ACRL Microcard Series— Abstracts of Titles

THE ACRL MICROCARD SERIES is published for ACRL by the University of Rochester Press under the editorship of Mrs. Margaret K. Toth. Titles are available directly from the Press. Recently published titles include:

Roberts, Helene Emylou. No. 141
American art periodicals of the nineteenth century. vii, 186l. 29cm. (Thesis: Master of Librarianship, University of Washington, 1961.) Bibliography: l.[178]-181. \$2.25.

The first part of this thesis describes the various kinds of art periodicals that were published in the nineteenth century in America and discusses how art was treated in the general periodicals of the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries. It deals with art criticism and magazine illustration and suggests how these periodicals may be of value to the present day librarian, art historian, and social historian.

The second part consists of annotations giving bibliographic information and describing the contributors, scope, content, and format of some one hundred American art periodicals of the nineteenth century.

Fuller, Juanita Boykin. No. 143
An annotated bibliography of biographies
and autobiographies of Negroes, 18391961. iii, 62l. 28cm. (Thesis: M.S. in L.S.,
Atlanta University, 1962.) Bibliography:
l.61-62. \$1.

The purpose of this study was to compile an annotated bibliography of biographies and autobiographies of Negroes. The bibliography is arranged in alphabetical order by subject; under the subject, alphabetically by the surname of the biographee; and under the biographee, alphabetically by the author's last name; followed by the title, place, publisher, date, and the number of pages found in the book respectively. The bibliography shows an analysis by subjects and dates, sex, type of biography, and publishers.

Howard, Edward Ulysses. No. 144 Library budgets of predominantly Negro colleges and universities. iii, 43l. 28cm. (Thesis: M.S. in L.S., Atlanta University, 1963.) Bibliography: l.42-43. \$1.

A report of the status of the budgets of fifty-eight predominantly Negro institutions. The study includes student enrollment, library collections, personnel, number of hours of student assistance, operation expenditures in dollars, and expenditure ratios. These budgets were compared with over 850 selected schools included in college library statistics for 1958/59 and with the budget standards as stipulated by ALA for college and university libraries. Data for the study were compiled from Library Statistics of Colleges and Universities, 1960-61.

RILEY, LOUISE ELISE. No. 145
A study of the performance on a library orientation test in relation to the academic achievement and scholastic aptitude of a selected group of freshman college students at Tuskegee Institute. iii, 35l. 28cm. (Thesis: M.S. in L.S., Atlanta University, 1962.) Bibliography: 1.34–35. \$1.

This study proposed to find the relationship between library knowledge, academic achievement, and scholastic aptitude of a selected group of freshman college students enrolled at Tuskegee Institute in 1960-1961.

Through the use of a questionnaire it was found that the students were poorly equipped to use library resources effectively and that the library instructional program aided very significantly in alleviating this deficiency. However, the data did not support the assumption that the presence or absence of library skills affects academic performance. The students' aptitudes did not influence their abilities to use the library in the absence of instruction in library usage.

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Nominees for ACRL

PRESIDENT

Helen M. Brown, Wellesley College, Wellesley, Massachusetts

VICE PRESIDENT AND PRESIDENT-ELECT

J. Richard Blanchard, University of California, Davis, California Ralph E. McCoy, Southern Illinois University, Carbondale, Illinois

DIRECTORS-AT-LARGE (1965-69)

(two to be elected, one from each bracket) Ben C. Bowman, University of Vermont, Burlington, Vermont Thomas R. Buckman, University of Kansas, Lawrence, Kansas

James F. Holly, Macalester College, St. Paul, Minnesota James H. Richards, Jr., Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota

DIRECTORS ON ALA COUNCIL (1965-69)

(two to be elected, one from each bracket)
Page Ackerman, University of California, Los Angeles, California
Kathryn R. Renfro, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska

Fleming Bennett, University of Florida, Gainesville, Florida W. Carl Jackson, University of Colorado, Boulder, Colorado

COLLEGE LIBRARIES SECTION

CHAIRMAN:

Martha Giggs, Lake Forest College, Lake Forest, Illinois George F. Bovinski, State University of New York, Cortland, New York

VICE CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN-ELECT:

Lee Sutton, Parsons College, Fairfield, Iowa Edwin K. Tolan, Union College, Schenectady, New York

SECRETARY:

Ruth A. Diveley, Occidental College, Los Angeles, California Robert W. Evans, Oberlin College, Oberlin, Ohio

IUNIOR COLLEGE LIBRARIES SECTION

CHAIRMAN: James W. Pirie, Flint Community Junior College, Flint, Michigan

VICE CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN-ELECT:

Harriett Genung, Mt. San Antonio College, Walnut, California Mrs. Alice B. Griffith, Mohawk Valley Community College, Utica, New York

SECRETARY:

Betty J. Harrison, Marshalltown Community College, Marshalltown, Iowa Helen Paragamian, Pine Manor Junior College, Wellesley, Massachusetts

Offices, 1965/66

RARE BOOKS SECTION

CHAIRMAN: Marcus A. McCorison, American Antiquarian Society, Worcester, Massachusetts

VICE CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN-ELECT:

William H. Runge, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, Virginia Alexander D. Wainwright, Princeton University, Princeton, New Jersey Secretary:

Julius P. Barclay, Stanford University, Stanford, California John W. Matheson, Washington University, St. Louis, Missouri

SUBJECT SPECIALISTS SECTION

CHAIRMAN: James Humphry, III, Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, N. Y. VICE CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN-ELECT:

Charles G. Cox, Washington State Library, Olympia, Washington Mary Schell, California State Library, Sacramento, California

Agricultural-Biological Sciences Subsection

VICE CHAIRMAN, CHAIRMAN-ELECT:

Roy L. Kidman, University of California, La Jolla, California John B. Stratton, Oklahoma State University, Stillwater, Oklahoma Secretary:

Ann Kerker, Purdue University, Lafayette, Indiana Pauline W. Jennings, National Agriculture Library, Washington, D.C.

Law and Political Science

VICE CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN-ELECT:

Robert D. Harmon, San Jose State College, San Jose, California Lane Wilson, The Asia Foundation

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEMBER-AT-LARGE:

Marcia M. Miller, University of Missouri, Columbia, Missouri Hans E. Panossky, Northwestern University, Evanston, Illinois

Flavic and East European Subsections

VICE CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN-ELECT: John L. Mish, Public Library, New York

Bohdan F. Wynar, University of Denver, Denver, Colorado

MEMBER-AT-LARGE:

E. Alex Baer, University of California, Los Angeles, California Wasyl Veryha, University of Toronto, Toronto, Ontario

Information about Art Subsection nominees is not available at this time.

