Research and its handmaidens, abstracts and bibliography, seem to be stressed this year so far. Medicine and business have some interesting new facets.

Abstracts, bibliography. The Central Abstracting Service of the American Petroleum Institute has begun Abstracts of Refining Patents which in addition to the United States, will include information on patents in Australia, Belgium, Canada, France, Germany, Great Britain, Italy, The Netherlands, the Union of South Africa, and the Union of Socialist Soviet Republics; Venezuela will be added later. The arrangement is by subject with all items consecutively numbered. Hospital Abstracts, prepared by the Ministry of Health of Great Britain, covers world literature on hospital administration, excepting strictly medical and related professional matters. The arrangement is by subject under which the consecutively numbered items are listed by author; there is an author index. To complement its Prevention of Deterioration Abstracts, the Prevention of Deterioration Center is starting Environmental Effects on Materials and Equipment Abstracts; the former covers "natural" environmental factors, the latter is to cover "induced" environmental factors—"mechanical shock, vibration, excessive heat, vacuum, gravity, magnetism, electromagnetic radiation, dissociated and ionized gases, plasma, meteoritic dust, aurorae, and coronae." No abstracts in fields covered elsewhere will be included, e.g. effects of artificially produced nuclear radiation on materials. In each issue the abstracts will be arranged by the factors with a subject index. International Aerospace Abstracts has a subject arrangement; individual items, numbered consecutively, are entered under title followed by author and bibliographical data. An author index is included in each issue. This publication is sponsored by the National Science Foundation and the Office of Scientific Research of the U. S. Air Force. The first issue of the Acquisitions List of Antarctic Cartographic Materials lists the cartographic data available at United States organizations: Aeronautical Chart and Information Center, Antarctic Projects Offices, Department of State, Geological Survey, Hydrographic Office, Library of Congress, Navy Task Force 43; and at the American Geographical Society. Items are arranged by gazetteers, geodetic data, maps, and photography. The Quarterly Check-List of Mathematics; an International Index of Current Books, Monographs, Brochures & Separates, and the Quarterly Check-List of Psychology; an International Index of Current Books, Monographs, Brochures & Separates list items alphabetically by author, in numbered sequence. Full bibliographical information including price and type of binding is included. Medical Literature, Inc., is preparing Psychopharmacology Abstracts, which contains short summaries of world literature; the agency hopes to include works in a span of three to six weeks after their publication. To enable librarians more readily to obtain information about reports of international meetings, the Union of International Associations has begun publication of Bibliographie Courante des Documents, Comptes Rendus et Actes des Réunions Internationales. Under subjects (listed both in French and English) items are listed by the organization or by editor (if by editor the name of the organization is brought out either in the title or in a note); imprint, collation, and series are given; price, if known; notes when necessary, as to language. Training Research Abstracts abstracts magazine articles, bulletins, books, reports, etc., on training; it also contains annotations of bibliographies. Items are arranged by the author whose work is abstracted; they will, apparently, cover any kind of training.

Art. Artist’s Proof will devote itself to printmaking anywhere and in any stage.
when worth is present. The first issue, illustrated, has articles on Rolf Nescheck, Harold Paris, Shiko Munakata as well as on other artists. There are also biographical sketches of the contributors.

**Business, Commerce, Economics.** Believing that the discount house is here not only to stay but also to grow, the publishers of *DM; the Discount Merchandiser* hope to point out ways that will lead to greater mass merchandising outlets. The highly illustrated first issue chiefly contains articles on experiences and policies of established businesses. *Studi Internazionali di Economic Finanziaria* is in four large groups: Dottrina ("Il Riscatto dell'Italia N°2 di Leo Solarì; Sono Troppi i Capitoli del Bilancio? di Rino Onofri; Una Vertenza Italiana alla CEE: Legittimità dei Diritti Compensativi all'Entrata e Ristorni all' Esportazione di Elvio Tamburro"); Commenti, Note, Informazioni; Panorama Tributario; and Varie di Attualità. The Bureau of Economic and Business Research, University of Illinois, has begun *The Quarterly Review of Economics & Business* which is not confined to Illinois faculty. The articles in the first issue are preceded by a grouping of summaries of all contributions plus biographical sketches of the authors; there are articles on government spending, industrial relations, instalment credit, interest, womanpower, etc. Signed book reviews are included. "The evolution of metal distribution from a warehousing operation to a complex processing and service industry is a comparatively recent phenomenon, brought about by the change in the needs of the metal consumer." The purpose of *Metal Distributor* is to serve this industry whose worth is now reckoned at four and one-half billions of dollars. *Schiff und Strom* will be devoted to inland shipping and water ways, harbors, and wharfs. The first few issues contain technical and lighter articles, plus a section "Die Frau an Bord." At the same time, this publisher is issuing *Seeverkehr* to cover a comparable field in sea navigation. The International Bureau of Fiscal Documentation is initiating *European Taxation* which will give helpful data on tax laws, current and new, of the various countries in Europe. There will be a section for readers' questions, to which the bureau will offer solutions. With international editorial and advisory boards, *Management International* will devote itself to identifying and solving management problems by publishing the experiences of those in practical work and the researches of the academicians. A section of annotated bibliography is included. Each contribution will be in three languages: the author's own—English, French, German, or Italian; in English; and a condensed version in another of the languages listed.

