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UNIVERSITY NEWSLETTER

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Series 1/11

COMING EVENTS :

- Thursday, 12 September, 8.00 p.m. Public Lecture - Mr Aldo van Eyck,  
University Hall. (for details see below.)
- Sunday, 29 September, 2.30 p.m. Third Term University Church  
Christ's College Chapel Service.

BUSINESS FROM COUNCIL :

Professor H. E. Field was appointed a representative of Council on the Board of Governors of Darfield High School for the period 1 February 1964 to 31 May, 1967.

Acceptances. Offers of appointment since last Council meeting have been accepted as under :

Temporary Assistant Lecturer in Chemistry	Mr W. T. Robinson
Assistant Lecturer - Zoology	Mr I. Mannering
Lecturer in Economics	Mr P. Hampton
Lecturer in Economics	Mr J. W. B. Guise
Lecturer in Sociology	Miss C. Vellekoop

Chemistry & Physics block at Ilam. The Acting Vice-Chancellor reported that the slow rate of progress being made by the Contractors, the W. Williamson Construction Company Ltd., on the large Chemistry and Physics Block at Ilam was causing the University concern, especially as the Contractors had now undertaken a big building project at Lake Manapouri. A letter had been received from the Commissioner of Works enclosing a copy of a letter which he had sent to the Williamson Construction Company expressing disapproval, and warning them of the consequences of not completing the contract on time.

Mobil Computer. The report of the Mobil Computer Laboratory for the month of July showed that the total productive hours had again risen to a record of 555.35, or an average daily rate, calculated on a 7-day week, of 17 hours 55 minutes.

Professor J. G. A. Pocock has been invited to deliver two courses of lectures during the 1964 Summer Session at Columbia University, New York.

Visit of Dr E. C. Large. It is hoped that Dr E. C. Large of the Plant Pathology Laboratory of the Ministry of Agriculture, Harpenden, Herts., will be visiting the University in March, 1964. Dr R. E. F. Matthews is now unable to come. Dr Large is a well-known mycologist, author of "The Advance of the Fungi" and is currently working on plant disease measurement, surveying and forecasting.

VAN EYCK PUBLIC LECTURE :

Mr Aldo van Eyck, a distinguished overseas architect, has been invited by the University of Auckland to give lectures at a Congress being organised by the Architectural Students' Society of the University of Auckland. He will be visiting the University of Canterbury and it is expected that he will be delivering a public lecture in the University Hall on the evening of Thursday, 12 September. The topic is not yet confirmed, but it is likely that it will be on "Multiple Housing". Further details will be supplied by circular.