

Publications

NOTICES

• On the occasion of the fifth Annual Conference of the Art Libraries Society of North America, held in Los Angeles January 28 through February 2, 1977, a new publication was issued, entitled *A Guide to Art Resources in Los Angeles*, edited by Joan Hugo, librarian at the Otis Art Institute, and produced by members of the Southern California Chapter of the society.

Included in the pioneer effort in Los Angeles are museums, galleries, art libraries and visual resource collections, bookstores, notable architecture and landmarks, and restaurants from east to west in Pasadena, the San Fernando Valley, Downtown, Hollywood and the Sunset Strip, Wilshire and La Cienega, Beverly Hills and Century City, Westwood and Venice, and the Coast.

It is available for \$3.00 from ARLIS/NA, P.O. Box 3692, Glendale, CA 91201.

• *How to Use Biological Abstracts*, written by Eva S. Jonas, is a slide-cassette program now available from the Cabot Science Library, Harvard University. It consists of a script, sixty slides, and a twenty-minute tape with cue pulses of 1,000 Hz for automatic advancement of slides on automatic equipment (e.g., Singer Caramate). It describes the format and indexes of *Biological Abstracts* and *BioResearch Index* and basic research techniques. The program can also be presented by using a cassette player and a manual slide projector. The script designates appropriate time intervals between slides for manual advance. The program has been used for self and group instruction at Harvard University and in a science and technology reference course at Simmons School of Library Science.

Orders, accompanied by a check for \$100, should be made to Cabot Science Library, in care of Eva S. Jonas, Cabot Science Library, 1 Oxford St., Harvard University, Cambridge, MA 02138.

• A new publication from the Library of Congress, *Unidentified Flying Objects: A Selected Bibliography*, provides a list of bibliographies, books, journal articles, and proceedings for the general reader on the subject of UFOs. The works cited range from such firsthand accounts as *My Trip to Mars* by William Ferguson to the *Final Report of the Scientific Study of Unidentified Flying Objects*, commonly known as the Condon report or Project Blue-book report.

The bibliography provides selective coverage

of the UFO literature that has appeared since 1969, when the U.S. Air Force published Lynn Catoe's comprehensive *UFO's and Related Subjects*. The 200 references in the Library of Congress bibliography are limited to English-language works, but do include translations and materials published abroad. The bibliography was compiled by Kay Rodgers of the Library of Congress Science and Technology Division. It is available free from the Library of Congress, Science and Technology Division, Washington, DC 20540.

• *On-Line Searching; A Self-Instruction Manual*, by Edward Stockey and Sandra Janschewsky, is available from the Drexel University Book Store, Philadelphia, PA 19104, for \$3.90 plus postage. The manual, prepared by two students in the Graduate School of Library Science under the supervision of Professor Brigitte L. Kenney, is designed to provide basic skills in Boolean logic, set construction, search strategy, and several basic types of searches as well as the major commands of both the ORBIT and DIALOG systems. It also contains a chapter on free-text searching. Using the ERIC data base throughout, the manual is organized into three chapters; at the end of each chapter, there is an on-line exercise, which should take approximately eight minutes each, or a total of about twenty-four minutes for either ORBIT or DIALOG. The objective of the manual is to instruct prospective searchers (both library science students and librarians) in the fundamentals of on-line searching, using ERIC. Working through the manual will take about six hours and will enable the person completing the manual to go on to data-base-specific instruction available from vendors and data base producers. It can also be used as a refresher for those persons who received training but have not searched for some time. Intended as a preliminary edition, the manual contains an evaluation form. Based on responses from the field, the manual will be revised.

• A unique perspective on the history of communism in America, *The Earl Browder Papers, 1891 to 1975*, housed in the George Arents Research Library at Syracuse University, is now available on microfilm. The collection can be purchased by libraries and other research facilities through the Microfilming Corp. of America, 21 Harristown Rd., Glen Rock, New Jersey, a New York Times Company. The price is \$1,250.

Browder (1891-1973) was general secretary of the Communist Party of the United States of America from 1929 to 1944, during the time

when the party had its greatest impact on the American political and labor scene. The papers are a detailed chronicle of the activities and programs of the party's leaders, sympathizers, and critics during what has been described as the true heyday of the party.

The collection comprises approximately 100,000 pages of materials on forty-five reels of 35mm microfilm. It is arranged in six series: correspondence, 1891-1960; subject files, 1904-60; manuscripts, 1924-67; photographs, 1901-41; legal files, 1938-58; and published materials, 1921-75. The originals were purchased by Syracuse University in 1967 from Massachusetts book dealer Paul C. Richards.

