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43. "Econometrics and Management Science—Their Overlap and Interaction," by H. Theil, September 9, 1964 (15 pages).

44. "A Quadratic Programming Approach to the Estimation of Transition Probabilities," by H. Theil and Guido Rey, November 11, 1964 (10 pages).

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21. "On the Optimality of Adaptive Forecasting," by M. Nerlove and S. Wage.

22. "Observations on and Usefulness of Game Theory," by J. C. G. Boot.

23. "A Procedure for Intergenerational Maximization of a Definite Quadratic Function," by J. C. G. Boot and H. Theil.

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Information concerning these booklets can be obtained by writing: Hertfordshire County Council Technical Library and Information Service, Hatfield College of Technology, Hatfield, Herts, United Kingdom.

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American University 1965-1966 Institute Program

The Center for Technology and Administration of the American University has announced the dates and titles for Institutes to be offered during 1965 and 1966. A brochure, describing these Institutes, can be obtained by writing to the American University at 2000 G St. N.W., Washington, D.C. 20006.

Following is a summary of the topics and dates:

The Computer and Urban Affairs is the topic of an Institute to be offered November 8-10, 1965 at the Twin Bridges Marriott Motor Hotel in Washington, D.C. Fee is \$150.

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Also on November 15-18, the Fourth Short Course on Electronic Information