

# Talmage Requests Semester Leave For Study Abroad

Dr. Roy Talmage, Chairman of the Biology Department and Master of Wiess College, has requested a sabbatical leave for study in Europe beginning at the end of this semester, the Thresher learned Monday.

The requested leave must be approved by the University Board of Governors.

**DR. TALMAGE'S** trip, financed through a National Institute of Health grant, would take him to the University of Lieden. There he plans to confer with a biologist whose researches into the biochemistry of bone are related to some of Dr. Talmage's recent work on the physiology of bone.

The Wiess Master would return "in time for Freshman Week" next fall. In the interim, his position at Wiess College would be filled by Dr. Paul Pfeiffer of the Electrical Engineering Department.

**DR. CLARK P. REED** would serve as the temporary chairman of the Biology Department.

Accompanying Dr. Talmage to Europe would be his wife and son Charles. Dr. Talmage noted that his schedule may put him on the same boat as Dr. W. H. Master-son, Master of Hanszen College, who is also slated for a Sabbatical in Europe at the end of this semester.