

that such a group would attract members not just from Aberdeen University but from other Scottish universities and from Schools and Institutes of Higher Education.

THE DANISH INSTITUTE

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The Danish Institute in Great Britain is situated in Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland. At its premises in 3 Doune Terrace it houses a library of Danish handbooks, literature and periodicals and a collection of films, slides and exhibitions, open to use by the public free of charge. Courses in the Danish language and literature are organized, assistance is given to teachers of Danish all over Britain, and an extensive lecture service is offered to societies and institutions.

In co-operation with Edinburgh University series of lectures are frequently organized at the Institute in Edinburgh or in provincial towns, and in addition a number of Danish Evenings with lectures and films, concerts and exhibitions are arranged throughout the year. Travelling exhibitions are occasionally available.

Through the main office in Copenhagen special

exchange visits and study tours to Denmark are arranged for City Corporations and specialist groups. Twinning links are established and assistance given to further activities tending to improve and extend relations between Denmark and Great Britain.

Special attention is given to the work of British-Danish societies, and contact with these can be made through the Institute or through the Confederation of Scandinavian Societies of Great Britain and Ireland, 8 Nunford Avenue, Leeds 17. The Danish-Scottish Society of Edinburgh meet at the Institute once a month.

A special feature in the work of the Danish Institute is the extensive programme of international seminars on a variety of subjects. In the summer of 1973 the programme includes seminars on social welfare, care of the aged, Danish gardens, Danish design, Scandinavian architecture and landscape architecture, community and morality, the importance of small communities and a course for instructors in Danish.