The New Periodicals launched in 1955 which have been examined for inclusion in the list which follows vary widely in subject and in country of origin. The most interesting and probably the most important are those which treat of the political and social developments abroad.

Political and Social Questions. The Asian Recorder from Delhi is a weekly digest of outstanding Asian events. Eastern Europe’s Monitor published in Munich claims it will “set out objectively the conditions that obtain behind the Iron Curtain” as well as “unmask the assertions of Communist-Bolshevist propaganda.” Indian Affairs Record will provide authoritative information on Indian affairs for the public and Indian leaders. The Indian Journal of Public Administration aims to promote the study of public administration in all its aspects and provide a forum for exchange of information and views. Monatsblätter für freie Wirtschaftspolitik treats of such matters as “Weniger Regieren,” “Altersvorsorge-individuell oder kollektiv?” and “Ist die Eisenbahn noch zu retten?” Mundo Social from Spain has as its aim the preservation of individual liberties and the improvement of the condition of the working class. The Next Step, Federation’s Future will deal with the problems of the federation of Rhodesia and Nyasaland. Quest from Bombay has the subtitle “a Bi-monthly of Arts and Ideas.” Its aim is the defense of intellectual freedom. The Weekly Observer published in Cairo aims to provide a link between Egyptian finance, industry, and trade and similar organizations abroad. Included will be market reports, statistics on imports and exports, notices of investment opportunities, etc. Concerned with one of America’s big problems is the NPPA Journal published by the National Probation and Parole Association to study the causes of, and evolve methods of eliminating, juvenile delinquency. Midstream will study and discuss the problems confronting the Jews in the world today. Such articles as “Toward Arab-Jewish Peace,” “The North African Drama,” “Dachau—1955,” along with book reviews, two short stories and a few poems make up the first issue.

Press. Gazette from Leiden as its subtitle states is an “International Journal of the Science of the Press.” It is to be the means of securing an international exchange of experiences and interpretations of the problems of the press. Such questions as how do people obtain information about the events of their times, how do they form an opinion about these events, and how and in what way is their opinion influenced are to be discussed. Press & Politics published in Washington is designed for use by teachers and students of political science and international relations in American colleges and universities. Each issue will include the full text of editorials or articles on current international problems translated from important newspapers and periodicals of the world along with editorials on domestic and foreign issues reprinted from a number of the outstanding newspapers in this country.

Public Relations. PR, the Review of Public Relations is published by the American Public Relations Association.

Biography. Ben F. Crowson has started the quarterly publication Military Leaders of Latin America. He calls attention to the fact that in the year 1955 over half of the Spanish-speaking nations of the world were ruled by army officers, some elected by democratic means and others supported by the armed forces. The first issue of the journal contains sketches of Batista, Perón, Trujillo, Eisenhower and others less well known.

Genealogy. The North Carolinian is a
quarterly journal of genealogy and history edited and published in Raleigh by W. P. Johnson and R. E. Bidlack. Its aim is to publish reliable genealogical source material on North Carolina.

LIBRARIES. The Asociacion Costarricense de Bibliotecarios launched a Boletin in June to publish news of the association, new developments in library techniques and book notes.

BIBLIOGRAPHY. The editors of the new English journal Books and Bookmen are going to sift and sort new books and authors and report upon them in order to guide readers in their selection. In the first issue J. B. Priestley writes about his own book "Journey Down a Rainbow" and David Millwood writes about Priestley as the "Magnificent Grumbler." Francis Brett Young is the subject of "Fashion Passed Him By." Foreign books are noted in the section "Books and Bookmen Abroad." Mirador published in Mexico hopes to "sift" and "sort" also, in order that foreign readers will have a guide in selecting Mexican books. An important feature of this journal is the section "Con la Tinta Fresca" where the selected new books are reviewed. As the title of the Caracas journal Viejo y Raro indicates, the principal articles in this journal describe old and uncommon books. A bibliography of Venezuelan bibliographies is running serially in the first few issues.

