News from the Field

ACQUISITIONS

• Radcliffe College, Cambridge, Massachusetts, has been presented with Ms. Magazine’s ten-year collection of "Letters to the Editor." The letters, recognized as a documentary history of women's consciousness in the 1970s, were deposited at the Schlesinger Library by Ms. editors Patricia Carbine and Gloria Steinem. Since its inception in 1972 the magazine has received an overwhelming reader response. The Preview issue alone resulted in over 20,000 letters from women all over the country describing their life experience. Although nearly 100,000 letters are being donated to the library (and more will be deposited on a continuing basis), the majority will not yet be available to researchers. To protect the identity of the writers, ten years must elapse from the time of writing before they are made public.

• The University of Manitoba Libraries, Winnipeg, have been given the complete research archive of the former Winnipeg Tribune by its owner, Lord Thomson of Fleet. The Tribune ceased publication in summer, 1980, after ninety years. The collection contains ten tons of newspaper clippings indexed and in chronological order; about one million photographs identified and dated; 10,000 books; and miscellaneous equipment.

• The University of Missouri-Columbia Library has received a collection of 246 Limited Editions Club titles and 92 other volumes from J.W. Kerr of Wilmette, Illinois. Each copy in the collection is in very fine or mint condition, and is autographed by either the author or by the illustrator or editor. The Limited Editions Club titles were limited to a press run of 1,500-2,000.

GRANTS

• The University of Manitoba Libraries, Winnipeg, have received a grant of $30,000 from the Canadian Social Sciences and Humanities Research Council to purchase materials in the field of Arctic and Sub-Arctic cultural anthropology. The award was granted under the council's Strengthening of Specialized Collections Program and will be used to acquire out of print materials and to augment and complement the present collection.

NEWS NOTE

• The University of Kansas, Lawrence, held a dedication ceremony on November 18 for its new Business and Economics Reading Room in Summerville Hall. The dedication honored emeritus professor of economics Richard S. Howey for his service in building the business and economics collections which have gained international recognition. Howey has been library representative for the Department of Economics since 1930. During that time he has amassed one of the largest collections of economics books in the world, a portion of which is now known as the Howey Collection. His new book, a Bibliography of General History of Economics 1692-1975 will be published by the Regents Press of Kansas in April.

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Donald J. Sager, who was most recently Commissioner of the Chicago Public Library, has been appointed Visiting Distinguished Scholar for 1982 by Online Computer Library Center (OCLC). Sager intends to conduct research into the economics and administration of public libraries to find ways that OCLC and public libraries can work together more effectively. During the past 17 years of his career, Sager has gained a wide range of administrative experience from director of the Public Library of Columbus and Franklin County (Ohio), 1975-1978, to his current position of president-elect of the Public Library Association. He has also been extremely active in professional and civic associations. He received bachelor’s and MLS degrees from the University of Wisconsin.

Herbert S. White, Dean of the School of Library and Information Science, Indiana University at Bloomington, became the 17th Award of Merit winner of the American Society for Information Science (ASIS), presented during the 1981 Annual Meeting in Washington, D.C. on October 28, 1981.

PROFILES

Joseph A. McDonald has been appointed director of the Long Island University Brooklyn Center Library, succeeding Elliott Gatner who retired in February, 1981. McDonald received his MLS at Drexel Univers-
in 1966 and is currently completing his Ph.D. in management and information systems design and evaluation at the same institution. Since 1978 he has been assistant director of libraries for access services at the State University of New York at Albany. Prior to that he has held a number of other administrative positions, including director of library services at Triton College, River Grove, Illinois (1975-77), and head librarian at the Northampton County Area Community College, Bethlehem, Pennsylvania.

McDonald has co-authored a monograph with Donald H. Hunt on Public Library Architecture (Drexel Press, 1967), and has had several articles published in RQ, Library Journal, and the Drexel Library Quarterly.

**James R. Self**, head of Indiana University’s Undergraduate Library since 1978, has been named director of the new Clemons Library at the University of Virginia, Charlottesville, effective January 1. The Clemons Library, which opened this January, houses a 150,000 volume core collection.

Self was head of Central Reference Services for the Regional Campus Libraries at Indiana University from 1973 to 1978 and assistant head prior to that. He has taught courses in bibliography of the social sciences for the Indiana University Graduate Library School.

He received his MLS from the University of Denver in 1971 and a master’s in history from the University of Tennessee in 1970.

**Ronald J. Swanson** has been named director of the Idaho State University Libraries, Pocatello, replacing Eli Oboler who retired at the end of 1980.

Swanson has a bachelor’s degree from Rockford College, Illinois, a master’s in creative writing from the University of Iowa, and an MLS (1971) from the University of Denver. For the past ten years he has been at the University of Nebraska, Lincoln, where most recently he has served as assistant dean for technical services.

