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NATIONAL COUNCIL NOTES

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New Branch

A new branch of the Australian Institute of International Affairs has been formed at Canberra.

New Publication

The Australian Institute (Victorian Division), Austral-Asiatic Section, has begun publication of a two-monthly periodical, *The Austral-Asiatic Bulletin,* price one shilling. The Editorial Board consists of F. W. Eggleston (Chairman), W. Macmahon Ball, E. C. Dyason, P. D. Phillips and Ernest Scott. The Editor is R. L. Curthoys. The first issue announces that the *Bulletin,*

> concerned as it is to review and comment upon current opinion regarding the Orient, does not espouse the easy solution of international problems—that of finding a scapegoat and assigning him to the wilderness. It is committed to the wider but less easy task of ascertaining the facts and summing up the evidence.
>
> The Australian Institute of International Affairs, the Victorian Branch of which publishes "The Austral-Asiatic Bulletin", is forbidden by its Constitution to pass judgment, but unless discussion is to become unreal and de-vitalized, complete freedom must be granted to informed personal opinion. Only thus can Australia become better acquainted with and more curious about the Orient, of which she is part. Only thus can the neighbour nations understand her better.

Volume I, Number 1, contains editorials on *Wanted—An Australian Policy,* and *Our Infant Foreign Office,* and, besides book reviews and notes, articles by C. A. S. Hawker on *The Japan-Australia Trade Dispute;* by E. L. Piesse on *Australia and Defence;* by I. Clunies Ross on *Some Aspects of Japanese Colonization;* by Edwin Haward on *What China is To-day;* by Professor Ernest Scott on *Immigration from Asia;* by G. Caiger on *Some Tokyo Snapshots;* and by Professor A. L. Sadler on *Japanese Architecture.*

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PUBLICATIONS

The Institute is bringing to completion before the end of 1937 the first stage in a comprehensive programme of publications upon which it is embarking. The reason the Institute is making itself responsible for publishing a fairly large number of books on international affairs is that the Council feels that only in this way can the Institute satisfactorily pursue many of its objects such as, to create in Canada an intelligent interest in international affairs; to facilitate and encourage an objective study of international affairs; to disseminate reliable information; to promote international intellectual cooperation.

Canada's Foreign Policy

Professor R. A. MacKay of Dalhousie University, and chairman of the Halifax Branch of the Institute, has, with the assistance of Mr. E. B. Rogers, virtually completed the first draft of the Institute's volume on 'Canada's Foreign Policy'. This draft is being submitted to a number of authorities for their criticism. It will be the first comprehensive treatment of Canada's foreign policy to be published and will deal with its historical background, its economic, psychological, and strategic bases, the pros and cons of alternative policies.

How Canadians get their Foreign News

Mr. W. C. McNaught has completed the first draft of the study which he has made on 'How Canadians get their Foreign News'. This is also being submitted to study groups and individual members of the Institute for their criticism.

Standards of Living in Canada

This investigation, which has for two years been proceeding under the direction of Professor H. A. Innis of Toronto, is nearing completion. The study is part of the Institute of Pacific Relations international survey into standards of living and trade competition. The Canadian studies will be published in two volumes.

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C.I.I.A. Notes

The Canadian Institute issued in March the first number of a publication, *C.I.I.A. Notes*. In a Foreword Dr. J. W. Dafoe, President of the Canadian Institute, writes:

> This publication is undertaken as the result of a decision made by the Council at its meeting in February. There was general agreement with the view that the members of the Branches should be brought into closer relationship with the activities of the Institute and that to this end they should receive at regular intervals from the central office a summary report of these activities and of prospective programmes. Hence the appearance of this Quarterly which it is hoped will prove highly useful to the membership. It is also planned to send direct to each member from time to time pamphlets, reprints of articles and other material, informative as to purposes which the Institute seeks to serve. This is a service from the National Council to the individual member and involves the latter in no expense.

The publication is issued in a form similar to *Chatham House Notes*. No. 1 contains notes on *Policy of the Institute; Memoranda of the Institute; General Meetings; Study Groups; New Branches; House of Commons Debates on Foreign Affairs;* etc., etc. No. 1 is accompanied by *Supplement No. 1,* which is devoted to the Fourth Annual Conference of the Institute, held at McMaster University, May 22nd and 23rd.

MEMBERSHIP OF THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS AT MARCH 1ST, 1937

Edmonton Branch		31
Fredericton	„	26
Halifax	„	59
Hamilton	„	39
Kingston	„	14
London (Ont.)	„	18
Members-at-large		9
Montreal Branch		125
Ottawa	„	88
Regina	„	31
St. John	„	19
Saskatoon	„	31
Carried Forward		490

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MEMBERSHIP OF THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE OF INTERNATIONAL AFFAIRS AT MARCH 1ST, 1937 (*continued*)

Brought Forward	490
Toronto Branch	159
Vancouver „	62
Victoria „	26
Windsor „	12
Winnipeg „	86
Total	835
Total Membership at June 30th, 1936	774
Increase	61

INFORMATION DISSEMINATED BY THE C.I.I.A. ABOUT THE YOSEMITE CONFERENCE

Data Papers

Complete sets of Yosemite Conference data papers have been presented to the Library of the Department of External Affairs, the Library of Parliament, Ottawa; University of Saskatchewan Library; and the University of Toronto Library. Incomplete sets have been presented to:

McGill University Library, Montreal
Dalhousie University Library, Halifax
University of British Columbia Library, Vancouver
Queen's University Library, Kingston
McMaster University Library, Hamilton
University of Western Ontario Library, London
Sun Life Assurance Company Library, Montreal
Canadian Pacific Railway Company Library, Montreal
University of Alberta Library, Edmonton
Fredericton Branch C.I.I.A. Library, Fredericton
Winnipeg Branch C.I.I.A. Library, Winnipeg
Victoria Branch C.I.I.A. Library, Victoria

National Broadcasts

Three national broadcasts on the conference were given in October by Professor F. R. Scott, Dr. R. C. Wallace and Dr.

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J. W. Dafoe. The text of these broadcasts may be obtained from the League of Nations Society in Canada at 10 cents each.

Branch Meetings

All but two or three of the Branches of the C.I.I.A. have held meetings to hear reports from members of the conference.

Text of Speeches Given at Conference

Sets of the speeches delivered at the conference were sent to all Branch Secretaries of the C.I.I.A.; and the report by M. Dennery of the discussions of the Fifth Topic (Changing Balance of Forces in the Pacific and the Possibilities of Peaceful Adjustment) was sent to fifty members of the Institute.

Special Issue of I.P.R. Notes

I.P.R. Notes, Number 6-7, containing a summary of the conference discussions, was sent to the following 150 persons: Members of the Canadian delegation to the conference; libraries to whom sets of data papers were presented; members of the National Council, C.I.I.A.; Branch Secretaries, C.I.I.A.; members of the Research Committee, C.I.I.A.; Canadians invited to the conference who could not attend; and editors of 45 Canadian newspapers.

International Studies Conference

The Canadian members attending the conference are: Mr. E. J. Tarr, K.C., Chairman, I.P.R. International Finance Committee (*Chairman*); Professor H. N. Fieldhouse, Winnipeg; Professor B. S. Keirstead, Fredericton; Professor R. A. MacKay, Halifax; Professor J. W. Pickersgill, Winnipeg; Mr. R. G. Riddell, Toronto.

