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FUNCTIONS OF THE COUNCIL

The Social Science Research Council was founded in its present form on 21 August 1952. Like its predecessor, the Social Science Research Committee, it is the recognised national organisation of Australian social scientists. Election to membership has been throughout on the basis of distinguished contribution to one or other of the fields of social science.

At the request of certain social scientists associated with the Prime Minister's Committee on National Morale the Australian National Research Council took the responsibility for convening in 1942 a representative meeting of social scientists under the chairmanship of the late Professor R. C. Mills. At their first formal meeting in 1943 the members of the new organisation elected to act as a Committee of the Australian National Research Council with the right of becoming an independent body on giving due notice. From the outset the Committee had the right to select new members, though it formally notified the Australian National Research Council of changes in membership or in office bearers. It also submitted an annual report of its activities. In the early part of 1952 it notified the Australian National Research Council of its intention to become independent. Those holding membership in the "Committee" at this time had the right to become members of the "Council".

The new status necessitated the working out by the Council of its own "Rules". On 3 June 1957 the Council was incorporated as an association having as its objects:—

- (i) to encourage the advancement of the social sciences in Australia;
- (ii) to act as a co-ordinating group for the promotion of research and teaching in the social sciences;
- (iii) to foster research and to subsidise the publication of studies in the social sciences;
- (iv) to encourage and assist in the formation of other national associations or institutions for the promotion of the social sciences or any branch of them;
- (v) to act as the Australian national member of international organisations concerned with social sciences; and

- (vi) to act as consultant and adviser in regard to the social sciences.

(The rules are printed in full in Annual Reports of the Council up to 1961.)

The Council's activities are supported by an annual subvention from the Commonwealth Government and, increasingly, by grants-in-aid from private sources and Foundations. The Carnegie Corporation of New York generously and materially assisted the initial establishment of the Council by matching, for a non-recurrent five-year period, grants made by the Commonwealth. This dual flow of funds in these early years enabled the Council not only to experiment with varied annual programmes, but also to accumulate a small reserve which has been carefully husbanded for the financing of larger research projects initiated and carried out by the Council itself. This side of the Council's work has been actively developed in recent years and has already issued in a major report on the role of women in Australian public and professional life, and in a small volume examining closely the principles and policies of taxation in Australia. With the support of the Myer Foundation, and the Sidney Myer Charity Trust, Council is now bringing to a conclusion a most important project, a detailed study of the place of Aborigines in Australian society. The progress of this work is described in detail elsewhere in this Annual Report.

The Council decided at its Annual Meeting in November 1966 to embark upon an even more ambitious project in 1967, namely an examination of the effect of post-war migration (since 1947) upon the Australian economy and society. The steps that have been taken with regard to this new project are recorded later in this report.

In August 1964 the Council was pleased to learn that exemption from income tax would, in future, be granted to benefactors on gifts made to the Council for research purposes.

Apart from major research projects, the Council's current activities include financial assistance for the organisation of specialised academic conferences; the award of supplementary travel grants for research in South-East Asia; the award of grants (other than personal salary) to individual research workers; subsidies to assist the publication of learned journals and books in the social science field; and publication from time to time of consolidated bibliographies of research in the social sciences in Australia.

ANNUAL REPORT FOR 1967-68

MAJOR RESEARCH PROJECTS

The Aborigines Project. The final meeting of the Aborigines Project Committee was held on 13 November 1967. The Director, Mr. C. D. Rowley, presented a report on the progress of the Project which indicated that the objects of the survey had been substantially achieved. He had completed a volume of some 330,000 words on *Aboriginal Practice and Policy on Australia's Colonial Frontiers* which had been handed to Professor O'Neil, the Chairman of the Project Committee. Mr. Rowley reported further that he had the material for another book on *Aborigines in the Settled and Urban Areas*. Although Mr. Rowley's appointment as Director terminated on 31 December 1967 he very generously offered to defer taking up his appointment as Professor of Political Studies in the University of Papua and New Guinea until late in April, 1968 in order to bring this second book closer to completion. The Council is keenly appreciative of the sacrifice made by Professor Rowley in postponing his departure to New Guinea until 27 April 1968.

