

EDITORIAL

EDITING and seeing to the publication of *Asian Perspectives* from the field in northeastern Thailand has led to unexpected delays. Our optimistic forecast that Volume VII would come out in the first semester of 1964 did not develop. I will be in the field in Thailand again while this volume is going through the press so I had better make no predictions.

Our financial situation has improved a bit. We received \$1,950 in gifts or grants to help with specific problems. Two grants were made by the Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, one of \$100 to cover the costs of illustrating B. B. Lal's two papers on India in Volume VII, and \$600 to pay for the translation and plates in this volume's big Japanese Report. From the National Research Council of the United States we received \$150 to help cover the cost of Carlyle S. Smith's paper on Easter Island Archæology that appeared in Volume VI; it was one of the twenty papers presented at the Tenth Pacific Science Congress published in Volumes V and VI. The Honolulu Academy of Arts gave us \$100 to pay for the plates in Erika Kaneko's report in Volume VII on the Ryūkyūs Survey undertaken under their sponsorship. From Mr Allan Mosher we received \$1,000 to pay Mr Colin Smart for managerial assistance, during my absence in Thailand—Mr Smart ran the business end of *Asian Perspectives* from January through September 1964. To all of these sources of needed funds we express our warmest thanks.

Madagascar has now joined Sarawak in making an annual contribution towards the cost of publishing *Asian Perspectives*. We appeal to the Council members of the Far Eastern Prehistory Association to approach their governments to make similar annual grants, so that the journal can play more fully its role of gathering and disseminating information on Man's early migrations and achievements in this part of the world.

The Editor regrets the inconvenience caused to the subscribers of *Asian Perspectives* for the belated publication of this volume. This was due to the nature of the *Japanese Archaeological Terms* section by Dr H. Melichar, which is in Japanese *romaji*, Chinese, German and English, with cross indexes.*

W. G. S.

* Separate copies of this Section (112 pages) are sold for HK\$20 or in the Western Hemisphere for US\$4.

ACCOUNT WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF HONG KONG AS OF 30 JUNE 1964
FOR THE PERIOD BEGINNING 1 JULY 1963

<i>Balance brought forward from June 1963</i>	-	HK\$ 6,895.84	
<i>Income</i>			
1. Receipts from Dr W. G. Solheim II (U.S.\$2,500)	-	-	14,281.86
2. Receipts from sales by the H. K. University Press	-	-	6,331.82
3. Miscellaneous	-	-	<u>54.61</u>
			HK\$27,564.13
<i>Payments</i>			
1. Printing costs of Volume VI and reprints	HK\$17,605.80		
2. Printing costs of Index to Volumes I-V	-	2,045.00	
3. Printing costs of 3,000 circulars for Vol. VI		300.00	
4. Freight, brokerage, insurance, etc. on Vol. VI (ii)	-	-	440.30
5. Commission (25%) on sales	-	-	1,423.49
6. Handling charges, postage and insurance on copies of journal dispatched, proofs, and correspondence	-	-	<u>2,515.64</u>
			24,330.23
Balance in favour of Association	-	-	<u>HK\$ 3,233.90</u>

STATEMENT OF ACCOUNTS AS OF 30 JUNE 1964
(not including balance in Hong Kong)

	<i>Credit</i>	<i>Debit</i>
Cash on hand as of 1 July 1963	US\$ 367.89	
Money received (dues, subscriptions, gifts)	4,117.78	
Credit with Library of Congress	4.00	
Funds from sale of Volume II (ii)	9.00	
Payment to Colin Smart for managing AP 1963-64		US\$ 780.00
Postage		181.79
Brokerage and handling (Volume VI and Index)		17.60
Office supplies		22.11
Payment to Library of Congress		4.00
Payment on indebtedness on Volume II (ii)		9.00
Deposit to Bursar, University of Hong Kong		<u>2,500.00</u>
Total	<u>US\$4,498.67</u>	<u>US\$3,514.50</u>
Money on deposit with Chartered Bank, Hong Kong	HK\$ 156.05	
Assets in the United States as of 1 July 1964		
Deposits in FEPA account	US\$ 984.17	
Indebtedness on Volume II (ii)		<u>570.00</u>
Total	<u>US\$ 984.17</u>	<u>US\$ 570.00</u>