TEACHERS EDUCATION LIBRARIES SECTION

(The members of this section voted to discontinue)

UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES SECTION

CHAIRMAN: Everett T. Moore, University of California, Los Angeles, California VICE CHAIRMAN AND CHAIRMAN-ELECT:

John M. Dawson, University of Delaware, Newark, Delaware Gustave A. Harrer, Boston University, Boston, Massachusetts Secretary: (1965-68)

Lorna D. Fraser, York University, Toronto, Ontario, Canada Mrs. Patricia B. Knapp, Wayne State University, Detroit, Michigan

ACRL Board of Directors

Brief of Minutes January 27—10:00 a.m.

Present: President Archie L. McNeal; Vice President and President-Elect Helen M. Brown; Past President Neal Harlow; Directors-at-Large, Andrew J. Eaton, Ruth M. Erlandson; Directors on the ALA Council, E. Walfred Erickson, Elliott Hardaway, Rev. Jovian Lang, Russell Shank, Mrs. Margaret K. Spangler, Edward B. Stanford, Robert L. Talmadge; Chairmen of Sections, Anne C. Edmonds, James W. Pirie, Marcus A. McCorison, James Humphry, III, Everett T. Moore; Past Chairmen of Sections, Eli M. Oboler, Norman E. Tanis, Wrayton E. Gardner, Benjamin B. Richards, Dale M. Bentz; Chairman of Committees, John M. Dawson, Charles M. Adams, Jack Moriarty (reporting for Mr. Heiliger), Stanley L. West, Arthur T. Hamlin, Mrs. Patricia B. Knapp, Mark M. Gormley, Frances Kennedy, Robert K. Johnson; Editors, David Kaser, Mrs. Margaret K. Toth, William V. Jackson; Chairmen of Subsections, Doris J. Detwiler, Andrew Turchyn; George M. Bailey, Executive Secretary; RoseMary Chamberlin, Secretary. Guest, Ralph E. Mc-Cov.

Archie L. McNeal presided.

The minutes of the Board of Directors meeting as reported in CRL, July 1964,

were approved.

Helen Brown, chairman, Planning and Action Committee reported the action of that committee regarding current federal legislative programs. The Board voted unanimously in favor of the following action on H.R. 3220 and S. 600, "A bill—to strengthen the educational resources of our colleges and universities and to provide financial assistance for students in post-secondary and higher education":

 The ALA Washington office should press for wording in Title I to cover the needs of libraries in university extension and continuing education. (2) Endorsed in principle the inclusion of a "matching" requirement of local (whether public or private) funds for all dollar allocations for the acquisition of library materials under H.R. 3220. In taking this action, the Board urged those who will draft suggested revisions in the bill to explore a matching formula that will take into account the differences among institutions that in relation to their enrollments and potential economic support will affect their ability to take full advantage of this legislation.

The ACRL Board also voted its approval of the proposed Medical Library Assistance bill (H.R. 3142 and S. 597), noting that many member institutions have medical libraries which would benefit under the

provisions of this bill.

Miss Brown noted that proposed amendments to the ACRL Constitution and Bylaws were approved by the Planning and Action Committee and would be duplicated

for presentation to the Board.

The discussions of the Planning and Action Committee members regarding the Warren proposal for the National Library of Science System and Network for the Published Scientific Literature were reported. President McNeal noted that the Ad Hoc Committee on Research, under the chairmanship of Maurice F. Tauber had been functioning. Other members are Rutherford Rogers and Frederick Wagman. The Warren proposal said very little about the functions of libraries. At a meeting in Chicago on November 13, representatives of various organizations (ALA, ACRL, RTSD, Association of Research Libraries, Medical Library Association, and National Library of Medicine) met to discuss future action of library representatives regarding a national program. Mr. McNeal attended an informal meeting with William Knox, special assistant in the office of the advisor to

the President for Science and Technology in Washington on December 13. At a second meeting in Washington on January 26, Mr. Knox asked for our position on the national program. ARL had drafted a statement of "A National Program for Library Support of Research and Scholarship." This statement was duplicated for consideration of the Board at its second meeting.

(Note: Reports of ACRL sections, committees, and editors had been distributed to members of the Board prior to the meetings. Supplementary information reported

at the meeting is noted below.)

H. Vail Deale, chairman, College Libraries Section, noted the resignation of Helen Sears as chairman-elect of the section, due to serious illness. Anne Edmonds was appointed by Mr. Deale to serve out the term as chairman-elect until the next election. The section will hold its 1966 program meeting at Queens College.

The Junior College Libraries Section is continuing its cooperative efforts with the American Association of Junior Colleges and plans to send representatives to the annual convention of AAJC in Dallas, according to

Elizabeth Martin, chairman.

The Teacher Education Libraries Section had voted 219 to 37 to discontinue the section. The action was approved by the Board. Mr. Oboler emphasized that the members of the section would still be represented in ACRL since teachers are now being educated in all types of institutions of higher education. The discontinuance of the Teacher Education Libraries Section is merely a change in perspective.

The Bylaws of the Slavic and East European Subsection were approved for publi-

cation in CRL.

Mr. West reported that the Advisory Committee for Cooperation with Educational and Professional Organizations is working with the American Association of University Professor, to select books for exhibit at the next conference of that association. The committee will provide representatives for the Conference of the American Academy of Social and Political Science. A meeting with labor officials is planned for Detroit.

In other activities, the Grants Committee hopes to make an analysis of its past program and prepare a brochure for use in making future contacts. There was some question about the effect of the new federal legislation on the grants program, but it was generally agreed that the program would still be essential since the federal legislation would only begin to meet the current needs of college libraries.

Mr. Tanis reported that the Committee on Liaison with Accrediting Agencies, at the request of the new Federation of Accrediting Agencies, is developing guidelines for use of accrediting agencies. Mrs. Knapp, chairman, Committee on Library Services, reported that a communication had been received from a chapter of the American Association of University Professors, noting its concern about the rights of students. Plans are being developed for the Confer-

ence on Library Surveys to be held at Co-

lumbia University, June 14-17 cosponsored

by the Committee on Library Surveys and Columbia University.