The Browder papers are part of a collection of papers of people in American political life, most of them from New York State, in the George Arents Research Library.

- The Bronx Library Association has published the *Bronx Library Directory*, compiled by Janet Butler. This twenty-two-page work describes the library collections of all of the Bronx libraries: college, public, medical, school, and high school—public and private as well as the special libraries of the borough. Detailed information on the various Bronx libraries is given in terms of hours, size and strengths of collections, special collections and services, access, interlibrary loan policy, and photoduplication facilities.

To obtain a copy of this work, send a check in the amount of \$1.50, payable to the Bronx Library Association, to Mr. Edmund Maloney, Duane Library, Fordham University, Bronx, NY 10458.

- The American Society of Indexers announces the publication of its *Directory of Courses on Indexing in Canada and the United States*, compiled by James D. Anderson of the Library Science Department, Queens College, City University of New York.

The *Directory* lists and describes courses on indexing offered by library schools, information science programs, government agencies, professional associations, and private organizations. A topical index indicates which courses cover each of twenty discrete topics related to indexing. A bibliography of textbooks lists all textbooks used in the courses described.

The *Directory* is distributed by the Library Science Department, Queens College, and is available to members of the American Society of Indexers for \$2 and to nonmembers for \$3, post-paid. Payment must be enclosed with orders. Checks should be made payable to the American Society of Indexers. Address the orders to James D. Anderson, Library Science Department, Queens College, Flushing, NY 11367.

- The Central New York Library Resources Council announces the availability of the third edition of the *Central New York Union List of Serials*, previous editions of which were published in 1968 and 1970.

This new edition, produced through the State University of New York's Union List of Serials office, contains 19,632 unique entries and 10,349 cross-references, and represents selected holdings of forty-eight institutions in the Onondaga-Madison-Oneida-Herkimer county area served by the council. This edition is substantially larger than previous editions, which included 11,107 unique entries for thirty-two libraries in the region.

This list is being made available in microfiche form at \$15 per set incorporated in a binder with printed explanatory text. A limited number of printed copies will be available at \$35 per copy. Orders should be sent to the Central New York Library Resources Council, 4302 S. Salina St., Syracuse, NY 13205.

- The *Instructional Materials Thesaurus for Special Education*, third edition, is now available for \$2. It is published by the National Center on Educational Media and Materials for the Handicapped.

This thesaurus, the official list of terms used in the National Instructional Materials Information System (NIMIS), is the basic tool used to index the more than 25,000 instructional materials listed in NIMIS. The indexing terms (descriptors) are invaluable in helping to match instructional materials to the educational needs of handicapped children.

Sections of this third edition include an alphabetical listing of more than 850 defined descriptors, a categorical breakdown of these terms, a career cluster of occupational titles, a rotated key-word index, and a bibliography. Guidelines for indexing and retrieving are given in a how-to-use section, making it a useful publication for those interested in either abstracting or information retrieval processes.

The thesaurus may be ordered from Ohio State University Press, 2070 Neil Ave., Columbus, OH 43210.

- *A Survey on Telefacsimile Use in Libraries in the United States* is the title of a report written by Dr. Hans Engelke, professor and associate director of libraries at Western Michigan University, contained in the Micro-File Series by the Library of Congress Photoduplication Service. The report deals with the effectiveness of telefacsimile use for interlibrary loan functions during 1975. It is the result of a questionnaire sent to all state libraries and compares speed and cost factors of telefacsimile devices versus telephone and teletype as a means of transmitting interlibrary loan requests.

The report is available on one sheet of posi-

tive silver halide microfiche for \$4.50 and in unbound electrostatic positive prints for \$19.00, both including postage, from the Library of Congress, Photoduplication Service, Department C, 10 First St. SE, Washington, DC 20540.

• The Queens College Press announces the initiation of the Queens College Library Science monograph series **Queens College Studies in Librarianship**; general editor, Robert A. Colby. The first monograph, scheduled for May 1977, is *From Cutter to MARC: Access to the Unit Record*, by Richard J. Hyman. Professor Hyman traces the format of the unit-record catalog from book and card to CRT display screen, and gives suggestions for manual, multiple, and coordinated access to non-computerized files. Further information may be obtained from Mrs. Lee Cogan, Director of Publications, Queens College of the City University of New York, Flushing, NY 11367.