ABBREVIATIONS

AA	<i>American Anthropologist.</i>
AE	<i>Australian Encyclopædia.</i>
AJD	<i>Australian Journal of Dentistry.</i>
AJS	<i>Australian Journal of Science.</i>
AR	<i>University of California, Anthropological Records.</i>
BAE	<i>Bureau of American Ethnology.</i>
BEFEO	<i>Bulletin de l'École Française d'Extrême-Orient.</i>
BDAA	<i>Bulletin of the Department of Archæology and Anthropology, Taipei, Formosa.</i>
BIAS	<i>Bulletin of the Institute of Ethnology, Academia Sinica, Taipei.</i>
BMFEA	<i>Bulletin of the Museum of Far Eastern Antiquities.</i>
BSEI	<i>Bulletin de la Société des Études Indochinoises.</i>
BSEO	<i>Bulletin de la Société d'Études Océaniques.</i>
BTLV	<i>Bijdragen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde.</i>
FEQ	see <i>JAS</i>
FMJ	<i>Federation Museums Journal, Malaya.</i>
GR	<i>Geographical Review.</i>
IB	<i>Information Bulletin, Pacific Science Association.</i>
ILN	<i>Illustrated London News.</i>
JAOS	<i>Journal of the American Oriental Society.</i>
JAS	<i>Journal of Asian Studies, formerly FEQ: Far Eastern Quarterly.</i>
JEAS	<i>Journal of East Asiatic Studies, Manila.</i>
JMBRAS	<i>Journal of the Malayan Branch, Royal Asiatic Society.</i>
JPS	<i>Journal of the Polynesian Society.</i>
JRAI	<i>Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute of Great Britain and Ireland.</i>
JSO	<i>Journal de la Société des Océanistes.</i>
JSS	<i>Journal of the Siam Society.</i>
KZ	<i>Kōkogaku Zasshi.</i>
M	<i>Man.</i>
MH	<i>Malaya in History.</i>
MJTG	<i>The Malayan Journal of Tropical Geography.</i>
MNMV	<i>Memoirs of the National Museum of Victoria.</i>
MS	<i>Monumenta Serica.</i>
NAM	<i>North Australian Monthly, Townsville, Queensland.</i>
NGS	<i>Nieuw Guinea Studiën.</i>
NZAAN	<i>New Zealand Archæological Association Newsletter.</i>
O	<i>Oceania.</i>
PEFEO	<i>Publications de l'École Française d'Extrême-Orient.</i>
PPFEPC	<i>Proceedings of the Fourth Far-Eastern Prehistory and the Anthropology Division of the Eighth Pacific Science Congresses Combined, Quezon City, Philippines.</i>
PIM	<i>Pacific Islands Monthly, Sydney.</i>
PJS	<i>Philippine Journal of Science.</i>
PKNAW	<i>Proceedings Koninklijk Nederlandsch Akademie Wetenschappen.</i>
SA	<i>Scientific American.</i>
SJA	<i>Southwestern Journal of Anthropology.</i>
SMJ	<i>Sarawak Museum Journal.</i>
TBG	<i>Tijdschrift Bataviaasch Genootschap.</i>
VKNAW	<i>Verhandelingen Koninklijk Nederlandsch Akademie Wetenschappen.</i>
VTLV	<i>Verhandelingen tot de Taal-, Land- en Volkenkunde.</i>
W	<i>Walkabout, Melbourne, Australia.</i>
WW	<i>Wen Wu 文物.</i>
ZMRNH	<i>Zoologische Mededelingen Rijksmuseum van Natuurlijke Historie.</i>
ZFE	<i>Zeitschrift für Ethnologie.</i>
ZVRNH	<i>Zoologische Verhandelingen Rijksmuseum van Natuurlijke Historie.</i>