## **OBITUARY**

Sir Alexander Carr-Saunders, director of the London School of Economics from 1937 to 1956, died on 6 October 1966 in his 81st year.

He was educated at Eton and Magdalen College, Oxford, where he gained a First in Zoology in 1908. His long career led him into many different fields, in all of which he served with notable distinction—biology, social science, administration and education. On one occasion his scientific interests led him to polar regions when he became one of the organizers and members of the Oxford University Expedition to Spitsbergen, 1921. He was one of the party that remained at Brucebyen, at the foot of Nordenskiöld Gletscher, during the summer where he carried out a programme of marine biology.