He has had articles published in the Nebraska Library Association Quarterly and the Wilson Library Bulletin.

**APPOINTMENTS**

**L. Kurt Adamson** has been appointed associate director and head of public services at the Papaw Law Library, Boston University.

**Luella Allen** has been reappointed to the staff at the Health Sciences Library of the State University of New York at Buffalo.

**Christine Barcus** has been appointed head of the Copy Cataloging Section, Monographic Cataloging Department, Duke University Library, Durham, North Carolina.

**Annabelle Beach** is the new acquisitions librarian at the University of Missouri-Kansas City Law Library.

**Robert Bellanti** is now head of the Management Library at University of California, Los Angeles.

**Betty G. Bengtson** is now associate director for technical services, The University of Tennessee Library, Knoxville.

**Nell Benton** has been appointed catalog librarian at Vanderbilt University Library, Nashville.

**Toby N. Bernstein** is now catalog librarian at Northeastern University Library, Boston.

**Karen Boucias** has been appointed support services librarian at the Fogler Library, University of Maine at Orono.

**Anji Brenner** has been appointed reference bibliographer and head of the Tennant Memorial Library of the Gray Freshwater Biological Institute, University of Minnesota, St. Paul Campus.

**Susan L. Catterall**, has been appointed...
reference/circulation librarian at Drake University Law Library, Des Moines, Iowa.

**Renee Chapman** is the new head of cataloging at the University of Iowa Law Library, Iowa City.

**Gary Charbonneau** is now serials cataloger at Indiana University Libraries, Bloomington.

**Paula Chiaramonte** has been named head of the Architecture and Environmental Design Library at the State University of New York, Buffalo.

**Mike Chiorazzi** has joined the staff of the Duke University Law Library, Durham, North Carolina, as reference librarian.

**Ralph J. Coffman** is now head of Special Collections at Boston College, Chestnut Hill, Massachusetts.

**Marva O. Coward** has been appointed head of interlibrary services, The University of Tennessee Library, Knoxville.

**Wilma Cromwell** is now cataloger in the Cataloging Department of the Indiana University Libraries, Bloomington.

**Barbara Defelice** has been appointed reference librarian at Montana State University Library, Bozeman.

**Kathleen Donnelly** was appointed government documents assistant reference librarian for Case Western Reserve University Law Library, Cleveland, Ohio.

**Janet Dreher** is the new acquisitions/documents librarian at Villanova University Law Library, Pennsylvania.

**Kristy Elam** is assistant law librarian at St. Louis University, Missouri.

**Shirley J. Fosher** is now technical services librarian at Drake University Law Library, Des Moines, Iowa.

**Leonard H. Freiser** has been appointed chief librarian of The Franklin Institute, Philadelphia.

**Ellen G. Gartrell** was appointed assistant curator for reader services in the Manuscript Department of Duke University Library, Durham, North Carolina.

**Vicki Glasgow** has been appointed reference/bibliographer at the Bio-Medical Library, University of Minnesota Libraries, Minneapolis.

**Douglas A. Green** is the new director of Torreyson Library, University of Central Arkansas, Conway.

**Susan L. Grigg** has been appointed curator of the Immigration History Research Center Collection at the University of Minnesota Libraries, Minneapolis.

**Lois Heiser** is now head of the Geology Library at Indiana University, Bloomington.

**Janet S. Hixon** has joined the staff of Western State University College of Law Library, San Diego, as reference librarian.

**Cheri Johnson** has been appointed reference and bibliographic instruction librarian at the Undergraduate Library of Indiana University, Bloomington.

**Janis E. Jordan** has been appointed reference bibliographer, Walter Library, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

**Kathryn Kaya** has been appointed librarian for the Montana Health Sciences Information Network at Montana State University, Bozeman.

**David Klaassen** is now curator of the Social Welfare History Archives, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis.

**Lynette Korenic** has joined the staff of the Fine Arts Library of Indiana University, Bloomington.

**Charles Kraatz** has been appointed assistant director at Rider College, Lawrenceville, New Jersey.

**Erika Linke** has been appointed interlibrary loan head at the University of Minnesota Libraries, Minneapolis.

**Anne McGreer** has joined the Cataloging Department of Indiana University Library, Bloomington.

**Paul F. McKenna** has been appointed general librarian in the Cataloguing Department of Oscoode Hall Law School Library, York University, Ontario.

**Mark G. R. McManus** has been appointed assistant head cataloger of E. Lee Trinkle Library, Mary Washington College, Fredericksburg, Virginia.

