

8. The time limit for seminars was reduced from five to four weeks.
9. The UNESCO University Course is to be dropped entirely.

#### SOCIAL SCIENCES

1. Establishment of an International Social Science Research and Training Centre was postponed. Its place has been taken provisionally by a small Research Office.
2. The proposed subvention to the International Studies Conference was reduced from \$3,500 annually to \$1,750.
3. It was decided that the meeting of experts during 1954 to consider international conflicts and their mediation should be deferred and the study of theories and opinions regarding the causes of war postponed.
4. It was agreed that contracts with the Provisional International Social Science Council should be reduced from \$9,000 to \$6,000, and that the meeting of experts to evaluate international co-operation in the Social Sciences should be reduced in size.
5. The publication of the International Repertory of Social Science Documentation Centres was discontinued.
6. An increase of \$3,000 was approved for work on the Bibliography of South Asia.

#### NATURAL SCIENCES

1. It was decided not to investigate the possibility of forming an Institute for Brain Research. Instead, a small budgetary allocation was allotted to the creation of a Regional Pacific Oceanographic Institute.
2. Financial support for the proposed International Computation Centre was withdrawn.
3. There will be no new travelling science exhibition, and the three existing exhibitions now abroad, will complete their programmes and then will be kept in Paris for the next two years. The estimated saving will be \$38,000.