Biography, 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).

Guide to U.S. Map Resources, prepared by 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. Published 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.

CALENDAR

May


June

7–12—Special Libraries: Annual Conference, Special 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.

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American Theological Library Association, Kansas City, Missouri. Contact: Michael P. Boddy, Drew University Library, Madison, NJ 07940; (201) 377-3000.

16—July 25—Rare Books: Columbia University School of Library Service, Rare Book School. Seventeen courses, each one week in length, include: Italian humanistic manuscripts of the 15th century, developing administrative strategies for special collections departments, an introduction to photography curatorship, Western Americana, developing preservation programs, and investigating evidences of ownership. Tuition ranges from $300 to $400 per course, and low-cost dormitory housing will be available on Columbia’s Morningside Heights Campus. The School is directed by Terry Belanger, assistant dean of the School of Library Service. Contact: Rare Book School, School of Library Service, Columbia University, New York, NY 10027; (212) 280-2202.

July

5—26—Soviet Union: International Conference Series for Librarians and Educators, sponsored by the ACRL Greater New York Metropolitan Area Chapter. Contact Library and Education Conference, Human Relations Area Inter-Group, Conference Reservations Center, 12 W. 32d Street, New York, NY 10001; (800) 221-1255.

August

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September

25—27—Nevada: Annual conference, Nevada Library Association, Elko Convention Center, Elko. Contact: Laura Oki, Elko County Library, 720 Court Street, Elko, NV 89801; (702) 738-3077.

October

8—9—Automation: Fifth Texas Conference on Library Automation, sponsored by the University of Houston-University Park Libraries, will be held at the Stouffer Greenway Plaza Hotel, Houston. The conference will address such topics as the electronic library, electronic publishing, microcomputer applications, and cooperative automation projects. Fee: $75 before August 25, $90 afterwards. Contact: Carol Hawks, University of Houston-University Park Libraries, 4800 Calhoun Blvd., Houston, TX 77004; (713) 749-7135.

9—11—Archives: Midwest Archives Conference, Fall Meeting, Hudson House Hotel, Hudson, Wisconsin. Contact: Cheryl Norenberg Thies, Minnesota Historical Society, 1500 Mississippi Street, St. Paul, MN 55101; (612) 296-6980.

23—24—Off-Campus: The Off-Campus Library Services Conference, sponsored by Central Michigan University Libraries. Contact: Barton M. Lessin, Park Library, Central Michigan University, Mt. Pleasant, MI 48859; (517) 774-6419.

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