**Countries.** Because of the general interest in Africa, *Ghana Notes and Queries* is included in this list even though the publication is intended by the Council of the Historical Society of Ghana to be primarily for Ghanaians to bridge the gap between professional and amateur historians. The first issue, mimeographed, in addition to articles and news notes, contains a bibliography of periodical literature on Ghana and West Africa. The constant increase in the number of countries in Africa and Asia brings new forces into world cooperation and government. *Asia & Africa Review*, by presenting these developments, will contribute to understanding and to abolishing prejudices. The first issue has, among others, articles on China, the United Arab Republic and Sudan, apartheid, Portuguese colonies, Mauritania, and book reviews. The Chamber of Commerce of Czechoslovakia is publishing *Czechoslovak Foreign Trade* in four editions (English, French, German, and Spanish) to deliver abroad information concerning economic development in Czechoslovakia, with emphasis on foreign trade and economic cooperation. *Est Europeo, superseding L'Altra Europa*, will present political, economic, social, and cultural information on the countries in Eastern Europe which are in the sphere of Soviet influence. The first issue has articles on Poland, Czechoslovakia, Hungary, and Albania. Under the editorship of Imre Kovacs, *The Hungarian Quarterly* will present current problems of Hungary. The January issue has articles by Ferenc Nagy, Anna Kethly, Thomas J. Dodd, and Imre Kovacs; the disarmament question as discussed on NBC by Edward Teller and Leo Szilard; documentary items (e.g., statements from the then President-Elect of the United States); reports from the United Nations; and reviews of publications from present day Hungary. *Korean Report* will attempt to keep up with the rapid changes in current
prime purpose of the Journal of the Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME is to provide a forum for disseminating information to engineers in the petroleum industry. Highly technical articles are each preceded by an abstract and followed by references. The last page has portraits and biographical sketches of contributors. The expanding plastics industry (world production for 1960 was estimated at more than six million tons) thrusts upon the engineer the vast task of keeping up with new designs, new types, new machinery, new developments, etc. International Plastics Engineering will try to aid manufacturers and technologists in this pursuit. The first issue has articles on blow moulding in the United States; injection moulding in Austria and in England; heat welding in Hungary; a plant lay-out in England, a section on new equipment; etc.

GENERAL CULTURE. CURRENT EVENTS. The first issue of Anarchy contains four articles: “Rescuing Galbraith from the Conventional Wisdom” (unsigned); “Sex-and-Violence and the Origin of the Novel,” by Alex Comfort; “Education, Equality, Opportunity,” by John Ellerby; and “The ‘New Wave’ in Britain,” by Nicolas Walter. The second issue will be a symposium on “Workers’ Control.” Asian Survey is issued by the Institute of International Studies, University of California, as a successor to the Far Eastern Survey, “to provide insights into current developments in Asia—to concern itself as much with the topical foreground as with the background of contemporary affairs.” The first issue contains articles varied in scope on food, missionaries, cities, and the Diet of Japan, India, China, Burma, and Indonesia. So that Americans may draw their own conclusions or make their own decisions concerning foreign opinions, Atlas will offer contributions in foreign periodicals, translated or verbatim; topics will range from “art to zoology.” The editors, headed by Eleanor Davidson Worley and Quincy Howe, have lived and worked abroad. There are signed book reviews. The Institute of Caribbean Studies, University of Puerto Rico, is issuing Caribbean Studies to cover all fields—save natural sciences—of the area. The first issue is in sections: articles (“Language and Society in St. Lucia,” “The Status of the Church in Saint-Dominique during the Last Years of the French Monarchy, 1781-1793”);
research notes; book reviews (signed); notes on institutions and persons (grants, fellowships, congresses, programs, courses); and current bibliography (1961 imprints). Context is tied to the University of Chicago in that all contributors have some academic, cultural, or administrative relationship with the university, the contents were presented either by university personnel on or off the campus, or by guests on the campus; the subject matter is not limited. In answer to many requests, the International Committee of the Red Cross is issuing the Revue Internationale de la Croix-Rouge in an English edition. The International Review of the Red Cross. Any articles on problems stemming from the rights of man will be included as long as the opinions expressed are not contrary to Red Cross principles. In addition there are many news items on Red Cross activities and book reviews. Kontinent; das Europäische Nachrichtenmagazin is somewhat in the familiar Time pattern, with its many portraits and subject arrangement. This publication will perhaps give different slants to our news stories. By causing individuals to search inwardly, Neue Sammlung; Göttinger Blätter für Kultur und Erziehung purposes to help bring understanding and unity into the field of human relations, which had been destroyed worldwide.

