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## Letter

### Carpeting the stacks

To the Editor:

In his article on replacing carpeting in library stack areas (*C&RL News*, July/August 1986, pp. 441-44), James Segesta briefly mentions the option of gluing carpeting around existing stacks. We recently completed just such an installation at William Paterson College.

Because we felt the cost of moving books was prohibitive, we decided to leave our shelving in place on top of existing carpeting. The old carpeting and padding that ran down the aisles between stack ranges was cut out and replaced by vinyl floor

tiles. This left the stacks standing on approximately one inch of old carpeting and padding that was rather unsightly. The appearance was improved by gluing vinyl molding along the base shelves.

A word of warning about this type of installation: ripping out old carpeting and padding is a very dirty job and a lot of dust and dirt settles on the books, especially those on the lower shelves. Anyone contemplating an installation of this type should plan on either covering the books or dusting the books and shelves afterwards.—*Eugene S. Mitchell, Associate Director for Collection Management, William Paterson College of New Jersey.* ■■

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## What else works?

The U.S. Department of Education's Office of Educational Research and Improvement (OERI) is compiling another handbook of educational research findings to supplement its 1985 volume, *What Works*. Of special interest are any research findings that indicate the library's positive role in quality education. The new publication will be disseminated to groups of parents, education professionals, policymakers, and others concerned with the quality of teaching methods in elementary or secondary schools. If a sufficient number of relevant research findings are received they will be prepared for publication in the spring of 1987.

Individuals or organizations may submit as many entries as they wish. Each must adhere to the content criteria set forth below and should be prepared in a format and style similar to the entries in *What Works*. The deadline for submissions is October 20, 1986. Entries will not be returned.

The criteria are as follows:

1) The finding must apply to education at the

pre-school, elementary and/or secondary level. Though it may also have implications for postsecondary or adult education, a finding should be framed in relation to its implications for the education of children prior to high school graduation.

2) The finding must be based on general consensus among leading scholars and practitioners in particular fields. This does not require unanimity or the absence of reputable disagreement. Neither does it mean that there can be no complexities associated with understanding and applying the findings. The submission, though, should be founded on available syntheses, analyses, and other demonstrable evidence of sufficiently widespread agreement as to make it reasonable to bring the finding to the attention of the public.

3) The finding must pertain to an important issue, problem, practice, or situation affecting the education of large numbers of children. Findings need not be confined to "schooling" (library, home, family and out-of-school education are cer-