The Membership Committee has surveyed institutional membership in ALA in 22 states. The survey, according to Miss Kennedy, chairman, showed that only 52 per cent of the head librarians of the institutions surveyed hold personal memberships in ALA. Of the other 48 per cent, only one-half held institutional memberships. ACRL membership, as of December 31, was 9,008.

An article on National Library Week, written by Mr. McNeal, will appear in the March issue of *CRL*, according to Mr. Johnson, chairman.

Mr. Moore stated that the new *CRL* first appearing in the January 1965 issue, was designed by Ward Ritchie and had received enthusiastic approval. The membership of the Publications Committee will be reduced to six to conform with the action taken by the ACRL Board in 1959. In accordance with other Board action in 1959, the terms of the editors of *CRL*, *Microcards*, and *Monographs* will expire in 1966. The Publications Committee will make recommendations regarding these positions at Detroit for consideration of the ACRL Board.

The committee recommended that the ACRL office undertake an expanded service as a clearinghouse for technical reports in cooperation with interested members. No

action was taken by the Board on this recommendation.

The ALA Audio-Visual Committee is considering a change of name to Media Research and Development Committee. If this is done, the ACRL Subcommittee name will also be changed. The Subcommittee plans to consider the problems of small colleges and junior colleges. Mr. Moriarty, reporting for the committee, requested that the membership of the committee should be reconstituted to emphasize these concerns, that a junior college librarian should be appointed chairman, and that the committed to him before these individuals left bers. The committee should be concerned with demonstration rather than research functions.

Mr. Tanis, chairman of the Standards Committee, reported the plans for development of standards for libraries of extension centers. Members of the committee had met with representatives of the U.S. Office of Education on January 25 to discuss the lack of quantative statements in the ALA Standards.

Mr. Jackson, editor of the ACRL Monographs, reported that the Rare Books Manual is due to be published in the spring of 1965.

Mr. Bailey reminded section and committee chairman and editors that reports of the Midwinter meetings should be submitteed to him before these individuals left Midwinter. All budget requests for 1965/66 are due in the ACRL office before March 15.

The lists of nominees for ACRL and section offices for the 1965 elections were distributed to the Board members and appear in this issue of *CRL*.

The meeting was adjourned at 12:00 noon.

Brief of Minutes January 28, 1965—2:00 p.m.

Present: President, Archie L. McNeal; Vice President and President-Elect, Helen M. Brown; Past President, Neal R. Harlow; Directors-at-Large, Andrew J. Eaton, Ruth M. Erlandson; Directors on the ALA Council, E. Walfred Erickson, Elliott Hardaway, Mrs. Frances B. Jenkins, Rev. Jovian Lang, Mrs. Margaret K. Spangler, Edward B. Stanford, Robert L. Talmadge; Chairmen of Sections, H. Vail Deale, Elizabeth E. Martin, Carson W. Bennett; Vice Chairmen of Sections, Marcus A. McCorison, James Humphry, III; Past Chairmen of Sections, Eli M. Oboler, Norman E. Tanis, Wrayton E. Gardner, Dale M. Bentz; Chairmen of Committees, William H. Carlson; Editor, Richard K. Gardner; George M. Bailey, ACRL Executive Secretary; RoseMary Chamberlin, Secretary. Guests included Frank L. Schick, Ralph E. McCoy, Richard A. Farley.

Archie L. McNeal presided.

Mr. Gardner, editor of CHOICE, reported a successful first year, with 2,010 subscriptions, but noted that 5,000 subscriptions would be needed to make the publication self-supporting. Most colleges and universities are now subscribing, but many public, high school, and special libraries should be reached. The need for additional staff to handle the increased workload was emphasized. Activities of the staff have included successful advertising promotion and work with reviewers. Approximately three hundred and fifty to four hundred reviews are handled each month. A detailed report of activities was distributed.

The booklist for college libraries, being developed from the list for new University of California campuses has been resurveyed by *CHOICE* reviewers. ALA has agreed to publish the list.

More consultants are needed for junior colleges, according to Mr. Farley, chairman of the LAD Buildings Committee for College and University Libraries. Plans for the buildings institute in Detroit are nearing completion. Under the provisions of the Higher Education Facilities Act, a large share of the funds are being made available for library buildings.

The LAD Statistics Committee for College and University Libraries is continuing its role as an advisory committee for statistics in libraries of higher educational institutions. The "Library Statistics of Colleges and Universities, 1963-64: Institutional Data," distributed to Board members and mailed to all institutions, include statistics for 78 per cent of the institutions. These have been collected through state agencies. Mr. Schick reported that the Li-

brary Services Branch is attempting to include statistics for independent libraries. The possibility of issuing the institutional data on a biennial basis was discussed. Such a program would allow for the publication, during alternate years, of special surveys on such aspects as buildings, salaries, etc. The Board members agreed that it would be desirable to continue publication of the statistics on an annual basis. The pending federal legislation would have a strong impact on the statistics. Over four hundred copies of the supplement to the 1962/63 statistics were sold by LAD. The Board voted to request that a supplement, which would include 1963/64 data for an additional 12 per cent or more of the institutions, be published by LAD prior to the Detroit Conference, Mr. McNeal was requested to write a letter of appreciation to the Commissioner of Education.

A proposal for a National Conference on Library Statistics, which has been endorsed by LAD to be cosponsored by LAD and the Library Services Branch, was also endorsed by the ACRL Board providing support is forthcoming from the sources listed in the proposal. It was also suggested that the conference might be held closer to the center of the United States. One purpose of the conference would be to establish a closer relationship between the ALA Standards and statistics.

The report of the ALA Program Evaluation and Budget Committee, resulting from two days of meetings prior to Midwinter, was distributed by Mr. Harlow, PEBCO representative. The report emphasized the need for an analysis of library legislation. It also stated that ALA's legislative program "should emphasize recruitment, adequate utilization of personnel, training, education and re-educating librarians, research, experimentation in new techniques, and the development of new patterns of library service and updating standards to fit these patterns." Mr. Harlow urged that all academic librarians should be prepared to take advantage of current legislation in order to avoid being swamped by "instant opportunity." The Program Memorandum, prepared by the ALA headquarters staff for use by PEBCO in its review and evaluation of ALA programs at the 1965 Midwinter Meeting, was distributed to the Board members.

Miss Brown reported further action of the Planning and Action Committee. The following resolution was approved regarding an ARL proposal for a national program:

"The Association of College and Research Libraries, on behalf of the American Library Association, joins with the Association of Research Libraries in support of the statement, 'A National Program for Library Support of Research and Scholarship,' since it would help to solve many of the library and informational problems with which ACRL is concerned."

