biology and Medicine see Director's
file, Weed, Lewis H.

D File, Weed, Lewis H.

1952

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✓ WEED, LEWIS H.	Biographical
MAASS, HERBERT GENERAL	Facilities
FULTON	Biographical
ROSENWALD, LESSING	

Weed to Fulton.

Weed deplores Maass' excitement, and predicts he will have another arterial break. He wants Lessing Rosenwald for the new chairman.

He deplores the library at the I. A. S. and the lecture rooms. Says I. A. S. is growing, "too far away from Princeton." But Fulton reports Oppenheimer wants the new building, and considers it "fantastic that I. A. S. has no amphitheatre."

Fulton - Lewis Weed

1952

10/31

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Facilities

TRUSTEES

Corporation

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

Relations WOA

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

Biographical

FULTON, JOHN F.

MAASS, H. H.

Letter from Weed to Fulton, October 31, 1952.

Filed in Chronological file under 1952, 10/31.

Fulton, John F., Correspondence, Sterling School of Math

1952

11/3
11/8

GENERAL (AMPHITHEATRE)

Facilities

POLIGIES

Administration

STRAUSS, LEWIS

Biographical

FULTON, JOHN P.

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

ROSENWALD, JULIUS

Fulton to Weed, November 3, 1952, and Weed to
Fulton, November 8, 1952.

Letters are filed in the Chronological file under
1952, 11/3.

Fulton, John P., Correspondence, Sterling School of Math

1952

11/10

WEEKLY

✓ WEED, L.

Biographical

LEWIS, WILMARTH

FULTON, JOHN F.

Fulton to Weed, November 10, 1952.

Letter filed in Chronological file under 1952, 11/10.

Fulton, John F., Correspondence. Sterling School of Math

1957

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JOHNS HOPKINS UNIVERSITY (1)

Educational Institutions

ROCKEFELLER INSTITUTE FOR MEDICAL
RESEARCH (1, 2, 3, 4, 5)

Foundations

CORNER, GEORGE

Biographical

✓ WEID (1, 6)

FLEXNER, ABRAHAM (1, 4)

FLEXNER, SIMON (1, 4, 5)

BROOK (3, 5)

Interview with Dr. George Corner, April 15, 1957.

Filed in Vertical File under Corner interviews.

1955

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3:30 p. m.

POLICIES

Administration

SALARIES

Academic Personnel

FRANKFURTER, F.

Biographical

FLEXNER, A.

✓ WEED, L.

Interview with Mr. Justice Frankfurter, Washington, D. C.

Filed in Vertical File under Interviews.

Interview with Mr. Justice Frankfurter

1956

1/9

GUGGENHEIM

Foundations

AYDELOTTE, F.

Biographical

MOE, HENRY ALLEN

DOUGLAS

✓ WEED

Interview with Dr. Aydelotte, January 9, 1956.

Filed in Vertical file under Interviews.

Interview with Dr. Aydelotte, 1/9/56

1956

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PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

Relations WOA1

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS

Academic Organization

VEBLÉN, O.

Biographical

FRANKFURTER, P.

FLENNER, A.

FLENNER, SINGH

NEED

CARREL

Interview with Professor Veblen, February 26, 1956.

Filed in Vertical File under Veblen Interviews.

Interview with Veblen, 2/26/56

1956

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~~NNX~~ WEED, LOUIS

Biographical

FLEXNER, SIMON

VEBLEN, O.

PEARCE, LOUISE, DR.

Interview with^Dr. Louise Pearce, March 25, 1956.

Filed in Vertical File under Pearce Interviews.

Interview with Dr. Louise Pearce, March 25, 1956.

1956

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DIRECTOR

Administration

BOARD OF TRUSTERS

Corporation

FULTON, JOHN

Biographical

OPPENHEIMER, ROBERT

✓ WEED, LEWIS H.

VEEBLEN, O.

AYDELOTTE, F.

STRAUSS, LEWIS W.

VON NEUMANN, JOHN

KENNAN, GEORGE

EINSTEIN, ALBERT

Interview with Dr. John Fulton, May 7, 1956.

Filed in Vertical file under Fulton Interviews.

1956

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SALARIO (p. 2)

scientific personnel

PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION (p. 4-5)

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

relations with

TECHNOLOGY

corporation

RAVICH (p. 1)

Biographical

PIKNER, (p. 2)

VERMAN (p. 2, 4, 5)

BLAND (p. 2, 5)

ROBITT (p. 3)

ROSEY (p. 5)

STRELOTT (p. 5)

WEED

WEED (p. 5)

Dinner table conversation with Miss Goldson, 9/28/56
Filed in vertical file under Goldson interviews.

1957

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JOHNS HOPKINS

Educational Institutions

DIRECTOR

Administration

RIENCK

RICHTER, KURT

Biographical

✓ WEED, L. B.

FULTON, J.

