LAST WORDS

A dream that only a short while ago seemed destined to remain a hopeful vision for many years has at last become a tangible reality. Rutgers is to have a library building worthy of its increasingly important role as the State University of New Jersey. The 1952 session of the State Legislature passed and the Governor signed on April 18th an appropriation bill making available \$2,000,000 for the construction of the first unit of a modern library building, which when completed will have ample facilities for undergraduate study and graduate research, both of which have been greatly hampered by the cramped quarters of the present library.

At this writing, details of the construction, including the choice of a site most convenient for students and faculty of the men's colleges, are being discussed by a sub-committee of the Trustees' Committee on Buildings and Grounds. Although architects have not yet been employed to draw up the plans, it is expected that many features already tentatively planned will be embodied in the new structure. Some idea of its spaciousness may be gained from these tentative plans which call for (in the completed structure) seats for 1,000 readers in contrast to the 215 seats in the present library, and for shelf space for 1,500,000 volumes. The Library now has approximately 400,000 volumes, many of which of necessity have been removed from the bulging stack shelves and stored in temporary quarters across the river.

It is expected that the new building when completed will have separate rooms for special functions now crowded together. Specifically there will be a microfilm reading room, a special newspaper reading room, a periodical reading room, a room for government documents, and one for manuscripts and special collections, a map room, and seminar rooms. It is also hoped that a special reading room can be set aside for current acquisitions.

It is probable that plans will be completed and that ground for the mammoth structure will be broken in the autumn. This nucleus of the true university may well mark the beginning of a new era in the history of the institution. Nothing was more badly needed and nothing can contribute more to the strengthening of the intellectual prestige of Rutgers than the building of a first rate library which is now the promise of the near future.

INDEX TO VOLUMES XI-XV

In the following index the roman numerals indicate the volume and the arabic numerals the page.

I. AUTHORS, ARTICLES, NOTES, ETC.

Adams, Robert Martin, XI, 16 Addresses to American Scholars, XV, 22 Amacher, Richard E., XI, 32; XII, 31; XIII, 28; XIV, 31 Annis 1651 & 1652, XIV, 53 Aubin, Robert A., XIII, 14 Baring, Maurice, XII, 13 Baseball Novel, A, XIV, 60 Bennett, Raymond M., XI, 1; XII, 38 Bezanson, Walter E., XII, 33; XIV, 9 Blauvelt, Abraham, XIII, 54 Borrow, George, XII, 3 Bowles, William L., XIV, 33 Brodhead Diaries, 1846-1849, The, XI, Brontë, Charlotte, XII, 11 Brontës, The, XII, 2 Burks, Ardath W., XV, 33 Burnett, Virginia S., XI, 32 Caine, Hall, XII, 14 California, From Tennessee to, XI, 33 Cameron, Donald F., XV, 19 Chance, Frank L., XIV, 60 Chandler, Thomas Bradbury, XII, 19 Charanis, Madeleine, XI, 92 Clark, Abraham, XIII, 44 Clodd, Edward, XIII, 2 Cluseret, Gustave Paul, XII, 38 Coad, Oral S., XI, 30 Cobbett, William, XV, 1 Cowen, David L., XV, 62, 63 Cumberland, Charles C., XIII, 7 Davidson, Margaret Miller, XIII, 19 Davis, C. Rexford, XV, 1 Drinkwater, John, XII, 14 Earthquake, Sin, and John Shower, XIII, Edinburgh Dispensatories, XV, 62 Exhibitions, XIII, 58; XIV, 27, 58; XV, Falk, R. P., XI, 32 Farber, Jules B., XIV, 29

Fiordalisi, Vincent E., XV, 13 First Steam Engine in America, The, XI, 16 Five Letters of Henry James, XII, 54 French, J. Milton, XI, 94 Freneau, Philip, XI, 94; XIII, 61; XIV, Froude, James Anthony, XI, 1; XII, 38 Gaskell, Elizabeth, XII, 11 Gide, André, XII, 14; XIII, 33 Gifts and Acquisitions, XII, 26, 59; XIII, 25, 55; XIV, 24, 56; XV, 28, Go Ahead, Davy Crockett!, XII, 33 Gosse, Edmund, XII, 8, 14; XIII, 33 Griffis, William Elliot, XV, 33 Harding, Walter, XIII, 19; XIV, 31 Hardy, Thomas, XII, 12; XIII, 1 Helderberg Advocate, The, XV, 19 Hinton, Richard J., XIV, 14 Hornblower, Josiah, XI, 16 Howells, William Dean, XIV, 14, 29 Howells Family, The, XIV, 14 Iron Curtain Press, XV, 53 Ishill, Joseph, XIII, 58 Jacobsen, Rutger, XI, 85 James, Henry, XII, 14, 54 Japan, XV, 33 Jennings, Kenneth Q., XIII, 31 Jersey Gazette, The, XIII, 31 Jones, Henry Arthur, XII, 14 Kellogg, Alfred L., XIV, 33 Kipling, Rudyard, XII, 13 Kirk, Clara M., XIV, 14 Kirk, Rudolf, XII, 54; XIV, 14 Kriendler, I. Robert, XII, 16 Lamb, Charles, XI, 92 Landor, W. S., XII, 11 Lang, Cecil, XIV, 1 Last Words, XII, 32, 64; XIII, 32, 64; XIV, 32, 64; XV, 32, 64 Leary, Lewis, XI, 96