The Director also reported on the situation with regard to other contributors to the Project. The studies of Dr. J. L. M. Dawson, Dr. F. Lancaster Jones, Mr. J. P. M. Long, and Dr. R. Taft had been completed and were ready to be submitted for publication. The study by Mrs. P. Beasley of *The Aboriginal Household in Sydney* had been completed and lodged with the Director for use in the preparation of his second book. About half-dozen other studies were still in progress, and some of these at least might be published as part of the Project.

The very size of the manuscript submitted by Professor Rowley caused some concern to those responsible for arranging the publication of the series. At the request of the Executive Committee, Professor Rowley agreed to take the historical chapters from his first book and bring them together to make one volume. This will give a historical

survey of European contact with the Aborigines since 1788 as a background for the whole study. The remaining material from the first manuscript will be used as part of a third volume on *Reserves, Settlements and Fringe Dwellers*. The reorganisation and checking of the material has been a lengthy process but the Council should now be able to enter into negotiations with a publisher. The Council is grateful for the help it has received from its members who have acted as an informal "publication committee", and particularly to Professor B. E. Mansfield and Professor D. Pike, who are not members but have generously given expert advice.

The Project office in Sydney was maintained until March, 1968 for the use of the Director, after which the valuable material collected in the course of the survey was transferred to the Australian Institute of Aboriginal Studies. This fine collection of indexed material is now available there for the use of scholars working in this field. The assets of the Project were sold and the proceeds paid to the Aborigines Project Account. As will be seen from the financial statements at the end of the Annual Report there was a credit balance of just over \$3,000 at 30 June 1968. This sum is available to meet costs of publishing the results of the Project. This task has still to be accomplished but already the value of the enterprise is clear. Copies of Professor Rowley's manuscript have been made available to Dr. Coombs, as Chairman of the recently constituted Council of Aboriginal Affairs, and to his colleagues. They have expressed keen appreciation of the value of this material for their work.

The Myer Foundation which contributed so substantially to financing the Project, (see Annual Report, 1966-67, page 8), continues to take a keen interest in its completion, and in the publication of the results. It has shown a ready willingness to assist in bringing the enterprise to a successful conclusion.

The Post-War Migration Project. The launching of this Project and its organisation were described in the Annual Report, 1966-67, (pages 8-10). During the year 1967-68 the Project Committee met on three occasions (November, 1967, February and May, 1968) to carry out the detailed planning of the programme set out in the last Report.

One of the main concerns of the Council has been to secure the funds needed; these have been estimated at a round figure of \$300,000 over a period of five years. Towards this amount the Council has been

able to contribute some \$12,000 out of the slender reserves held for research purposes. It is hoped that the Council will be able to contribute further small amounts from time to time, but the bulk of the resources will have to come from outside sources. Since the Project has the active and sympathetic support of the Commonwealth Department of Immigration the Council has sought from it an amount of \$50,000 over a period of five years, for work on projects of direct interest to the Department. (It is gratifying to learn before this Report went to press that this provision had been made in the departmental estimates of the Commonwealth Budget for 1968-69). In addition the Council hopes to obtain support from the Commonwealth through the Australian Research Grants Committee. Applications have been made to this body by two of our members for support for specific projects, with the sponsorship of the Council. The outcome of these requests will probably not be known until October, but clearly this could make a valuable contribution to the total programme.

Professor Borrie has informed the Council that in the normal programme of his own Department of Demography at the Australian National University, some studies will be undertaken which will contribute directly to the Migration Project. He estimates that over five years this will make a contribution of \$60,000, or about one-fifth of the total cost. This still leaves a substantial amount, over \$150,000, to be raised from business companies and educational foundations. However, an encouraging start has been made with a gift of \$15,000 (over five years) from the Broken Hill Proprietary Company Limited and substantial donations are expected from other large firms as they are approached. The Council proposes to seek assistance from those industries that have particularly benefited from the employment or transport of migrants.

