

mittee under the title "An Outline of Dante Study," which gives in small compass the essential facts with regard to Dante's life and works and his place in literature.

Stereopticon slides may be secured from the McAllister-Keller Co., Inc., of 176 Fulton Street, New York City, or from the National Dante Committee.

### Pageants

Dante's works, with their wealth of colorful dramatic material, offer extraordinary possibilities for presentation in pageant form.

The text of a pageant suitable for production in schools and colleges is now being prepared by Professor Jack Randall Crawford of Yale University for the National Dante Committee. It contemplates production on a large scale, but is accompanied by notes which indicate how it may be modified to permit small-scale production.

The pageant text may be obtained from the National Dante Committee, as soon as it is in print, upon payment of a small fee.

### Libraries

College and public libraries may recognize the Dante centenary by arranging exhibits of Dante material. If the library's collection is a large one, it may be possible to arrange an exhibit which includes early editions, manuscripts, American contributions to Dante study, etc. In any case, it would be well to feature Dante books on a special table throughout the year.

If the library is not already supplied with Dante's works in the original and in standard translations and with the most important critical works, it would be well to urge that they be donated or purchased. A bibliography of selected works, prepared by Professor Ernest H. Wilkins of the University of Chicago, will be supplied by the National Dante Committee upon request.

### Essay Contest

Dante may be made the subject of an essay contest for undergraduates. It is desirable, if possible, to assign it as the subject of a regular collegiate contest; if that is impossible, a special contest may be announced, with a prize offered by some interested organization or individual.

The National Dante Committee will entertain requests that the official Dante Medal be awarded, in combination with some other prize, to the winner of a collegiate essay contest, provided that the conditions of the contest, its auspices, etc., are approved.