The following statement was also approved for transmittal to the ALA Executive Board, the ALA Washington office and ARL:

"In future programs and legislation relating to libraries, the ACRL Board of Directors would call attention to the fact that well established research libraries, such as the John Crerar library, the Newberry library, Linda Hall, the Pierpont Morgan library, the Metropolitan Museum of Art library, the American Museum of Natural History library, and the American Antiquarian Society, are worthy of inclusion in a national program for library support of research. The Board, therefore, recommends that in the preparation and implementation of such legislation, research libraries which normally do not have formal curricula or student bodies not be excluded. Research libraries of this type by virtue of their collections and services make a critical contribution to the world of scholarship."

The Planning and Action Committee also approved, for submission to the Board and the membership of ACRL, various changes in the ACRL Constitution and Bylaws. Changes proposed and distributed to the Board for consideration included provision for removal of past chairmen of sections from the Board; establishment of ACRL chapters; appointments to standing committees; and mail votes of the Board of Directors. The proposed changes and a complete copy of the ACRL Constitution and Bylaws will be published in the May 1965 issue of CRL. Meanwhile, ACRL members

can encourage the establishment of chapters in accordance with the proposed bylaws.

Several proposals for ALA Council reapportionment had been distributed by the Council Apportionment Committee. In this regard, the Board approved the following proposal of the P&A Committee:

"The problem of ALA Council Apportionment cannot be resolved by any of the alternatives proposed by the Council Apportionment Committee at Midwinter other than that which suggested equal assignment of Councilors to each division. An alternative proposed by the ACRL Board and forwarded to the Committee would provide one councilor for the first 500 members in a division, plus one additional councilor for each additional 1,000 members." President McNeal announced that the ACRL General Session program at Detroit will be held on Thursday, July 8, at 2:00 P.M. He hopes to feature a speaker on the role of federal legislation in college and research library development. Other programs and schedules for Detroit were mentioned. Schedules of ACRL and ALA activities were distributed to those concerned with program planning. (Detailed information will appear in the ALA Bulletin, March and May 1965.)

Mr. Carlson, Chairman of the Committee on Liaison with Accrediting Agencies, emphasized the importance of the new and emerging junior colleges and community colleges. The Committee hopes to have a basic document for Board consideration at Detroit. A draft will be written by David Weber, a member of the committee. We hope to work more closely with the new Federation of Accrediting Agencies and the regional accrediting agencies.

The meeting was adjourned at 4:40 P.M.

ACRL Membership as of January 31, 1965 was 9,236. Membership on January 31, 1964 was 8,491. Section and Subsection information for 1965 will appear in the May issue.

Area Studies Conference

"Area Studies and the Libraries" will be the subject of the thirtieth annual conference of the graduate library school, University of Chicago, scheduled for May 20-22, 1965. Special area papers will be presented on South Asia, Southeast Asia, East Asia, Near East, Africa, Soviet Union and East Europe, and Latin America. In addition, general topics will be covered on: Area Studies of Library Resources, General Research Libraries and the Area Studies, Education for Area Studies and Librarianship.

For information, write to Mr. Claude M. Weil, Conference Coordinator, Center for Continuing Education, University of Chicago, 1307 E. 60th Street, Chicago, Illinois 60637.

News from the Field

ACQUISITIONS

UCLA has added a significant collection of Latin American holdings with the recent acquisition by the library of the late Mario Alberto Jiménez Quesada, jurist and Jefe del Departamento Legal de la Controloría General de la República de Costa Rica. The collection of more than seven hundred books, pamphlets, and manuscripts about Costa Rica was presented to the library as a memorial by Sr. Jiménez Quesada's sister.

SAN DIEGO STATE COLLEGE library has acquired a Franklin D. Roosevelt collection of 206 items including scarce pamphlets and political tracts.

UNIVERSITY OF SANTA BARBARA library has acquired an outstanding collection of books and manuscripts dealing with the history of the Spanish Inquisition and the Sephardic Jews numbering some 253 items dating from the sixteenth through the twentieth centuries.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS library has purchased a collection of sixty-three early Italian plays published mainly in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries.

The Edison Institute has been given the extensive Ford Motor Company archives and transfer of the collection was completed in December. More than fourteen million separate items comprise the collection, said to contain the largest concentration of important business documents in existence.

Princeton University has acquired the Sylvia Beach collection of books and papers, photographs and other items concerned with Miss Beach's bookstore, Shakespeare and Company, and with the literary figures of the '20s and '30s with whom she was acquainted. Miss Beach published James Joyce's *Ulysses* and *Pomes Penyeach*, and a volume of studies of his work. The collection was obtained by Princeton through the generosity of Graham D. Mat-

tison; a substantial segment of the bookstore collection remains in France—works presented on behalf of Princeton to the University of Paris for use in its English department library.

RUTGERS UNIVERSITY has added some three thousand art reference books to its library. The books were collected by the late Louis E. Stern, of Vineland, N.J., and were presented to Rutgers by a foundation which he established to dispose of his books and pictures.

UNIVERSITY OF ROCHESTER has been given a collection of books which includes twenty with fore-edge paintings, some with double fore-edge paintings. Donor was Dr. William A. MacVay in memory of his wife, the late Natalie Hull MacVay. The university also has received the first instalment of Senator Kenneth B. Keating's records and correspondence.

OBERLIN COLLEGE library has been given a collection of books, pamphlets, maps, broadsides, and letters relating to the War of 1812. Donor of the collection is Orrin W. June of New York.

WITTENBERG UNIVERSITY has been given a letter written by Martin Luther in 1526, from the collection of Arne Petterson of Tuckahoe, N.Y., and eight other items, seven of which date from the sixteenth century and six of which are about or by Luther. Donor of the items are Dr. and Mrs. Stanley M. Hanley of Columbus, Ohio.

THE JOINT UNIVERSITY libraries, Nashville, in 1964 obtained a collection of Tennessee manuscripts through the generosity of Stanley F. Horn. More than six hundred pieces are in the collection, ranging in date from 1782 to the 1870's; more than one-third of the items are Andrew Jackson papers. The papers are preserved in the Treasure Room of the JUL special collections department.

University of Houston has acquired a collection of Texana and Western Ameri-

cana from E. B. Taylor, Dickinson, Texas. Funds for the establishment of the collection were provided by Benjamin Clayton, in honor of Colonel E. B. Bates, for whom the collection is named.

