and of certain of the leading thinkers of Europe. His investigations are bringing Mr. Fisher into an official relationship with various governments, in the attempt to solve a most practical problem.

When President Taft in 1909, sought an appointee for the chair-manship of the then newly created Tariff Board he chose Professor H. C. Emery, a brilliant young member of the Yale economics faculty. Prior to his elevation to the presidency of Yale, Dr. A. T. Hadley had served as Commissioner of Labor Statistics for the State of Connecticut for several years. In 1911, upon appointment by President Taft, Dr. Hadley became Chairman of the Securities Commission. In 1913, Dr. Hadley was elected to a seat in the Directorate of the New York, New Haven, and Hartford Railway System.

Professor H. W. Farnam, also of Yale, has served as Chairman of the New Haven Civil Service Board and more recently as President of the Connecticut Civil Reform Association. Another member of the Yale economics faculty who has held public office is Professor W. B. Bailey. He was State Director of the Census in Connecticut in 1910 and he has acted as an expert agent in the Division of Population in the Census Bureau.

Professor J. H. Hollander of Johns Hopkins University served as secretary of the Bimetallic Commission in 1897. In 1900 he was Chairman of the Municipal Lighting Commission of Baltimore. Mr. Hollander successively has acted as Treasurer of Porto Rico, under appointment of President McKinley, as Special Commissioner to San Domingo to investigate the public debt, as the representative of President Roosevelt, and in 1908 he became Financial Adviser, of the Dominican Republic.

The struggling young republic of China, in her present endeavors to equip herself with a modern 20th century form of government, has called on Professor Goodnow of Columbia University for aid. Mr. Goodnow has been summoned by China to serve as expert adviser in the work of constitutional reconstruction. Professor John B. Moore, also of Columbia has been installed at Washington, as the special counsellor of the State Department. In this capacity, ranking in the Department second to Secretary of State W, J. Bryan, Mr. Moore has supplied a much needed sanity and balance in the activities and policies of that most important branch of the government. Mr. Moore had earlier served as Assistant Secretary of State, in 1898, and as Agent of the United States, in 1904, before the United States-Dominican Arbitration Tribunal. The University of Michigan has