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Detailed information is available in the Registry on Academic Vacancies in New Zealand and Australia, and in :

University of Ibadan, Nigeria.
Ahmadu Bello University, Northern Nigeria.
University of Lagos, Nigeria.
University College of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.
University of Basutoland, Bechuanaland Protectorate and Swaziland.
Makerere University College, East Africa.
Fourah Bay College, the University College of Sierra Leone.
University of West Indies.

(as supplied by the Inter-University Council for Higher Education Overseas).

TEACHING IN THE RHODESIAS :

Postgraduate Study at the University College of Rhodesia and Nyasaland.

GENERAL

From the beginning of 1964 the Governments of Northern and Southern Rhodesia will assume responsibility for education within their separate Territories. The two Governments have established bursaries whereby graduates from New Zealand may receive teacher training at the University College of Rhodesia and Nyasaland, and then assist in the expansion of secondary education. The attention of all graduates and potential graduates in Arts, Science, Commerce, Agriculture, Engineering and Home Science who contemplate teaching as a career is drawn to this attractive bursary scheme. Graduates selected will follow a course leading to the Postgraduate Certificate in Education (P.C.E.) of the University of London; this course, of about nine months' duration, is recognised by the Department of Education as the equivalent of professional training in New Zealand.

BURSARIES

Unmarried Graduates. Sea and rail (or air) fares to the University College in Salisbury will be paid, and a reasonable allowance can be claimed for excess baggage. Unmarried graduates will receive a grant of £350 * while studying for the P.C.E. from which tuition fees (£50) and residence fees (£115.10.0 for the three terms) will be payable to the College. Experience indicates that the remainder is sufficient for out-of-pocket expenses. Persons selected will be required to teach for two years on completion of the P.C.E.

Married Graduates. The Government of Northern Rhodesia also offers bursaries to married graduates. Fares to the University College for a man and his wife will be paid, and a reasonable allowance can be claimed for excess baggage. Where the man and his wife both attend the P.C.E. course, the value of the bursary will be £925, from which tuition fees (£50 for each) will be payable to the College; the balance of the bursary is for rented accommodation off the campus, and for other expenses. The Government of Northern Rhodesia will require the husband to enter into a bond to serve the Ministry of Education for at least two years after completing the course. His wife will not be required to enter into a similar bond, but she will be expected to teach in Northern Rhodesia subject to any overriding commitments. Where the man only attends the course, the value of the bursary will be £850, from which tuition fees (£50) are to be paid; he will be required to serve for at least two years.

Teaching in the Rhodesias, contd.ON COMPLETION OF TRAINING

Commencing salaries in Northern Rhodesia are £1,070 for both men and women. The Government of Northern Rhodesia provides accommodation (which includes heavy furniture) for £60 for the calendar year.

In Southern Rhodesia, the commencing salary of General graduates is £1,100 for men and £915 for women; good Honours graduates receive somewhat more.

RETURN TO NEW ZEALAND

After two years of service in Northern Rhodesia, a teacher (and, if married, his wife and up to two dependent children) will be granted fares to return to New Zealand, and 96 days' leave on full salary. Northern Rhodesia also provides a re-settlement grant of £37½ for each completed three months of service, provided that the teacher has fulfilled a minimum of 30 months' resident service.

A longer period of teaching in Southern Rhodesia is required before a return passage and other benefits can be granted.

APPLICATIONS

Further details of the scheme and forms of application may be obtained from :

The Secretary,
National Commission for U. N. E. S. C. O.,
Department of Education, WELLINGTON.

* All amounts quoted are in local currency, the equivalent of sterling.

BUSINESS FROM COUNCIL :

Acceptances. Offers of appointment since last Council meeting have been accepted as under:

Professor of Civil Engineering	Mr F. M. Henderson
Lecturer in Geography	Mr R. McLean
Lecturer in Chemical Engineering	Mr W. B. Earl
Lecturer in History	Mr A. Cook
Part-time Lecturer in Mathematics	Mr N. J. Gale
Part-time Lecturer in Mathematics	Mr J. A. Lawrie.

Resignations. The following resignations have been accepted :

Professor N. M. MacElwee, as from 31 January, 1965;
Mr K. Stephen, as from 31 January, 1964.

Dr R. Ziedins has been appointed Acting Head of the Department of Philosophy and a member of the Professorial Board during the absence of Professor Shorter overseas over the period January - May, 1964.

Associate-Professor D. Hall of the Chemistry Department, University of Auckland, has been invited by the N. Z. Institute of Chemistry to lecture at their June meetings. Council has authorised a grant towards his expenses should he visit the University of Canterbury to lecture to staff and students. Associate-Professor Hall is in charge of x-ray crystallographic work at the University of Auckland.

An Editorial Assistant has been appointed for the University Newsletter for 1964. He will be discussing material for publication with members of staff from time to time in the New Year.

The Royal Society of N. Z. has offered to make the Geology Department an additional depository of all published geology information on Antarctica, and, if possible, representative collections of rocks and files.

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Riccarton Site. The Ministry of Works has accepted Council's invitation to act as Architect for the new Library, Arts, Law, Commerce, Music and Administration Complex on the Ilam site, and in accordance with the wish of Council, is planning to complete the buildings in time for all teaching departments to function at Ilam by 1970.

Grant for Repairs. A grant of £2,220 for roof repairs to the City buildings has been received from the University Grants Committee.

Orientation Week Handbook. A grant of £100 has been made towards the expenses of production of the Orientation Handbook of 1964.