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UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LIBRARIES' NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR

- December 5 Piano Paraphrases: Transcriptions by Busoni, Godowsky and Rachmaninoff of work by Bach, Johann Strauss, Rimsky - Korsakoff and Tchaikovsky. Nathaniel Patch, Piano.
- December 9 The Appalachian Association of Sacred Harp Singers will present a Christmas concert of shape-note hymns and early American folk hymns selected from the Original Sacred Harp tune book. Recital Hall, UK Center for the Arts, 8:00 p.m.
- Sally Ward Maggard, "Impressions of the Chinese Coal Industry: China's Push Towards Modernization." Brown bag luncheon, Room 206, Student Center, from 12:00-1:15 p.m.
- December 12 Administrative Council. 8:30 a.m., Room 137, Chemistry/Physics Building.
- Last day of classes - Fall 1980 semester
- December 18 LSO Christmas Luncheon. 11:30 p.m.
(see announcement - this Green Bean).

EXHIBITS

- December 3-15 A exhibition of sheep paintings by Jeanette Hawes in the Art Library.
- December 8-20 Association of American University Presses 1980. Book and Journal Show, Special Collections King Library North.

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SPEC KIT #68 - AACR2

SPEC KIT #68 entitled "AACR 2 Implementation Studies In ARL Libraries" is now available in the Reference Department.

SELA Conference

The Southeastern Library Association Biennial Conference was held November 20-22, 1980, in Birmingham, Alabama. Among the 1100 registrants for this conference, which marked the 60th anniversary of SELA, were John Bryant, Vivian Hall, and Jane White from UK.

The Resources and Technical Services Librarian Section was held on November 20 from 2-4:30 p.m. The three speakers for the afternoon program addressed AACR 2 issues. The Program title was "Count down to AACR2", the first speaker Arlene Taylor Dowell, University of North Carolina, at Chapel Hill presented her very detailed study of the effects of implementing AACR 2 upon a large, a medium, and a small academic library. Berna Heyman, College of William and Mary gave a paper on just how William and Mary planned to implement AACR 2 using their present Card Catalog. John Bryant, University of Kentucky presented a paper which gave the impact of AACR 2 on a larger research library if the option for the Catalog format were COM, a cost model for the COM product was also part of the presentation.

During the Conference John attended a very important meeting on the Future of SOLINET. Lee Handly, Executive Director for SOLINET presented a proposal for membership consideration; i.e., the best possible benefit to the SOLINET user's might be setting up what he called a Mutual Support Corporation, between SOLINET and OCLC. This would include giving up all of SOLINET'S assets to the Corporation. More information on this will certainly be forthcoming.

Edwin Newman, the dinner speaker at the Thursday evening banquet, described the demise of the English language in contemporary usage.

The program for the Special Libraries luncheon featured an excellent slide-tape presentation on the Reynolds Historical Library in Birmingham.

Fred Glazer of the West Virginia Library Commission discussed the need to promote your library in his "Promote or Perish" address. Mr. Glazer has been successful in his efforts to increase financial support for West Virginia's libraries in recent years.

SELA is thinking of sponsoring a charter plane to go to the American Library Association Conference in San Francisco this summer. The price, as estimated at this time would be \$723. per person. This fee would include roundtrip airfare between Atlanta and San Francisco, transportation to and from the hotel, and double occupancy for 6 nights at the Holiday Inn.

Details will appear in upcoming issue of Southeastern Librarian as plans become more concrete.

LSO Christmas Luncheon

The annual LSO Christmas luncheon will be held on Thursday, December 18 at 11:30 in the Paperback Reading Room. The luncheon is pot luck with LSO providing the meat and drink. Non LSO members will be charged \$1.00 plus their potluck dish; LSO members, just their potluck dish. If you plan to attend the luncheon, please return your form (which were distributed this week) to Sandra Muenks in Cataloging by December 8.

LSO Silver Jubilee Thanks

I want to thank everyone who worked so hard on the LSO Silver Jubilee. We had a good turn out and I think its the best party we have had in a while. I'll have more of a wrap-up on the Jubilee in the November Wax Bean.

Toni Powell

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Head Librarian Positions, Pennsylvania State University campuses at Altoona, Beaver, and Hazleton. Salary \$15,000+. Application deadline: February 6, 1981.

Librarian, General Reference, Pennsylvania State University. Salary \$13,200 minimum. Application deadline: December 31, 1980.

Head of Acquisitions. University of Connecticut. Salary \$20,000-\$25,000. Application deadline: December 12, 1980.

Librarian (part-time 32 hrs/wk). U.S. Dept. of Agriculture, Science and Education Administration. Application deadline: December 22, 1980.

Head of Reference. University of Utah. Salary \$18,000+. Application deadline: February 27, 1981.

Librarian (dual appointment in Periodicals and Catalog Departments). Memphis State University. Salary \$13,000. Application deadline: December 15, 1980.

Assistant Curator of Special Collections. University of Pennsylvania. Salary \$14,200. Application deadline: December 15, 1980.