AWARDS, GRANTS, SCHOLARSHIPS

The University of California Center for the Health Sciences biomedical library is accepting applications for three internships in medical librarianship until March 30. Applications should be addressed to Miss Louise Darling, Biomedical Library, University of California, Center for Health Sciences, Los Angeles, Calif. 90024.

Mt. San Antonio College, Walnut, Calif., has been granted funds by the Council on Library Resources for an experiment in the use of teaching machines to instruct new students in the use of a library.

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS graduate school of library science has received a \$5,000 bequest from the estate of Mrs. Fanny Coldren Goodwin, and will establish a fellowship with the gift.

HARVARD UNIVERSITY has initiated two interrelated studies with support by the National Science Foundation. The project involves research on the flow of technical information into and within large industrial corporations and studies of decision strategies employed in the use of information in research projects.

UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN'S newly established Rudolph Gjelsness scholarships supported by the library science faculty and alumni scholarship fund have been awarded to Barbara Lynne Zabor and Kenneth Dale Van Andel.

SAINT LOUIS UNIVERSITY has been awarded \$20,400 by the Samuel H. Kress Foundation to expand its collection of microfilms of illuminated manuscripts. At least two years will be required for completion of the project.

Richard A. Krzys has been awarded a graduate assistantship in the school of library science, Western Reserve University, Cleveland. Scholarship awards by the WRU school of library science have been made to Charles R. Brill and Martha J. Zelle, special libraries; Nancy A. Gall and

Beverly Ann Hall, university and college; Sandra Lee McClelland, academic or public librarian. Miss Zelle also holds a scholar-ship from the Special Libraries Association. Mrs. Moentiari Bakri, Bandung, Indonesia, a student at WRU school of library science holds a scholarship from the Agency for International Development for preparation as a college or university librarian.

Heidelberg College has received an anonymous gift of \$500,000 to be applied to the cost of a new library now being planned.

ROSEMONT COLLEGE is the recipient of a Helen D. Groome Beatty Foundation grant of \$1,200. The funds will be used to purchase twelve study carrels for the reading room of the library.

New England Library Association announces two scholarships for the academic year 1965/66, of \$1000 each. For further details write Miss Iva Foster, Chairman, NELA Scholarship Committee, Bates College Library, Lewiston, Maine 04240. Completed applications should be submitted before April 20.

The University of New South Wales, Australia, has been granted \$7,500 for a study by John Metcalfe of alphabetical subject indexing in relation to the relative indexing classifications.

The Chinese Materials and Research Add Service Center which began operation last autumn at Taipei, Taiwan, has received \$10,000 from the Council on Library Resources to support its work over a two-year period. The center is intended to help solve problems in securing scarce Chinese-language materials.

The SLA TRANSLATIONS CENTER has received a grant of \$48,930 from the National Science Foundation to assist in the support of its program of collecting unpublished translations and making them available to scientific and technical personnel.

BUILDINGS

University of the Pacific, Stockton, Calif., has set a construction schedule for the first of two additions to its library. A three-story structure will be attached to the north side of the present building; its 16,800 square feet will nearly double present floor

space. At an estimated cost of \$370,000, the addition is scheduled for completion by autumn.

The Donnelley library, LAKE FOREST COLLEGE, which was opened for use on January 4, will be dedicated on May 8. The new building will eventually house a quarter-million volumes and provide seating for half of the enrollment of twelve-hundred-fifty students. Individual study spaces will account for 70 per cent of the seating.

TULANE UNIVERSITY, New Orleans, has launched a fund drive to provide, among several objectives, a new \$4,500,000 library to house one-and-a-quarter million volumes plus additional library resources; the library will receive the highest priority of the fund drive.

HOFSTRA UNIVERSITY began construction of a new \$4,500,000 library building to house some five-hundred-thousand volumes and provide accommodation for twelve-hundred students. Two large-area floors will be topped by eight tower floors.

OKLAHOMA CHRISTIAN COLLEGE'S learning center, for which construction began this winter, will provide individual study carrels for every student. Cost of the center is estimated at \$600,000.

Haverford (Pa.) College plans library additions to double the capacity of the present library, which will be improved by a new entranceway. Construction is slated to start late this spring on a four-story-andbasement structure south and west of the present building; a two-story extension from the northwest will enlarge the Treasure Room which houses the collection of Ouaker publications and rare books and manuscripts. Combined floor space of the existing library and the additions will be 72,400 square feet, to accommodate a projected four-hundred-fifty thousand volumes. Student study areas will be increased to five hundred. Cost of the additions is estimated at \$1,700,000.

DICKINSON COLLEGE, Carlisle, Pa., has authorized construction of a new library building, for which ground will be broken by March of next year.

EASTERN WASHINGTON STATE COLLEGE, Cheney, will construct a three-story building of 86,500 square feet, with individual seating around the perimeter of the stack areas. Costs are estimated at \$2,250,000.

RIO GRANDE (Ohio) COLLEGE had groundbreaking ceremonies for a new library, early in December.

MEETINGS

The GRADUATE LIBRARY SCHOOL of the UNIVERSITY OF CHICAGO has announced the program of speakers and papers for its 30th annual conference, May 20-22, in the University's Center for Continuing Education. Topic of the conference is "Area Studies and the Library." Nineteen conference speakers will discuss the general problems of research libraries in relation to area studies programs, and take up special problems of seven specific areas.

WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY'S SCHOOL OF MEDICINE, St. Louis, will hold its third annual symposium on machine methods in medical libraries on April 8 and 9.

INTERNATIONAL FEDERATION FOR INFOR-MATION PROCESSING'S third conference will be on May 23-29, in New York City.

The International Conference on Data Processing will be held in Philadelphia on June 29-July 2.

The Medical Library Association will hold its annual meeting in Philadelphia from Sunday, May 30 to Thursday, June 3.

The tenth Midwest Academic Librarians Conference meets at Beloit College on Friday and Saturday, April 30-May 1. The theme is academic library cooperation in Mid-America. For details on local arrangements, write to H. Vail Deale, Director, Robert H. Morse Library, Beloit College, Beloit, Wis. 53512.

MISCELLANY

UCLA's school of business administration library is acquiring a collection of rare books in business as a memorial to the late Robert E. Gross, financed by a \$50,000 gift from the Lockheed Leadership Fund. Mr. Gross was founder of Lockheed Aircraft Corporation.