The Canadian memorandum for the conference has been written by Professor Angus on the basis of papers prepared for him by Professor W. A. Carrothers (Vancouver), Professor W. B. Hurd (Hamilton), Professor B. S. Keirstead (Fredericton), Professor R. A. MacKay (Halifax), Mr. E. B. Rogers (Halifax), Dr. C. E. Silcox (Toronto) and the Dominion Bureau of Statistics. The memorandum deals with the sort of claim which

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may be made by other countries for peaceful changes that involve sacrifices on the part of Canadians. It then considers whether these sacrifices are greater than Canadians are likely to accept.

Speakers and Meetings

Dr. Chen Han-seng

Dr. Chen Han-seng was appointed by the National Council of the Institute as the Institute's first speaker under the grant which it received last year from the Rockefeller Foundation. He spent four weeks in Canada from January 7th, 1937, to February 5th, 1937, visiting the fifteen Branches of the Institute from Halifax to Victoria. He also visited London (Ont.) and assisted greatly in interesting a number of men there in the work of the Canadian Institute and of the Institute of Pacific Relations. Shortly after his visit the London Branch of the Institute was established.

Mr. Escott Reid

In the period between September 15th and November 23rd, Mr. Escott Reid, National Secretary of the C.I.I.A., visited the fourteen Branches of the Institute as well as the cities of Calgary, London, Quebec and St. John. He spoke at general meetings of eleven Branches on the subject either of the Yosemite Conference or of the foreign policy of the Canadian Government. He also discussed with the Executive Committee of each Branch various problems of Branch policy and on his return to Toronto circulated to the Executive Committees of the Branches a memorandum on this subject.

Agenda Meeting for Second Unofficial Conference on British Commonwealth Relations

The Canadian Institute has appointed Mr. E. J. Tarr, K.C. as its representative at the Agenda Meeting for the next British Commonwealth Relations Conference. This Agenda Meeting took place at Chatham House during the week beginning June 14th, 1937. The conference itself will probably be held some time in 1938.

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Headquarters of the China Institute

Serious consideration is being given to the desirability of moving the headquarters of the China I.P.R. from Shanghai to Nanking, the ever growing capital of China, where the municipality is erecting a building to house all private academic and professional societies which pursue similar if not identical objects and activities and would find it advantageous to have offices under the same roof.

Library

Through the kind recommendation of Professor James T. Shotwell of Columbia University, a complete set of *The Economic and Social History of the World War* has been donated to the China I.P.R. Library by the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace. Similarly, through the efforts of Mr. Cheng Hai-feng, Director of the Shanghai Office of the International Labour Office, the China I.P.R. Library has acquired at a nominal price almost all the publications of the I.L.O. that have been published.

Research and Study Group Work

Influence of Returned Emigrants

Professor Ta Chen of National Tsing Hua University, Peiping, member of the Research Committee of the China I.P.R., has completed his study on *The Influence of Returned Emigrants from the South Seas upon Kwangtung and Fukien—the Provinces from which they Emigrated,* one of the I.P.R. projects entrusted to the China Council. His book, in Chinese, under the title, *Fukien, Kwangtung, and Over-Seas Chinese in the South Seas,* will be published by the Commercial Press. The English version will probably be written during the summer and be published by Kelly and Walsh, Ltd.

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Standards of Living in a Chekiang Silk Producing District

Under the general direction of Dr. D. K. Lieu, Director of the China Institute of Economic and Statistical Research, Shanghai, the investigation of organization and methods of production was carried on for two years in Huchow in Chekiang Province. Much of the work, including the statistical work, has been completed. Inquiry has also been made into the standards of living of silk producers in Huchow, in Kashing (Chekiang Province), and Wusih (Kiangsu Province). The Chinese version is completed, and the English version is in course of translation.

China's Foreign Policy

A study group is to be formed among members of the China I.P.R. in Nanking on 'China's Foreign Policy'. This action is in response to a suggestion made by the International Research Committee at Yosemite that each national council should arrange for the writing of a comprehensive monograph on the foreign policy of its government. The group will eventually produce a report, which will be presented to the next I.P.R. Conference as one of the Chinese data papers.

Personal Notes

In August of 1936 Dr. Franklin L. Ho, Director of the Institute of Economics, Nankai University, and Research Secretary of the China I.P.R., took up a government appointment at Nanking as Director of the Political Bureau of the Executive Yuan. Fortunately he has been able to retain office both at Nankai and in the China I.P.R.

Early in May, Dr. Hu Shih, Chairman of the China I.P.R., travelled from Peiping to Shanghai to welcome Mr. E. C. Carter, Secretary General, and to discuss with him plans for extending the activities of the China Council. Dr. Hu Shih has been appointed head of the delegation to the World Educational Conference to be held next August in Tokyo. He has, therefore, been compelled to cancel his intended lecture tour to Australia as a guest of the Australian Institute of International Affairs. In July, he will go to the summer resort of Kuling at the invitation of General Chiang Kai-shek to lecture on philosophy.

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COMITÉ d'ÉTUDES DES PROBLÈMES DU PACIFIQUE

Among the meetings that have been arranged by the Comité since the Yosemite Conference were those addressed by M. Étienne Dennery (Chairman, M. Albert Sarraut), M. Roger Lévy, M. Jean Laurent, and M. A. Touzet on the Conference; by M. Maux, Director of Engineering, on Public Works in Indo-China; by M. Georges Maspero, former Governor of Annam, on Railway Development in China; and by M. F. Pila, French Ambassador to Tokyo, on his Mission to Tokyo.

Publication of the Yosemite data papers by Dr. T. Uyeda, and others, on *Small-Scale Export Industries* in book form is eagerly awaited, and will be brought by the Comité to the attention of the Union des Textiles, to whom it is believed that this work will be of considerable interest.

JAPANESE COUNCIL

Lectures and Meetings

Dr. Tadao Yamakawa, Chairman of the Japanese Group at Yosemite, and Lt.-General Banzai, who also attended the Conference, have made three lecture tours, in the Nagoya-Kyoto-Osaka-Kobe area, in the western part of the Mainland and Shikoku, and in Kyushu. Dr. Yamakawa and Lt.-General R. Banzai spoke respectively on 'The Yosemite Conference and Foreign Attitude Toward Japan' and 'What the Japanese Nation should know on Sino-Japanese Relations'.

At meetings of the International Association of Japan, Dr. Yamakawa, Lt.-General Banzai, Dr. T. Uyeda, Mr. K. Takahashi and Mr. H. Ozaki spoke on 'The Yosemite Conference', Mr. K. Yoshizawa and Mr. Y. Tsurumi on 'The Present American and European Situations', Mr. K. Tamura on 'American Views of the Far Eastern Situation' and on Mr. Stimson's *The Far Eastern Crisis*.

Research and Publication Notes

Among the new International Research projects decided upon at Yosemite, definite arrangements have been made for the Cotton Textile project to be undertaken by Dr. Uyeda in

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collaboration with Mr. K. Hamano and representatives of several cotton and research organizations. Participation in the other projects is also being considered.

A study of the press in Japan is in the hands of Mr. Saburo Matsukata and his colleagues in the Domei News Agency. Among the older projects, the manuscript of Dr. S. Nasu's *Land Utilization in Japan* is in the final stage of revision, Professor T. Yanaihara's *South Sea Islands under Japanese Mandate,* which has been published in Japanese, and Mr. K. Inoma's *Standards of Living of Professional Workers in Japan* are being translated.