Senior Programmer-Analyst. Yale University Library, Systems Office. Application deadline: January 15, 1981.

Rare Book Cataloger. Brigham Young University. Application deadline: February 1, 1981.

Catalog Librarian. Georgia State University. Salary \$12,800-\$14,500. Application deadline: February 1, 1981.

Assistant Professor, General Services Division (Government Documents). University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Salary \$17,000+. Application deadline: January 16, 1981.

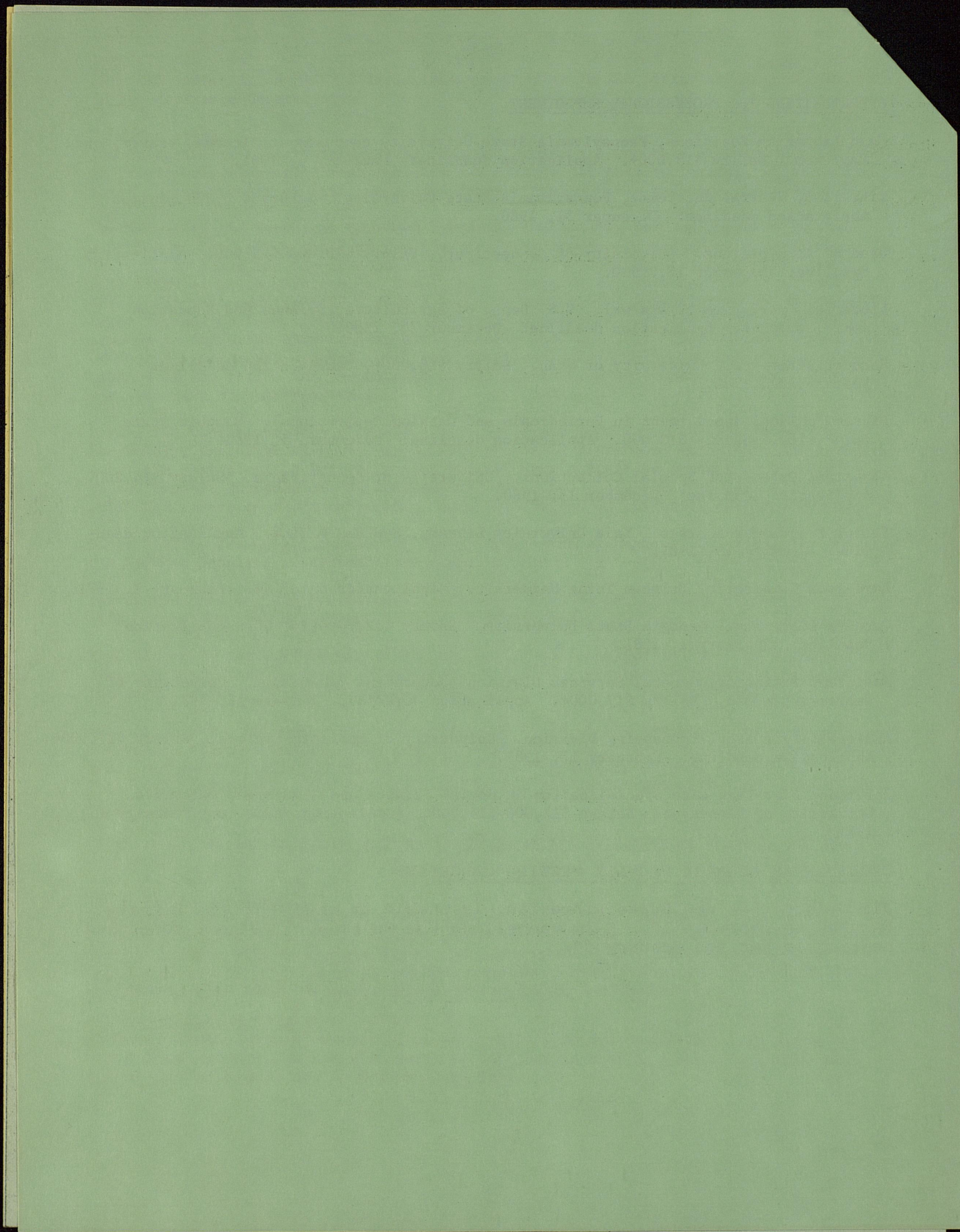
Assistant Professor, Processing Division. University of Nebraska-Lincoln. Salary \$17,000+. Application deadline: February 17, 1981.

Reference Librarian with Specialization in Social Science and Government Documents, University of Tennessee. Salary \$12,000-\$14,000. Application deadline: February 15, 1981.

DECEMBER 19 LIBRARY FACULTY MEETING CANCELLED

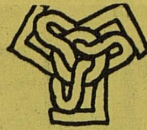
Jim Nelson, the new State Librarian, is unable to meet with the Library Faculty on December 19. I am cancelling the meeting. The next scheduled meeting is set for January 30.

