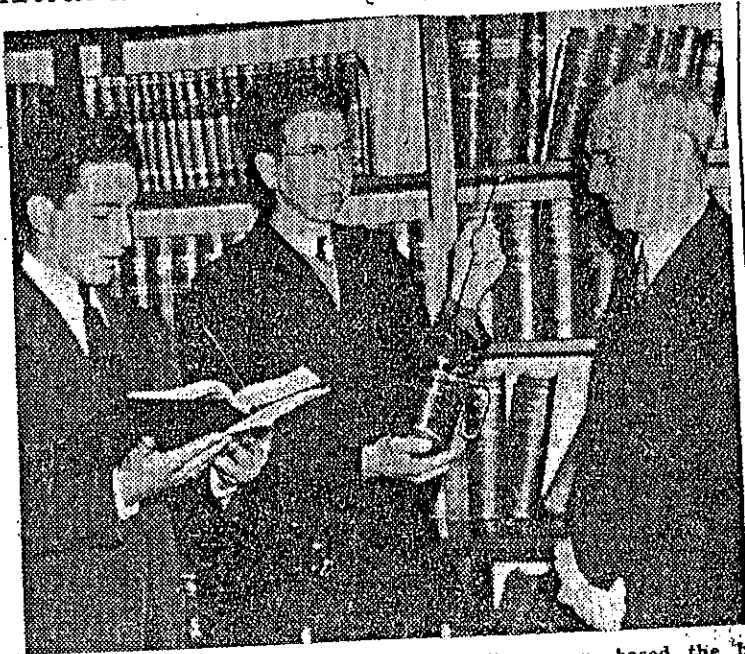


## Award Goes to Dr. Elijah Jordan



Against a scholarly background of philosophic works Dr. Elijah Jordan (right), Butler University philosophy department head, is shown receiving the Phi Eta Sigma faculty appreciation award, a highly polished, engraved oil can, from Robert Goodwin, organization president (left) and Edward O'Nan, awards committee chairman (center). Phi Eta Sigma, national honorary for first year college men, based the bestowal of this award, first of its kind on the Butler campus, on intellectual assistance to students, outstanding contribution to the scholarly life of the university, and popularity. The unusual, but highly prized trophy, contains the following inscription from Oliver Goldsmith, "And still the wonder grew that one small head could carry all he knew."

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## Jordan Retires After 31 Years

Philosophy Professor  
Since 1913 Came Here  
From Cornell

Dr. Elijah Jordan, professor of philosophy and head of the philosophy department at Butler university 31 years, retired this fall from active teaching, President M. O. Ross has announced.

He has been a member of the Butler faculty since 1913, coming to Indianapolis from Cornell university. Because of his reputation and the informality of his classes, his courses have been among the most popular offered to upperclassmen. His advice on personal problems was constantly sought by students.

A native of Elberfield, Ind., he attended Oakland City college and received his A. B. degree from Indiana university. His A. B. and Ph. D. degrees were obtained from Cornell university and the University of Chicago, respectively. He also took graduate work at the University of Wisconsin.

He was an assistant in philosophy at Cornell in 1911 and 1912 and an instructor there in 1912 and 1913. He is the author of "The Life of the Mind," "Forms of Individuality," "Theory of Legislation," and "The Aesthetic Object."

He is a member and former president of the American Philosophical association. He also is a member of the American Association of University Professors, having served as president of the Butler chapter, and Phi Kappa Phi, national honorary scholastic fraternity.

Dr. and Mrs. Jordan reside at 251 Berkley road.

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