Now that formal consent has been secured for each, full translations of some of the Chinese, American, and British data papers for the Yosemite Conference are to be published shortly in a series of booklets.

Problems of the Pacific (1936), in Japanese, the Council's report on the Yosemite Conference has just been published. It is not so much a report of the discussions that took place at Yosemite as a report on the results of further studies by the Japanese members of the conference. Its contents are as follows:

Introduction	by T. Yamakawa
The Present International Outlook	K. Yoshizawa
Collective Security in the Pacific Area	K. Tamura
Sino-Japanese Relations as a Whole	R. Banzai
A Critique of Chinese Economy	H. Ozaki
Problems Relating to Manchoukuo and the U.S.S.R.	K. Kanai
The Yosemite Conference and the Trade Problem	T. Uyeda
The Raw Materials Problem and Japan's Position	K. Takahashi
Foreign Exchanges of I.P.R. Member Countries ..	K. Oshima
The Yosemite Conference and the Cotton Problem	K. Hamano
The Development of I.P.R. Conferences	K. Takayanagi
The I.P.R. at a Cross-Roads	S. Nasu
An Appraisal of I.P.R. Conferences	Y. Tsurumi
The I.P.R. and Its Works	T. Ushiba
The Rapporteurs' Summaries (translated)	

COMMITTEES, APPOINTMENTS, ETC.

Mr. Chokuro Kadono, a member of the I.P.R., Vice-President of the Okura Company and Chairman of the Japan Economic Mission to the United States and Europe, has been elected Vice-President of the International Association of Japan and Vice-Chairman of the Japanese Council.

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The following are members of the Research Committee of the Japanese Council:

Dr. Yamakawa, *Chairman,* Mr. Kadono, Dr. Shimomura, Mr. Tamon Mayeda, Dr. Nasu, Dr. Yasaka Takaki.

With a view to securing wider and more representative interest in I.P.R. work from business and financial groups, the Council is planning a 'Pacific Conference Committee', to be organized both in Tokyo and in Osaka with a membership consisting of influential business men. The Committee will probably hold meetings in June.

Mr. Tomohiko Ushiba, Secretary of the Japanese Council of the Institute of Pacific Relations, has recently been appointed Secretary to Prince Fumimaro Konoye, Prime Minister of Japan. During Mr. Ushiba's absence, his place at the Institute has been filled temporarily by Mr. Kinkazu Saionji.

Visit of the Secretary General

The Secretary General visited Japan from April 5th to May 1st. He met important officials and private individuals in Tokyo and Osaka. He spoke, and exchanged views, both on I.P.R. matters and on the general situation in the Pacific. His visit was of great help to the Council in promoting interest in I.P.R. work among business, newspaper, and other non-academic groups.

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Publicity about the Yosemite Conference

Information in the press about the Yosemite Conference has included articles by Mr. C. R. Buxton in the *Nineteenth Century,* by Mr. Barnard Ellinger in the *Manchester Guardian,* and by Mr. E. M. Gull and Mr. G. E. Hubbard in other papers.

Meetings at Chatham House were addressed by Mr. Tsurumi, who spoke on *Japan Today and Tomorrow* and by Mr. A. V. Alexander on *Changing Forces in the Pacific: Impressions of the Sixth Conference of the Institute of Pacific Relations.* Other meetings dealing with Pacific problems have been addressed by

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Mr. Owen Lattimore, on *Japan's Continental Policy and the Moslems of Western China,* by Mr. Barnard Ellinger on *British Foreign Policy in Relation to the Lancashire Cotton Industry,* Herr H. P. Smolka on *Soviet Development of the Arctic: New industries and strategic possibilities,* Major E. Ainger on *The Present Situation in the Far East,* Major the Hon. R. G. Casey on *Australia in World Affairs* and Dr. Sakurai on *Japan's Position in the World.*

Shortly after the Yosemite Conference General Sir Kenneth Wigram, a member of the British group, accepted an invitation from the Council of Chatham House to undertake voluntarily for a trial period the organization of small Discussion meetings. These meetings have included discussions on Japan.

MEMBERS OF THE CHATHAM HOUSE INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS COMMITTEE FOR THE YEAR 1936-1937

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Second British Commonwealth Relations Conference

A preliminary meeting to decide upon the details of the Second Unofficial Conference on British Commonwealth Relations (the First Conference was held in Toronto in 1933) was held at Chatham House during the week beginning June 14th. Representatives of the Institutes of International Affairs in Canada, Australia, New Zealand, South Africa, India and the United Kingdom were invited to attend the meeting.

International Studies Conference

The British group consists of seven members under the leadership of the Right Hon. The Earl of Lytton. A list of the preparatory studies submitted from Great Britain is given below. Arrangements for these studies were made at Chatham House, at the request of the British Coordinating Committee for International Studies, the responsible organ of the conference in Great Britain.

1. Raw Materials and Colonies. (R.I.I.A.: Information Department Paper No. 18.)
2. World Population: Past Growth and Present Trends. By Professor A. M. Carr-Saunders. (Oxford University Press.)
3. The Production, Consumption and Sources of Supply of Raw Materials in the United Kingdom. Prepared in the Study Groups Department of Chatham House.
4. The Status of Aliens and the Position of British subjects in the British Empire. By Professor A. Berriedale Keith.
5. The Danube Basin: Its Problem of Peaceful Change. By C. A. Macartney.
6. Organised Migration from Great Britain and its Relation to Unemployment. By Mrs. Dorothy Harwood.
7. The International Problem of Peaceful Change: The Legal and Procedural Aspect. By Dr. H. Lauterpacht.
8. Capital Investment in Colonial Territories.
9. Colonial Trade, Shipping and Commercial Policy.
10. Public Finance in the Colonial Empires.
11. Considerations Affecting the Transfer of Colonial Territories.

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12. A History of Peaceful Change in the Modern World. By C. R. M. F. Cruttwell. (Oxford University Press.)

13. The Definition and Classification of Colonies and Dependencies, and the Status of the British Dominions.

14. Colonial Populations. By Dr. Kuczynski. (Clarendon Press.)

15. Capital Investment in Ceylon, Malaya and the British West Indies. Prepared in the Study Groups Department of Chatham House.

Memoranda Numbers 8, 9, 10, 11, 13, were prepared by the Chatham House Study Group on the Colonial Aspect of the Problem of Peaceful Change. The substance of these memoranda will be embodied in the report of the Group which will it is hoped be published this summer. Memoranda Numbers 1, 2, 12, 14, are published; the remainder are in mimeographed form.

Chair of International Economics at Chatham House

The establishment of a Chair of International Economics at Chatham House has been made possible by a gift from Sir Henry Price. This provision is the first step in the fulfilment of a suggestion put forward by H.R.H. The Prince of Wales, in an address to the Sixth Annual Dinner of the Institute in November 1936, that the endowment of Chairs, similar to that held by Professor Toynbee, the Director of Studies at the Institute, devoted to the study of specific aspects of foreign affairs, should be considered.

New Publications

Survey of International Affairs, 1935. Vols. I and II. By Arnold J. Toynbee, Assisted by V. M. Boulter. 2 vols. Prices 18*s.* and 21*s.*

Documents on International Affairs, 1935. Volume II. Edited by Stephen Heald. Price 21*s.*

A History of Peaceful Change in the Modern World. By C. R. M. F. Cruttwell. Price 7*s.* 6*d.*

The British Empire. A Report on its Structure and Problems by a Study Group of Members of the Institute. Price 15*s.*

Survey of British Commonwealth Affairs, Vol. I. Problems of Nationality, 1918-1936. By W. K. Hancock. Price 25*s.*

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Chatham House: A Brief Account of the Origins, Purposes and Methods of the Royal Institute of International Affairs. Price 5*s*.

