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PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Terms of Reference of the Committee
(Document WHO.IC/183, Rev.1)
2. Resolutions adopted in the field of malaria by the Interim Commission at its fourth and fifth sessions (Documents WHO.IC/124, Rev. 1 and WHO.IC/183, Rev. 1)
3. Programme on malaria drawn up by the Interim Commission at its fifth session, for submission to the First World Health Assembly (Document WHO.IC/181, Add.1)
4. Planning of malaria control in the world:
 - (a) in general;
 - (b) in areas where mass attack is most needed from the standpoint of incidence of malaria and/or from the standpoint of the development of agricultural and economic productivity;
 - (c) methods by which the WHO could foster malaria control and/or eradication of malaria in general, and particularly in the above-mentioned areas.
 - i. Names of experts to be suggested with a view to helping governments desirous of improving their antimalarial policy;
 - ii. Possibilities for training in malariology and for placement of fellows;
 - iii. Selection of personnel for demonstration teams and for field work;
 - iv. Programme for such teams;
 - v. Education of the public.

5. Insecticides.

- (a) Can recently introduced insecticides be relied on as a basis for a widespread attack on malaria with expectation of a significant reduction of morbidity in areas where they are properly used?
- (b) Are these insecticides available in sufficient quantities for a widespread attack? If not, what steps might be taken to ensure their increased production?
- (c) What are the insecticides preferred, and how can they best be employed on a mass-basis?
- (d) How does the price of insecticides affect malaria control campaigns?

6. Chemotherapeutics.

- (a) Present-day knowledge on the use and posology of modern chemotherapeutics;
- (b) Part that modern chemotherapeutics can play in antimalaria action;

7. Research: problems on which research can be made on an international plane.

8. Expert Committee on Malaria and "corresponding Members" (Document WHO.IC/140).

9. Draft resolutions to be submitted to the First World Health Assembly.

10. Miscellaneous.