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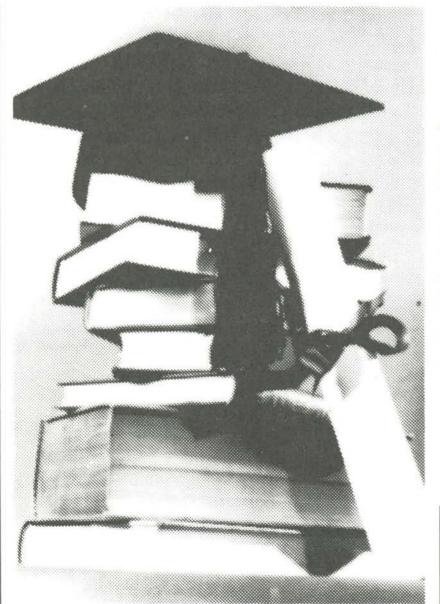
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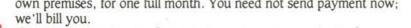
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Conference on Cooperative Preservation Programs

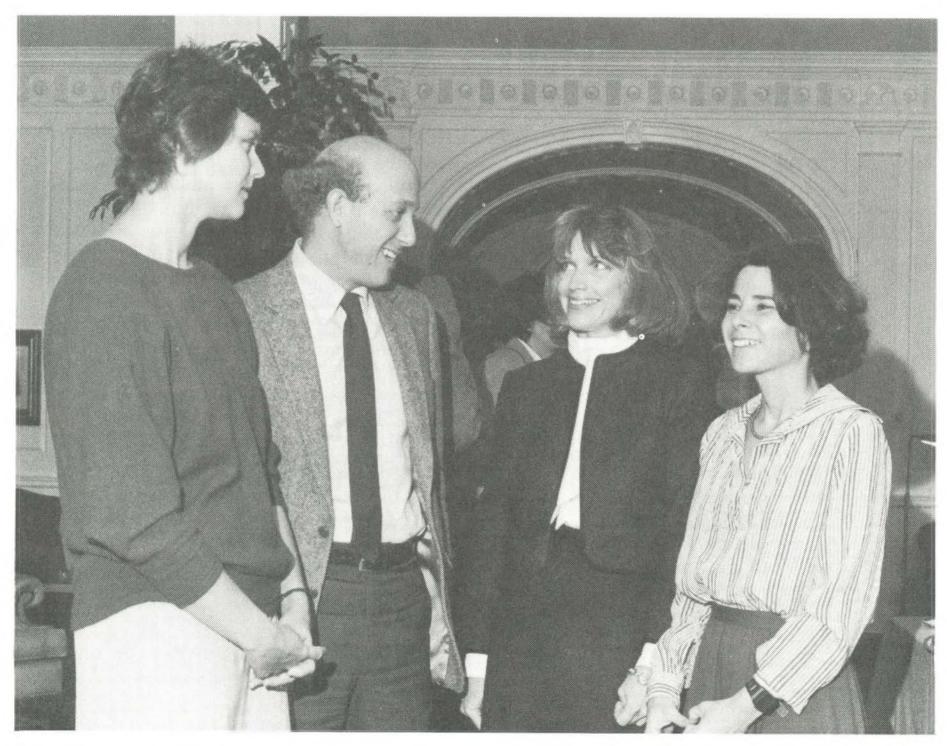
On October 24–25, 1985, the representatives of thirteen non-profit cooperative preservation programs met in Andover, Massachusetts, to discuss the role of regional programs in an emerging national preservation strategy. The two-day, invitational Conference on Cooperative Preservation Programs for Libraries and Archives was hosted by the Northeast Document Conservation Center and funded by the National Endowment for the Humanities. The purposes were to promote communication among these centers, plan for resource sharing, identify common needs, and articulate positions on national preservation issues.

As a result of discussions at the conference, the participants agreed that cooperation and coordination among the centers should include the following activities:

1) Joint development or sponsorship of workshops and other training programs.

2) Sharing of publications and teaching materials on a more systematic basis.

3) Development of a formal mechanism for shar-



Participants at the Conference on Cooperative Preservation Programs: (left to right) Carolyn Morrow, LC National Preservation Program Office; Jeffrey Field, NEH Office of Preservation; Merrily Smith, LC National Preservation Program Office; Ann Russell, Northeast Document Conservation Center.

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ing information about the participants' activities.

4) Utilization of a centralized database to be developed by the Library of Congress.

While coordination of existing programs will contribute much to building an effective national preservation strategy, the participants identified a number of areas that still need to be addressed:

1) New cooperative programs must be established in areas where preservation needs cannot now be met locally.

2) Existing preservation education programs leading to a certificate and/or a degree must be supported and others need to be established.

3) Short-term training and education should continue and be expanded and additional, indepth training opportunities should be developed.

4) Research and development projects must be sponsored at appropriate scientific facilities to investigate and evaluate the application of science to preservation problems.

5) While research and development into information preservation technologies such as optical and video disk are ongoing, proven methods such as microfilming must receive continued support so that the content of endangered materials will be preserved.

6) The development and/or adoption of standards by national organizations such as ANSI provides a valuable service to the preservation profession and should continue.

7) Support and funding of the field services of regional preservation programs should continue.

8) Finally, participants agreed to continue their communications and information exchange on a regular basis as one way of promoting continued national cooperation and decided to meet again in December 1986.

The Conference provided an opportunity for professionals engaged in similar projects to meet each other and share common concerns. The participants concurred that the challenge posed by the deterioration of the nation's collections can be met more effectively as cooperative preservation programs are supported and expanded, and that nationwide coordination among regional preservation proton programs should be continued.



Acquisitions

• The Auburn University Libraries, Auburn, Alabama, have received several acquisitions of note.

The university library's Special Collections Department has added to its collection of Bibles with the acquisition of a 1541 Great Bible, a 1575 Bishops' Bible and a 1582 Rheims New Testament. The Great Bible, a revision of the 1535 Coverdale Bible, was commissioned by Thomas Cromwell because the 1535 Bible had been prepared mostly from Latin and Dutch translations without a complete comparison with Greek and Hebrew texts. Coverdale completed the first edition in 1539; the volume acquired by Auburn is thought to be from the fifth edition. The Bishops' Bible was completed in 1568, the work of "able bishops and other learned men," whose efforts were coordinated by Archbishop Matthew Parker. The volume acquired by Auburn appears to be from the sixth edition. The Catholic Rheims New Testament, sponsored by Cardinal William Allen and translated and annotated by Gregory Martin and others, was known at the time for its unabashedly controversial annotations. All three acquisitions are housed in the Treasure Room of Auburn's Ralph Brown Draughon Library. Auburn's Library has also received a significant aerospace studies/aviation history collection. The collection, which was purchased from Hampton Books, Newberry, South Carolina, numbers between 5,000 and 6,000 items and is especially strong in materials for the study of the history of flight. While most of the collection is composed of monographs and serials, there are a number of technical reports and manuals, government agency documents, and other forms of printed material. Much of the collection is in English, but there is a significant amount of German language material. Other languages represented include French, Spanish, Italian, Russian, and several others.

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logical Library, Cambridge, Massachusetts, has received a unique archive of tapes, slides, and periodicals relating to the influential Indian religious teacher Sri Anandamayi Ma (1896–1982). The archives were compiled by Gary Empie, a young American who lived in one of Sri Ma's ashrams for eight years, until his death in 1981. Sri Anandamayi Ma taught by answering questions put to her, and Empie gathered 139 cassette tapes of these questions and answers, as well as films, slides, and photographs of Ma, and magazines and books relating to her life and work. The archives were presented to Harvard by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Empie and Markell Brooks.