Gerontology. Because the study of aging involves a wide reach of subjects (medical, social, economic, genetic, etc.) the Gerontological Society decided to issue a journal that would facilitate communications among all workers in the field. As a result, the articles in the first issue of The Gerontologist are also wide spread: successful aging, living arrangements, reaction to disasters, skid row, productivity, personality of caretakers, etc.

Law. The Journal of Family Law owes its existence to a recommendation from the Committee on Family Law of the Association of American Law Schools that there be such a journal; and the Law School of the University of Louisville was granted the privilege of publishing the periodical. The first issue includes among others, articles on divorce, marriage counseling, and ancient laws on adultery. Juristische Schellung intends to aid teachers to develop scientifically schooled lawyers and to supplement the academic training of young lawyers; it wants to discuss methods by which to grasp legal matters of facts and value relations. Wisconsin Continuing Legal Education will enable lawyers in Wisconsin to continue their legal education through advanced, specialized, or practical instruction, gauged to meet the specific needs of lawyers whether they are experienced or newly admitted. The first issue has contributions on damages by the editor, James D. Ghiardi (Marquette University Law School); on probate law by the Milwaukee County Register of Probate, Eugene M. Haertle; on fees by Eugene C. Gerhart of New York; and on trial practice by Charles O. Brizius.

Literature. The first issue of Metamorphosis contains poems and short stories some of which are illustrated. For some of the contributors this is the first appearance in print. Dasein aims to provide "an exhibition place for contemporary art in all the media that can be reduced to the printed page." The first issue contains chiefly poetry and short stories. The Poetry Seminar, a group of Chicago poets, is issuing Chicago Choice to contain "good new poems." Later, other groups of poets, e.g., St. Louis, will be featured if material is available. Under the editorship of Alonzo Gibbs, The Kinsman, hand printed, will publish poetry and essays "in the tradition of thoughtful observation and intimacy established by Montaigne, Lamb, Addison and Steele, and others." Each issue of L'Esprit Créateur will be devoted to a critical study of French literature either of one author or of one movement. The first issue comprises studies upon André Gide by faculty members of educational institutions in the United States; succeeding issues are to cover poetry of the Baroque Age, Stéphane Mallarme, Pierre de Marivaux, Stendhal. Signed book reviews are included.

Medicine. The Pharmaceutical Manufacturers Association has decided to issue Medicine at Work to describe how people, organizations, and professions grapple with various health questions. The first issue is devoted chiefly to poison control centers. Dental Management aims to help the practicing dentist in respect to his time, money, and energy; therefore, it is not meant to be in the waiting room. The readable articles are not long and cover such items as social security, collecting bills, investments, and partnerships. Because successful treating of pa-
patients with allergies is a complicated affair, requiring approach from both mind and body, and because certifying specialty boards set up divisive areas, the practicing physician feels restraints. The Journal of the Children’s Asthma Research Institute and Hospital purposes “to break down the barriers of compartmentalization, thereby enabling the practicing physician to become acquainted with all those factors required in the total treatment of the allergic patient.” The first issue is devoted to the proceedings of the second National Seminar of Regional Medical Consultants. “General and Comparative Endocrinology will publish articles based on studies on cellular mechanisms of hormone action, and on functional, developmental, and evolutionary aspects of vertebrate and invertebrate endocrine systems.” Each study is preceded by a summary. The editors are Aubrey Gorbman, Columbia University, and E. J. W. Barrington, University at Nottingham, Eng.; the advisory council and board of editors is international in scope. The Review of the Institute of Applied Psychology contains papers which are based on the authors’ experiences in their practices. While the contributors to the first issue are all members of the Institute, there is no statement concerning future policy. The first issue of The Journal of Surgical Research contains descriptions of experiments and studies performed at medical institutions in the United States—save one—which are aimed to advance surgical knowledge. These studies are on tissue, respiration, renal cooling, aortic teflon grafts, the liver, peritonitis, etc., illustrated, well documented with references and accompanied by summaries and conclusions. Although the name of The Journal of New Drugs is indicative of contents, it is not to be taken too narrowly since it will include original papers on older drugs in respect to new uses, new methods of administration, and new pronouncements on reactions or toxicity. Most of the contributions in the first issue have summaries; there is a section on the use and actions of new drugs which have become effective by the Food and Drug Administration; and there are book reviews. Specialists in one field of medicine may recommend one treatment for one type of head pains; specialists in a different field, may recommend a different treatment for the same type of pain. The American Association for the Study of Headaches was founded as a forum for the discussion of beliefs and differences of such problems, and Headache will contain papers from the association’s annual meetings as well as original articles on head pains. Nouvelle Revue Française d’Hématologie is a technical journal on chemical pathology of blood. The original research articles are accompanied by summaries both in French and English; the second section “Revue Critique,” is composed of a sizeable work of J. W. Beard with translated title “Les Particularités Essentielles des Virus des Myéloblastos et Érythroblastos Aviaires”; there follow sections of news, summarized magazine articles, and signed book reviews. In an attempt to present speedily original articles on the transfusion sciences (problems, techniques, preservation of blood, genetics, anthropology) Transfusion will give preference to contributions of 2,000 words or less. There is a substantial section devoted to book reviews and abstracts of periodical articles.