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Alan

Well, we did it. We managed to celebrate our 25th anniversary with quite a party. About 130 people showed up for the affair and after a brief program by the first president of LSO (Jacqueline Bull) and the current president of LSO (yours truly) we drank some delicious punch and ate cake, pumpkin and banana bread, mints and nuts. The newcomers were introduced as well as the "old comers" and everyone mingled and had a good time. The guests who came included Dr. Bull (retired - Special Collections), Margaret Meyer (retired - Cataloging), Elizabeth Morgan (retired - Acquisitions), Margaret Tuttle (retired - Branches), Frances Lowry (Acquisitions), Kathleen Webster (Cataloging), and Dr. Lawrence Thompson (former Director of Libraries). Everything was perfect and a special thanks goes to the entire Social Committee who worked very hard on the affair. Thanks to all of you but especially to Barbara Hahn who handled the reservation list and the food, Evelyn Evans who did the flowers and helped with the decoration, Elizabeth Howard who did the name tags, and Karl Boewe who took pictures for us. The best news of all is we did the whole affair for \$5 over our budget (we would have been under budget but I decided we needed pictures and that put us \$5 over our initial budget). Credit for this goes to the fine planning and hard work of the Social Committee. I hope we won't have to wait another 25 years for such a party. See you at our golden anniversary.

Toni

WELCOME to the following people who have joined the system since March of 1980:

Lynn Broschart, Circulation
Antoinette Fiske, Law
Marcia Freyman, AIDS
Brenda Lewis, Circulation
Melanie Palaisa, Circulation
Michele Parks, Director's Office
Margaret Potts, Central Serials Record
Dorothy Rapp, Government Documents
Margaret Scott, Reference
Barbara Wight, Interlibrary Loan

and to those who got left off the newcomer's list for the Silver Jubilee:

Michael Lach, Director's Office
Cathy Frank, Law
Ann Ricker, Reference

If you haven't met them already why don't you go over and introduce yourself to them.

THANKSGIVING

Thanks to the generosity of the Library staff three people in Lexington had a much happier holiday. Three large grocery sacks of non-perishable goods were collected as well as \$37 in cash. The money was spent on perishable items such as meat, milk, cottage cheese, etc. Recipients of the food baskets were Mr. and Mrs. Peter O'Lee and Ms. Maybelle Pollock all of Connie Griffin Manor. A special thanks goes to Jean Robinson who spearheaded this effort and Andrea Bryant who assisted here and thanks to all of you who gave.

THE FINALE

The last big event for Sandra, Andrea and me will be the LSO Christmas Party. The Social Committee has been working on this and if all goes well it should be a lot of fun. The luncheon will be on December 18th beginning at 11:30 a.m. in the Paperback Reading Room (old rare book room). Those planning to attend are asked to bring a dish plus a serving utensil (non-LSO members are also assessed a \$1 surcharge to help defray the cost of the meat and paper products). If you don't like paper plates and plastic utensils you may want to bring your own plate and tableware as well.

We are going to do things a bit differently this year. The serving lines will begin at the double doors that face the Interlibrary Loan Department. We are going to have two serving tables so if your dish is not on one it will be on the other one. Once again you can bring a white elephant gift if you want, and exchange them with others. We will be collecting toys so please bring a toy wrapped with a tag designating the age group and whether it's for a boy or a girl. The toys will then be taken to the fire department and distributed. It should be a great gathering, so mark your calendar, send in your form (designating what dish you are bringing), and come and join in the fun. We'll see you on the 18th.

MORE GIVING

Once again the LSO will be taking up a collection for patients in the University Hospital. The boxes will be distributed soon and we ask that you give what you can. Historically the Library has been generous and I hope we can continue the tradition.

HELP HELP HELP

I am trying to compile a list of previous LSO Officers and as usual there are some gaps in the records. I am missing the secretary and treasurer for 1967, all the officers of 1971, vice-president, secretary, treasurer of 1972 and 1973. If anyone can fill in the gaps it will be greatly appreciated. Contact Toni Powell, Agriculture Library 258-2758.

NEWS FROM THE STAFF

CONGRATULATIONS to CATHY (Business and Economics Information Center) and TOM HIGH on the birth of their daughter. Mary Margaret made her appearance 3 weeks early!

CATHY ANDERSON (Agriculture Library) was featured in an article in the November 17th Lexington Herald. Cathy is quite accomplished in handiwork and her needlepoint was featured in the article.

CATHERINE KATTERJOHN (retired - cataloging) is home following surgery. Miss Katterjohn had surgery just prior to the Silver Jubilee and she could not attend. We are happy to report that all went well and she is now up and around.

THIS IS THE LAST WAX BEAN OF 1980. THE FATE OF THE WAX BEAN NOW LIES IN THE HANDS OF THE NEXT OFFICERS. I HOPE YOU'VE ENJOYED READING IT AS MUCH AS I ENJOYED DOING IT. TONI

HAVE A MERRY CHRISTMAS AND A HAPPY NEW YEAR.