NEWS AND NOTES

The Ford Foundation Foreign Area Training Fellowship Program is to be transferred to the Social Science Research Council and The American Council of Learned Societies. The two groups will assume joint responsibility for the program this spring, following award of fellowships for the 1962-63 academic year. A grant of \$4.6 million has been made by the Foundation to finance approximately 250 fellowships for each of three academic years, beginning in fall 1963.

The fellowship program has been transferred to bring it into closer relationship with the nation's higher educational system. Since its inception in 1952 some 1,200 persons have been awarded fellowships totaling \$9 million for work on Asia, the Near East, Africa, Latin America, and Eastern Europe; nearly one-half have entered academic teaching and research.

Dr. Schuyler C. Wallace will become director of the program under its new administration, and the Foundation's fellowship staff will be transferred to the SSRC.

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The First International Congress of African Culture is now announced for August-September 1962 at the Rhodes National Gallery, Salisbury, Southern Rhodesia. Approximately 70 delegates from Africa, the Americas and Europe will be invited to present papers to the Congress, which will examine intrinsic values and some of the prominent influences of African and Neo-African Art and Music on 20th century world culture. A series of exhibitions will include masterpieces of African sculpture and special shows dealing with African influence on European, Brazilian, West Indian and American Negro Art, as well as with Contemporary Art in Africa. An associated music festival will comprise sessions on traditional music, neo-African music from Brazil and the West Indies, jazz and contemporary African music.

Director of the Congress is Mr. Frank McEwen. Bulletins may be obtained on request from the organizing committee, International Congress of African Culture, P.O. Box 8155, Causeway, Salisbury.

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Recent grants in Africa by the Overseas Development program of the Ford Foundation have included the following: Educational Services, Inc., \$75,000 for a conference and publication on the teaching of elementary mathematics in African schools; Netherlands Economic Institute, \$40,000 for a study of the financing of African higher education; Center for Research and Socio-Political Information, \$45,000 for additional support of a training institute for Congolese leaders; Lovanium University, \$100,000 for continued support of research by its Institute of Social and Economic Research on the social and economic problems of the Congo; Ghana Association for the Advancement of Management, \$9,000 for general support in the establishment of the Association; The Royal College (Nairobi), \$54,000 for the development of a research library and the purchase of scientific periodicals and basic periodicals in other fields; University College of Sierra Leone, \$112,000 to provide facilities for visiting professors and researchers; Makerere College, \$190,000 for training laboratory technicians for East Africa.

The Carnegie Corporation has granted \$90,000 to the American Council on Education for support of its Africa Liaison Committee. Grants have also been made to Northwestern University to develop the international content of introductory college courses, to the University of Ghana for a conference on adult education in Africa, and to the Inter-University Council on Higher Education Overseas for a study of the staffing of African institutions of higher education.

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More than 200 colleges are now cooperating with the African Scholarship Program of American Universities. Some 300 African students are expected to enter American colleges and universities next autumn under the programs' auspices. Selection of students by joint boards of American and African educators began in January 1962.

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The Conference Board of Associated Research Councils has now issued a list of visiting scholars in the United States for the academic year 1961-62, who may be available for occasional lectures. Universities and academic groups may obtain copies of the list, which includes suggested topics on which visitors are prepared to speak, from Elizabeth P. Lam, Executive Associate, Conference Board of Associated Research Councils, 2101 Constitution Avenue N.W., Washington 25, D.C.

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Publications

Announcement is made of a new journal, the Journal of African Languages, to be published three times yearly beginning in Spring 1962. The journal will consist of articles in English, French and German on all aspects of language studies as related to Africa. The journal is under the joint sponsorship of the African Language and Area Center of Michigan State University and the School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London with the cooperation of the African Studies Association. The Editor is Professor J. Berry of the University of London; the Assistant Editors are Professor J. H. Greenberg, Columbia University, Professor P. Lacroix, Ecole Nationale des Language Orientals Vivantes and Professor H. Wolff of Michigan State University. Material for publication and subscriptions at \$5.00 or 36s. per annum should be sent to Professor Jack Berry, Journal of African Language, School of Oriental and African Studies, University of London, Malet Street, London WC 1, England.