• The Seminar on the Acquisition of Latin American Library Materials (SALALM) announces the publication of two numbers of its Bibliography Series:

No. 2. Woodbridge, Hensley C., ed. *Basic List of Latin American Materials in Spanish, Portuguese and French*. 1975. 205p. \$5.00.

No. 3. Fernandez-Caballero, Carlos F. S. *Paraguái tai hūme, tove Paraguái arandu taisarambi ko yvy apére: The Paraguayan Bibliography*. Vol. II. 1975. 221p. \$5.00. (Note: volume one of this bibliography was published by the compiler in 1970 and is in print. Write the SALALM Secretariat for the address from which it may be ordered.)

The *Final Report and Working Papers* of the nineteenth seminar, held at Austin, Texas, in 1974, have also appeared. The theme of the seminar was "The Acquisition of Central American Library Materials."

Orders for all the above may be addressed to Ms. Louella V. Wetherbee, Executive Secretary of SALALM, Benson Latin American Collection, The University of Texas at Austin, SRH 1-108, Austin, TX 78712. It is not necessary to pay in advance. Those enclosing money with their orders should add \$.50 per title for handling and postage.

• *Minorities and Women: A Guide to Reference Literature in the Social Sciences* is a comprehensive guide to more than 800 reference publications on women and other minorities, including black, Spanish, Asian, and native Americans.

Minorities and Women has been prepared to assist those interested in the social, educational, psychological, political, economic, or historical aspects of minorities and women in America.

Complete bibliographic information and full

annotations, detailing purpose, scope, arrangement, special features, publication history, etc., are included. The bibliography is arranged by type of reference source (fact books, directories, citation sources, etc.) and subdivided by the groups covered. Author, title, and subject indexes complete the work.

The publication is written by Dr. Gail Schlachter with assistance from Donna Belli. It is available on thirty-day approval from Reference Service Press, 9023 Alcott St., Suite 201, Los Angeles, CA 90035, for \$19.50 per copy.

• The University of Colorado's Western Historical Collections has produced three additional publications for its series of guides to individual manuscript collections. In addition to an inventory of the papers and a name index, the guides provide a brief historical introduction or biography and a useful chronology. The new titles are:

Guide to the Paul D. Harrison Collection 1860-1973 (Colorado transportation promoters and enterprises)

Guide to the Hal Sayre Papers 1859-1925 (Colorado surveyor and mining promoter)

Guide to the Colorado Woman's Christian Temperance Union Papers 1878-1975.

Copies may be obtained by writing to John A. Brennan, Curator of the Western Historical Collections, University of Colorado Libraries, Boulder, CO 80302. Cost: \$2 prepaid, \$3 postpaid.

• *The Classified Directory of Artists' Signatures, Symbols and Monograms*, by H. H. Caplan, has been published by Gale Research. A classified arrangement locates the correct name of a particular artist from an example of his signature, monogram, or symbol, and helps the researcher to discover the various forms an artist may have used to identify his works. The directory contains more than 6,000 entries.

The material is arranged in four major sections. The first section, covering about half of the book, is arranged alphabetically by the names of the artists. Section two covers monograms exclusively. The third section is devoted to illegible or misleading signatures. Section four covers symbols, which have been arranged as far as possible according to their form. Published in America by Gale Research Co., Detroit, 1976, the directory is available for \$75.

• The University of California, Berkeley, Study Group of the Committee on Bibliographic Control has recently completed a report on the third phase of its study, entitled *Future of the General Library Catalogs of the University of California at Berkeley, Report-Phase 3*. It proposes a plan of action for providing public and staff access to a unified bibliographic data base, built in machine-readable format and

using the BALLOTS system, phased in over an eleven-year period. The primary means of access to data for both public and staff proposed is on-line, combined with computer output microform auxiliary lists, such as back-up data. The plan proposes closing the present card catalogs and the conversion of retrospective bibliographic data. Information on costs of the system and the necessary equipment, as well as projected cost savings and benefits, is provided.

Copies of the report are available to individuals and to other libraries at a cost of \$3 per copy. Requests should be addressed to: The Librarian's Office, University of California General Library, Berkeley, CA 94720. Prepayment is requested; checks should be made payable to the Regents of the University of California.

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(Address orders to Mr. George Hackler, Continuing Education and Community Services, Eastern Illinois Univ., Charleston, IL 61920.)

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(Requests for copies should be addressed to Special Collections, University Libraries, State University of New York at Albany, 1400 Washington Ave., Albany, NY 12222.) ■■