In the first year the Directors of the Project (Professor R. T. Appleyard and Dr. C. A. Price) concentrated mainly on assisting research studies that were already in progress, and which could with additional help contribute directly to the total Project. But by the end of the year 1967-68, with the prospect of a greater flow of funds, the Council began to approve new projects; the first of these is a second generation study of Polish, German and British Children in Western Australia by Dr. Ruth Johnston. The projects so far supported, the grants approved, and the amounts paid are set out in the following table:—

RESEARCH GRANTS APPROVED IN 1967-68

<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Research Project</i>	<i>Grant Approved</i>	<i>Amount paid in 1967-68</i>
		\$	\$
Professor H. R. Edwards, School of Economics, Macquarie University.	Survey of Consumer Finances.	4,000.00	2,000.00
Assoc. Prof. S. B. Hammond, Department of Psychology, University of Melbourne.	Second Generation Migrants in Melbourne.	500.00	500.00
Professor R. F. Henderson, Director, Institute of Applied Economic Research, University of Melbourne.	Survey of Living Standards in Melbourne.	4,000.00	2,000.00
Dr. Ruth Johnston, Department of Economics, University of Western Australia.	Second Generation Study of Polish, German and British Children in Western Australia.	6,500.00	1,485.00
Professor Jean Martin, Department of Sociology, La Trobe University.	Displaced Persons Organisa- tions.	1,500.00	1,200.00
Mrs. Vera Sauran, School of Sociology, University of New South Wales.	Australian Attitudes towards Migrant Peoples.	240.00	240.00
Dr. R. Taft, Department of Psychology, University of Melbourne.	Jewish Displaced Persons in Melbourne.	300.00	300.00
		<u>\$17,040.00</u>	<u>\$7,725.00</u>

The financial statements at the end of this Annual Report show on how slim a budget the Migration Project has had to operate in its early stages.

However, with the prospect of substantial assistance from the Department of Immigration, and of grants from other sources, the Directors have been able to plan a bolder programme for the future. In the area of economic studies Professor Appleyard reported that valuable material is coming from both the *Survey of Consumer Finances* and the *Survey of Living Standards in Melbourne*. He now proposes a series of studies on *Professional Immigrant Manpower in Australia*. Such a study would set out to analyse:—

- (1) The Intake and Net Gain of Professional Immigrant Manpower, 1947-1966;

- (2) The Changing Determinants of International Mobility;
- (3) Australia's Acceptance of Foreign Qualifications;
- (4) Projected Demand for Professional Migrants;
- (5) A Study of Professional Migrants in an Industry or a Profession.

Such a programme is estimated to cost no less than \$27,000. In addition Professor Appleyard hopes with the assistance of industry to make a survey of a particular industry or enterprise which depends heavily on migrant labour, e.g. steel or automobile manufacture, or building and construction industries.

On the social and cultural effects of immigration Dr. Price aims mainly at second generation studies, analysing the degree of assimilation of various national groups; other studies would concentrate on the mental health problems of migrants, and on delinquency. It is proposed to begin on both types of study simultaneously. The following programme has been approved in principle by the Council subject to funds being available. (The grant to Dr. Ruth Johnston has been firmly approved and also appears in the previous table.)

<i>Study</i>	<i>Research Worker</i>	<i>Estimated Cost</i> \$
Sydney Survey of Adolescents	Professor W. F. Connell	6,000.00
Greek School Children of Redfern	Mrs. Eva Isaacs	6,500.00
Polish, German and British Children in Western Australia	Dr. Ruth Johnston	6,500.00
Melbourne Survey of Delinquency	Dr. Alan Stoller	
or		6,000.00
Monash Survey of Adolescents	Professor P. J. Fensham	
		<u>\$25,000.00</u>

With the prospect of increasing support both Directors hope to push ahead with these programmes in the year 1968-69. At the same time the Chairman of the Project Committee and the executive officers of the Council will pursue their fund-raising campaign.

OTHER SPONSORED PROJECTS

The Australian Institute of Urban Studies. As indicated in the last Annual Report this Institute was formally constituted on 28 June 1967. Since then the Social Science Research Council has had no formal

association with the new Institute but quite a few members of the Council are actively involved in its work. It is pleasing to record that the Institute has made good progress in its first year of existence, and its development and success must remain a matter of keen interest to this Council. The problems with which it is concerned require the co-operation of social scientists as well as that of architects, engineers, and town-planners.

Women in Australia. The revision of this work and the preparation of a second edition is proceeding steadily under the direction of Professor S. Encel. The editor naturally wished to make use of the most recent information from the 1966 Census; this has involved waiting for the necessary tables to become available. However, it is expected that the new edition will be published by F. W. Cheshire Pty. Ltd. in 1969. (See also Annual Report, 1966-67, page 11.)