PURDUE school of industrial engineering and the Purdue university libraries announce the availability on microfilm of some five thousand working papers of Frank Gilbreth, pioneer time and motion study specialist. The microfilms may be obtained from Micro Photo Division of Bell & Howell Company, 1700 Shaw St., Cleveland, Ohio 44112, at a price of \$90.

The University of Minnesota, financed by a grant from the Ford Foundation, will assist the University of Concepcion, Chile in developing central university library services. University of Minnesota consultants are E. W. McDiarmid and James Kingsley, Jr. Final plans are under way for the construction of a new central library building for the Chilean school; William Jesse, University of Tennessee, served as building consultant for the new library. The University of Minnesota will also provide consulting service for training library staff members in other library education institutions.

DREXEL INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY'S graduate school of library science has announced plans for a second annual study tour of European libraries. Tuition is \$195, plus fees of from \$10 to \$20. Travel costs approximately \$1300. Enrollment before April 15 is urged. For information write Mrs. Margaret Warrington, Administrative Assistant, Graduate School of Library Science, Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia 19104.

The University of Tennessee medical units and library will participate in a training program for science librarians under a plan approved by the National Library of Medicine. Appointments for training under the program will be for one year with renewal for up to three years. Pending appropriation by Congress to the NLM, the starting date is planned for July 1966.

Dallas-Denton-Fort Worth libraries in higher education institutions are pooling facilities that total more than two million volumes. Teletypewriters and library cards acceptable by all of the five member-libraries are expediting the cooperative service. Southern Methodist, Southwestern medical school of University of Texas, North Texas State, Texas Woman's Universities, and Texas Christian are members of the interuniversity council.

University of Houston libraries have completed a library orientation film that may replace library tours. The effectiveness of the film will be tested by showings to eighty sections of the university's freshman English class this spring, with tests to provide the basis of a subsequent review of the orientation program.

Collection of Materials for the Preservation of Library Resources, and New Methods for the Restoration and Preservation of Documents and Books have been issued in English-language versions prepared by the Israel Program for Scientific Translations, from Russian texts. Orders should be addressed to the Clearing House for Federal Scientific and Technical Information, 5285 Port Royal Road, Springfield, Va. 22151. Price of the first title is \$2.75; of the second, \$4.

REPRINTS of the article by H. Vaile Deale, "A Decade with MALC," which appeared in the November 1964 issue of *CRL* are available at 20¢ each from *CRL*, 50 E. Huron St., Chicago 60611.

Fifty Candles for Eastern College Librarians, published on the occasion of the meeting of the committee for the 1964 Eastern College Librarians Conference, is available for \$1 per copy, cash with order, from Mr. Alfred H. Lane, Columbia University Libraries, 535 West 114th St., New York 10027. Harold M. Turner prepared the piece.

Education for Librarianship in India, by Carl W. Hintz, has been published as Occasional Paper No. 73 of the University of Illinois Graduate School of Library Science, 435 Library, Urbana, Ill.

The Western Historical Manuscripts Collection, University of Missouri general library, Columbia, will not publish any more *Guides to the Western Historical Manuscripts Collection*, since the holdings are now included in the National Union Catalog of Manuscript Collections.

Knowledge Availability Systems Center, University of Pittsburgh has made available without charge two brochures on information storage and retrieval. "KAS" details the purposes and functions of the center, and "Space and Technology Transfer" describes the spin-off of aerospace research data to local businesses.

Personnel

WILLIAM H. BOND, a scholar of English bibliography, is the new librarian of the Houghton library of rare books and manu-

scripts at Harvard University.

Dr. Bond, who has been a member of the Houghton library staff since 1946 and curator of manuscripts since 1948, has served as acting librarian since the death in October of William A. Jackson.



Dr. Bond

He also is a lecturer on bibliogra-

phy in Harvard College and the graduate school of arts and sciences, and teaches "The History of the Book" in Harvard's general education program.

Dr. Bond, who received Harvard's PhD in English philology in 1941, cataloged the private library of Arthur A. Houghton, Jr., and did research in the Folger Shakespeare library of Washington, D.C. before joining the Houghton library staff. During World War II, he was a communications officer in the United States Navy. In 1952-53, he was temporary assistant keeper of manuscripts at the British Museum, under a Fulbright fellowship.

In his own research, Dr. Bond in 1963 brought up-to-date the "Census of Medieval and Renaissance Manuscripts in the United States and Canada," originally compiled 25 years earlier by Seymour de Ricci and William J. Wilson. His revision gives current locations for more than ten thousand items of manuscript writing scattered in private collections and in university and public libraries across North America. He also edited a 1954 edition of "Jubilate Agno," by Christopher Smart, a literary curiosity of the eighteenth century.

He is a member of the Bibliographical Society of London, of the governing council for the Bibliographical Society of America, and of the board of directors of the Manuscript Society. He belongs to the Club of Odd Volumes (Boston), the Grolier Club (New York), and the Ralph Waldo Emerson Memorial Association.

A native of York, Pa., he received the AB with honors in 1937 from Haverford College, the MA in 1938, and PhD in 1941 from Harvard.

He is married to the former Helen Lynch of Amsterdam, N.Y., and they live in Concord with their two daughters, Nancy, a student at Mt. Holyoke College, and Sally.

On September 1, 1964, EDWARD S. MOFFAT became librarian of Ohio Wesleyan University, Delaware, Ohio. He brings to the position a background of academic study in some of the major universities on the Pacific coast and the Atlantic coast, and experience both as a teacher and as a librarian in colleges and universities of varied size. All of this can be particularly useful to an administrator whose approach is pragmatic.

Born in Pasadena, he did his undergraduate work at Stanford University from which he received a BA with distinction in January 1947 and the MA in October of that year, both of these degrees being with major concentration in history. Within the field of American history, his special interest has been the colonial period; he has also done a substantial amount of work in British history which was his minor. He did further graduate work during the next two years at the University of Washington and, in 1952-53, at Harvard. His remaining academic study was at Columbia, first, at the school of library service from which he received an MS degree in 1954 and then in the graduate faculties through which he received his PhD degree in history in May

1963. His dissertation was on the history of the Trinity School in New York, covering the period from 1709-1959.

Prior to obtaining his library degree, his profession had been that of teaching history, starting as a teaching assistant at the University of Washington in 1947-1948. This was followed by an appointment as instructor at the Everett (Wash.) Junior College, 1948-49, and by an instructorship at Glendale College from 1949 to 1951. He moved to Boston at that time. It was B. Lamar Johnson, then dean and librarian of Stephens College, who impressed him with the possibilities in librarianship as a career. In anticipation of working for a library degree, he obtained some firsthand experience by serving as stack supervisor in the Hayden library at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in 1951-52. In the ensuing academic year, a vacancy developed in an instructorship in the MIT history department and he accepted appointment to it.

