

## ANNALS

### THE INSTITUTE FOR BALKAN STUDIES IN 1969 A REPORT ON ITS ACTIVITIES

#### *I. Publications:*

In 1969 the Institute published the following books:

1. (Serial number 104): Εὐαγγέλου Κωφοῦ, *Ἡ ἐπανάστασις τῆς Μακεδονίας κατὰ τὸ 1878. Ἀνέκδοτα προξενικά ἔγγραφα μετὰ συντόμου ἱστορικῆς ἐπισκοπῆσεως* [The Insurrection of Macedonia in 1878. Unpublished Consular Documents with a Short Historical Survey]. Pp. 18' + 373 + 16 Plates + 1 Map. The author, a former research member of the Institute for Balkan Studies, is now doing research work in England.

2. (Serial number 106): G. Papadopoulos, *England and the Near East, 1896-1898*. Pp. VIII + 300. The author, who received his Ph. D. at the University of London is now Head of the Education Division of the Directorate for Scientific Affairs at the Organization for Economic Cooperation and Development in Paris.

3. (Serial Number 107): X. I. Μακαρόνα, *Ἡ "Καμάρα". Τὸ θριαμβικὸ τόξο τοῦ Γαλερίου στὴ Θεσσαλονίκη* [The "Kamara". the Triumphal Arch of Galerius at Thessaloniki]. Pp. 53 + 48 Plates. The author is Ephor Emeritus of Antiquities. The book is the first in a series of publications dealing with the monuments of Northern Greece.

4. (Serial number 108): A. Ξυγγοπούλου, *Τὰ ψηφιδωτὰ τοῦ ναοῦ τοῦ Ἀγίου Δημητρίου Θεσσαλονίκης* [The Mosaics of the Church of Saint Demetrius at Thessaloniki]. Pp. 33 + 38 Plates. The author, one of the founders of our Institute, is Professor Emeritus of the University of Thessaloniki and Member of the Academy of Athens. The book is the second in a series of publications dealing with the monuments of Northern Greece.

5. (Serial number 109): A. Xyngopoulos, *Les mosaïcs de l'Eglise de Saint Démètre à Thessalonique*. Pp. 33 + 38 Plates. The publication of the Serial number 108, in French translation.

6. (Serial number 110): G.F. Abbott, *Macedonian Folklore*. Pp.

X + 372. A reprint for our Institute (by Argonaut Inc., Publishers, Chicago, 1969) of the pioneer work, first published in London, 1903.

7. (Serial number 111): A. Xyngopoulos, *The Mosaics of the Church of St Demetrius at Thessaloniki*. Pp. 31 + 38 Plates. The publication of the Serial number 108, in English translation.

8. (Serial number 112): Theodoros N. Vlachos, *Die Geschichte der byzantinischen Stadt Melenikon*. Pp. 12 + 140 + 5 figures. Doctoral Dissertation at the Universität zu Köln.

## II. Symposium on the IMPERIAL CONCEPT

The Institute jointly with the University of Thessaloniki sponsored from 26 to 30 of August, 1969, an International Symposium on "The Imperial Concept in Byzantium and in the Medieval Slavic and Western World." A short note on it by Mrs. Maria Theocharis is printed in this issue of BALKAN STUDIES. pp. 436-438.

## III. Language Courses

In the courses in language which are offered by the Institute for students, graduates and assistants of the University of Thessaloniki, in addition to Albanian, Bulgarian, Russian, Serbo-Croatian and Turkish the Rumanian language is also taught as of September 1969.

## IV. Guests and Visitors

The Institute had the pleasure to include among its guests and visitors in 1969: Prof. *G. Arnakis* (University of Texas), Prof. *James Barros* (University of Toronto), *V. Brady* (University of Florida), Prof. *Charles Brand* (Bryn Mawr College), Prof. *James Brown* (State University of New York at Buffalo), Dr. *A.A.M. Bryer* (University of Birmingham), Dr. *Nestor Camariano* (Bucarest), Prof. *Peter Charanis* (Rutgers University), Prof. *D. Constandelos* (Hellenic College, Brookline, Mass.), Dr. *D. Djordjević* (Serbian Academy of Sciences, Belgrade), Miss *Siegrid Düll* (Kommission fur Alte Geschichte, München), Rev. *Walter Hooper* (Jesus College, Oxford), Prof. *Edmund Keeley* (Princeton University), Prof. *W.E. Kleinbauer* (University of California, Los Angeles), Prof. *John T.A. Koumoulides* (Ball State University, Muncie, Indiana), Père *V. Laurent* (Paris, France), Prof. *G. Leon* (University of Memphis, Tennessee), Prof. *Irmgard Mahnken* (Sprachwissenschaftliches Seminar, University, Gottingen), Prof. *W. McNeill* (University of Chicago).

Prof. *K. Mitsakis* (Exeter College, Oxford University), Mme *Maria Muzisescu* (University, Bucarest) Prof. *M. B. Petrovich* (University of Wisconsin, Madison) Rev. *Gordon Powell* (The Scots Church, Melbourne), Dr. *C. Renfrew* (University of Sheffield), Mr. *R.J. Ruches* (Chicago), Mrs. *D. Schonegger* (University, Vienna), Prof. *M. Tavcar* (Ljubliana, Yugoslavia), Dr. John Seymour Thacher (Dumbarton Oaks, Harvard University), *V. Traikov* (Bulgarian Academy), Prof. *Speros Vryonis* (University of California, Los Angeles), Prof. *Stephen G. Xydis* (Hunter College, City University of New York), and also the participants to the Symposium on the *Imperial Concept*: Prof. *D. Angelov* (University, Sofia), Prof. *J. W. Barker* (University of Wisconsin, Madison), Prof. *I. Barnea* (Academy R.S. Roumania, Institute of Archaeology), Prof. *V. Beševliev* (University, Sofia), Dr. *Virgil Candea* (Association d'Etudes Sud-East Européen, Bucarest), Prof. *Em. Condourachi* (Academy R.S. Roumania), Prof. *V.A. Georgescu* (Academy R.S. Roumania), Prof. *J. Gill* (Heythrop College, Oxford), Prof. *Knud Hannestad* (University, Aarhus, Denmark), Prof. *R.W. Hartle* (Queens College, City University of New York), Prof. *H. Hunger* (University, Vienna), Prof. *A. H. Jones* (Cambridge University), Prof. *W. G. Kaegi Jr.* (University of Chicago), Dr. *O. Kresten* (University, Vienna), Dr. *H. Loos* (University, Prague) Prof. *P. S. Nasturel* (Academy R. S. Roumania), Rev. *R. Roca-Puig* (University, Barcelona), Dr. *P. Schreiner* (University, Munich), Mrs. *V. Tapkova-Zaimova* (Centre National Bulgare d'Etudes Balkaniques), Dr. *E. Trapp* (Oesterreichische Akademie der Wissenschaften, Kommission für Byzantinistik), Dr. *Rex Witt* (University of London), Dr. *B. Zasterova* (University, Prague).

#### *V. Summer Courses in Thessaloniki*

Under the Program of Study Abroad the Center of International Education of the City University of New York has established since 1968 Summer Courses in Thessaloniki under the joint auspices of Queens College and the Institute for Balkan Studies. The Courses last for six weeks from the beginning of July until late in August and are opened to students of American Colleges and Universities; the students can earn six college credits through the City University of New York, Program of Study Abroad.

Students interested in applications or further information about the program should write: The City University of New York, Program of Study Abroad, Queens College, Flushing, New York 11367.

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