

### **Dr. Condit's Avocado Bibliography Issued**

"A Bibliography on the Avocado," by Ira J. Condit, Associate Professor of Subtropical Horticulture, Citrus Experiment Station, Riverside, has recently been issued by the University of California. Dr. Condit has been compiling this material for several years, and the results are highly gratifying.

The bibliography is expected to interest primarily librarians, specialists in subtropical horticulture, and individuals dealing with various avocado problems. Arrangement of references by subject headings makes the bibliography extremely useful. An author index is included, to facilitate the finding of references desired.

### **Historical References Cited**

Dr. Condit has covered not only the California and Florida publications on the avocado, but has gone into foreign avocado literature, as well. Many interesting historical references are included, the earliest dating back to 1519.

Only a limited number of copies of the publication have been issued. While it will probably not be possible to fulfill individual requests for copies, the bibliography will undoubtedly be placed in various public libraries where it will be available to those interested in avocado literature and specialized avocado subjects.

The avocado industry is genuinely indebted to Dr. Condit and those who assisted him in his most excellent project.