LITERATURE. The most descriptive article of Antilliaanse Cahiers is "Literatur in de Nederlandse Antillen" written by the journal's editor, Cola Debrot. Boston University Studies in English will contain critical and research studies on English and American literature. It will not be limited to the work of Boston University writers. The Central Asiatic Journal published at The Hague is an international periodical for the languages, literature, history and archaeology of Central Asia. The Ministry of Culture of El Salvador began the publication of Cultura to give impulse to Central American culture as well as to report on the work of the department. It is hoped there will be contributors from all the republics. Among the articles in the first number are those on Calderón, Pío Baroja, Unamuno and three modern Guatemalan poets. Mujer from Guatemala is probably improperly classed as literature although it does contain fiction and poetry. It is a woman's journal with fashion and society notes. Orient Review and Literary Digest is published in Calcutta but may be secured through a New Haven, Connecticut, agent. The editors claim it will be "a cultural, non-partisan journal," with emphasis on the literary function.

PHILOLOGY. Sprachforum is a scholarly quarterly published in Münster, Germany, which will treat of all phases of philology.

PSYCHIATRY. The International Journal of Social Psychiatry is concerned with the treatment of mental illness through social psychiatry and group therapy. Psychotherapy is the journal of the Robbins Institute of New York. It will report on psychiatric cases and treatment.

PARAPSYCHOLOGY. Parapsicologia from Rome includes articles, book reviews and notes.

ALCOHOLISM. International Journal on Alcohol and Alcoholism is the official organ of the International Institute for Research on Problems of Alcohol. Contents are in English, French, German, Italian and Spanish and deal with specific problems, achievements and statistics. Bibliographies are included.

SCIENCE. The papers in the first issue of Biologia published by the Biological Society of Pakistan are based on the result of research and study of the faculty of Pakistan universities and treat largely of local biological subjects. Folia Scientifica Africæ Centræ will present in French or Afrikaans reports followed by résumés in English of the research program of the Institut pour la recherche scientifique en Afrique Centrale. The field of Journal of Electronics is broadly described by its subtitle "Being Devoted to Electron Sciences." Articles are technical, are written by research workers in industry and universities and are accompanied by bibliographies.

ANTHROPOLOGY. Another international journal is Antiquity and Survival published at The Hague and available through
Stechert-Hafner in New York. Number two, the only issue available for examination, contains articles on the formation, development and human occupation of the Zuyder Zee Territory, the peoples of the Magellan Archipelagoes and Rumanian folk art. There are excellent illustrations.

ENGINEERING. The utilization, treatment and disposal of industrial wastes is the field of Industrial Wastes. "A Solution to the Cotton Sizing Wastes Problem," "Plating Waste Treatment and Chrome Recovery" and "Disposal of Organic Chemical Wastes to Underground Formations" are titles of representative articles of volume one, number one. RCA Engineer is to be written by and for the engineers of RCA. Technical, illustrated articles are based on the research and discoveries of engineers and scientists throughout the corporation.

HI-FI. Audiocraft is a new how-to-do-it magazine for home sound reproduction.

CIVIL DEFENSE. The Civil Defender is to assist persons with home defense responsibilities, political leaders who have the responsibility of national preparedness, and disaster control personnel. The contributors will be specialists. There will be summaries of directives and legislation and technical data on new products and equipment.

RESEARCH. Discovery will report to the laymen on all the various kinds of research conducted at the University of Melbourne. To inform Brazilians and others of what is being done in scientific research in Brazil the Instituto Brasileiro de Bibliografia e Documentação is publishing Boletim Informativo. The activities of the Instituto Nacional de Pesquisas da Amazônia and the Instituto de Matemática Pura e Aplicada are two features of the beginning number. Also from Brazil comes Econômica Brasileira with the aim of encouraging practical and theoretical economic research in Brazil. Reviews of Brazilian and foreign books are included. The editor and publisher of Research & Engineering state in a prospectus in the first number of their journal that "industrial research is now advancing at a rate which can only be described as explosive." Top management in industry now includes an executive group of technically trained men who are the managers of research, design and development. The new journal is intended to keep this group abreast of basic technological advances in all phases of industrial science.

MANAGEMENT. Supervisory Management published by the American Management Association aims to help foreman or supervisor in plant or office to do a better job. Volume one, number one, indicates a practical, helpful journal.

SALESMAINSHIP. The American Salesman will publish stories by good salesmen of their best methods.

LAW. The first issue of Osteuropa-Recht published in Stuttgart contains articles on Russian ideas on private and international law as applied in the satellite countries, the Constitution of the People's Republic of China, and the law dealing with personal property of Soviet citizens. The Student Lawyer Journal published by the American Student Lawyer Association hopes to introduce law students to the professional problems and responsibilities they will face upon admission to the bar. Included in the initial issue were such articles as "The Law as a Calling," "A Survey of European Law Study" and "Legal Aid and the Law Student."

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