After 1970, this Newsletter will appear only twice each year rather than four times. Four volumes will be completed at the end of 1970 and that seems a good time to move to a decelerated schedule. The need to economize led to a decision to omit longer items such as dissertation abstracts, articles, reprints, etc., except when one of these seems of extra special importance. Volumes starting in 1971 will have two numbers, issued in March and October.

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From Hawaii comes the good word that the long awaited translation of Dewey's lectures in China will be published in 1971 by the University of Hawaii Press. The book is to be *JOHN DEWEY: LECTURES IN CHINA, 1919-1920*, translated and edited by Robert W. Clopton, Emeritus Senior Professor of Education, University of Hawaii, and Tsuin-chen Ou, formerly Professor of Education, Peking National University, and President Emeritus, New Asia College, Hong Kong, with the assistance of Chung-Ming Lu.

The book will contain the series of lectures on "Social and Political Philosophy" and on "Philosophy of Education" delivered at Peking National University, along with an introduction, translators' preface, and four important appendices. One of these is Barry Keenan's excellent tabulation of the many places the lectures first were published.

The fourth appendix should be especially noted. It is an annotated table of contents for "John Dewey: Additional Lectures in China, 1919-1921," which is a typescript now belonging to the Thomas Hale Hamilton Library of Hawaii, from which Xerox or microfilm copies of any or all lectures may be ordered by anyone who wants to see them after reading the annotations. Running some 700 pages, this typescript includes translations of the remaining lectures not to be published in book form.

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Volume IV of *The Early Works of John Dewey, 1882-1898*, entitled *Early Essays and THE STUDY OF ETHICS: A SYLLABUS*, covering the years 1893 and 1894, is now in production and will appear in January 1971. Following the textual inspection by a representative of the Center for the Editions of American Authors, the Center's Executive Committee awarded the "Approved Text" Seal to the volume, making it the fourth outside the literary field to receive this approval. The remaining three are, of course, Volumes I, II, and III of *The Early Works*.

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Work is proceeding on Volume V of *The Early Works*, which will conclude the first series of Dewey's works. It is interesting to note that these exciting first four years of Dewey's tenure at the University of Chicago did not produce a book-length work. Thus, Volume V will be the only one in the first series consisting entirely of collected essays.

Not yet formally announced, but planned in detail—even to the contents of each volume—are the two remaining series which would complete publication of the collected works of John Dewey. They are (1) the second series, *The Middle Works of John Dewey, 1899-1924*, fifteen volumes, and (2) the third series, *The Later Works of John Dewey, 1925-1952*, twenty-five volumes. These two series would necessarily be followed by several volumes of miscellaneous material and the final index, a compilation of all the original indexes.

The *Guide* volume, first scheduled for July, 1970, will appear in November. The complexity of the bibliographical material made it necessary to spend extra time designing and arranging those sections. This work, which is complementary to the collected works and not integral to them (it is not a numbered volume in the series) has been designed to point up the relationship to the series and to indicate at the same time its character as an independent work. The dust-jacket, already published, accomplishes this purpose effectively.

An important collection of Dewey materials has been acquired by Southern Illinois University from Edwin H. Wilson, long-time Executive Director of the American Humanist Association. The collection consists largely of letters between Mr. Wilson and John Dewey, and includes manuscripts for Dewey's articles which appeared in the *Humanist* magazine, "The Penning-in of Natural Science" (1944); "The Revolt Against Science" (1945); and "Man and Mathematics" (1947).

We were also pleased to receive copies of eight letters which Dewey wrote to Mrs. Agnes Larsen of Imber, Oregon, between 1935 and 1939.

Mrs. Roberta Lowitz Grant Dewey, widow of John Dewey, died in Miami Beach 6 May 1970. Surviving are an adopted son, John Dewey, Jr., and an
adopted daughter, Adrienne. According to the report of the New York Times of 2 June 1970, the bulk of Mrs. Dewey's estate of between one and two million dollars was assigned by a handwritten will to the John Dewey Foundation.

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NOTES ABOUT Please do keep sending the Newsletter notices about any Dewey or Dewey-related publications that come to your attention. An item that seems familiar or well-known to you (your thesis or dissertation, perhaps) might be one that is unknown to us. Particularly is this true of studies that do not mention Dewey in the title. We are most grateful for the unflagging interest and help that comes from Dennis A. Rohatyn, who continues to dig up Dewey references. Bernard Allen of the University of West Virginia just completed a two-week stint of work here at the Dewey Center, and contributed a number of items that mention Dewey, the kind of references which turn up in connection with a doctoral study, but not in a bibliographical search.

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THESES AND Still more additions must be made to the lists of graduate studies concerned with Dewey and his thought—some old, some new. We will repeat here our offer to send a copy of either complete list (theses or dissertations) for $2.00. Please make your check to the Dewey Center.

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