The President today announced his intention to nominate four persons to be members of the United States Advisory Commission on International Educational and Cultural Affairs. They are:

For a term expiring May 11, 1977.

Eva T.H. Brann, of Annapolis, Maryland, member of the Faculty of St. John's College. She succeeds Thomas B. Curtis whose term has expired.

Richard T. Burress, of the District of Columbia, Associate Director and Senior Fellow, Hoover Institute, Stanford University, Stanford, California. He succeeds Harry S. Flemming whose term expired.

William French Smith, of San Marino, California, Partner with the firm of Gibson, Dunn & Crutcher. This is a reappointment.


James A.S. Leach, of Davenport, Iowa, President, Flamegas Companies, Incorporated. He succeeds William C. Turner who has resigned.

The Commission consists of nine members appointed by the President and serving terms of three years.

The main functions of the Commission are to appraise the educational and cultural programs of the U.S. Government and give the President advice and guidance concerning these programs.