In 1953-54, while taking course work at the school of library service at Columbia, he held an appointment as a library trainee in the New York public library. After receiving his degree, he served as librarian of the teachers' central laboratory at Hunter College from September 1954 to August 1958, at which time he was transferred uptown to the Hunter College library on the Bronx campus. In the evening and in the summer session he taught history at City College. It was in 1959 that he came to the teachers college library (an affiliated but independent Columbia library) as assistant librarian, a position which he held until his departure late this summer for Ohio Wesleyan. He worked with Eleanor Witmer until her retirement in June 1961 and after July 1962 with Sidney Forman, the present librarian. In the 1961-62 period, Mr. Moffat served as acting librarian.

His arrival at Ohio Wesleyan has coincided with a major expansion in the library's physical plant, with the architectural drawings for a new main library already approved and with excavation for the foundations under way. As construction proceeds, all hands on campus can look forward to spacious modern facilities which will supplant the crowded conditions in the Slocum library which was occupied in 1898.

Ohio Wesleyan was founded in 1840 by

the North Ohio Conference of the Methodist Episcopal church. In 1877 the Ohio Wesleyan Female College merged with it. After overcoming critical financial troubles in the early 1890's, the institution came into the modern period. By tradition, Methodist ministers send their sons and daughters there and, in turn, the university has become famous for the ministers and missionaries it has produced. The school has been described as the pride of the church, the most famous, the best supported, and the most liberal. The enrollment of twenty-two hundred is mainly undergraduate.

It can be anticipated that Dr. Moffat will approach his administrative responsibilities with energy and enthusiasm. He has verbal facility, which should be helpful in explaining plans and in winning support. Those within the university and his colleagues outside will look forward to observing in the next few years the accomplishments of this practical administrator.-

Charles W. Mixer.

APPOINTMENTS

JUDITH ANN ARMSTRONG is assistant librarian at Ursinus College, Collegeville, Pa.

LAWRENCE AULD, director, Centralized Processing Center, Division of Library Services, Department of Education, State of Hawaii, Honolulu, has decided to shorten his title to assistant librarian for technical processes, Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan.

Mrs. Myrna Adams Barnes is now in the circulation department at Lycoming College, Williamsport, Pa.

RUTH BAUNER has been named education librarian at Southern Illinois University,

Carbondale.

Marsha Berman has been appointed to the education library staff at UCLA.

RICHARD F. BERNARD has been appointed assistant professor and chief of the department of special collections at the University of Minnesota libraries.

CHARLES L. BERNIER has been named science communication specialist, a new post in the National Library of Medicine.

Mamie Birnbaum joined the science division at Brooklyn College library.

PRUDENCE H. BISBEE has joined the staff of the law school library at State University of New York, Buffalo, as a cataloger. George K. Boyce heads the rare book

section in the catalog department at University of Michigan library.

Christian C. Braic is with Rose memorial library, Drew University, Madison, N.J., as a cataloger.

EMMA LEE BROWN has joined the cataloging staff at Warner library, Eastern Baptist College, St. Davids, Pa.

ANTHONY M. BUTLER is now assistant librarian at Guggenheim memorial library, Monmouth College, West Long Branch, N.J.

RICHARD A. CARPENTER has been named senior specialist in science and technology, science policy research division, legislative reference service, Library of Congress.

E. Gailey Chambers has been appointed business and social sciences division librarian at Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Catherine B. Cheng is now an assistant reference librarian at the Pennsylvania State University library.

MRS. ELOISE CLARKSON has been named to the undergraduate library staff at University of Washington.

LEONARD COHAN is director of libraries of the Polytechnic Institute of Brooklyn, N.Y.

REV. CLAUDE A. COWAN is now assistant divinity librarian at Joint University libraries, Nashville.

KATHERINE G. CREELMAN has been appointed music cataloger at the Brooklyn College library.

MRS. BETTY B. DAVIS has joined the catalog staff in the Carol M. Newman library, Virginia Polytechnic Institute, Blacksburg.

JOHN DEMOS has accepted the position of head, physics and mathematics library, Ohio State University, Columbus.

Mrs. Betty Donohue is now on the catalog staff at UCLA library.

JOSEPH C. DONOHUE is assistant librarian at the Rand Corporation, Santa Monica, Calif.

SHERRY LYNN DUNLAP has joined the staff of the University of Alaska libraries as assistant cataloger.

THOMAS G. ENGLISH, JR., has been appointed assistant professor and supervisor of departmental libraries at the University of Minnesota.

RUTH M. ERLANDSON is now consultant for library research and lecturer in subject bibliography at Ohio State University libraries.

SOLEDAD M. FERNANDEZ is on the staff of Bancroft library, University of California, Berkeley.

Mrs. Judith Findlay is a reviser at the graduate school of library science, Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia.

NICHOLAS FONTANA has been appointed chief of the circulation division, Brooklyn College library.

VIRGINIA G. FRANCIS is a new member of the reference and bibliography department at University of Florida libraries, Gainesville.

FREDERICK FREEDMAN has joined the UCLA library staff as head of the music library.

ROBERT C. GIBBS has been appointed serials acquisitions librarian at Pennsylvania State University.

HELEN GREEN has been named to the cataloging staff at Brooklyn College library.

Frank P. Grisham became assistant director of Joint University libraries on January 1.

HAROLD W. HACKETT is member of the staff of the acquisitions department, University of California, Santa Barbara.

MRS. GRACIA HARDACRE is now acquisitions librarian, central division, Joint University libraries, Nashville.

MRS. ROWENA HIBBITTS is the new circulation librarian at Peabody division, Joint University libraries, Nashville.

EMMA LEE HIMENO is a new member of the catalog staff at Brooklyn College library.

ALLEN J. HOGDEN is now head of the cataloging department, University of Illinois, Chicago.

Susan Hill is with the acquisitions department at University of California library, Santa Barbara.

George Kenneth Huber is assistant circulation librarian at Swarthmore College.

Santina M. Isabella is director of information services and systems, Center for Air Environment Studies, Pennsylvania State University.

Mrs. IRENE JACOBS recently joined the staff of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare library as reference health specialist.