**Jacqueline Marie** is now reference librarian at the University of California, Santa Cruz.

**Tamara J. Miller** is the new head of systems, The University of Tennessee Library, Knoxville.

**Frederick Musto** has joined the Reference Department of the Indiana University Library, Bloomington.

**Robert Nissenbaum** is now lawyer/librarian at the Tarleton Law Library of the University of Texas, Austin.

**Cerise Oberman** has been appointed head of general reference services at Walter Library, University of Minnesota Libraries, Minneapolis.

**Janet Patterson** has been appointed assistant reference librarian at Stephens College, Columbia, Missouri.

**Frederick W. Pattison** has been appointed librarian of the Sophia F. Palmer Library, American Journal of Nursing Company, New York.

**HeLEN Rogers** is a new reference librarian and research instructor at the University of Miami School of Law Library, Coral Gables, Florida.

**Betty Rosenkrantz** has been appointed assistant librarian of the Serials Department, University of Delaware Library, Newark.

**Catherine Sassen** has been appointed catalog librarian at the William Russell Pullen Library of Georgia State University, Atlanta.

**Reiner H. Schaeffer** has been selected as tenure director of academy libraries at the US Air Force Academy, Colorado.

**John Schalow** has been appointed head catalog librarian at Northeastern University Libraries, Boston.
ROBERTA SEEFELEDT has joined the staff of the James S. Kemper Library of Illinois Institute of Technology, Chicago, as circulation and automation librarian.

ANDREA SINGER has joined the staff of the Government Publications Department at Indiana University Library, Bloomington.

NANCY S. SKIPPER has been appointed assistant librarian in the Reference Department of Olin Library, Cornell University, Ithaca, New York.

DANA SMITH is now head of the new Purdue Undergraduate Library, Westville, Indiana.

LINDA SNYDER has been appointed reference librarian at the University of Delaware Library, Newark.

PATRICIA STEELE is head of the School of Library and Information Science Library, Indiana University, Bloomington.

JANA STEVENS has taken the position of head of acquisitions in the Bobst Library at New York University, New York.

SARAH WATSTEIN has been appointed social science reference librarian of New York University Libraries, New York.

ROBERT F. WEBER is now head of reader services at the Oregon Institute of Technology, Klamath Falls.

HILARY WEIMER is the new assistant reference librarian at American University Law Library, Washington, D.C.

ROBERT L. WRIGHT has been appointed personnel officer at the University of Minnesota Libraries, Minneapolis.

TERRY ZINSER is now associate dean of the Learning Materials Center, Cerritos College, Norwalk, California.

RETIREMENTS

JOE W. KRAUS, director of libraries at Illinois State University, Normal, will retire August 31 after more than 40 years in library work. He plans to continue researching and writing about American book publishers in the 1800s.

Kraus earned bachelor’s, master’s and Ph.D. degrees from the University of Illinois in 1939, 1941, and 1960 respectively. He has taught and worked in libraries at Urbana and Westminster College in Missouri before becoming head of the library science department at Madison College in Virginia for ten years and director of libraries at Kansas State University from 1970 to 1977.

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Kraus has written numerous articles in library journals and a monograph on William Beer and the New Orleans Libraries 1891-1927 in 1952. He was chair of the executive board of the Illinois Library Association in 1975-76 and is currently finishing a term as editor of ACRL’s Publications in Librarianship series.

ROSE-GRACE FAUCHER retired as head of the Undergraduate Library at the University of Michigan after 42 years of library service.

DEATHS

W. CARL JACKSON, former dean of university libraries at Indiana University, is presumed dead after having been lost at sea off the coast of Spain in May 1981. Having sailed his yacht, the “Carla Mia,” to Ireland in 1978, he was attempting to recross the Atlantic.

Jackson received his MLS in 1952 from Florida State University. He held positions of increasing responsibility in the libraries of the University of Tennessee, Iowa State University, the University of Iowa, the University of Minnesota, and the University of Colorado before becoming director of libraries at Pennsylvania State University in 1966. On January 1, 1973, he became dean of university libraries at Indiana University, a position he relinquished on June 30, 1980, to allow more time for writing, research, and teaching.

Jackson made significant contributions to the library profession during his career. He was a leader in the founding of MARLIN and MIDLNET, and he led the national effort to develop the Cataloging-in-Publication program now operated by the Library of Congress. He served the American Library Association in several capacities—as chair of many committees, as president of the Resources and Technical Services Division, and as a member of ALA Council.

MARY RUTH MAGRUDER BRADY, dean of Kansas State University Libraries, Manhattan, died November 10.

WASHINGTON HOTLINE

How did federal programs of interest to college and research libraries fare in the first year of the Reagan Administration? It depends on how one views this most extraordinary legislative session. For the most part, Congress provided more than the Administration requested, but less than the previous year, as shown below for selected programs:

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When it adjourned in December Congress had provided funding only part way through the 1982 fiscal year (for monies to be used during the 1982/83 fiscal year).