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ARMY ANTS: A Study in Social Organization—T. C. Schneirla; Howard R. Topoff, Ed.—Freeman, 1971, 349 p., color plates, photographs, diagrams, \$12. Posthumous volume, presents synthesis of the author's conclusions about the characteristic behavioral patterns of the army ants observed in their native habitat on Barro Colorado Island, Panama.

THE CONDITIONS IN TECHNOLOGICAL INNOVATION—OECD's Committee for Science Policy—OECD, 1971, 169 p., tables, paper, \$4. The main focus of the report is technological innovation in response to industrial and individual needs, response to changing patterns of consumer requirements, and qualitative objectives of economic growth.

CORONARY HEART DISEASE AND PHYSICAL FITNESS: Proceedings of Symposium, 1970—O. Andrée Larsen and R. O. Malmborg, Eds.—Univ. Park Press, 1971, 277 p., diagrams, \$17.50. Lectures and discussions cover the physiological and metabolic adaptations to exercise and training in normal man and in patients with coronary heart disease.

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AN EXPERIENCE WITH CELLS—Darrel L. Murray and Howard E. Buhse—Addison-Wesley, 1971, 193 p., illus., paper, \$3.95. Laboratory manual, deals with cell physiology and biochemistry, beginning with experiments on the structure of the gene and ending with photosynthesis.

GLACIER ICE—Austin Post and Edward R. LaChapelle—Univ. of Wash. Press, 1971, 124 p., 11" x14", 130 photographs, \$20. Uses aerial reconnaissance techniques to document the

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MAGNETISM: An Introductory Survey— E. W. Lee—Dover, 1970, 281 p., photographs, diagrams, paper, \$2.50. Reprint (1963), explains in layman's language the basic experiments and thought underlying much of the present understanding of the magnetic properties of matter.

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MARKET POWER AND PRICE LEVELS IN THE ETHICAL DRUG INDUSTRY—Hugh D. Walker—Indiana Univ. Prss, 1971, 257 p., tables \$6.75. Economist's thorough analysis of the drug industry's performance and the principal factors involved in the high cost of prescription drugs, includes proposals for alternative solutions.

THE ORIGINS OF ABNORMAL BEHAV-IOR—Norman L. Corah and Elliot N. Gale, Eds.—Addison-Wesley, 1971, 448 p., paper, 56.95. Collection of empirical studies on various aspects of the etiological factors—biological, sociocultural and psychological.

THE OXFORD BOOK OF INVERTE-BRATES: Protozoa, Sponges, Coelenterates, Worms, Molluscs, Echinoderms and Arthropods (other than Insects)—David Nichols and John A. L. Cooke—Oxford Univ. Press, 1971, 218 p., 96 color plates, illus. by Derek Whiteley, \$11. Illustrations drawn from life depict wide range of visible species, each major group arranged according to habitat.

PEOPLES AND CULTURES OF THE CARIBBEAN: An Anthropological Reader—Michael M. Horowitz, Ed.—Natural Hist. Press, 1971, 606 p., diagrams, \$9.95. Articles probe in depth some of the area's problems in race relations, class, ethnicity, land tenure, internal marketing, and cultural pluralism.

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RALPH LINTON—Adelin Linton and Charles Wagley—Columbia Univ. Press, 1971, 196 p., \$7.50; paper, \$2.95. An account of the personality and contributions to anthropology and social science of one of the leaders of modern anthropology.

A RATIONAL PUBLIC POLICY FOR MEDICAL EDUCATION AND ITS FINANCING—John S. Millis—Nat'l Fund for Medical Educ., 1971, 158 p., paper, \$2. Comprehensive analysis of the current crisis in medical education, assesses the purpose, process and mechanism of medical education, and proposes rational improvements.

REGULATION OF THE ANTIBODY RE-SPONSE—Bernhard Cinader, Ed.—Thomas, C. C., 1971, 2nd ed., 400 p., photographs, diagrams, tables, \$19.50. Topics range from immunogenicity and tolerance to autologous macromolecules, through feedback inhibition by antibody itself, to regulatory role of the thymus, and genetic control of mouse immunoglobulins.

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SEA SHELLS OF TROPICAL WEST AMERICA: Marine Mollusks from Baja California to Peru—A. Myra Keen with James H. McLean—Stanford Univ. Press, 1971, 2nd ed., 1064 p., 22 color plates, photographs, drawings, maps, \$29.50. Treats all the recorded 3,325 molluscan species from the tropical and subtropical shores of the Eastern Pacific.

SELECTED PAPERS IN BIOCHEMISTRY, Vol. 3: Coding—Susumu Nishimura, Ed.—Univ. Park Press, 1971, 228 p., illus., \$12.50. Presents selection from the world literature of seminal papers on the subject, topics ranging from information transfer from nucleic acid to protein, to reading of the genetic message.

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