JOHN R. KAISER has been appointed assistant acquisitions librarian at Pennsylvania State University.

James R. Kennedy has accepted a position as head reference librarian at Earlham

College, Richmond, Ind.

MYRON M. Kessler became associate director of libraries, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, on January 1.

SANDRA MARLEEN KITTNER is on the staff of the fine arts library, University of Penn-

sylvania, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Francis Konecnik is assistant reference librarian at Pennsylvania State University.

MARTIN KONECNIK has been named to the newly created post of data processing librarian at Pennsylvania State University.

REV. JOHN EARL LAMB is associate librarian of the divinity school of the Protestant Episcopal church, Philadelphia.

Mrs. Julia Lee has joined the University of California library, Santa Barbara, acquisition department staff.

ROCER M. MILLER is a newly appointed member of the cataloging staff of University of Washington libraries.

ANITA MONROE is now head cataloger at the school of medicine library, University of Virginia, Charlottesville.

MRS. CAROLINE JANE MORRIS is serials librarian at Pennsylvania Military College,

PAUL MURPHY is now reference librarian in Joint University libraries central division, Nashville.

MRS. PATRICIA ROSEBERRY MYERS is the new librarian of Fels Institute of Local and State Government, University of Pennsylvania.

Mrs. VIOLA NDENGA is on the undergraduate library staff at University of Washington.

Mrs. Mrwa Ohta has been appointed to the reference librarian position newly established at Washington University school of medicine. St. Louis.

Francis M. Parker is now on the staff of the circulation department at the University of Florida libraries, Gainesville.

Patricia Parker has accepted appointment as a cataloger in the English language section, descriptive cataloging division, Library of Congress.

DAVID H. PARTINGTON heads the Near

Eastern unit in the catalog department at University of Michigan library.

LINDA PHILLIPS has joined the reference department in University of California libraries, Santa Barbara.

MRS. LENORE S. RADTKE has been appointed head of the catalog department, Sonoma State College library, Rohnert Park, Calif.

DORIS RANSOM has accepted appointment as a cataloger in the English language section, descriptive cataloging division of Library of Congress.

DAVID L. REICH is now assistant librarian, acquisitions, in Miami-Dade Junior

College library, Miami, Fla.

MRS. SARAH ELIZABETH RIVOIR is assistant librarian at West Chester (Pa.) State College.

MRS. ERLINDA S. ROLLS is an assistant reference librarian in Pennsylvania State

University library.

ROMAN SAJEWYCH has been named head of classification and cataloging in the law library at Northwestern University.

ELMO STUART SAUNDERS is a library in-

tern at Ohio State University.

STEPHEN F. SCHULTHEIS has rejoined the staff of the University of California library, Santa Barbara.

Charles Aaron Searing has been appointed assistant reference librarian in Wilbur Cross library, University of Connecticut, Storrs.

VIDOJKA SERSIC, of Ljubljana, Jugoslavia, is at University of Pennsylvania as an exchange librarian.

Mrs. Constance Hope Smith has joined the catalog department in University of California library, Santa Barbara.

Jean Smith is filling the newly created position of arts librarian at Pennsylvania State University.

LEONID C. SONEVYTSKY is now a cataloger in the Brooklyn College library.

Mrs. Sarah T. Spivey has been named assistant librarian in South Georgia College library, Douglas.

BETSEY STARR is the new appointee in

the biomedical library, UCLA.

MAYUMI TANIGUCHI is now a cataloger in the Far Eastern languages section of the descriptive cataloging division, Library of Congress.

MRS. LILLIAN TAYLOR is the librarian of

Peabody Demonstration School, Nashville.

MRS. SHIRLEY B. THURSTON is with the general reference staff at Drexel Institute of Technology, Philadelphia, as assistant librarian.

ETELKA VAJDA has been appointed cataloger in the law library, Northwestern Uni-

A. L. C. VICENTI is the director of the

University of Brasilia library.

Susan Wakefield has been appointed reference librarian in the medical division of Joint University libraries, Nashville.

MONICA PING-O WANG is a member of the catalog department in University of California library, Santa Barbara.

MRS. BETTY JEAN WARNER is now a staff member in Biddle law library, University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

WILLIAM B. WEAVER has joined the circulation department of the University of Florida libraries, Gainesville.

Mrs. MIRIAM WEISS has joined the Beaver College library staff as a cataloger.

THEODORE F. WELCH has accepted appointment as a cataloger in the Far Eastern languages section, descriptive cataloging division of the Library of Congress, to start on April 18.

JOYCE LOUISE WHITE is librarian in the school of education at University of Pennsylvania, Philadelphia.

IRIS J. WILDMAN has been named chief of accessions and binding in Yale University law school library.

MRS. MARJORIE HILT WILSON has joined the cataloging department in the Carol M.

Newman library, Virginia Polytechnic Institute.

Mrs. Linda Woo is a staff member of the catalog division in University of Washington libraries.

Eugene Wu will become librarian of the Chinese-Japanese library of the Harvard-Yenching Institute at Harvard University, in the autumn of 1965.

Mrs. Stephanie Zmurkevych has been appointed to the UCLA library catalog department.

RETIREMENTS

ERMINE STONE, librarian of Sarah Lawrence College for more than thirty years, retired on December 31.

NECROLOGY

Louise O. Bercaw, former assistant director of the National Agricultural library, died on December 9.

ZELLA CUNDALL, education librarian at Southern Illinois University, Carbondale since 1951 and staff member for nineteen years, died on January 17.

MRS. FANNY ALICE COLDREN GOODWIN, head of the reference department in UCLA library for twenty-two years until her retirement in 1946, died on November 6.

LILIAN GUTHRIE, for more than fifty years a staff member of the University of Pennsylvania library, died on December 5.

RODOLPHO RIVERA, director of the University of Puerto Rico libraries, died on August 18.

ABSTRACT OF TITLES

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Tyson, Edwin Louis. No. 142 The contributions of Howard Pease to young people's literature. 81l. 28cm. (Thesis: Master of Librarianship, University of Washington, 1961.) Bibliography: 1.79-81. \$1.50.

This thesis which defines and briefly surveys the development of young people's literature is specifically concerned with the contributions which have been made to this literature in the fiction of Howard Pease, a contemporary author and a pioneer in the field. A careful reading of the Pease novels reveals that the tightly constructed plots of mystery or adventure, designed to command the immediate interest of the young reader, also serve to introduce desirable personal ideals and social attitudes.