letter in *American Libraries* recently pointed out, most things we do in a 40-hour work week they do not consider up to their standards, nor up for their rewards.

Thus I have proposed, and the CLS Executive Committee has approved, an ad hoc CLS Real Income Committee for a three-year term with the following charge: to gather income studies from states, systems, and companies, and spell out what these might mean for *college librarians*; and to work closely with the ALA Commission on Pay Equity in drafting national programs to be translated into a campaign for use in higher education associations and in colleges themselves—with the strength of ALA behind them.

If you are interested in working on this committee, contact: Susan Stussy (chair), Director of the Library, Marian College, 3200 Cold Spring Road, Indianapolis, IN 46222. William Delzell and Wendell Barbour are also members.

A second ad hoc committee I proposed, and the Executive Committee approved, is the CLS Historical Commission (a name selected by its members) with Susan Campbell as chair. Its charge is to prepare a history of the College Libraries Section, to collect and suggest procedures, and to assemble them into a section manual. The Commission, also

with a three-year life, includes Betty Corbett, Michael Haeuser, and Michael La Croix.

Arising out of the idea of the CLS Historical Commission is the new CLS Bylaws Committee. The bylaws were revised in 1981 and 1982 but were never made official; thus the 1974 version is still in use. We need to bring them into line with new ALA and ACRL bylaws, as well as smooth the sometimes awkward procedures with which we are now operating. I welcome volunteers and nominations for this committee.

The increase in vitality of CLS portends expansion of its services to members. It offers a chance for librarians who want to influence the section's direction. These committees embody several interests evidenced by the CLS Advisory Council.

Action Item 1. Contact me if you would like to start another committee, and give me the reasons why. I can propose committees to the Executive Committee at ALA Annual Conference.

Action Item 2. Contact me if you would like to be on the agenda with any matter concerning college librarians at the CLS annual membership meeting.—Jean C. Pelletiere, Rockefeller Research Scholar, College of Public Affairs and Policy, SUNY Albany, 135 Western Avenue, Albany, NY 12222; (518) 370-4124.



• Bibliographic Instruction in ARL Libraries, SPEC Kit #121 (107 pages, February 1986), examines current developments and anticipated trends based on a survey of 25 ARL libraries with active BI programs. It identifies the use of new technology in BI programs and the expansion of programs to reach more diverse audiences as two important trends. BI planning materials for seven libraries are provided in the kit, along with three examples of CAI programs and microcomputer-based instruction, two descriptions of graduate student instruction, and one description of international student instruction. SPEC kits are available by subscription from the SPEC Center, ARL/OMS, 1527 New Hampshire Ave., N.W., Washington, DC 20036. Individual issues cost \$20 each, prepayment required.

• End-User Searching Services, SPEC Kit #122 (112 pages, March 1986), presents the results of a survey of ARL libraries on their methods of assisting students and faculty with database searching.

The kit includes one grant proposal, five program descriptions, four examples of publicity, nine sets of instructional aids and reference tools, six evaluation/questionnaires, and a select bibliography. See previous entry for cost and address.

• Essential Guide to CD-ROM, edited by Judith Paris Roth (189 pages, March 1986), provides information on the basic concepts and principles of optical Compact Disc Read-Only Memory (CD-ROM) technology, as well as its hardware and software, and specific applications. One section of the book covers the prototype CD-ROM library and information systems developed by Brodart, Faxon, Ingram, and Newsbank. A CD-ROM disc containing over 8800 programs with documentation from the IBM PC SIG Library of Public Domain and User-Supported software accompanies the book, which sells for \$29.95 from Meckler Publishing Corporation, 11 Ferry Lane West, Westport, CT 06880-5808. ISBN 0-88736-045-9.

