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LIBRARY.

A library of about one hundred volumes has been established at the secretariat by the generous donations of the Royal Institute of International Affairs, the Institute of Pacific Relations, the World Peace Foundation, the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, the Brookings Institute and the Hon. N. V. Rowell. Periodicals are also being received without charge through the generosity of the Royal Institute of International Affairs, the Institute of Pacific Relations, the American Council of the Institute of Pacific Relations, the Foreign Policy Association of New York, the League of Nations, and the League of Nations Union of Great Britain. Thus a small beginning is being made in the creation of a library on international affairs which will be essential to any extension of the work of the secretariat.

RELATIONS
WITH OTHER
ORGANIZATIONS.

Cooperation between the Canadian Institute and Chatham House has been facilitated by the visit of Mr. Ivison Macadam to Toronto in April, and of Mr. Gerald Palmer and Mr. H. V. Hodson to Canada during the summer. Mr. Palmer and Mr. Hodson attended the informal meeting in Ottawa on August 17th. The link between the Institutes of International Affairs in Great Britain and the Dominions has been strengthened by the dinner given during the Ottawa Economic Conference by the Ottawa Branch on behalf of the Canadian Institute to the officers and members of the Royal and allied Institutes in the Dominions. This dinner was attended by members of all the branches in Canada with the exception of Vancouver and Edmonton. Sir Robert Borden presided. The speakers included Mr. Stanley Baldwin and Lord Hailsham of the United Kingdom delegation, Mr. Mackenzie King, Mr. Alderdice, Premier of Newfoundland, Mr. Moffat, Premier of Southern Rhodesia, Mr. Dulanty of the Irish Free State, Sir Atul Chatterjee, Chairman of the Indian Delegation, and representatives of the delegations from Australia, South Africa and New Zealand.

Through the generosity of Chatham House one copy of each printed or mimeographed memorandum issued by their Information Department, and one copy of each issue of Chinese Press Translations, will be sent to each branch secretary and to the central office. It is hoped that thereby greater use will be made by members of the Canadian Institute of the facilities offered by the Information Department.

The International Institute of Intellectual Cooperation is anxious to obtain the collaboration of the Institute in the work of the Conference of Institutions for the Scientific Study of International Relations which is to be held in London from May 22nd to 27th, 1933. This conference will discuss "The State and Economic Life". The Canadian Institute was unfortunately unable to be represented at the 1932 Conference in Milan. It would be very desirable for it to be represented at the London Conference.

The Secretary wishes in conclusion to express his gratitude to the branch secretaries who have so generously given their time to the Institute. The duties of a branch secretary are growing constantly more burdensome as the work of the Institute expands. It is, therefore, becoming increasingly necessary to discover methods by which this burden may be lightened by transferring, for example, a part of the branch secretary's work to other members of the local branch or to the national secretariat.

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Secretary.