instructive both as a demonstration of a unique "crash" program of economic development in Africa and as a commentary on Arab-African relations.

Discussion led by Mr. Wilmington and the session chairman, Conrad Reining of the Library of Congress, who had studied the Zande, showed that there had been a lack of community development and that the population had been dispersed. The influence of the paysannat system of the Belgian Congo was also mentioned; rotation of crops had not been introduced in the Zande scheme itself but the Sudanese Zande had been influenced by their fellow tribesmen across the border.

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NEWS AND NOTES

At the meeting of the Board of Directors, held in Hartford Seminary Foundation, immediately after the annual meeting of the A.S.A., Professor Paul J. Bohannan was named as Chairman of the 1961 Program Committee, and Professor Gwendolen M. Carter was named Chairman of the 1961 Nominating Committee. The next issue of the Bulletin will carry details as to the dates and location of the 1961 Annual Meeting.

The following persona are now serving as members of the Library Committee of the Association; dates of expiry of membership are shown in brackets: Peter Duigsnan (1963), Philip Curtin (1963), John Galbraith (1962), Mary Herrick (1962), David Jolly (1961), Robert Baum (1961), Dorothy Porter and Conrad Reining (indefinite terms). Dr. Baum is chairman of the committee.

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Carnegie Corporation has granted $6,500 to the African-American Institute toward expenses of a Nigerian student scholarship program, and $55,000 to the American Council on Education for a conference on education in East Africa. The Corporation has also made the following grants in Africa: to the Nigerian College of Arts, Science and Technology, $56,000 to strengthen the regional service of the Department of Education; to the University of Nigeria, $10,000 for support of a seminar on education; to Makerere College, $62,000 for expansion of its extra-mural program.

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The Ford Foundation has announced a series of grants totalling $15.1 million to Columbia, Harvard, and the University of California to help establish their non-western and related international studies as part of their permanent academic programs. The Columbia and California programs include African studies. The grants will support activities for a ten year period and their size and long range nature are designed to allow each university scope leeway in developing its own plans and programs.

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The Ford Foundation also announced a grant of $80,000 to the Institute of Applied Economics, Paris, to support a program of research and training activities relating to African development, $1 million to Michigan State University to expand studies of areas where it has technical assistance programs; $200,000 to Spelman College, Atlanta, in cooperation with four other institutions (Clark, Morehouse and Morris Brown Colleges and Atlanta University); and $225,000 to Massachusetts Institute of Technology to help promote industrial development in Africa through internships for graduates of its School of Industrial Development.

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A three-year program designed to strengthen teacher education in Africa has been inaugurated at Columbia University with a grant of $450,000 from Carnegie Corporation. The program aims also at more efficient cooperative use of resources in this area in Africa and the United Kingdom, and the United States, and hopes to strengthen mutual appreciation among participants, of African and American educational problems. The goal will be to assist in the steady emergence in Africa of educational patterns suited to African realities, which can draw on everything proved of value elsewhere which might be adaptable to African needs.

Professor Karl Bigelow of Columbia will direct the program and will be assisted in establishing general policy by representatives of six participating institutions in Africa as well as the University of London. A pattern of staff interchange will be established, a scholarship program for Africans to pursue advanced studies in education devised, and research facilitated. A special coordinated program designed to prepare Americans for educational work in Africa will be developed jointly by the University of London and Teachers College, where a new unit on African education will be established.

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The American Federation of Arts is now circulating in this country an exhibition entitled Young Artists of Africa, composed of 30 paintings and 10 prints which were done recently by Bantu boys aged 9 to 14 in Southern Rhodesia. The exhibit, which will be available through 1961-62, is scheduled for the following dates and places: Tampa Art Institute, Florida, November 10-30; Peoria Art Center, Illinois, December 15 - January 5; Antioch College, Yellow Springs, Ohio, January 19 - February 9; Bergstrom Art Center, Neenah, Wisconsin, February 19 - March 19; Museum of Art, Greenville, South Carolina, April 1 - 22; Eastern Washington College of Education, May 10 - 31.

There are still open dates in the schedule for the exhibition which requires 75 running feet of wall space; the rental fee for a three-week display period is $65 plus shipping costs. Further information may be obtained from Diane Goetz, Associate for Circulation, American Federation of Arts, 1083 Fifth Avenue, New York 28, N.Y.

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The American Council on Education has announced the appointment of a seven-member Committee on Language and Area Centers, with President E. Wilson Lyon of Pomona College as Chairman. The committee will advise the Council in connection with its contract with the U.S. Office of Education to make an inventory of centers for the study of rare languages established under the National Defense Education Act. There are now 46 such centers. A report summarizing their programs will be issued late in 1961.