AMERICAN COUNCIL

Since the last reporting of the American Council's general activities, its energies have largely been absorbed by preparations for, participation in, and not least the educational opportunities arising from, the I.P.R. Conference held last year in Yosemite National Park.

San Francisco Bay Region Committee

The San Francisco Bay Region Committee is taking the lead in extending the influence of the I.P.R. along the Pacific slope. The I.P.R. Loan Exhibit of Far Eastern Periodicals, which was originally shown at the Yosemite Conference, has been shown in six places, and notes on the results of these exhibitions are being sent to the New York office.

Other exhibits of I.P.R. materials and publications have been shown successfully at educational conferences throughout California. This general type of exhibit will soon be augmented by a loan exhibit of publications recommended for the use of primary and secondary schools.

Mr. Galen Fisher brought back from Japan textile samples, domestic potteries and porcelains which were donated to museums, and other samples which have been circulated through the San Francisco office and which many schools and colleges have already asked to receive on loan.

The film, *China's Gifts to the West,* was shown at the Extension Division of the University of California, and a number of schools have inquired about the terms under which it might be rented.

Films of Japanese industry and agriculture, brought from Japan by Mr. Galen Fisher and presented to the University of California, were also shown.

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A union catalogue on Far Eastern materials in California libraries is being prepared at the University of California, and catalogue cards are being photostated and exchanged with other institutions. This work is an I.P.R. project only insofar as the San Francisco office, through its Library Committee, has encouraged and stimulated the project. The Library Committee is also preparing a reading list of material on Russia, comparable to those which were prepared on Japan and China in 1930 and 1935.

Besides its regular study programme on the historical, economic and political aspects of Pacific Area and Far Eastern problems, the summer session at the University of California will offer teachers several lectures by Mr. Galen Fisher and Dr. C. B. Fahs, and a series of round tables, conducted by Dr. John A. Hockett of the Education Department, University of California, and Mr. Galen Fisher, and dealing with teaching methods and materials.

The San Francisco office has also cooperated with projects to be carried out this summer by International House, Berkeley, the Committee on International Relations of the University of California and the America-Japan Student Conference.

Hawaii Group

The Hawaii Group, with the closing of the international headquarters of the Institute in Honolulu, has become an integral part of the American Council and is devoting itself with even greater energy than before to a programme of international and inter-racial education planned eventually to reach every group in the social composition of the Island population.

Officers. The following have been elected officers of the Group for 1937:

Chairman:	Dr. Peter H. Buck
Vice-Chairman:	Frank E. Midkiff
Treasurer:	Frank C. Atherton
Executive Secretary:	Charles F. Loomis

Executive Committee: Dr. Peter H. Buck (Chairman), Frank E. Midkiff, Frank C. Atherton, Charles F. Loomis, Riley H.

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Allen, Robbins B. Anderson, Dr. Paul S. Bachman, Dr. Royal N. Chapman, Dr. David L. Crawford, Dr. A. L. Dean, W. F. Dillingham, Professor Shao-chang Lee, Dr. Iga Mori, Dr. Philip S. Platt, Oscar F. Shepard, Yasutaro Soga, Hugh C. Tennent and Heaton L. Wrenn.

Membership. The Hawaii Group has 221 members, of whom 58 have been added since February 1937.

New Headquarters. The Hawaii Group's new headquarters are at 316, Dillingham Building, in the centre of Honolulu's business section. The Group maintains its Pacific Library at the University of Hawaii and a reading room at its new office.

Visitors and Speakers. Many distinguished visitors from member countries were entertained by Institute members in Hawaii during the year, and some of them gave addresses. After the Yosemite Conference Honolulu was host to numerous returning delegates who addressed I.P.R. or public audiences. Other speakers have been Riley H. Allen, Robbins B. Anderson and Dr. Royal N. Chapman, Hawaii's three members at the conference; Kennosuke Sato on *Japan's Attitude toward China;* Harrison Brown on *What Happened in Sian*; Secretary General Edward C. Carter on *Conflicting Forces in Asia*; Dr. Peter H. Buck on *Exploration and Research in the Pacific*; and W. L. Holland, International Research Secretary.

Study Groups. Two study groups have been organized, one under the chairmanship of Dr. Paul S. Bachman on 'The International Situation in the Far East', and the other, under Dr. A. L. Dean, on 'The Social Institutions of Pacific Peoples'. The discusssions of the first group included such topics as 'Economics and Politics in Japan', 'Japanese Expansion in Asia since the Tangku Truce', 'Military Factors in the Far Eastern Situation', 'Press and Public Opinion in the Far Eastern Situation', and 'Neutrality in the Event of War in the Far East'. Verbatim records of these meetings are kept, and a summary of these discussions will be presented at a meeting of the entire membership.

I.P.R. Student Conference. The Sixth Annual Student Conference on Pacific Relations, of which the subject was 'Neutrality',

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was held March 4th-6th, 1937. These conferences of university students, sponsored by the Hawaii Group, use the I.P.R. method of round-table discussion.

Seattle

In Seattle preliminary steps have been taken for the establishment of another regional I.P.R. Committee. Cooperation is being effected with the San Francisco group.

Cleveland

In Cleveland the Council on Foreign Relations has established a Committee on Pacific Relations for the purpose of cooperating with the I.P.R.

Chicago

In Chicago the Library of International Relations serves as a centre for the diffusion of I.P.R. literature and for stimulating the study of Pacific subjects.

New York

In New York the office of the American Council pursues in the main national rather than local or regional ends, although members of the staff also take part in local enterprises that offer opportunities of helpful cooperation, just as they do in Boston, Chicago, Washington, Seattle and elsewhere.

Information Services

Apart from its library, which is in process of re-organization and expansion, the Council depends for its information on the members, whose willingness to lend their services is increasing with the growing prestige of the I.P.R. The Council is also able more and more to count on direct contact through travel. Apart from the frequent residence in New York of more than one member of the International Secretariat, study visits by staff members and other members of the Council are encouraged.

Nathaniel Peffer will return in August from the Far East, where he has studied political trends for the last year under the auspices of the American Council. He will join the faculty of Columbia University.

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Galen M. Fisher, who has recently returned from several months in Japan, where he has conducted some special inquiries, is working on a number of articles embodying the findings.

Russell G. Shiman, editor of the *Far Eastern Survey*, will leave in August for an eight months' tour of the Far East, going by way of the U.S.S.R. and returning from Yokohama next March.

T. A. Bisson, on a year's leave of absence from the Foreign Policy Association, is in Peiping and, although not a member of the American Council's staff, can be expected to make valuable contributions to its knowledge.

Ruth Earnshaw, in charge of the more important educational activities of the Council, will take up a teaching position in Wuchang at the end of the summer and continue to search for teaching material useful for American studies of the Chinese language and of Chinese culture.

Professor R. D. McKenzie, head of the Sociology Department in the University of Michigan, will make an extensive stay in the Far East for the collection of sociological data.

Nan Lincoln Smith, of the Bay Region staff, was given leave of absence by the San Francisco Committee to act as Assistant Secretary to the Secretary General during his visits to Japan, China, the Philippines and Hongkong.