Lincoln, Abraham, XIII, 51; XIV, 9 Longfellow, H. W., XI, 30 Lovelace, Francis, XI, 87 McCormick, Richard P., XI, 16; XII, 62; XIII, 31, 44, 61 McCulloch, Samuel Clyde, XII, 19 Malt, Milton, and MSS, XII, 16 Manhattan Land Papers, XI, 85 Marchand, Leslie A., XII, 1, 32, 64; XIII, 32, 64; XIV, 32, 64; XV, 32, 64 Mark Twain, XI, 30 Marsh, Philip, XIII, 63; XIV, 63 Massing, Paul W., XV, 53 Meredith, George, XII, 14 Milledoler, Philip, XII, 62 Milnes, Richard M., XII, 13 New American Magazine, The, XIII, 29 New Jersey Defies the Confederation, XIII, 44 N.J. Pharmaceutical Association Proceedings, XV, 63 New Jersey's First Magazine, XII, 28; XIII, 28 "On the Banks"—1873, XI, 28 Paltsits, Victor Hugo, XI, 85, 89 Pensacola in 1770, XIII, 7 Phi Beta Kappa, XV, 22 Potter, David, XI, 21

Reeve Family, XI, 33 Reilly, George L. A., XIII, 51 "Request Denied," XII, 31 Richards, Marguerite L., XIII, 33 Rossetti, D. G., XII, 9 Rossetti, W. M., XII, 4, 9; XIV, 1 Ruskin, John, XII, 8 Rutgers Football Song, XII, 62 Rutgers Law Library, The, XV, 13 Schlatter, Richard, IV, 53 Sewall, Samuel, XIV, 31 Sinclair, Donald A., XI, 90; XII, 27, 31, 61; XIV, 24, 27, 59; XV, 31, 58 Slater, Joseph, XV, 22 Southey, Robert, XII, 9 Swedish Contribution to New Jersey Historiography, A, XIII, 60 Swinburne, A. C., XII, 4; XIV, 1 Symington, J. Alex., XII, 1 Symington Collection, The, XII, I Tennyson, Alfred, XII, 5 Turner, Clarence E., XIV, 61 Washington, George, XIV, 28 Watts-Dunton, Theodore, XII, 4 Weber, Carl J., XIII, 1 Westling, Oliver Kip, XI, 28; XII, 63 William the Silent (letter), XI, 90 Winther, Oscar Osborn, XI, 33 Wise, T. J., XII, 6

II. ILLUSTRATIONS

James Anthony Froude, XI, 1 General Gustave Cluseret, XI, 12 Letter of Rebecca Reeve, XI, 33 Route Followed by the Reeves, 1849, XI, 64-65 Francis Lovelace (document), XI, 88 Symington Collection, The, XII, 1 Branwell Brontë's Manuscript History of Angria, XII, 2 Manuscript of Borrow's Bible in Spain, Swinburne Letter, XII, 4 Swinburne's The Halt before Rome, XII, Manuscript Poem of Robert Southey, XII, 10 Ludwig Bemelmans, XII, 18 Crockett's Almanac, XII, 33 Crockett, the Pet Bear, and Alligator, Dancing the Polka, XII, 36

Crockett Snowballing the Mexican Soldiers, XII, 37 Froude in America, XII, 45 Nast, Thomas (Cartoon by), XII, 45 Hardy Letter, XIII, 1 The New American Magazine, XIII, 29 Letter of Andre Gide, XIII, 33 Two Oriole Press Books, XIII, 58 Algernon Charles Swinburne, XIV, 1 The Little Giant, XIV, 10 W. C. Howells, XIV, 17 Mrs. W. C. Howells, XIV, 17 W. D. Howells, XIV, 21 The Howells "Home House," XIV, 23 William L. Bowles, XIV, 33 William Cobbett, XV, 1 Wm. Elliot Griffis, '69, XV, 33 Count Inouye Kaoru, XV, 35 Cartoon in Ogonyok, XV, 57