NEGROES. The advancement of the Negro, American and African, is accompanied by problems, difficulties, and national and international changes; these The Urbanite hopes to ease through discussions and commentaries of both new and known authors. Among the illustrations of the first issue are photos of the contributors, accompanied by biographical sketches.

PHILOSOPHY. RELIGION. The Liberal Context intends to publish articles containing provocative and critical articles, from any writer or artist, in evaluating “the contemporary forms and experience in religion, philosophy, literature, science, and the arts.” In addition to other articles, the first issue has one on Ingmar Bergman, an article by Margaret Mead, a story and poetry, and a signed book review. This journal is published by the College Centers Committee of the American Unitarian Association in cooperation with Liberal Religious Youth, Inc. The first purpose of International Philosophical Quarterly is to bring together Western and Eastern philosophical thinking since Anglo-Saxon and continental European circles of philosophy have a widening breach. Each issue will have three articles from continental Europe and three or four from the English speaking countries. The journal is under the editorship of the Department of Philosophy,
Fordham University, and the professors of philosophy, Berchmans Philosophicum, Heverlee, Belgium. To provide methods for combating the rise and growth of non-Christian religions and cults is the purpose of Religious Research Digest. The first issue contains articles on the Unity School of Christianity ("Unity"), on Jehovah's Witnesses, on world missions and existentialism; it contains also signed book reviews.

RECREATION. Those journals already in circulation on boating are directed chiefly to the carriage trade, as it were, i.e., the yachtsmen. Watersport is directed to all lovers of the sport, to those who transport a boat on top of the car or on the attached hitch, to those who keep cruisers in marinas, and especially to those who do motor boat racing. Besides articles on racing and boat shows, the first issue has an article on boat construction and on sailing. Stamp World will not compete with the many weeklies on philately in respect to currency of news, but it will try to arouse interest in stamp collecting with articles that will be controversial, original and stimulating. One of the longer articles in the first issue is on Count Ferrary. Only those concerned with the lighter angle of mathematics will be interested in Recreational Mathematics Magazine since it will contain puzzles, brain teasers, tricks, problems, word games, paper folding, etc. The first issue includes a book review and a bibliography for further enjoyment. Steamboats and Modern Steam Launches supersedes S. L. O. W. Bell, and will be devoted to the hobby of amateur steamboating describing what the devotees are doing, how they are solving their problems, how to find, sell, or trade equipment; it will include also articles on steamers of yesteryear.