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The Journal of African Administration has now been superseded by a new quarterly Journal of Local Administration Overseas. The journal will record recent developments and experiments in administration at the local level, whether in local government or local organization of central government. It will provide a link between research and administration and will review current legislation and other relevant writings. The Journal is compiled and published by the Department of Technical Cooperation; the first issue appeared in January 1962. Annual subscriptions are 11s.4d. from H.M. Stationery Office, P.O. Box 569, London S.E. 1.

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Serials for African Studies, complied by H.F. Conover of the African Section of the Library of Congress, is being reprinted and will again be available from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, Washington 25, D.C. for \$1.00 per copy.

Since an expanded, annotated revision of this list is being considered, all suggestions about it are welcome and should be addressed to the African Section, Library of Congress, Washington 25, D.C.

The Library has also recently issued a second enlarged edition of African Newspapers in Selected American Libraries. It is available from the Card Division of the Library, for 60¢ a copy.

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The Western Personnel Institute, an association of western colleges and universities for cooperation, research and experimentation in student personnel work, has recently issued International Education: A Classified Annotated List of Recent Books, Pamphlets and Periodical Articles. The listing includes material on educational and cultural exchange with Africa, African students in the United States, and curriculum developments in non-western studies. The guide may be obtained for \$1 from the Institute, 1136 Steuben Street, Pasadena, California.

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The Institute of Regional Studies, Western Michigan University, has published Albert John Luthuli and the South African Race Conflict, by Edward Callan. A biography of Chief Luthuli is included together with his Nobel Peace Prize Address and a book list on recent South African history. The pamphlet is available for \$1 from Institute, Kalamazoo, Michigan.

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A Bibliography on Labor Migration in Africa South of the Sahara has been compiled by Hans Panofsky, Curator of Africana in the Northwestern University Library. Material is covered by regions and countries and there is an index of authors and editors.

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A report by Arno G. Huth on <u>Communications Media in Tropical Africa</u> has recently been issued by the Agency for International Development. A limited number of copies are available and may be obtained from the agency.

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The New York Public Library has issued a report listing official gazettes from all parts of the world available on microfilm as of the end of 1961. Inquiries concerning progress of the program may be directed to the official Gazettes Program, New York Public Library, 5th Avenue and 42nd Street, New York 18.

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Travel and Research Grants

Recent travel grants awarded by the Carnegie Corporation have been announced as follows:

- D. R. Day, Director of Education, Basutoland, to study the educational system and educational administration in the United States and Canada. May to July, 1962.
- A.A. Kwapong, Senior Lecturer in Classics, University of Ghana, to study the pattern of higher education and the teaching of classics in the United States. July to September, 1962.
- L. F. Brosnahan, Senior Lecturer in English Language, University College, Ibadan, to study structural linguistics and the teaching of English in the United States. May to August, 1962.
- S. L. Hockey, Professor of Education, Fourah Bay College, to study methods of teaching history and geography in the United States and their relevance to Africa. January and February, 1962.
- M. B. Jones, Government Librarian, Freetown, to study library services and administration in the United States and Canada. March to June, 1962.
- S. P. Cilliers, Professor of Sociology, University of Stellenbosch, to study recent developments in social theory and methodology and to visit centers of African studies in the United States. September to November, 1962.
- F. H. Talbot, Assistant Director, Department of Marine Biology, South African Museum, Cape Town, to visit marine research laboratories and natural history museums in the United States. July to September, 1963.

Owen Williams, Senior Lecturer in Geography, University of Natal, to study teaching and research in geography in the United States with special reference to land use. April to June, 1962.

J. B. Fullen, Secretary, Ohio State University Association, to visit South Africa for consultations on alumni organization. January to March, 1962.

Louis M. Lyons, Curator, Nieman Foundation for Journalism, Harvard University, to visit South Africa under the auspices of the United States-South Africa Leader Exchange Program, Inc., for consultations on the training of journalists. June to August, 1962.

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The following American lecturers and research scholars have received United States government awards for work in Africa for the academic year 1961-2, under the Fulbright and Smith-Mundt acts:

Edward B. Fry, Loyola University of Los Angeles, to lecture on reading psychology, Makerere College, July 1961-March 1962.

