loger at the Jewish Theological Seminary library.

Effective May 1 Billie I. Salter was appointed librarian of the economic growth center library in Yale University. Miss Salter reports to the associate librarian in charge of school and departmental libraries.

The appointment of Zenon Sheparovych as associate college librarian, State University College at Geneseo, has been announced.

Jacob Shumelda, librarian of Methodist College, Fayetteville, N.C., was recently appointed social sciences bibliographer in the university library, of the University of Alberta.

Mrs. Celeste Sproul is now an acquisitions librarian in the Joint University libraries, Nashville.

**Necrology**

B. Armstrong Claytor died in Washington, D.C., on May 23, after more than forty-one years’ service to the federal government and nearly ten years in retirement. Except for his World War I service with the 351st Field Artillery in France, Mr. Claytor had devoted his entire career to the Library of Congress, chiefly as a reference librarian in the Orientalia Division under four Librarians of Congress.

**Retirements**

Florence Bethea, associate professor and assistant director of libraries, will retire in August after thirty-nine years at Florida State University and Florida State College for Women.

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