JENKINS, AUGUSTA

MCALLISTER, BARRY

Interview with Kurt Richter and Mrs. Leslie Richter,
February 16, 1957.

Filed in Vertical File under Richter Interviews.

1957

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APPOINTMENTS

Academic Personnel

MEMBERS

STIPENDS

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS

Academic Organisation

SCHOOL OF HISTORICAL STUDIES

SCHOOL OF HUMANISTIC STUDIES

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICS

PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

Relations WCAI

VEBLER, O.

Biographical

✓ WEND

FLANNER

HARRIT

PANOFSEY

LEINSTEIN

VON NEUMANN

Interview with Professor Veblen, February 22, 1957.

Filed in Vertical File under Veblen Interviews.

1940-1944

SCHOOL OF ECONOMICS AND POLITICS

Academic Organization

DEWERTY, ETIENNE

Biographical

GOTTMAN, JEAN

HARTOUX, ETIENNE

WEILLER

WEILLER, JEAN HENRIER STEVAIS

GOT, FIDURE

List of French Members of Professor Barle's Seminar
at the Institute for Advanced Study, 1940-1944 with biographical
sketches of each man.

Filed in Chronological file under ~~1940-1944~~ 1940-1944.

Barle, I. A. S., 1947-8

1957

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CHICAGO UNIVERSITY

Educational Institutions

COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY

WISCONSIN UNIVERSITY

DE NEGRI, ENRICO

Biographical

✓ WEINBERG, BERNARD

ORSINI, G. N. G.

Notes of a luncheon conversation, January, 8, 1957, with
de Negri and Weinberg.

Filed in Vertical File under Weinberg Interviews.

1957

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POLICIES

Administration

SCHOOL OF MATHEMATICS

Academic Organization

SCHOOL OF HISTORICAL STUDIES

GENERAL

Academic Organization

✓ WEINBERG, BERNARD

Biographical

Interview with Bernard Weinberg, March 8, 1957.

Filed in Vertical File under Weinberg Interviews.

1934

6/28

SCHOOL OF HUMANISTIC STUDIES

Academic Organization

ARCHEOLOGY

Academic Activities

HISTORY OF ART

PRINCETON

Relations WOAX

MOREY, C. R.

Biographical

FLEXNER, A.

SCHLUNK

WEITZMANN

✓ PANOFSKY

Flexner to Morey from London, June 28, 1934, commenting on his inability to do anything for Schlunk and Weitzmann, but mentioning an interesting conversation with Panofsky. "It seems to me clear that we must be most punctilious in helping him to carry out his engagements with New York University both for his sake and because of ultimate possibilities therein which I can explain to you when I see you in the fall."

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SCHOOL OF HUMANISTIC STUDIES
SCHLUNK, HELMUT
WEITSMANN, KURT
✓ ARCHAEOLOGY (ANTIOCH)
PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

Academic Organization
Biographical

Academic Activities
Relations w.o.a.i.

Letter from C.R. Morey to Flascher:

"This letter is in pursuance of the conversation we had last Wednesday relative to the continuance of the grant made by the Institute for Advanced Study which so effectively promoted two projects of research in archaeology at Princeton during the year 1934-35, and enabled us to secure the services of Helmut Schlunk and his especial knowledge of Visigothic architecture in Spain, and of Kurt Weitzmann for the furtherance of the project of Professor Friend and the Index of Christian Art for the publication of the illustration of the Old Testament in Greek manuscripts.

"We are faced with a somewhat difficult situation, in 1935-36, relative to the working up of the final publication of the results of the Antioch dig, whose first concession term terminates Dec. 31, 1936. To do this properly we must provide the field workers an opportunity to do the research supplementary to their field-notes, and afford also the opportunity to Glenville Downey, at present librarian of the American School at Athens, to be relieved for a term from his duties and financed for the completion of his very fine work on the sources for the history and topography of Antioch, - a job he can't do very well in his

present location and position.

"As I said in our conversation, this could be done very well on a two-year continuation of the \$5000 annual grant made by the Institute in the case of Schlunk and Weitzmann.
...

"...

"I need not say how much this cooperation would be appreciated nor how grateful we are for helping us out with Schlunk and Weitzmann. If your "card can see its way to continuing the cooperation until the wind-up of this first campaign at Antioch, I feel sure that it will see in the result something that will justify the expenditure in the fullest degree."

1935

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PRINCETON UNIVERSITY
SCHOOL OF HUMANISTIC STUDIES
SCHLUNK, HELMUTH
WEITSMANN, KURT
ARCHAEOLOGY (ANTIOCH)

Relations W.O.A.I.
Academic Organization
Biographical

Academic Activities

News from C.R. Morry (Princ. Univ.) to Dr. Flemer concerning grant of \$6000 made by IAS to H. Schlunk and K. Weitzmann. Schlunk has accepted a post as Curator of Mediaeval Antiquities in the Deutsches Museum in Berlin and Morry is writing for Flemer's permission to divide his grant and give \$1300 to F. Robinson for work on the catalogue of the Museo Cristiano, and \$1700 to the committee on the excavation of Antioch for the expenses of the 1935 campaign.