Horace M. Miner, University of Michigan, to lecture on sociology, Makerere College, July 1961-March 1962.

John P. Hollis, Jr., State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, to do research on plant pathology, Scott Agricultural Laboratories, Kenya, September 1961-June 1962.

Terence K. Hopkins, Columbia University, to do research on sociological problems in economic development, Makerere College, September 1961-June 1962.

C. Andresen Hubbard, Warner Pacific College, to do research on mammalian fleas, East African Institute of Malaria and Vector-Borne Diseases, July 1961-March 1962.

Franklin Parker, University of Texas, to do research on the social foundation of education, Rhodes-Livingstone Institute, July 1961-March 1962.

Willard L. Robinette, U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service to do research on wildlife management, Rhodes-Livingstone Museum, September 1961-June 1962.

Max Carleton Shank, University of Illinois, to do research on animal ecology and ornithology in Africa, Makerere College, July 1961-March 1962.

Donald T. Torell, University of California Field Station, to do research on animal husbandry nutrition, Animal Health Research Centre, Uganda, July 1961-March 1962.

Anthony F. J. Dralle, Editor of the "Evening Tribune", Nornell, New York, to lecture on journalism, University College of Ethiopia, September 1961-June 1962.

Harold G. Marcus, Boston University, to lecture on African studies and Western History, University College of Ethiopia, July 1961-July 1962.

Johan Ernst Moes, University of Virginia, to lecture on economics, University College of Ethiopia, February 1961-August 1961.

William T. Hooper, Northwestern University, to lecture on architecture, University of Khartoum, June 1961-April 1962.

Harold E. Klontz, Auburn University, to lecture on economics and business administration, University of Khartoum, July 1961-May 1962.

Farnham M. Rehfisch, formerly Trainee and Copy-Writer, Russell, Harris and Wood, San Francisco, to lecture on social anthropology. University of Khartoum, July 1961-May 1962.

Frederick A. Williams, Agricultural and Technical College of North Carolina, to lecture on rural economics, University of Khartoum, July 1961-May 1962.

Alan Altshuler, Swarthmore College, to lecture on political science. Makerere College, July 1961-April 1962.

Bernard J James, University of Chicago, to lecture on public administration, Makerere College, February 1961-March 1961.

Grant McConnell, University of Chicago, to lecture on public administration, Makerere College, February 1961-March 1961.

Victor A. Thompson, Illinois Institute of Technology, to lecture on Public administration, Makerere College.

Stephen Enke, Southern Methodist University, to lecture on economics, University of Cape Town, February 1961-July 1961.

Herbert Krause, Augustana College, to lecture on American literature, Universities of Witwatersrand and Natal, February 1961-November 1961. Hugh G. Wales, University of Illinois, to lecture on marketing, University of South Africa, February 1962-August 1962.

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The following African visitors have recently arrived in the United States. They may be reached through the Department of State Office of Cultural Exchange.

Sidi Mohamed Ould Abderrahmane, Governor of Nema district, Mauretania.

Malic Fall, Attache to the President of the National Assembly, Mauretania.

Sidi Ahmed Ould Kaback, Deputy in the National Assembly, Mauretania.

Mrs. Joyce Newton-Thompson, Mayor of Cape Town.

Karani Clement Lubembe, Deputy General Secretary, Kenya Federation of Labor.

Hubert Ratsiandawana, Secretary-General, Federation of Chambers of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture of Malagasy.

Abdelhamid Zemmouri, former provincial governor, Morocco.

Richard Van der Ross, Principal, Battswood Training College for Teachers, South Africa.

Stefan M Naude, President of the South African Council for Scientific and Industrial Research.

Joyce Aluko, Medical Social Worker, Nigeria.

Samuel Adepoju Aluko, Lecturer in Economics, Nigerian College of Arts, Science and Technology.

Steve Rhodes, Assistant Controller of Television, Nigeria.

Johannes Botha, Chief of the Division of Youth Service, Pretoria, South Africa.

Sayed Nur Mohammed Nurel Huda, Agriculture Manager, Gezira Board, Sudan.