

## INSTITUTE NEWS

### ***The Polar Record***

The Scott Polar Research Institute in Cambridge, England has made the following announcement.

*The Polar Record* is being obliged to fall in line with almost all other journals in Britain and increase the cost to subscribers as the present price was fixed in 1952 and production costs have risen some 25 per cent since that date. Beginning with the January 1958 issue, Vol. 9, No. 58 the price will be 10s. 6d. an issue or £1 11s. 6d. a year. North American subscribers, who may join through the Montreal office of the Arctic Institute of North America at 3485 University Street, Montreal, will be charged \$1.75 an issue or \$5.00 per year. These rates include postage. For the convenience of Arctic Institute members the Montreal office is prepared to handle subscriptions to *The Polar Record* together with the normal dues for *Arctic* so that one letter and one payment will cover both.

### **Visitors to Montreal**

During the afternoon of September 17, "Bishop Mountain House" received an informal visit from a group on its way from the International Union of Geodesy and Geophysics' meetings held in Toronto to the Soviet Union. The visitors were Dr. Kort, Director of the Oceanological Institute, Moscow, and Dr. Tolstikov, Deputy Chairman of the Northern Sea Route Administration, Moscow. They were conducted through the Institute by Dr. M. J. Dunbar and Dr. S. Orvig and were received by the Executive Director, Mr. A. T. Belcher.

### **Gifts to the Library**

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### **Richard Carleton Hubley — 1926-1957**

On October 29, 1957, word was received by the Institute of the death of Richard Hubley while leading the International Geophysical Year glaciological program on McCall Glacier, Brooks Range, Alaska.

Dr. Hubley's death has come at a time when he has assumed national — and even international — leadership in his chosen field. North American science has been slow in building a coterie of scientists in the field of glaciology. Of those we have, Richard Hubley was one of the most distinguished. Science can as ill afford his loss as can we who knew him as a companion in the office and among the high snows.