INDIVIDUAL RESEARCH GRANTS

As reported last year the Council has virtually suspended the making of research grants to individuals, except for travel to South-East Asian countries for research purposes (see next section). Since it is now possible to obtain research grants by application to the Australian Research Grants Committee, the Council has not invited such applications. It would still be competent for the Council to make such grants, however, if warranted by the circumstances. No such applications have been considered by the Research and Travel Grants Committee during 1967-68.

SOUTH-EAST ASIAN RESEARCH TRAVEL GRANTS

These grants were established in recognition of Australia's particular research responsibilities in the South-East Asian and Pacific regions. Consistently with Council's policy of encouraging applicants for funds to make every effort to obtain supplementary assistance from other sources, the policy with respect to these grants originally demanded that applicants provide evidence of other funds available for the support of the research in respect of which the travel grant was sought. Two modifications of policy have now been made.

The Executive Committee has decided that it is consistent with Council's policy for it to make grants, where evidence of other support is not already available, contingent upon the provision of primary support from another source. Evidence of this support must be produced

within a reasonable period after an award of a Social Science Research Council travel grant.

Secondly, the area for which these research travel grants are available has been widened to include the South Pacific Islands, but excluding the Territories of the Commonwealth of Australia. They remain applicable to countries on the south-east borders of Asia from the Indian sub-continent to Japan, inclusive, and also Indonesia and the Philippines. In 1967-68 for the first time a grant was made for a research project relating to the Maori population of New Zealand. The Research and Travel Grants Committee took the view that there was no logical reason to refuse a grant for work in New Zealand provided the project was acceptable. The Executive Committee endorsed this recommendation.

The value of a grant is unchanged at \$300 a month with total limit of \$1,200 in any one case.

TRAVEL GRANTS PAID IN 1967-68

<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Research Project</i>	<i>Amount of Grant</i>
		\$
Mr. K. Bieda, Reader in Economics, University of Queensland.	Japanese Economic Growth and Foreign Trade.	950.00
Dr. P. L. Burns, Lecturer in History, University of Adelaide.	Constitutional History of Malaya, 1920-1957.	483.00
Mr. Prescott Clarke, Lecturer in History, Monash University.	Western Missionaries and the T'ai-p'ing Rebellion, 1850-64.	300.00
Dr. E. H. R. Dowdy, Senior Lecturer in Sociology, University of Queensland.	The training of Tokugawa Samurai.	700.00
Dr. G. A. Oddie, Lecturer in History, University of Sydney.	British Protestant Missions and India, 1840-1914.	500.00
Dr. H. F. Owen, Lecturer in History, University of Western Australia.	The significance of the Theo- sophical Society in India 1880-1914.	652.00
Mr. N. V. Varghese, Lecturer in Education. University of Queensland.	Comparative study of educa- tion in plural societies in Melanesia.	300.00
Dr. V. G. Venturini, Senior Lecturer in Law, University of Queensland.	Legal aspects of business and investment in Singapore and Malaysia.	464.00
		<hr/> \$4,349.00 <hr/>

TRAVEL GRANTS AWARDED IN 1967-68

<i>Recipient</i>	<i>Research Project</i>	<i>Amount of Grant</i>
		\$
Dr. I. G. Bedford, Independent Scholar, 10 Woodville Avenue, Wahroonga, N.S.W.	The Telengana Insurrection: A study in the causes and development of a Communist insurrection in rural India.	750.00
Dr. J. A. A. Stockwin, Senior Lecturer in Political Science, School of General Studies, Australian National University	Political Factionalism in Japan.	1,000.00
Dr. A. D. Ward, Lecturer in History, La Trobe University.	'Towards One New Zealand: the Government and the Maori People, 1840-93'.	240.00
		<hr/> \$1,990.00 <hr/>

Shortly after the above awards had been made Dr. J. A. A. Stockwin informed the Council that he would not be able to make use of the grant in 1968-69 and therefore withdrew his application. From the funds thus made available the Executive Committee, on the recommendation of the Research and Travel Grants Committee, approved two additional awards, viz. to Dr. P. P. Courtenay and Dr. V. G. Venturini.

