he does with questions concerning the nature of society and history in an often unfamiliar, sometimes even eccentric, vocabulary, Sartre is nevertheless reconsidering some of the issues that have dominated Western philosophical thought about political life from the pre-socratics and Plato onward.

... What are the central themes that the reader may expect to see emerging from this study? Sometimes the most obvious answer to a question of this sort is the wisest. At the time of this return from a German prisoner-of-war camp during the Occupation period, Sartre organized a short-lived Resistance group, devoted primarily to writing activities, that called itself 'Socialism and Freedom'. These twin notions, both subject to the most important keys to the entire range of Sartre's political thought. If one of the two has a lexical priority, it is freedom."

From the "Introduction" to Sartre's Political Theory.

# **ANNONCES ET NOUVELLES**

### FORTHCOMING CONFERENCES

The International Society for Phenomenology and Literature announces

I. XVIIth Annual Conference of the International Society for Phenomenology and Literature

DATE: April 9, 10, 11, 1992

PLACE: Cronkhite Graduate Center, 6 Ash Street, Cambridge MA THEME: Allegory Old and New--in Literature, the Fine Arts, Reality

KEYNOTE SPEAKER; Umberto Eco

Papers due: February 15, 1992

II. XXVIIIth International Phenomenology Conference of the World Phenomenology Institute, a symposium on "The Poiesis of Life."

DATE: May 30-31, 1992

PLACE: Messene, Greece

THEME: Chronos and Kairos: The Propitious Moment in Creativity, the Passions, and Intentionality

PAPERS DUE: April 1, 1992

III. The World Phenomenology Institute with The International Society for Phenomenology and Literature, will hold its XXIXth International Phenomenology Conference

DATE: June 15-20, 1992

PLACE: Luxembourg

THEME: Allegory Old and New: Creativity and Continuity in Culture

PAPERS DUE: April 1, 1992

Contact for these conferences is Prof. A-T. Tymieniecka, The World Phenomenology Institute, 348 Rd., Belmont, MA 0217

# PROCHAIN CONGRES DE L'ASPLF: 27-31 Août 1992, Poitiers,

L'AG d'Hammamet avait retenu avec intérêt la proposition de la délégation de la Société Poitevine de Philosophie d'acueillir le prochain congrès de l'ASPLF.

Jeudi, 27 août 1992: au soir, accueil des congressistes; Vendredi 28, samedi 29, dimanche 30 août 1992: séances; Lundi 31 août 1992: Excursion poitevine.

Thème général: LA VIE ET LA MORT

Six sections permettront la ventilation de vos communications. La circulaire No 1 est à la composition et vous parviendra en janvier 1991. Inscrivez-vous aussitôt selon les directives que vous donneront les organisateurs de la Société poitevine.

Vous pouvez, dès maintenant, entrer en contact avec: Prof. J.L. Vieillard-Baron, Université/Philosophie, 8, rue Descartes, POITIERS - 86000 - France

# La Société Beninoise de Philosophie announce:

Premier Congrès panafricain de Philosophie 23-26 avril 1991 à COTONOU (BENIN)

"L'AFRIQUE à L'HORIZON 2000: QUE PEUVENT LES PHILOSOPHES?"

Pour tous renseignements à Société beninoise de philosophie BP 896 COTONOU BENIN

# FEDERATION INTERNATIONALE DES SOCIETES DE PHILOSOPHIE

#### XIXème CONGRES MONDIAL DE PHILOSOPHIE

#### 22-28 août 1993

Organisé par la FISP à MOSCOU

# "L'HUMANITÉ FACE à UN TOURNANT: PERSPECTIVES PHILOSOPHIQUES"

34 sections prévues, tables rondes, séminaires, etc. L'ASPLF fera une réunion particulière dans le cadre des moments réservés aux réunions spéciales des Sociétés philosophiques le dimanche 22 août ou le mercredi 25 août 1993.

Tous renseignements à:

Secrétariat du XIXè Congrès de philosophie Volkhonka 14 MOSCOU 119842

The Program Committee and the Steering Committee of the World Congress of Philosophy announces that they would appreciate receiving proposals for the following:

- Names of possible speakers and/or chairpersons for the plenary sessions, the three symposia and the three colloquia. (They will receive travel expenses and hospitality).
- 2. Names of possible chairpersons for the 34 sections of the Congress. (Their expenses will not be covered).
- Proposals of themes for workshops and f round tables, with the indication of a person who is willing to organize the round table or the workshop.

4. Requests for special meetings to be organized by your society in connection with the World Congress.

In making your proposals, please follow the enclosed guide:

## 1. Proposals for speakers/chairpersons:

Please indicate clearly the name, institution and address of the proposed person, and give a short indication of his or her special field of research, as well as and mention his/her main publications.

# 2. Proposals for round tables and workshops:

Please give the title of the proposed round table or workshop, and the name of the person wanting to organize it. At the same time, this person should propose three additional participants not belonging to the same country, for the round table or workshop, so that international representation be fulfilled. It should also be clear that the Congress organizers can offer no financial support (neither travel expenses nor hospitality) to the persons so invited. However FISF can provide official invitation letters in order to facilitate obtaining funds from local institutions. All said proposals must be sent immediately (deadline date was March 31, 1991) to the President of the Program Committee:

> Professor Francisco Ouesada Universidad de Lima Avenida Javier Prado, s/n Monterrico, Apart. 852 Lima, PERU

with a copy to the

President of FISP, Professor Evandro Agazzi Séminaire de Philosophie Université Miséricorde CH-1700 Fribourd, Switzerland

Important dates: April 30, 1992: Deadline for contributed papers, poster session theses and proposal for round tables. Papers and other contributions received after this deadline but before September 30, 1992, may be accepted if space is still available.