Morry writes to Flemer on Aug. 2 thanking him for the help the IAS was able to give the Expedition at Antioch and for the grant to Robinson.

File III-34

1942-50

✓ WEITZMANN, KURT

Biographical

Appointed jointly by Princeton and I. A. S. as permanent--
Associate Professor (Research Associate) Princeton; Field Medievalist
by I. A. S.--\$5,000 p. a. 1945. 1946 raised by both to \$5,500.
In 1950 made full professor at \$7,000, and in 1952 at \$8,000
I. A. S. partnered. (Weitzmann offered professorship at
University of Vienna. See his letter January 23, 1950 to
Oppenheimer).

Material on this filed in Vertical File under "W" for
Weitzmann.

D, Weitzmann

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GENERAL

Publications

MOREY

Biographical

PANOFSKY

✓ WEITSMANN

AYDELOTTE

Panofsky asks Aydelotte for (2,850 half cost two Weitzmann works to be published by Princeton Press. Aydelotte refuses 10/21 not only because of lack of money, but because it has been principle of I. A. S. to pay men rather than subsidize publications.

D. Morey

1942

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PRINCETON UNIVERSITY

Relations with

MEMBERS

Publication

PANOFSKY, ERWIN

Biographical

MORSE, C. S.

WEITZMANN
WEITZMANN

Panofsky to Aydelotte--Morse wants to help publish a work of Weitzmann's if IAS will halve expense. Panofsky urges cooperation. An auspicious sign that Princeton is willing to help publish work of IAS members.

Aydelotte to Morse, October 21. Can't find the \$2000 necessary. Believe IAS money should go for men, not publications, but would appreciate a conference with Morse.

This occurred before Weitzmann was given a joint appointment by Princeton & IAS, 1945, as Research Associate at University with rank of Associate Professor. But he was a member of IAS at D. Morse's request and did not even appear at IAS.

1943

3/22

ROCKEFELLER

Foundations

BENEFITS

Academic Personnel

HERZFELD

Biographical

LOVE

STEWART

NITZANY

ALEXANDER

WARREN

PAROFKY

✓ WEITMANN, KURT

SWANZENSKI

See Chronological File, 1943, 3/22, for Minutes of
Executive Committee, March 22, 1943, in regard to the
above topics.

Executive Committee Minutes, March 22, 1943

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BENEFITS

Academic Personnel

SCHOOL OF HUMANISTIC STUDIES

Academic Organization

✓ WEITZMANN

Biographical

PANOFSKY

Aydelotte to Baldwin Smith, Princeton, regarding sharing equally ~~xxxxxxx~~ Weitzmann's salary of \$4500 to \$5000 with appropriate arrangements for different retiring age--65 & 68.

Aydelotte to Mattocks asking what benefit Weitzmann would rate at 68 on \$4,500 salary from Institute and Princeton.

Panofsky to Aydelotte on Weitzmann's status--Morey and Panofsky had been assured by Flexner Weitzmann's appointment was permanent. Weitzmann likewise sure. Urger Weitzmann's professional qualifications justify permanent appointment.

A, 10/18/56, File No. 57.

PARTICIPATION IN ADMINISTRATION

Academic Personnel

MEMBERS

WEITZMANN, KURT

Biographical

Permanent professorship at the University of Vienna had been offered Weitzmann. He now holds joint appointment with Princeton University and the Institute. Princeton is prepared to offer him a full professorship.

The School recommended that he remain as a permanent member under the present joint arrangement with the Institute. The Institute would contribute a minimum of \$1000 a year to Weitzmann's salary when Princeton completes its parallel arrangements. To be budgetted from the School's grants-in-aid.

Faculty Minutes, 2/13/50

1943

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SWARZENSKI, HANNS

Biographical

WEITZMANN, KURT

Appointment renewed for next academic year.

Trustees' Minutes, 4/20/43

1956

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BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS

Facilities

PIENNER, A.

Biographical

WELCH, ROY (MRS.)

AYDELOTTE, P.

PANOFSKY, ERWIN

Dinner table conversation with Mrs. Roy Welch, May 15, 1956.

Filed in Vertical File under Welch Interviews.

Dinner table conversation with Mrs. Welch, 5/15/56

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✓ EARLE, E. M.

Biographical

BARZUN, JACQUES (COL. U.)

CLOUGH, SHEPARD B. (COL. U.)

HAYES, CARLTON (COL. U.)

✓ WESTERMAN, WILLIAM L. (COL. U.)

Correspondence between Earle regarding a man for I. A. S.

Earle papers (Vertical)