SUBSIDIES TO LEARNED JOURNALS

Council's objective in assisting the publication of research is furthered partly by supporting learned journals which find it difficult to meet costs while maintaining high academic and production standards. In such cases, of course, Council is concerned to ensure that the journal is economically managed and that all reasonable efforts have been made to increase its revenue from other sources.

In the year 1967-68 only one application was received for such assistance. The Australasian Political Studies Association sought assistance for its journal *Politics*. This enlarged and greatly improved periodical has been well received, and the Council decided that it warranted assistance in its new guise. A grant of \$1,800 over three years has been approved, and the first instalment has been paid.

BIBLIOGRAPHY OF RESEARCH IN THE SOCIAL SCIENCES

The *Bibliography of Research in the Social Sciences in Australia, 1960-63* was published by the Australian National University Press in October 1966 and was distributed to members in November. Some

600 copies were printed and the Australian retail price is \$4.50. There has been a reasonably good demand from libraries and research institutions at 30 June 1968 some 365 copies had been sold.

The previous issues of the *Bibliography* covered the periods 1954-57 and 1957-60 respectively. Copies of these *Bibliographies* are available from the office of the Council for the following charges (post free): 1954-57: 55 cents (Australian), 5/6 (Sterling) and \$1.00 (U.S.A.) per copy; 1957-60: \$1.25 (Australian), 12/6 (Sterling) and \$2.00 (U.S.A.) per copy.

At the Annual General Meeting in November, 1967 Council again discussed what action should be taken about publishing further issues of the *Bibliography*. There was complete agreement that it was important to record both published work and work in progress. The National Library of Australia is interested in the former, and records some 80 to 90 per cent of the work in the social sciences published at home and overseas. Both the Council and the Department of Education and Science are interested in recording research in progress. It is desirable that librarians and social scientists should co-operate to do this. However, the Council has neither the funds nor the resources for this task. Accordingly it was agreed that no action should be taken to produce a *Bibliography* in 1967-68, but that the position should be reviewed after September, 1968.

MEMBERSHIP

According to Rule 3(2)(a) of the Council's Rules, "persons who are deemed to have achieved distinction in one or more branches of the social sciences may be elected to membership of the Council if (i) they are nominated by one member and seconded by two other members and (ii) they are recommended by the Membership Committee after investigation of their eligibility and (iii) they receive the support of a majority of the members for the time being at a postal ballot."

In October, 1967 ten new members were elected as members of the Council. These were Professor R. H. Day, Professor D. P. Derham, Professor S. Encel, Dr. H. Feith, Professor M. C. Kemp, Professor A. W. Martin, Professor J. D. B. Miller, Dr. C. A. Price, Professor A. J. Yates, and Mr. J. A. Zubrzycki. However, Dr. Feith decided to decline the offer of membership at this stage, so the number of new members was reduced to nine.

In the course of the year the Council accepted with regret the resignations of Professor W. Macmahon Ball, Mr. G. M. Long, and Professor R. D. Wright. Professor Wright was a foundation member of the Council, having been present at its first meeting as the Social Science Research Committee of the Australian National Research Council in August-September, 1943.

At the Annual General Meeting in November, 1967 Council approved the creation of a category of "overseas members" at half the ordinary rates of membership subscription. This category is intended to enable members who accept overseas appointments to retain their membership, although without full privileges. There are now four members in this category, and it is intended to amend the Rules to define the status of these members at the next Annual General Meeting.

A list of members of Council as at 30 June 1968 appears on pages 25-28 of this Report.

OTHER COUNCIL ACTIVITIES

History of the Foundation of the Council. The early history of the Council by Dr. K. S. Cunningham was published in October, 1967 under the title *The Social Science Research Council of Australia 1942-1952*. This interesting story of how the Council came into being was written by Dr. Cunningham at the request of the Council itself. The author records how the Council grew out of the Social Science Research Committee of the Australian National Research Council, and describes its early tribulations — especially lack of financial resources. As Chairman for this period Dr. Cunningham was in a unique position to write the story. His services to the Council were recognised by election to honorary membership in November, 1965. It is pleasing to record that there has been a wide interest in the booklet which has been well received. (See also Annual Report, 1966-67, page 17.)