SCIENCE. Named in honor of Raimond Sabouraud, a French dermatologist, Sabouraudia is the journal of the International Society for Human and Animal Mycology. It will contain articles, chiefly in English, on all aspects of human and animal mycology. The editorial board is international, no two from any one country. The first issue contains reports of technical experiments and studies; it includes signed book reviews. The Institute of Caribbean Studies of the University of Puerto Rico is issuing The Caribbean Journal of Science to stimulate interest and research in the natural sciences of the Caribbean area. In addition to articles on web spiders of the Maricao Forest and birds in southwestern Puerto Rico, the first issue has an extensive bibliography of recent scientific publications on the Caribbean, arranged by subject. The first issue of the Journal of Chemical Documentation contains articles on French nomenclatures in organic chemistry, on services of the Office of Technical Services, on data connected with IGY, on Chemical Abstracts, several articles on the chemist and patent lawyer, on indexing and several on mechanized searching of phosphorus compounds. Infrared Physics will be international in scope, with articles preferably in English; the authors of the experiments reported in the first issue are from Canada, England, Germany, and the United States; the editors are from Belgium, England, and the United States. Articles are illustrated and accompanied by abstracts, the one article in German has the abstract in English. SPE Transactions, published by the Society of Plastics Engineers, contains technical articles, illustrated, on the science and engineering of plastics, including translations of important articles from foreign periodicals. Abstracts of all the articles in the first issue are given on one page at the beginning. Although GT & E Research & Development Journal is being issued primarily to keep personnel of the General Telephone & Electronics Corporation abreast of scientific research and developments in the firm's laboratories, nevertheless, it is being made available to workers in similar fields. American Zoologist will contain chiefly papers from meetings of the American Society of Zoologists and from the society's annual refresher course, with the paramount purpose of keeping workers in specific fields aware of the work going on in other fields. All articles will be in English.

TECHNOLOGY. The ASTM Bulletin was superseded by Materials Research & Standards, an illustrated magazine containing technical papers plus news and notes of the Society and its members, and signed book reviews. By eliminating wasted produce and by clearing up transportation problems, Food Marketing International hopes to stimulate exchange of national foods, thus helping to fill the world-wide need for nourishing food. Each article is accompanied by summaries in German, French, and Spanish.
Periodicals


American Zoologist. Managing Editor, Sears Crowell, Department of Zoology, Indiana University, Bloomington, Ind. v. 1, no. 1, February 1961. Quarterly. $9.00.


Chicago Choice. The Poetry Seminar, Inc., Box 1359, Chicago 90, Ill. v. 1, no. 1, Spring 1961. 2 nos. a year. $2.00.


L'Esprit Createur. 320 4th Street S.E., Minneapolis 14, Minn. v. 1, no. 1, Spring 1961. 4 nos. a year. $3.00.


Ghana Notes and Queries. The Editor, P. O. Box 838, Kumasi, Ghana. v. 1, no. 1, January/April 1961. 3 mos. a year. 1/6 (each issue?)

Headache. American Association for the Study of Headache, 3720 Washington Avenue, St. Louis 8, Mo. v. 1, no. 1, April 1961. Quarterly. $10.00.


Institute of Applied Psychology. Review. Insti-


Journal of Family Law. School of Law, University of Louisville, Louisville 8, Ky. v. 1, no. 1, Spring 1961. 2 no. a year. $3.00.


The Journal of the Children's Asthma Research Institute and Hospital. 428 East Preston Street, Baltimore 2, Md. v. 1, no. 1, March 1961. Quarterly. $8.00.


The Kinsman. 15 Helena Avenue, Bethpage, N. Y. Summer 1961. Quarterly. $1.00.


Management International. Adolph E. Grunewald, Secretary-Treasurer Management International, Graduate School of Business Administration, Michigan State University, East Lansing, Mich. no. 1, 1961. 6 nos. a year. $10.00.


Metamorphosis. 414 Oak Lane, Wayne, Pa. v. 1, no. 1, April 1961. Quarterly. $3.00.


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ON A PILOT BASIS the Center for Documentation and Communication Research of Western Reserve University will establish a retrieval system for educational information. The U. S. Office of Education is supporting the development of this service. Questions are needed to pre-test the system on the basis of user requirements. Readers of this announcement may have questions that represent specific types of information they would like to receive regularly in their fields to keep them currently informed. If so, such questions may be sent to Allen Kent, Associate Director, Center for Documentation and Communication Research, School of Library Science, Western Reserve University, Cleveland 6, Ohio. The questions will be searched and results will be made available to the sender for evaluation.

THE UCLA LIBRARY has become a selective depository for Canadian government publications, in return for which the National Library of Canada will receive publications of the University of California which fall within that Library’s fields of interest.

A three-day institute on library education in the Southeast will be held at the University of Tennessee October 12-14. The purpose of the institute is to develop course outlines for a basic core of library science courses to provide a foundation for graduate and undergraduate programs in the southeast. Inquiries may be addressed to Dorothy E. Ryan, Chairman, Institute on Library Education in the Southeast, 308 Claxton, University of Tennessee, Knoxville 16.

New Periodicals of 1961

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Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME. Journal. Society of Petroleum Engineers of AIME, 6300 North Central Expressway, Dallas 6, Tex. v. 1, no. 1, March 1961. Quarterly. $15.00 ($5.00 to public libraries)


Training Research Abstracts. American Society of Training Directors, 2020 University Avenue, Madison 5, Wis. v. 1, no. 1, January 1961. Frequency not given. $2.00 per issue.


