NEWS AND NOTICES

Readers are invited to submit to the Secretary of the Institute news items of interest

Personal Items

Dr. Armen A. Alchian, who has been discharged from the Army with the rank of Captain, is now an Assistant Professor in the Economics Dept. at the University of California at Los Angeles.

Dr. Franz L. Alt is now Assistant Director of Research at the Econometric Institute.

Colonel Dinsmore Alter is on terminal leave after more than four years' service in the Transportation Corps of the Army, and has returned to his duties as Director of the Griffith Observatory in Los Angeles. During these years Colonel Alter traveled approximately 250,000 miles on the ocean as a Transport Commander, visiting each continent except the Antarctic.

Dr. Theodore W. Anderson, formerly with the Cowles Commission, is now an Instructor in the Dept. of Math. Statistics at Columbia University, and plans to be on a Guggenheim Fellowship beginning in June 1947.

Mr. Herbert Barkan has been appointed to an Instructorship in the Newark College of Engineering.

Mr. Robert E. Bechhofer, formerly a statistician with The Kellex Corporation, is a graduate student at Columbia University this year.

Mr. Stanley G. Behrends is now Cost Accountant with the California Wire Cloth Corporation, in Oakland.

Messrs. Carl A. Bennett, Jack I. Northam, and Max A. Woodbury have all returned from various types of war service to the University of Michigan as graduate students in statistics. Mr. Bennett was with the Manhattan Engineering District for over two years, first at the Metallurgical Lab., University of Chicago, and then at Oak Ridge, Tenn. Mr. Northam was recently discharged from the Army with the rank of Lieutenant, having served with the Signal Corps for four years in the Pacific area. Mr. Woodbury was discharged from the Army with the rank of Captain, having been in the Meteorology service for five years, most of which time was spent in the European theater.

Mr. Richard Berger has received his discharge from the Navy, and is employed as a Research Analyst with Dun and Bradstreet.

Dr. Archie Blake, formerly at Aberdeen Proving Ground, is now Senior Statistician in the Office of the Army Surgeon General.

Dr. Ernest E. Blanche, who had been teaching in one of the European Army University Centers, is now Principal Administrative Analyst in the Plans and Policy Office of the War Department General Staff, and is also Lecturer at American University.

Mr. Royal F. Bloom has resigned the position which he held for a short time with the Psychology Dept. of Iowa State College after his release from the