Survey of Research in the Social Sciences. As reported last year (page 17) Professor R. T. Appleyard undertook this survey on behalf of the Council by means of a questionnaire directed to all social science departments in Australian universities. Professor Appleyard presented an interim report to the Annual General Meeting of the Council in November, 1967. The report provided very useful information but Professor Appleyard believed that it could be much more valuable if the information was refined even further by personal interviews with heads of departments. At Council's request Professor Appleyard agreed

to do this and to present a final report to the Council in November, 1968.

Teaching of Social Sciences in Secondary Schools. In the past year the Council has been keenly interested in the teaching of social sciences in schools. Our Chairman, Professor P. H. Partridge, accepted the office of Director of the Seminar in Melbourne organised by the Australian UNESCO Committee for Education for the period 28 August to 8 September 1967, and also delivered a paper. The Council was also represented at the Seminar by Professor A. F. Davies. Other members, especially Professor W. F. Connell, also delivered papers and took an active part in discussions. As a result working parties have been set up in all States to examine the matter and to propose new methods and experiments. The Council has expressed its very great interest in these moves and a willingness to assist in any ways open to it. It is proposed to devote a session of the Annual General Meeting in November, 1968 to a discussion of this and other topics of importance in the social sciences.

Co-operation with UNESCO and International Organisations. The Council continues to co-operate with these bodies to the fullest extent permitted by our limited resources. Professor P. Scott and Dr. A. Hunter represent the Council on the Australian UNESCO Committee for the Social Sciences.

Future Activities of the Council. The Annual General Meeting in November, 1967 set up an *ad hoc* Committee on Future Policy and Functions of the Council. This Committee has held two meetings, in February and May, 1968, and will be presenting recommendations to the next Annual General Meeting. Questionnaires were sent to all members in April, 1968 to ascertain their views on future activities. Although the response was not as good as was hoped, clear views emerged on some matters. Strong views were expressed on the desirability of changing the form of the Annual General Meeting to provide more time for discussion of issues important to the social sciences. In addition there was good support for promoting more communication between social scientists, and for setting up committees (or working parties) to examine leading issues in the social science field. In particular, opinion favoured a Committee on the Census and Social Science Statistics.

Census Users' Committee. In June, 1968 the Council received a letter from the Commonwealth Statistician (Mr. K. M. Archer)

inviting it to nominate three representatives, not necessarily members of the Council, to attend the inaugural meeting of a Users' Advisory Committee on the Census of Population and Housing on 22 July 1968. The Council accepted this invitation eagerly, since it fitted in so well with its own objectives referred to in the paragraph above.

Visiting Social Scientist. The Council has been pleased to welcome Professor R. L. Watts of the Department of Political Studies, Queen's University, Kingston, Ontario, who arrived with his wife in May, 1968 for a visit of four months. Professor Watts is making a comparative study of federalism with the aid of a grant from the Canada Council. In the course of his visit he has been able to visit all States and most of the universities. In each university visited he has given some lectures and seminars. For its part the Council has been pleased to help Professor Watts with the planning of his itinerary, and arranging for his reception in each centre visited. Members of the Council have been particularly co-operative in enabling Professor Watts to meet academics, public servants and members of parliament who could contribute towards the study in which he is engaged. He had previously made a study of federalism in West Germany, Switzerland, Pakistan, India and Malaysia.

Financial Matters. At the Annual General Meeting on 15 November 1968 it was decided to change the Council's financial year. For some years this had run from 1 September to 31 August, but this left an uncomfortably short time for auditing the accounts and preparing and printing the annual report for distribution in October. Accordingly Council agreed that in future the financial year would end on 30 June each year. The result is that the present Annual Report, and the financial statements, cover a period of only ten months. Consequently the deficit on the year's operations is less than it would otherwise have been. In the course of the year Council made grants of some \$12,000 to the Migration Project from its own funds, and its reserves have been correspondingly reduced.

Office Accommodation for the Secretariat. Last year's Report (page 18) referred to the arrangement made with Mr. H. L. White and the National Library of Australia to occupy offices in the new library building about June or July 1968. In the event, it was judged wiser to defer the move until after the formal opening of the new building on 15 August 1968. It is now expected that the transfer will take place in mid-September, 1968.

