

- The second publication in a series of special publications issued by the U.S. National Section of the Pan American Institute of Geography and History is now available. The second publication, *A Bibliography of Theses and Dissertations on Latin America by U.S. Geographers, 1960-1970*, was compiled by Ernst C. Griffin and Clarence W. Minkel of Michigan State University. The 240 bibliographic entries are arranged on an individual country basis, while the 37 dissertations in preparation are listed alphabetically at the end of the bibliography. The bibliographic entry indicates if the thesis or dissertation is available on interlibrary loan, has been microfilmed by a university or by University Microfilms, or if the abstract has been published in *Dissertation Abstracts*. The bibliography consists of a preface and a sixteen-page bibliography, and costs \$1.00. Individuals interested in receiving this publication should make their check or money order payable to: Dr. Arthur L. Burt, Chairman, U.S. National Section, PAIGH, Department of State, Room 8847, Washington, D.C. 20520.

- *A Guide to the Manuscripts in the Eleutherian Mills Historical Library: Accessions through the year 1965* by John Beverley Riggs has been published by the Eleutherian Mills Historical Library, Greenville, Wilmington, Delaware. This 1,205-page *Guide* lists the library's extensive holdings in the field of industrial history and the history of one of America's important industrial families. Described in detail are the archives of the Du Pont Company from 1802-1902 as well as a large accumulation of the records of enterprises located in the Delaware River region. A comprehensive index fills over 200 pages.

Included with business and economic records is a large collection of the papers of prominent members of the Du Pont family. Among the over two-and-one-half million manuscripts which fill shelves nearly a mile in extent are the papers of Pierre Samuel du Pont de Nemours,

who led his family to America in 1800. Du Pont de Nemours was a friend of Jefferson and Franklin, a government official in France under the Ancien Regime, and a member of the revolutionary government. To assist the researcher, author Riggs has prepared biographical sketches and chronologies of the more significant personalities and businesses. The *Guide* is available from the Publications Department, Eleutherian Mills-Hagley Foundation, Greenville, Wilmington, Delaware 19807.

- A bibliography of serial publications for the study of sub-Saharan Africa has been issued by the Library of Congress. *Sub-Saharan Africa: A Guide to Serials* is for sale at \$5.25 a copy from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402. Compiled by the African Section of the Library's General Reference and Bibliography Division, the 409-page guide contains 4,670 entries recording a selection of serials published before 1969 in western languages and in African languages using the Roman alphabet. It includes many of the titles appearing in *Serials for African Studies*, issued by the Library in 1961, except that publications specifically on North Africa (Algeria, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia, and the United Arab Republic) have been excluded. Most of the titles are held by the Library of Congress and other American libraries represented in the National Union Catalog. In selecting the entries, the compilers have included monographic series, yearbooks, directories, and annual reports of learned institutions. Several categories of publications have been excluded, however, such as annual reports of African government departments, serials of most territorial, provincial, and municipal administrations, publishers' lists, daily press releases, missionary journals devoted primarily to religious material rather than African affairs, and telephone directories. Notes to several hundred entries include information as to where the serials are abstracted or indexed.

News from the Sections

ART SUBSECTION

Peter Anthony of the University of Manitoba, Architecture Librarian and Chairman of the Art Subsection of ACRL, announces a survey questionnaire sent to 1,200 members of ALA who have, in the past, expressed an interest in art libraries and art librarianship. Its purpose is twofold: to canvass the membership's activities in research projects or special interests; and to elicit response as to the future programs to be scheduled for the ACRL Art Subsection. All who have received questionnaires are urged to

respond. For further information or for the questionnaire, please address inquiries to Mrs. Kerry Zack, Art Library, Box 1605A, Yale Station, New Haven, Connecticut 06520. ■■

ACRL Membership

December 31, 1970	12,249
December 31, 1969	13,996
December 31, 1968	13,580