The *Far Eastern Survey* continues to be the Council's principal organ for disseminating information. Its reviews of economic developments in the Pacific area have become influential as unbiased reporting, as may be seen not only in frequent references and quotations in the press but also in the increasing use of the Council's resources by research students, by organizations in the preparation of study outlines, by librarians, and even by the producers of motion pictures and of that latest form of American dramatic art—the Living Newspaper.

Publications and Studies

The American Council is either sponsoring or taking a major interest in the publication of the following studies:

Indo-China, by Virginia Thompson (to be published by the Macmillan Company, New York, and George Allen and Unwin, London). A comprehensive survey of the internal development and problems of a French colony to which not enough attention has been given in the English-speaking countries.

Japan in American Public Opinion (to be published by the Macmillan Company, New York), by Eleanor Tupper and George E. McReynolds, with an introduction by Professor George H. Blakeslee of Clark University. A survey of the changes in American press opinion of Japan and the

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Japanese since the beginning of the century, as influenced by, and as exerting influence on, diplomatic relations.

Ethnology of the Lau Islands (to be published in the United States and in Germany), by Laura and Bernard Tueting. A study of acculturation in one of this group of Fiji Islands, sponsored in part by the Bishop Museum of Honolulu and Yale University.

Social Progress of the Chinese in San Francisco, by Pardee Lowe. An appraisal of the acculturation of an American Chinese community now composed in the main of the descendents of immigrants.

The American Council is also publishing a number of pamphlets for wider educational uses, including:

Books for the Traveller or Sojourner in China, by Harriet Hardison Robson, of the University of North Carolina.

List of Current Research Projects Dealing with Pacific Countries, by Ruth Earnshaw; to be followed by a

List of American University and College Courses Dealing with Pacific Countries, Languages, and Civilizations.

America's Stake in the Far East, by Miriam S. Farley, has been issued in a second, revised edition.

For use in schools, the Council has published

The Pacific Area and its Problems, a Study Guide by Donald R. Nugent and Reginald Bell.

The Hawaii Textbook series for high schools, including books on China, Japan, the Soviet Union, and the Philippines, previously mentioned, is still in process of perfection.

For other American Council publications pending, see below, p. 35.

Other Educational Activities

The largest single enterprise, this summer, is the Chinese Language School, to be carried on jointly for eight weeks by the American Council and the Linguistic Institute at the University of Michigan.

The Council is also cooperating with the University of California in the organization of a Russian Language Section in the summer session of that university, following the offer of similar intensive summer courses in previous years at Harvard and Columbia Universities.

President Isaiah Bowman, of Johns Hopkins University, has had the assistance of Chen Han-seng and Owen Lattimore in the

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preparation of a report on international migration movements in the Far East, to be submitted by a committee of which he is the chairman to the International Studies Conference, held this summer in Paris.

Members of the Council are prominent on the editorial staff and among the contributors of *Amerasia,* a new monthly journal, which is independent of the I.P.R., and which has been established to clarify American public opinion on the Far Eastern policies of the United States.

Book exhibits and study material on the Pacific are being sent to some twelve or fifteen institutes on international relations held this summer in different parts of the country.

To assist adult study groups, the Council is issuing from time to time reading lists on subjects scheduled for consideration. Topics thus far covered include 'Population Problems in the Pacific Area', 'America and the Far East', 'Sea Power in the Pacific', 'International Propaganda', 'Chinese Residents in the United States'.

The Council continues to cooperate with the Harmon Foundation in the preparation of educational motion pictures about Far Eastern countries and is compiling a list of films suitable for school use, to be issued in the autumn.

1938 I.P.R. MEETINGS

PACIFIC COUNCIL

The next meeting of the Pacific Council will be held in China during the third or fourth week of April, 1938, in connection with a conference of the International Research Committee. The agenda of the Council will include a review of the work of the Secretariat since Yosemite, a decision regarding the date, place and programme of the 1939 Conference, a discussion of the financial position of the Institute, and recommendations with reference to Secretariat plans, headquarters, and the agenda for the meeting of the Pacific Council in 1939. The China I.P.R. has hospitably offered to assist in the arrangements for both the Council meeting and the Research conference. The exact date and place of the gatherings will be announced later.

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INTERIM RESEARCH CONFERENCE

In accordance with the recommendation of the International Research Committee at Yosemite, the Secretariat is arranging to hold a small conference on research matters for about four or five days at the time of the Pacific Council meeting to be held in China next April. The conference will be similar to that held at Tokyo in 1935 and will give an opportunity for those in charge of the various national research projects to compare notes and arrange for the coordination of the reports. It will also enable the Secretariat to work out more detailed projects for the 1938-9 research programme and to plan the documentation of the 1939 conference. Among the principal subjects for consideration will be studies of the textile industries, of shipping competition, of Pacific fisheries, of dependent territories and of foreign policies and diplomatic machinery.

1939 I.P.R. CONFERENCE AGENDA

SUGGESTED REVISIONS

On April 24th, 1937, the Secretary General addressed from Tokyo a letter to the Chairman of the Pacific Council proposing certain changes in the Yosemite recommendations for the 1939 programme. The substance of the letter is as follows:

The change would involve having three topics instead of one, and one Round Table for each topic. Each of the three Round Tables would run for at least two-thirds of the Conference.

Round Table I would deal with trade and shipping competition in the Pacific, possibly with special reference to three or four countries such as the United States, the United Kingdom, and Japan.

Round Table II would concentrate on colonial problems including the political administration and economic development of the colonies, raw materials, markets, foreign investment and tariff policy, international strategic significance, with perhaps special reference to such regions as British Malaya, the Netherlands Indies, Indo-China, Formosa, Korea, Hongkong, and New Guinea (Australian and Mandated).

Round Table III would deal with political and diplomatic questions, treaty machinery and possible methods of political settlement of international disputes.

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This plan would probably permit of a more thorough examination of each topic than has ever been possible before. Each Round Table could be made up largely of experts. At the same time, the wide range of the three different topics would bring to the Conference as varied a personnel vocationally as we have had at former Conferences.

Through plenary sessions every two or three days, each Round Table could be kept in touch with the main trend of the others. During the last two or three days the whole Conference might reform into parallel Round Tables on the plan of former years, to discuss and appraise the results of the three special Round Tables.

An advantage of the above agenda is that the current research program would feed more directly into it than has often been the case in the past. Such projects as those on Standards of Living, Colonial Development, Textile Competition, Diplomatic Machinery and Foreign Policy, Population and Land Utilization, Fisheries and Shipping would all be largely completed and directly pertinent.

An incidental advantage of this new procedure would be that there would be a single comprehensive record of each of the Round Table topics and it would be possible, with only a little editing, to publish these as almost verbatim accounts instead of having to write the Proceedings by selecting here and there from four different and often inconsistent accounts of the same topic.

Copies of this letter were sent to all the National Councils asking for suggestions and criticisms. When these have been received a summary will be sent to all of the National Offices.

