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THE GREEN BEAN

UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LIBRARIES' NEWSLETTER

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CALENDAR

- 3 November - Administrative Council, 8:30 am, Gallery, King North
- 3 November - The Gallery Series - Piano Music by Mozart, Liszt & Poulenc, Nathaniel Patch, piano - Noon in the Gallery.
- 10 November - The Gallery Series - Barry Spacks reading from "Imagining a Unicorn" and other poems - Noon in the Gallery.
- 10 November - "A Library Conservation Seminar," sponsored by the Library Associates, 9am - 4 pm, Gallery, King North (by reservation only - call David Farrell at 8-2651).

Current Display: Appalachian Sources (through November 30)

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ABOUT THE LIBRARIES

ACTS Education Committee

The ACTS Education Committee is sponsoring two tours of AIDS/Media on November 9, 1978. One is at 10 am and the other at 2 pm. AIDS/Media is on the first floor of King South. To sign up, call Diane Carrico at 3-5949 or Olivia Buckner at 7-3831.

ARL SPEC KIT #48

The Reference Department has received a new SPEC Kit, #48, from the Systems and Procedure Exchange Center. It is entitled "External Fund Raising," and may be requested at the Reference Desk.

GROUP INSURANCE POLICY

University Personnel has sent a notice reminding us that employees on official leave without pay status may continue in the various group insurance plans contingent upon payment of premiums in advance. It is the full responsibility of the employee to contact the Staff Benefits Office to arrange for pre-payment of insurance premiums. If pre-payments are not made and the insurance lapses, it is not possible to obtain automatic reinstatement. Questions/problems with the policy should be addressed to Staff Benefits (7-2831).

NEWS FLASH!

Here are some of the events reported in the New York Times, 100 years ago this week:

The yellow fever epidemic that resulted in the evacuation of New Orleans on May 15, 1878, and affected many other areas of the South as well, was reported nearly over. Over 13,000 cases and 4,000 deaths resulted from the epidemic.

The Times reported that voters "rescue(d) New York City from the blighting rule of Tammany" by electing Republican Edward Cooper mayor by a 20,000 vote majority.

In the "Notes of Literary News" column it was announced that Thomas Henry Huxley's work on David Hume would soon be published in the English Men of Letters series, and that "Mrs. Loftie's next book is Forty-six Social Titters." (Note: King has the former but not the latter.)

New Yorkers were shocked to learn that the body of Alexander T. Stewart, a nationally-known New York City merchant whose estate was valued at \$40 million, was stolen November 8 from the family vault in St. Mark's graveyard. It was the first case of body-snatching ever reported to New York police. The remains were recovered on November

17 and several of those involved were arrested. The chief conspirator was discovered to be George A. Christian, previously arrested on suspicion of attempting to break into the tomb of Abraham Lincoln.

Special of the week: Beaver cloaks at prices ranging from \$2.39 to \$5.90.

- Judy Sackett

PERSONNEL

LT II - Circulation
LT II - Interlibrary Loan

If interested, see Faith Harders.

LT II - Cataloging - Medical Center Library. Call Bernie Baldini or Lynn Barnett 3-5949 if interested.

LT II - Interlibrary Loans - Medical Center Library. Call Tag Frye 3-6567 if interested.

Circulation is looking for a full-time temporary hourly person to work from now until approximately January 15 on a project in the Annex. Anyone interested should see Faith Harders.

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Monograph Catalog Librarian, Pennsylvania State University. Available: immediately. \$14,004 minimum. Deadline: January 1, 1979.

Catalog Librarian, Louisiana State University. Salary: \$10,000. Deadline: January 15, 1979.

Curator of Visual Materials (College of Design), Iowa State University. Available: November 27, 1978. Salary: \$12,977-\$13,500. Deadline: November 10, 1978.

Reference Librarian with Health Sciences Specialization, University of Tennessee. Available: immediately. Salary: \$11,500-\$13,500. Deadline: November 30, 1978.

Communications/Information Retrieval Reference Librarian, University of Tennessee. Same salary and dates as above.

Head, Acquisitions Department, University of Louisville. Deadline: February 1, 1979.

Health Sciences Librarian, Columbia University. Deadline: November 30, 1978.