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The New York Public Library is now assembling and micro-filming official government gazettes from over 40 African governments. A catalogue showing the films prepared by the Library, most of them for very recent years, is now available, and prints are now on sale by the Library. It is hoped later to film gazettes of earlier years and produce a retrospective catalogue. Inquiries may be addressed to the Photographic Service Division, New York Public Library, 5th Avenue at 42nd Street, New York 18, N.Y.

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The Association has been asked to help supply any information about books, films or other instructional materials on Africa which would be appropriate for school use for fourth and fifth graders. Mr. Charles Godwin, Meadowbrook School, Farm Road, Weston, Massachusetts, is particularly anxious to have any suggestions which members may be able to give.

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The papers of Henry Shelton Sanford, who was United States Minister to Belgium 1861-70 and a member of the executive board of the African International Association, are now available to scholars at a Memorial Library in Sanford, Florida. Micro-film copies also exist in the Tennessee State Archives. The 50,000 items include material on the Berlin and Brussels Conferences, Sanford's negotiations for recognition of the A.I.A. by the United States, and correspondence with men such as Henry M. Stanley and Sir Rober Mackinnon. A register of the papers has been compiled.

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CONFERENCES AND MEETINGS

The eighth national conference of the United States National Commission for UNESCO, to be held in Boston, October 23-26, 1961, will be devoted to Africa south of the Sahara. Vernon McKay of Johns Hopkins University, A.S.A. representative on the National Commission, has been appointed chairman of the organizing committee.

The U.S. National Commission regularly holds conferences every two years on a subject of major importance to the United States and UNESCO. The conferences attract some 1,200 leaders in the fields of education, science,

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The Fourth National Conference on Exchange of Persons will be held in San Francisco November 30 - December 3, under the sponsorship of the Institute for International Education. The theme of the conference will be "Educational Exchange for the Mutual Development of Nations"; a panel discussion on Africa, and workshops and clinics on current problems of international education, will be included. Speakers from Africa who will be present include Julius Kiano, member of the Legislative Council of Kenya; Kenneth Diké, principal of the University College, Ibadan, Nigeria; Davidson Nicol, rector of Fourah Bay College, Sierra Leone, and Nasr el Had Ali, Vice Chancellor of the University of Khartoum, Sudan.

A meeting to discuss "The Quest for Higher Education in East and Central Africa: Some Public and Private Responses in the United States" was convened by the Phelps-Stokes Fund in July. Approximately 50 African, American and British scholars and educators met to review programs affecting the education of Africans in areas of rapid political and technological change. The conference urged educational aid by the United States on a much larger scale, while American institutions of higher and technical education should also undertake to play a larger role in providing scholarship assistance for African students. The vital necessity of an adequate selection machinery was pointed out, and the group released a statement for Africans in the United States. A detailed report of the conference is to be issued.

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PUBLICATIONS

A Guide to Official Publications of Somaliland 1941-1959 has been compiled by Helen F. Conover of the Africana Section of the Library of Congress. It is available from the Card Division of The Library for 45 cents a copy.

The Library is also at work on a guide to official publication of British East Africa, which will include publications of the East Africa High Commission and the governments of Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyida and Zanzibar.

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The Report of the first International African Seminar, held under the auspices of the International African Seminar at Makerere College in Kampala, 1959, has been issued under the title Kinship, Status and Neighborhood under Modern Economic Conditions in Tropical Africa.

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The Women's Africa Committee of the African-American Institute has issued The Role of Women in Africa reporting on a conference held by the Committee in New York City in November 1959. Copies are available from the African-American Institute, 345 East 46th St., New York, at a price of $1.00.

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The United States and Africa, published by the American Assembly, has now gone into its fourth printing. It is available in paper-back edition.

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A small pamphlet describing its activities and publications has been issued in English by the German Africa Society. The offices of the Society are at Rathausgasse 9, Bonn, Western Germany.

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The External Research Division of the United States Department of State has recently issued ER list No. 714, a list of studies currently in progress on Africa, dated April 1960. Copies may be requested from the Division at Room 1427 NS/E, Department of State, Washington 25, D.C.

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Tropical Africa, a two-volume study in progress for several years, will be published by the Twentieth Century Fund on November 21. Its author is George H.T. Kimble. The first volume will be entitled Land and Livelihood, the second Society and Polity.

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The Phelps-Stokes Fund has issued as Occasional Paper No. 1 a report on Negroes in Rome: An Observation, by G.A. Leiper. It is available on request from the Fund, 297 Park Avenue, New York 10, N.Y.

