

- (d) The State and Economic Life. A Group dealing mainly with tariffs.

An interim report will be produced in time for the annual Conference of the Institutions for the Scientific Study of International Affairs to be held in Milan in May 1932. Further reports will appear in 1933, when other aspects of the question will be considered.

- (e) Public Opinion and the League of Nations. This Group has been meeting for some months and a great deal of material has been collected, and this has now been turned over to Sir Norman Angell, who has undertaken the preparation of the draft report.

- (f) Comparative Analysis of Historical Text Books in Twenty-Two Selected Countries. Preliminary work is now taking place.

- (g) Selected Aspects of World Monetary Problems. Sir Charles Addis is Chairman of this group which is now being formed.

- (h) Special Advisory Group. A Group to assist in collecting industrial and financial information for use in monographs on the relation between economics and foreign politics which will be written in the Foreign Office for the use of British diplomatic officials. The monographs may eventually be published by Chatham House.

In addition to these groups, facilities are given to members to form members private groups. Three groups are at present at work:-

1. Analysis of recent Monetary Proposals.
2. The significance of Holding Companies in International Affairs.
3. The International Significance of Domestic Limitations of Sovereignty.

The Study Groups Department is also responsible for arranging periodical meetings of an Economic Division. This Division consists largely of members who were at work last year on the Gold Group. It is addressed only by experts, and the audience is carefully selected so that it is unnecessary for speakers to encumber their discussions by an explanation of elementary economic questions.

Another important development in the research work of the Institute