NOTES ON I.P.R. RESEARCH

The French Committee of the I.P.R. has undertaken two projects in the current international research programme. One is on 'Land Utilization in Indo-China'. The other, on 'Economic Development and Economic Policies in Indo-China', is to form part of a series of studies on the economic development of dependent territories in the Pacific. The United Kingdom contribution to this series has recently been announced as a study dealing with British Malaya to be made under the direction of Sir Richard Winstedt, author of several standard works on Malaya and, until recently, General Adviser to the State of Johore. The Secretariat is now making arrangements with the Japanese and Netherlands—Netherlands Indies Councils for similar reports on the economic development and administration

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of Korea, Formosa and the Netherlands Indies. It also expects to arrange with the Hawaii Group of the American Council for a monograph on the economic history and economic organization of Hawaii.

Several projects are now in progress on the textile industries and textile competition in the Pacific area. The British study dealing with the Lancashire cotton-weaving industry has been entrusted by the Royal Institute to the Department of Commerce at the University of Manchester and is being directed by Professor G. W. Daniels with the assistance of Mr. E. M. Gray. The section on marketing and exports will be done under the direction of Mr. H. G. Hughes of the Statistical Section of the Joint Committee of Cotton Trade Organizations. The American study is being made by Mr. W. W. Lockwood of the American Council staff who attended the recent Washington Textile Conference as an observer. The Japanese Council is enlarging its study already started by Professor T. Uyeda (on the small-scale factories) to cover the whole industry. Professor Uyeda will have the additional assistance of Mr. K. Hamano of the Japan Cotton Trading Company, who will work specially on problems of textile consumption. Arrangements for a report on the Chinese cotton industry have just been made by the China Institute, which has commissioned the Institute of Social Sciences of the Academia Sinica at Nanking, under the direction of Dr. L. K. Tao, to extend the scope of an inquiry already started on this subject. The Secretariat is now corresponding with the Councils concerned on plans for coordinating these national studies of production and on securing studies of important Pacific consuming areas such as Canada, Australia and Netherlands Indies.

On the topic of Pacific shipping, the Secretariat has made preparatory arrangements with the American, Japanese and Chinese Councils for the collection of information. This work will be started on receipt of an outline or questionnaire to be drafted by the Royal Institute. This will probably be prepared in the near future after the close of the British Imperial Conference discussions on shipping. It is not proposed that each National Council should publish separate reports on this topic, but those chiefly concerned will be invited to supply information and present national points of view in the form of memoranda

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to be utilized by a competent individual, to be chosen later, in preparing a comprehensive international report.

Research work on the problem of Pacific fisheries has been started by the American Council with an investigation of the current controversial problem of American, Canadian and Japanese rivalries in the Alaskan and northern Pacific fishing grounds. The legal aspects of the problem are to be investigated under the direction of Professor Walter Bingham of Stanford University. Mrs. Kathleen Barnes of the American Council staff has recently gone to Seattle to work on the economic aspects in cooperation with the I.P.R. group there, the University of Washington and the various fishery organizations. Meanwhile the Secretariat is making preliminary arrangements with the Japanese and Soviet Councils for the collection of material on the fishing industries and interests of those countries in the Pacific.

In order to complete the I.P.R. studies on the press and public opinion, the Secretariat has arranged with the Japanese Council for a report on the Japanese press, to be prepared by Mr. Saburo Matsukata of the Domei News Agency. In addition monographs are being written under Secretariat auspices on the problem of collecting and distributing news about Japan and China to Europe and America. The report on China is being done by Mr. H. Timperley, Nanking correspondent for the *Manchester Guardian,* and Mr. Randall Gould, Editor of the *Shanghai Evening Post and Mercury*. That on Japan is being done by Mr. Frank Hedges, Tokyo correspondent of the North American News Alliance, with the cooperation of Mr. H. Vere Redman. It should be noted that the Canadian report on *How Canadians get their Foreign News* is completed and is being circulated in manuscript for criticism before publication under the auspices of the Canadian Institute. The American study on 'Distribution of Far Eastern News in the American Press' has now been placed under the direction of Mr. Bruno Lasker of the American Council staff and should be completed early in 1938. The China Institute is considering plans for a revised edition of Mr. T. M. Chao's monograph *The Foreign Press in China* (1931), enlarged to deal with the newspaper press of China as a whole.

A monograph on *Germany's Position in the Far East* with special reference to the post-war period is now being completed

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for the Secretariat by Dr. Harald von Waldheim, formerly of the German Trade Information Bureau in Tokyo. It is to be published shortly under Secretariat auspices.

Dr. Chen Han-seng, Chinese research associate on the Secretariat, has been engaged in New York on a continuation of his researches into Chinese agrarian problems. He is now preparing a book of readings, taken from Chinese sources, on Chinese agriculture and rural social problems and will later begin work on a study of changes in the Chinese land system with particular reference to the 'clan lands' in parts of Chekiang, Fukien, Kiangsi, Hunan and Kwangtung. In addition he is preparing for publication a report on his field investigation of tobacco-producing regions on China, described in I.P.R. NOTES, No. 2, p. 34. Besides this research work Dr. Chen is also directing the Secretariat experiment in producing annotated bibliographical references to important periodical literature in Chinese, Japanese and Russian journals dealing with Far Eastern or Pacific questions. A first sample collection of these abstracts is to be printed soon in Shanghai and circulated to interested research workers and institutions in various countries.

An inquiry into the cost and standard of selected groups of municipal employees in the International Settlement of Shanghai is now nearing completion, according to information given by Miss Eleanor Hinder, Head of the Industrial Section of the Shanghai Municipal Council, who has charge of the work. The study, which was authorized by the Municipal Council as a result of a recommendation made at the Tokyo I.P.R. Research Conference in 1935, covers 285 families of public utility workers and 59 policemen's families. The report, to be written during the next four months or so, will supplement parallel inquiries on workers in 'sheltered' occupations in other countries, such as the Heller Committee study of tramwaymen and clerical workers in San Francisco, now being published for the American Council as *Living on a Moderate Income,* and the Japanese Council report by Mr. K. Inoma on 'Living Standards of Tokyo Municipal Employees', now being translated into English for publication in the near future.

Dr. D. K. Lieu's study of *The Growth and Industrialization of Shanghai* is to be extended and re-issued six or seven months

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hence. The revised report will include the results of a new survey of Shanghai industries now being conducted by Dr. Lieu's Institute of Economic and Statistical Research and it is planned to have English and American editions of the book.

Dr. H. Belshaw, Research Secretary of the New Zealand Council, has reported that considerable progress is being made on the I.P.R. study of standards of living and that very generous financial and other support is being given to the project by several Departments of the Government in recognition of the national importance of the inquiry. The work is being directed by Mr. D. O. Williams of Massey Agricultural College with the assistance of Mr. W. Doig.

The Soviet Council has reported that its studies of standards of living will be completed about August next and published later in the year. The report consists of two main studies, one on 'Living Standards of Urban Workers', by Prof. M. Krivetsky, a leading Soviet authority in this field and a member of the Institute of Economics in the Academy of Sciences. The second study, dealing with 'Living Standards of Peasant Workers and Other Groups', will be written by Professor I. Kravel, Head of the Central Administration of Social and Economic Statistics, and an expert on problems of labour productivity.

The Japanese Council has made arrangements with Dr. T. Uyeda for revising and enlarging his series of papers on *Small-Scale Industries in Japan,* presented at the Yosemite Conference. An additional introductory chapter is to be written and the collection published in one volume four or five months hence.

