

Secretary's report.

1. Correspondence with AILLC.

1982 Colloqui Internacional. Rome. 27 Sept - 3 Oct

2nd circular with booking form has recently appeared.

Who's going?

Vol. III of Estudis de Llengua i Literatura Catalanes has appeared as Miscel·lània Pere Bolugas, 1.

Members of A.G.S. can obtain this vol. (and the previous ones) at a reduced price. Order forms available.

AILLC is seeking new members. The sub is 20 Dutch florins per year (c. £4.50). Membership forms are available; applicants have to be proposed by two members - forms may be handed to me.

2. N. A. C. S.

distribute bulletin 4 times a year. Arranged a successful N. American tour of the singer Xavier Ribalta & made a LP record of his songs, which is available. (see publicity). X.R. would be interested in a tour of G.B.

NACS III Colloqui (biennial) Toronto 15-17 April 1982, organized by Joseph Gulsoy.

(I hope to attend, representing A.C.S.)

3. Regular bulletin of "Les Quatre Barres" - Sweden, regularly received.

4. Instituto de España en Londres promoted a lecture in Cat. by Miquel Dolç on 14th May.

5. In connexion with the theme of this conference, information received from recently formed Unió per la Regió Catalana, Perpinyà (copies of Manifest available)

their Sec. Miquel Mayol, wishes our conference success.

6. Delegació d'Estudiants of the Centre Universitari d'Estudis Catalanes (Paris) have sent a copy of their detailed proposal for reform of the Consell Administratiu of the Centre, together with plans for developing the academic & cultural activities of the Centre, and catalanizing its language

7. Bibliografia Catalana. This project is promoted by Til Stegmann (Berlin) in conjunction with the Servei de Biblioteques i del Patrimoni Bibliogràfic of the Generalitat. The idea is to compile a bibliography of works in Catalan, translations from Catalan, & works on Catalan themes, produced in sections based on country of publication. The A.C.S. has been asked to promote the compilation relative to the British Isles. David & I've Barras have provisionally agreed to contribute; further volunteers welcome - esp. with access to good libraries & some bibliographic experience.

Poss. of BA. research grant?

8. Associació de Joves Escriptors en Llengua Catalana.
- which groups writers under 26.
[Quote from letter]
Information available.

9. Yr Academi Gymeig: Cat writers conference 1982 ??

Recent publications of interest to A.C.S.

Polyglot Jan 1981 (microfiche) contained versions of papers from the Cambridge Conference of the Society on the Present State of Catalan. Copies of the fiche were sent to Socis Protectors. A few remain, if any member with access to a microfiche reader would like one. Xerox copies available at cost price.

Members ~~with~~ were circulated earlier this year with an announcement of the English version of Josep Trueta's memoirs, called Trueta: surgeon in war and peace. The publishers, Gollancz, presented the Society with a copy.

I mentioned previously Estudis de llengua i literatura Catalanes, published by Montsenat; - the patronage of the A.-C.S. is recorded on the title page.

Estudis Romànics XVI (1971-75) has appeared (Sero sed serio)

Miquel Berga's, who was awarded the A-C.S. scholarship 2 years ago has published ⁽¹⁹⁸¹⁾ the fruits of his research on British writers & the Spanish Civil War Entre la ploma i el fusell. Cine escriptors britànics davant la Guerra Civil Espanyola, Cervical. 500 ptes.

Thank Paul Russell Gebbett for his work for the Soc. as president.

Thank G. Walker for his job as treasurer, & in assisting me in my 1st yr. as secretary.

Minutes.

Lunch thank. Torres.

7. Cheyne. Clarasó.

8. Mom. Batista.

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9. Prize. → to Cons. de Cultura, Generalitat
Scholarship. → Fundació Botín

combine with grant-giving bodies in Cat. for
annual award.

10. Proposal for offering 17-19 or 24-26.

1982. Instituto España, November

1983 Nottingham.

11. Tery Vote of Thanks.

Deaths. Rafael Borí
non-members. Antoni Comas
Leslie Topsfield.

Apologies Sous protectors. Rosa Leveroni
Sr. Rubas; Massana

Socis. Mrs. Pallega R. Langdon-Davies
John Gomall Eagglestone
Julia Stevens
George Cheyne
Ulús Flaquer
Mercè Clavasó
Rose Bell
Richard Cardwell
Arseni Pacheco.

President d'honor. Joan Gili & Elizabeth
[send best wishes.]

President. Paul Russell-Gebbett. [quote from letter]

welcome Sr. Manuel Cladonosa on behalf of ^{Joune} Fundació Borí
& M. & Mrs Jean-Mairet Banca Catalana.

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