• Female Psychology: A Partially Annotated Bib-

liography, edited by Carole Dilling and Barbara L. Claster (326 pages, 1986), is a comprehensive compilation of recent and historically important articles and books in the areas of female developmental theory, psychoanalytic theory and practice, psychopathology, gender and sex roles, and special issues relevant to women and their mental health needs in a psychological, sociological, and political context. The book was designed to integrate new perspectives on female psychology into the previously generalized and largely masculine perspective of the traditional literature. The cost is \$25 to individuals (\$30 to institutions), plus \$2.50 per copy for postage and handling. Order from the New York City Coalition for Women's Mental Health, c/o Joan Einwohner, 320 W. 86th Street, New York, NY 10024 (checks payable to the Coalition).

ALA's Map and Geography Round Table and edited by David A. Cobb (214 pages, February 1986), describes over 900 collections in academic and public libraries, geoscience libraries, state and federal libraries, historical societies, and private libraries. An analytical introduction gives additional information on federal depositories, interlibrary loan, size of collections, preservation techniques, special collections, and online services. Copies are \$25 and may be ordered from ALA Publishing Services, Order Department, 50 E. Huron Street, Chicago, IL 60611. ISBN 0-8389-0439-4.

• Japan for Westerners, by Cris Popenoe (88 pages, April 1986), contains reviews of over a thousand currently available books and recordings about Japan. Arranged by topic, the reviews cover the arts, music, literature, history, zen, the martial arts, cuisine, business, travel, and language. Pub-

lished primarily as a buying guide by the Yes! Bookshop, the book contains complete bibliographic information as well as publishers, their addresses, and an author index, and is useful as a reader's guide to current literature on Japan. Copies may be ordered for \$5.95 from the Yes! Bookshop, 1035 31st St., N.W., Washington, DC 20007. ISBN 0-936119-00-4.

• Librarian in Search of a Publisher: How to Get Published, by Brian Alley and Jennifer Cargill (176 pages, 1986), explores all the outlets of professional publishing available to librarians, including writing articles or book reviews for journals and newsletters, compiling bibliographies, and writing books. Basic matters of organization, time management, and the mechanics of writing are covered, as well as specifics of proposal design, contracts, copyright, royalties, manuscript production, and how to deal with editors and publishers. Copies may be ordered for \$18.50 from the Oryx Press, 2214 N. Central at Encanto, Phoenix, AZ 85004-1483. ISBN 0-89774-150-1.

• The Occult in the Western World, by Cosette N. Kies (ca.300 pages, August 1986), is an annotated bibliography of nearly 900 important English-language monographs on witchcraft, magic, mysticism, parapsychology, UFOs, mythical creatures, prophecy, and astrology. The work is intended to be a sourcebook for beginners and casual readers needing a general overview of occult topics. An emphasis is given to books useful as reference works. A glossary and name and title indexes supplement the list. Copies may be ordered for \$29.50 from the Shoe String Press, P.O. Box 4327, Hamden, CT 06514. ISBN 0-208-02113-2.

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May

27-30—Publishing: Society for Scholarly Publishing, Cathedral Hill Hotel, San Francisco. Speakers include ACRL members Charles Osburn, Frederick Isaac, and Paula Kaufman. Fees after May 5: members \$165; non-members \$200. Contact: Society for Scholarly Publishing, 2000 Florida Ave., N.W., Suite 305, Washington, DC 20009; (202) 328-3555.

June

7-12—Special Libraries: Annual Conference, Spe-

cial Libraries Association, Sheraton Boston Hotel, Boston. Featured speakers include Rosabeth Moss Kanter, author of *The Change Masters*, and Julianne H. Prager, executive director of corporate technical planning and coordination at the 3M Corporation. Pulitzer Prize winners Jon Franklin (*Baltimore Sun*) and Tracey Kidder (*The Soul of a New Machine*) will also make presentations. Contact: Special Libraries Association, 1700 Eighteenth St., N.W., Washington, DC 20009; (202) 234-4700.

16-20—Theology Libraries: Annual Conference,

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