TENTH INTERNATIONAL STUDIES CONFERENCE

For the tenth session of the International Studies Conference (Paris, June 28th—July 3rd, 1937) the various member organizations have prepared a large number of memoranda, pamphlets and books. In volume at least the documentation of the Paris meeting will greatly exceed that of any of the earlier conferences. The

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general subject will be 'Peaceful Change'. The I.P.R. group consists of:

Dr. Carl L. Alsberg (*Chairman*)
M. Albert Sarraut
Dr. J. van Kan
M. Roger Lévy
Mrs. Ruth Lee Young (*Secretary*)

As recommended by the International Research Committee at Yosemite, the Institute's documentary contribution is a book of 193 pages prepared by Professor H. F. Angus of the University of British Columbia, entitled *The Problem of Peaceful Change in the Pacific Area.*

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CONSTITUTION OF THE INSTITUTE

Until 1933 the Constitution of the Institute of Pacific Relations was printed in each issue of Problems of the Pacific. *In order to reduce the amount of purely institutional material, the Constitution has been omitted from* Problems of the Pacific, 1936. *In order to include it in a regular publication of the Institute it is here printed, as revised by the Pacific Council at the time of the Yosemite Conference.*

CONSTITUTION

of the

INSTITUTE OF PACIFIC RELATIONS

ARTICLE I

The name of this organization shall be Institute of Pacific Relations.

ARTICLE II

The object of the Institute is to study the conditions of the Pacific peoples with a view to the improvement of their mutual relations.

ARTICLE III. MEMBERSHIP

1. Subject to the provisions hereof the Institute of Pacific Relations is constituted by the national units, the names of whose representatives are appended to this Constitution, and by such other national units as may hereafter be admitted to membership as provided herein.

2. A national unit as comprehended by Section 1 of this Article shall be a National Council organized for the purposes of the Institute, or an organization of similar purposes, in any sovereign or autonomous state lying within or bordering the Pacific Ocean or having dominions, colonies, dependencies, territories, mandated or otherwise, in the Pacific Area, subject to

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its being approved and admitted to membership by the Pacific Council as hereinafter constituted. Each constituent country shall have one National Council or equivalent organization, hereinafter referred to as the National Council. With the approval of the Pacific Council, independent Local Groups may be organized in an eligible country which has not created a National Council.

3. To encourage at Conferences of the Institute the representation of distinct racial or territorial groups existing within or under the jurisdiction of a country having a National Council of the Institute, the Secretariat may by unanimous vote of the Pacific Council enter into direct relations with such groups in making arrangements for their representation and participation in Conferences.

4. Each National Council shall determine its own constitution and rules of procedure and shall file with the Secretariat of the Institute a certified copy thereof and of any subsequent amendment.

ARTICLE IV. PACIFIC COUNCIL

1. The Institute shall be directed by a Pacific Council consisting of one member duly appointed by each National Council. The members of the Pacific Council shall each have one vote.

2. The officers of the Pacific Council shall consist of a Chairman, and two or more Vice-Chairmen, who shall be, *ex officio,* the Chairman and Vice-Chairmen, respectively, of the Institute. They shall be elected by the Council at a meeting held during the stated Conferences, or at an adjourned meeting held thereafter, to serve until the close of the next stated Conference or until their successors have been elected. The Pacific Council shall appoint the Secretary General and the Treasurer of the Institute. The Secretary General shall act as secretary of the Pacific Council.

3. A stated meeting of the Pacific Council shall be held during the period and at the place of the Institute Conference. Other meetings of the Pacific Council (hereinafter called special meetings) may be called by the Chairman at such time and place as he shall consider desirable by notice stating the time and place of such meeting and the general nature of the business to be disposed of and the Chairman shall call such special meeting

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if he shall be requested to do so by three members. Such notice shall be sent in time to reach every National Council at least 60 days before the special meeting but failure of any council to receive such notice shall not invalidate the business transacted at such meeting.

4. In the event of the inability of a member of the Pacific Council to attend a stated meeting his place may be taken by an Alternate designated by his National Council. In the event of the inability of a member to attend a special meeting his place may be taken by an Alternate designated as above or by a Proxy appointed by the member himself.

5. A quorum of the Pacific Council shall consist of not less than six members including a member or his Alternate or Proxy from each of the following: a member of the British Commonwealth, China, Japan and the United States.

6. (*a*) Except as herein provided a majority vote of the members present shall determine the action of the Pacific Council.

(*b*) If a resolution proposed at a special meeting is passed but without a unanimous vote such resolution shall if requested by any member or his Alternate or Proxy within 7 days of such meeting be submitted forthwith to each National Council by post and shall be deemed to be passed at the expiration of 2 months from the date of such transmission unless a majority of such National Councils signify their dissent from such resolution.

7. A copy of the minutes of each meeting of the Pacific Council shall be sent to each National Council.

8. A resolution signed by each member of the Pacific Council as hereinafter mentioned shall have the same force and effect as if it were a resolution passed at a duly constituted meeting of the Pacific Council. For the purpose of this section the Secretary General on receipt of a proposed resolution signed by two members of the Pacific Council, shall transmit a copy of the same forthwith to each national group and if within three months of such despatch he shall receive a copy of such resolution signed by each member of the Pacific Council or his Alternate, such resolution shall be entered in the minutes as a resolution of the Pacific Council.

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ARTICLE V. SECRETARIAT

The Secretariat shall be the instrument of the Pacific Council for carrying on the work of the Institute. It shall be directed by the Secretary General who shall be responsible to the Pacific Council for all its activities. The Secretary General shall be assisted by a staff appropriate for the direction, supervision or execution of the several activities of the Institute in accordance with the policies and regulations of the Council.

ARTICLE VI. CONFERENCE

1. Conferences of the Institute shall be called by the Pacific Council at stated intervals, which, however, may be changed from time to time as the Council may see fit. In addition to such regular Conferences the Council may call special Conferences. The location of the Conferences shall be fixed by the Council.

2. The arrangements for the Conferences shall be in charge of the Secretary General acting in cooperation with the Committees concerned with the program and other preparatory work and with the National Council within whose territory the Conference is held.

3. The members of the regular Conferences shall be appointed by the National Councils and independent Local Groups, except as otherwise provided in Article III, Section 3 hereof, the quotas whereof shall be fixed by the Pacific Council.

ARTICLE VII. FINANCE

1. The expenses of the Institute shall be met by an international budget to which contributions shall be invited from all National Councils and from other sources, but in such manner and to such an extent as to safeguard in the highest possible degree the international character and control of the Institute.

2. The Pacific Council shall fix the fiscal period to be covered by the budget, beginning with the calendar year. At a suitable time prior thereto, as determined by the Council, the Secretary General shall submit a budget for the following fiscal period; and upon the adoption of such a budget by the Council, with any necessary modifications, all expenditures shall be made in conformity therewith subject to any subsequent amendments

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thereof by or under the authority of the Council. The provision of Article IV, Section 6 (*b*), shall not apply to the adoption of the budget.

3. The property of the Institute shall be vested in the Pacific Council and the custody and disbursement of its funds and the accounting therefore shall be under the control of the Council.

4. A copy of the budget and of any amendment thereof and a semi-annual statement of receipts and expenses shall be sent to each National Council.

5. Each National Council and independent Local Group shall be responsible for its own expenditures.

ARTICLE VIII. BY-LAWS AND REGULATIONS

The Pacific Council shall have power to make such By-Laws and Regulations for the conduct of its business and of the affairs of the Institute generally as are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Constitution.

