

\$17,000 to Aid UC Women Graduates

An annual award of \$500 for women graduates of the University of California Berkeley campus will be possible as a result of action taken by the UC regents yesterday. It is for outstanding achievement in public service.

Meeting in Berkeley, the regents accepted an endowment fund in honor of Mrs. Rosalie M. Stern, San Francisco civic leader. The \$17,000 gift was given by her brother, Eugene Meyer, chairman of the board of the Washington Post and Times Herald.

Mrs. Stern, an honorary member of Prytanean, UC women's honor society, has given the university Stern Hall, women's residence hall at Berkeley.

The Stern endowment was among gifts and pledges totaling \$1,779,078 accepted by the regents. They also accepted a gift of 800 books from the estate of Mrs. Duncan McDuffie, widow of the Berkeley realtor and planner of California's State park system.

The regents also approved many changes in status and leaves of absence.

Changes in status:

Berkeley—Charles Aikin, professor of political science, from assistant to associate dean of the college of letters and science; Eric C. Belquist, professor of political science, additional appointment as assistant dean of students; Warren Ramsey, associate professor of French and comparative literature, additional appointment as assistant dean of the college of letters and science; Morris A. Stewart, professor of entomology and parasitology, from associate to acting dean of the graduate division.

Davis—James L. Myler, agronomy specialist, from associate di-

rector to director of field stations.

San Francisco—Jerome C. Strain, from assistant to associate clinical professor of denture prosthesis.

Berkeley—James S. Ackerman, assistant professor of architecture and art; Daniel L. Arnon, professor of plant physiology; Isaac Barshad, lecturer in soils; Norman W. Frazier, lecturer in entomology and parasitology; Joseph G. Hamilton, professor of medical physics; George L. Mehren, professor of agricultural economics; Anthony P. Morse, professor of mathematics; Arthur M. Ross, professor of business administration; George P. Simonds, associate professor of architecture; Gordon L. Smith, associate entomologist; Gleb Struve, professor of Slavic languages and literatures; Alfred Tarski and Frantisek Wolf, professors of mathematics; Edward W. Gifford, professor of anthropology, emeritus, to conduct archaeological work on the island of Yap; Davis McEntire, professor of social welfare, to conduct a national study for the Fund for the Republic, and Oliver P. Pearson, associate professor of zoology, to undertake field research in Peru.

Davis—Robert B. Deering, assistant professor of landscape management; Dewey J. Raski, lecturer in nematology; Robert J. Weaver, lecturer in viticulture, and Herbert A. Young, professor of chemistry.

San Francisco—Horace J. McCorkle, professor of surgery, was granted leave to present a paper at a surgery meeting in Copenhagen, and E. Leon Way, associate professor of pharmacy, was granted sabbatical leave.