PUBLICATIONS SPONSORED OR ASSISTED BY THE COUNCIL

Reports on Major Research Projects

- Norman MacKenzie: *Women in Australia*, F. W. Cheshire Pty. Ltd., Melbourne, 1962.
- R. I. Downing, H. W. Arndt, A. H. Boxer, R. L. Mathews: *Taxation in Australia: Agenda for Reform*, M.U.P., 1964.

Council's Own Publications

- Bibliography of Research in the Social Sciences in Australia*, 1954-57, S.S.R.C., 1958.
- Bibliography of Research in the Social Sciences in Australia*, 1957-60, S.S.R.C., 1961.
- Bibliography of Research in the Social Sciences in Australia*, 1960-63, A.N.U. Press, Canberra, 1966.
- K. S. Cunningham: *The Social Science Research Council of Australia 1942-1952*, S.S.R.C., 1967.

Publications arising from sponsored activities to date

- Dr. R. S. Adam: *The Academic Background of Asian Students in Australian Universities* (Mimeograph), University of Western Australia, May, 1966.
- Mrs. Madge Dawson: *Graduate and Married*, Sydney University Department of Adult Education, Sydney, May, 1965.
- Dr. S. Encel: 'Recruitment and Careers of Higher Government Officials', *Public Administration* (Sydney), Vol. 18, No. 1, 1959.
- 'The Political Elite in Australia', *Political Studies*, Vol. 9, No. 1, 1961.
- 'Political Leadership in Australia', *Australian Journal of Social Issues*, Vol. 1, No. 2, 1962.
- Professor K. S. Inglis: 'The Australian Catholic Community', Ch. 1 in H. Mayer (ed.), *Catholics and the Free Society* (Melbourne, 1961).
- 'Religious Behaviour', Ch. in A. F. Davies and S. Encel (eds.), *Australian Society: a sociological introduction* (Melbourne, 1965).
- Mr. Stanley W. Johnston and Mr. Richard G. Fox: *Correction Handbook of Victoria 1965*, Criminology Department University of Melbourne, December, 1965.
- Mr. R. B. Joyce: 'Librarians Can Win Historians, and Still Influence Other People', *Archives and Manuscripts*, Vol. 2, No. 3.
- 'Sir William MacGregor — a Colonial Governor', *Historical Studies, Australia and New Zealand*, Vol. 11, No. 41 (November 1963), pp. 18-31.
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SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED
BALANCE SHEET AS AT 30 JUNE 1968

LIABILITIES		ASSETS	
	\$		\$
Capital Accumulation Account . . .	25,046.25	<i>Current Assets:</i>	
Excess of Expenditure over Income for the period 1 September 1967 to 30 June 1968	11,316.17	<i>Bank of New South Wales, Canberra:</i>	
	<u>13,730.08</u>	Main Account	2,990.85
		Working Account	1,245.45
			<u>4,236.30</u>
		Petty Cash Advance	10.00
		Postage Advance	20.00
			<u>30.00</u>
		<i>Bank of New South Wales, Canberra :</i>	
		Interest Bearing Deposit	8,000.00
		(4½% to 11/4/69)	
		Bank Interest and Interest on Interest Bearing	
		Deposit due but not received	144.54
		Telephone Rental paid in advance	20.00
		Membership Subscription due but not paid . .	10.50
		<i>Fixed Assets:</i>	
		Office Furniture and Fittings (at cost) . . .	1,288.74
	<u>\$13,730.08</u>		<u>\$13,730.08</u>
		A. HUNTER, Treasurer.	

The books and accounts of the Social Science Research Council of Australia Incorporated have been audited in accordance with the rules of the Council. In my opinion this statement is a true and correct record of the transactions shown in the books and accounts examined by me.
30 July 1968.