ARTICLE IX. AMENDMENTS

This Constitution may be amended or repealed by a resolution signed under Article IV, Section 8, or by an affirmative vote of not less than two thirds of the members of the Pacific Council at a stated or special meeting provided that in the latter case not less than 4 months, if by mail, or two months if by telegraph before such meeting, notice of the proposed amendment shall have been given by the Secretary General to each National Council.

ARTICLE X. RATIFICATION

This Constitution shall take effect upon its ratification by the several National Councils provided, however, that the failure of any National Council so to ratify it shall not invalidate it as between the other parties thereto. The vote of each National Council ratifying this Constitution shall be attested by a competent officer of such Council and filed with the Secretariat.

SIGNATURES

The original Constitution of the Institute was approved, adopted and signed in Honolulu, Hawaii, on July 29, 1927, subject to the ratification of the Constitution by the full authority of their

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respective National Councils, by the following: Fred W. Eggleston, Australia; A. F. Whyte, Great Britain; A. W. Currie, Canada; A. Ishii, Japan; W. Nash, New Zealand; Ray Lyman Wilbur, United States of America.

From time to time changes have been made in the original Constitution. The foregoing Constitution is the text revised to include these amendments and those proposed and approved unanimously by the Pacific Council at the time of the Yosemite Conference of the Institute. In accordance with the provision of Article IV, Section 8, each of the amendments approved at Yosemite was, on August 29, 1936, proposed in writing by Dr. Hu Shih and Dr. Carl L. Alsberg and subsequently signed by all the remaining Yosemite members of the Pacific Council. The following signatures, covering all the amendments proposed at Yosemite, are on file in the Secretary General's office: Fred W. Eggleston, Australia; J. W. Dafoe, Canada; Hu Shih, China; A. Sarraut, France; Archibald Rose, Great Britain; Kenzo Takayanagi, Japan; G. A. Dunlop, Netherlands; H. Belshaw, New Zealand; C. Benitez, Philippines; V. E. Motylev, U.S.S.R.; Carl L. Alsberg, United States of America.

BY-LAWS

1. Resolutions of which notice is required to be given may be amended, but no such amendment shall raise any subject not covered by the notice.

2. If there is no quorum present at the time appointed for a meeting of the Pacific Council, the Chairman may adjourn the same for such period as he shall consider fit, and notice of such adjournment shall be forthwith given to all National Councils, and to any Alternate or Proxy appointed for the meeting.

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PUBLICATIONS

On November 1st a small supplement to the Institute's Catalogue, *Publications on the Pacific, 1936*, will be published and distributed to national councils. The supplement, which will list about forty items, will be confined to Secretariat and national council publications that have appeared since April, 1936.

The Secretariat has circulated a proposal, to which nine national councils have signified their assent, that in future the Secretariat and each national council should present each other with one free copy of all books concerned with the I.P.R. field that are published under their auspices.

The Secretariat has secured from ten national councils the names of all the principal libraries in each country containing complete and partial sets of *Problems of the Pacific* and other I.P.R. publications. This information will be circulated in mimeographed form to all national councils.

A small Secretariat publication office has been established for an experimental period in Shanghai, and a number of Secretariat publications are being printed in Shanghai and Tokyo. The first books to have been printed are *Living on a Moderate Income,* by Emily Huntington and Mary Gorringe Luck and *The Problem of Peaceful Change in the Pacific Area,* by H. F. Angus.

Some Publications Issued Since the Yosemite Conference

A History of the Press and Public Opinion in China, by Lin Yutang (179 pp.), which was published by Messrs. Kelly and Walsh, Ltd., Shanghai, for the China Institute of Pacific Relations for presentation at the Yosemite Conference (Yuan 2.00; to I.P.R. members Yuan 1.50), was published early this year in the United States by the University of Chicago Press (Price $2.00) and in the British Empire by the Oxford University Press (Price 8s. 6d.).

Another work issued under the auspices of the China Institute of Pacific Relations, and presented as a data paper at Yosemite,

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namely, *The New Monetary System of China,* by W. Y. Lin, author of *China Under Depreciated Silver, 1926-31,* (175 pp. Kelly and Walsh, Ltd., Shanghai. Price Yuan 1.75; to I.P.R. members Yuan 1.25) has also been published in the United States (University of Chicago Press. Price $2.00). It is being published in the British Empire by Messrs. P. S. King and Son. Price *about* 7s.

The first impression of the English edition of *The Economic Position of the Chinese in the Netherlands Indies,* by W. J. Cator, LL.D. (264 pp. Basil Blackwell, Oxford. Price 12s. 6d.) has been exhausted. An American edition was published this spring by the University of Chicago Press. Price $3.00. The book was issued under I.P.R. auspices as being a report bearing on the international research programme in the field of Migration and Pacific Dependencies.

Lectures on Japan, a posthumous collection of essays in English by the late Dr. Inazo Nitobe, was published in Japan by the Kenkyusha Press, Tokyo, and is also being published, under the auspices of the Japanese Council of the Institute, in the British Empire by Messrs. Ernest Benn, Limited, London, and in the United States by the University of Chicago Press. Price $2.00.

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SECRETARIAT

The Secretary General, Mr. E. C. Carter, after several visits to the various branches of the Canadian Institute and the American Council in the five months following the Yosemite Conference, sailed for the Far East early in March. He spent several weeks in consultation with officers and members of the I.P.R. groups in Honolulu, Tokyo, Osaka, Shanghai and Nanking and in June visited the Philippine Council. He returns to Shanghai and Peiping, and about July 18th will go to Vladivostok where he is to make a tour of parts of the Soviet Far East in the company of Mr. Y. P. Bremman, the secretary of the U.S.S.R.

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Council, before proceeding in August to Moscow and later to Amsterdam, Paris and London. He will be joined in Moscow by Miss Kate Mitchell, who has remained in New York in charge of the Secretariat's research and publication work there.

Mr. Owen Lattimore, after a period of study in London, returned to China in March. His headquarters until further notice are at 33, Ta Yuan Fu Hutung, Peiping.

Mr. W. L. Holland left New York in January to spend two months at the Food Research Institute, Stanford University. He arrived in Shanghai at the end of April after visiting I.P.R. members in Honolulu and Tokyo in connection with the organization of new research projects. He will be in Peiping from the beginning of August to the end of October and may be addressed care of Mr. Lattimore. From December to February he is to visit Hawaii, New Zealand, Australia and Java before returning to China in March to prepare for the Research Conference.

Mr. Richard Pyke left New York in January and after visiting London, Amsterdam, and Moscow, arrived in Shanghai in March to take charge of the Secretariat's publications programme in the Far East. He will leave Shanghai next March, returning to England. His address is care of the China I.P.R. in Shanghai.

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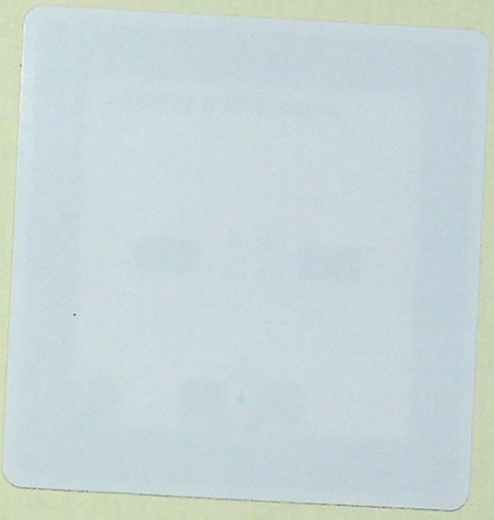

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