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A new journal edited by the École Pratique des Hautes Études, Paris, has now appeared under the title Cahiers d'Études Africaines. It is interdisciplinary in approach; the first issue includes a series of studies and essays by Georges Balandier, Denise Paulone, Paul Mercier, Henri Brunschsig and Max Gluckman, as well as descriptive reports on current political and sociological research. The journal is published by Mouton and Co., 68 quai des Orfevres, Paris 1, at a price of 33 N.F. for four issues.

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Clarendon Press, Oxford, will shortly begin publication of a series of volumes of the indigenous poetry and prose in Africa. Each volume in this Oxford Library African Literature will consist of an English translation of a text of cultural value and interest, with introductory essay and notes. Where the number of speakers of an African language justifies it, the entire vernacular text may be given with parallel translation; otherwise representative specimens of the original text will be included.

General Editor of the Series will be Professor E.E. Evans-Pritchard of Oxford, assisted by W.H. Whiteley of the University of London and Godfrey Lienhardt of Oxford. The first volumes are expected to appear in 1961.

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The School of Oriental and African Studies will begin this fall to publish African Language Studies. The new publication, which will appear at least once a year, will be edited by Malcolm Guthrie.

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Human Relations Area Files has recently printed for its member institutions a special set of file slips containing summaries by George P. Murdock of essential data on tribes and peoples of Africa. The whole of Africa is included and essential social, cultural and economic information, plus a selected bibliography, is given for each of approximately 1000 ethnolinguistic groups. One hundred extra sets of this series have been printed and are available for sale at a price of $20. There are 2,000 slips, 5 X 8, sturdily boxed. Address of the Files is 421 Humphrey Street, New Haven, Conn.

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The following recent issues of magazines contain material of interest on Africa:

Intercom, May 1960. A list of materials available on Africa, study guides, films, speaker sources, voluntary organizations, etc. Available from the Foreign Policy Association - World Affairs Center, single copies $1.20.

Human Organization, Fall 1960. A special issue devoted to social science in action in sub-Saharan Africa. Published by the Society for Applied Anthropology, New York State School of Industrial and Labor Relations, Cornell University.

Free World Forum, Spring 1960. Includes a special supplement on tropical Africa. Publication address 912 Sixth Street, N.W., Washington 1, D.C., price $1.00.

Science, September 9, 1960, includes an article by K.R.S. Morris on "New Frontiers to Health in Africa."

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Chemical Week, October 8, 1960. A special report on "Africa Today: Revolution, Growth, New Opportunities" discusses particularly political and economic factors affecting business relations with Africa.

Communantés et Continents, Spring 1960. A report on the second international Congress of African Studies Institutes, held in Paris in January 1960. Available from the Comite Central Francais pour l'Outre-Mer, 41 rue de la Bienfaisance, Paris 8, at 10 N.F. a copy.

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African leaders who have recently arrived in the United States through the International Educational Exchange Service include the following:

Sir de Villiers Graaff, leader of the Opposition, Union of South Africa
Sarwat Okasha, Minister of Culture and National Guidance, United Arab Republic
Yusufu Jega, Official, Council for Province of Sokoto, Nigeria
Abubakar Kogo, Administrative Officer, Northern Nigeria
John B. Abugga, Editor, Taifa and Baragumu, Kenya
Kheir R. Baghdelleh, Managing Editor, Mwafrika, Tanganyika
Olufegun Olusola, TV producer, Nigeria
Paul Sozigwa, Tanganyika Broadcasting Corporation
Mrs. Myra Martin, Headmistress, Ghana International School
Saif Al-Nasr Abd-al-Jalil, Head of Fezzan Executive Council, Libya
Colin Eglin, Jan F.W. Haak, Julius Horak, Hendrik Luttig, Dr. Hilgard Muller, members of Parliament, Union of South Africa.
Andre-Romain Bokwango, Simon Gombo, Zephirin Kidiki, Louis Landu, Vital Mbecke-Safaritabu, Gladiston Mikoto, Simon Siala, Francois Tshiswaka, journalists, Republic of the Congo.
Major Armando Manuel de Abreu, Police Commandant, Mozambique
Mwant Yav, Lunda Leader and Senator from Katanga, Republic of the Congo
Mathias Ngobi, Assistant Secretary General of the Uganda People's Congress.
Cosme Deckon, Director of National Sureté, Togo
Asad Rageh, Secretary General, International Confederation of Arab Trade Unions, United Arab Republic
Abdeu Abdul-Rahman Nour, Ministry of Foreign Affairs, Ethiopia
Stanley Bemba, Treasurer, Democratic Party of Uganda
Jan D. Smith, journalist, Union of South Africa.

These visitors are in the United States as this issue of the Bulletin goes to press; most of them will be in this country for 60 to 90 days.

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