P. W. BRETT, A.C.I.S., Hon. Auditor.

SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED

Income and Expenditure Account for the period 1 September 1967 to 30 June 1968

EXPENDITURE		INCOME	
	\$		\$
<i>Administration:</i>		Commonwealth Government Grants	16,000.00
Salaries	6,073.88	Cullity Timbers Pty. Ltd. Grant to Migration Project	100.00
Office Assistance	10.15	Bank Interest	152.14
Secretary's Expenses	69.83	Interest on Interest Bearing Deposits	534.67
Honorarium to Auditor	75.00	Members' Subscriptions	918.75
Workers' Compensation Insurance	17.45	Sale of Publications	74.34
Printing, Stationery and Office Requisites	240.01	Excess of Expenditure over Income transferred to Capital Accumulation Account	11,316.17
Postages	141.34		
Rental of Office Premises	302.90		
Telephone and Telegrams	273.13		
Sundry Expenses	30.05		
	7,233.74		
<i>Council and Committee Meetings:</i>			
Travel and Accommodation (Members)	2,758.01		
Meeting Expenses	178.77		
	2,936.78		
<i>Printing of Publications:</i>			
Annual Report for 1966-67	290.00		
History of Council, 1942-52	370.00		
	660.00		
<i>Grant-in-Aid to Aborigines Project</i>	5,000.00		
(Interest Bearing Deposit No. 1557)			
<i>Migration Project:</i>			
Grants-in-Aid	12,100.00		
Research Grant - Professor R. Taft	300.00		
Travel and Accommodation (Research)	71.70		
	12,471.70		
<i>Survey of Research in the Social Sciences</i>			
(Salaries)	193.85		
<i>Grant to Journal (Politics)</i>	600.00		
	\$29,096.07		\$29,096.07
		A. HUNTER, Treasurer.	

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SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED

ABORIGINES PROJECT ACCOUNT

Statement of Receipts and Payments for the period 1 September 1967 to 30 June 1968

RECEIPTS		PAYMENTS	
	\$		\$
Cash at Bank, 1 September 1967	3,056.12	Salaries	5,148.49
<i>Myer Foundation Grant:</i>		Office Rental and Cleaning	502.00
Proceeds of Interest Bearing Deposit No. 1557:		Power and Light	16.55
Principal	\$5,000.00	Stationary and Office Requisites	4.58
Interest	100.00	Card Processing and Printing	285.59
	5,100.00	Telephone and Telegrams	129.53
23 Bank Interest	89.10	Cartage	11.00
Superannuation Refund	13.45	Car Running Expenses	116.40
Repayment of Postage Advance	14.05	Car Maintenance	78.32
Repayment of Petty Cash Advance	31.24	Travel and Accommodation	52.25
Electricity Deposit Refund	19.84	Sundry Expenses	5.00
N.R.M.A. Insurance Refund	4.50	Cash in hand, 30 June 1968	300.00
Sale of Office Furniture and Equipment	442.55	Cash at Bank, 30 June 1968	3,021.14
Sale of Holden Station Waggon	900.00		
	<u>\$9,670.85</u>		<u>\$9,670.85</u>
		A. HUNTER, Treasurer.	

The books and accounts of the Social Science Research Council of Australia Incorporated (Aborigines Project) have been audited in accordance with the rules of the Council. In my opinion this statement is a true and correct record of the transactions shown in the books and accounts examined by me.

30 July 1968.

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SOCIAL SCIENCE RESEARCH COUNCIL OF AUSTRALIA INCORPORATED

MIGRATION PROJECT ACCOUNT

Statement of Receipts and Payments for the period 12 January 1968 to 30 June 1968

RECEIPTS			PAYMENTS		
	\$	\$		\$	\$
<i>Grants-in-Aid:</i>			<i>Research Grants:</i>		
Social Science Research Council	12,000.00	12,100.00	Professor H. R. Edwards	2,000.00	
Cullity Timbers Pty. Ltd.	100.00		Associate Professor S. B. Hammond	500.00	
Bank Interest		20.27	Professor R. F. Henderson	2,000.00	
			Professor J. Martin	1,200.00	
			Mrs. V. Sauran	240.00	
			<i>Research Project — Dr. R. Johnston:</i>		
			Salary	600.00	
			University of Western Australia—		
			Grant for Salary Payment	885.25	
					1,485.25
			Honoraria to Directors	1,000.00	
			Printing of Brochure	83.50	
			Cash at Bank, 30 June 1968	3,611.52	
		<u>\$12,120.27</u>			<u>\$12,120.27</u>
			A. HUNTER, Treasurer.		

The books and accounts of the Social Science Research Council of Australia Incorporated (Migration Project) have been audited in accordance with the rules of the Council. In my opinion this statement is a true and correct record of the transactions shown in the books and accounts examined by me.

30 July 1968.

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