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UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LIBRARIES' NEWSLETTER

CALENDAR

- April 28 Reception for Elizabeth Hardwick (see next page)
- April 30 LSO lunch hour program, third floor Conference Room, King North, 11:30-12:30. Bring your lunch.
- Newbery nominees discussion, 18th floor, Patterson Office Tower UK campus, 4:00-6:30 PM.
- May 1 Fire alarms will be checked between 7:30 and 8:30 AM.
- Program: Accounting Procedures For Small Libraries.
Room 230, Lexington Technical Institute, 1:00-4:00 PM. \$10.00
- May 1-2 Kentucky Library Association Meeting: "Special Libraries In the 1980's." Barren River Lake.
- May 2 Spanish and Latin-American Music for Guitar and Piano: Patricia Montgomery, piano; Michael Fogler, guitar. Gallery, King Library North, 12:00 noon.
- May 7 Blood pressure test (story p. 4)

EXHIBITS

King Library North Edward S. Curtis' North American Indian photographic exhibit, through May 30.

Items from University Archives, April 18-27.

University Archives
Margaret I. King Library - North
University of Kentucky
Lexington, Kentucky 40506

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ABOUT THE LIBRARIES

The University of Kentucky Library Associates

cordially invite you to

a Reception honoring

ELIZABETH HARDWICK

Monday, April 28, 1980

4:30 - 6:00

in the Department of Special Collections,

King Library, North

R.S.V.P. 257-3801

Reminder to All Staff

You are reminded that the Basement of King North is not to be used as an exit (or entrance) from the building except in case of an emergency. The Art Library should not be used as an entrance or exit to the other parts of the King Library complex.

Recent security problems in King North have caused me to issue this reminder. For safety and security reasons, I urge your strict compliance with this policy.

Paul Willis.

SERIALS MANAGEMENT PROGRAM

University of Microfilms will present a serials management program on Friday, May 6, at 9:00 AM in the Gallery, King North. The program will emphasize microforms and will last about one hour. Interested staff members are invited to attend.

P.W.

MICROFILM EQUIPMENT SEMINAR

There will be a seminar on some of the latest 3M microfilm equipment held at the Springs Motel on Wednesday, May 28, between 1:30 and 4:30 PM. Included in the equipment demonstrations will be the Micropoint Information Retrieval Console and the 1050 Microfiche Processor Camera. For more information, contact Russell Powell, 258-2965.

GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS

Come see the display of new and attractive government publications in Room 116, King Library South. And return again and again to see the changing of the latest (and some earlier) examples of information available here.

Rebekah Harleston

FROM BIOLOGICAL SCIENCES LIBRARY

May 2, Friday will be a FREE DAY! Plan to return your library books that day.

The Biological Sciences Library will have extended hours during Exam Week, Sunday, May 4 through Thursday, May 8. This service is possible thanks to our efficient Work-Study Students.

The extended hours will be as follows:

Sunday, May 4: 2:00 PM-12:00 midnight

Monday, May 5 - Thursday, May 8: 8:00 AM-12:00 midnight

Elizabeth Howard

AACR2 WORKSHOP

The College of Library Science, University of Kentucky is sponsoring two one-day continuing education activities for library personnel involved in the implementation of AACR2. Both events, scheduled for May 29 and 30, 1980, will be held in the Law Building on South Lime-stone, on the Lexington campus.

The Thursday, May 29 activity offers basic information for librarians with various responsibilities (not limited to cataloging) who are interested in the new cataloging rules and their application in all types of library settings. Focus will be on the history and development of AACR2, major changes, implementation, and impact on the catalog, public services and management.

The Friday, May 30 session will provide instruction in the basic application of AACR2 for catalogers. Included will be rules for description, choice of access points and forms of headings followed by small group instruction and practice with book, serial, and non book materials.

Enrollment for both events is limited.

Instruction will be provided by Dr. Lois Chan and Dr. JoAnn Rogers from the College of Library Science and Gail Kennedy and Emilie Smith from the university library.

For additional information and registration forms contact: Nancy S. Little, 258-8877.

AMERICAN SOCIETY FOR INFORMATION SCIENCE INSTITUTE

Thomas Waldhart, Assistant Director for Public Services is participating in the "Institute on Pricing Library/Information Products and Services" to be held Wednesday, May 14 at Robert Morris College (Moon Township Campus), Pittsburgh. For information on this Conference write American Society for Information Science, 1010 Sixteenth St., Washington, D.C. 20036.

KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF LIBRARY AND ARCHIVES ORDER, APRIL 10, 1980

By virtue of the authority vested in the Department of Library and Archives under the provisions of KRS 171.450, the University of Kentucky's Margaret I. King Library is hereby designated to be a constituted depository for state agencies' reports and publications issued for general public distribution.

Barbara M. Williams
State Librarian and
Chairman, State Archives and Records
Commission

OPPORTUNITIES FOR PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT

Assistant Head, Acquisitions Department, Duke University. Salary from \$14,000.
Application deadline: May 31, 1980.

Head, Original Cataloging Section, Duke University. Salary from \$14,500. Application
deadline: May 31, 1980.

Head of Circulation Department, University of North Carolina. Salary \$18,000 or more.
Application deadline: June 1, 1980.

Music Cataloger, University of North Carolina. Salary \$14,500 or more. Application
deadline: June 1, 1980.

Head of Acquisitions, Purdue University. Salary \$18,000 or more. Application deadline:
June 1, 1980.

BLOOD PRESSURE TEST OFFERED

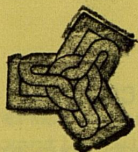
The Staff Development Committee is sponsoring a free blood pressure test for all interested staff. Qualified personnel from the Associated Health Department of LTI will be in the staff lounge of King North from 1:00-3:30 on Wednesday, May 7. You are invited to drop by and get a free blood pressure test and have your questions answered.

If the response is good, this service will be offered to the library staff on a quarterly basis.

Lynn Shrewsbury



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WAX BEAN

*The University of Kentucky Libraries Staff Organization
monthly supplement to the Green Bean*

LSO ROOTS

On November 11, 1955 the entire staff of the Margaret I. King Library met and voted to form a staff organization. The membership was voluntary and dues were assessed at 25 cents per year. Dr. Jacqueline Bull was elected as the first president and Geraldine Taylor (Webb) served as the first secretary/treasurer. The Director of Libraries was not eligible for membership. In 1958 a constitution was drafted and the official name of the organization adopted was the University of Kentucky Library Staff Organization. This was done in order to make the organization a vehicle for the entire staff of the Library System.

The Library Staff Organization served many roles. It served the traditional social role and gave staff members an opportunity to meet with one another outside of the work atmosphere. It also served the role as the official representative of the staff to both the Library and University administrations. Mixed in with programs of both a professional and recreational nature were concerns about working conditions, salaries, and the staff lounge. The Library Staff Organization worked hard to better the lot of the staff members in the Library System during the 1950's and 1960's.

During the 1970's the LSO drifted. The Library Faculty and ACTS took up the daily concerns of the staff in the working environment. The social function was frowned upon and more emphasis was put on work-related kinds of programs. The LSO filled this role for a time but was soon duplicating work done by the Library Faculty Staff Development Committee and ACTS Educational Committee. It seemed that the LSO did not have a place in the Library System and membership dropped.

The LSO has taken on a new look for the 1980's. We are purely a social group and not afraid to admit it. We are here to provide everyone with the opportunity to meet their fellow staff members outside of the working environment. Our programs will be mixed but most of them will not be work-related but of general interest to some people. We are a support group to the various committees to provide an opportunity for people to mingle when they attend other library functions. We are here for the entire staff. It makes no difference whether you join LSO or not. Granted, those paying dues will get some benefits; after all they are financially supporting the organization (we need money to offer our events and the only way to make money is to have some working capital). Everyone on the library staff is encouraged to attend any program in which they are interested and to submit material for the WAX BEAN. We want to know about you and your concerns and see your face at LSO functions. We are here for the entire staff and we hope you will take advantage of some of the things we do whether you are a member or not.

CALENDAR

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| April 30 | LSO lunch hour program (making silk flowers) |
| May 14 | LSO tasting party |
| May 21 | LSO lunch hour program |
| June 25 | LSO lunch hour program |
| July 23 | LSO lunch hour program |
| July ? | LSO picnic |
| August 20 | LSO lunch hour program |
| September 24 | LSO lunch hour program |
| October 22 | LSO lunch hour program |
| November ? | LSO silver jubilee |
| December ? | LSO Christmas party |

We will also be serving coffee and donuts (for a modest fee) at various library functions. This calendar is subject to change.

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ABOUT THE STAFF

GERRY MUNOFF and MAUREEN O'BRIEN were instrumental in arranging the Curtis North American Indian exhibit in the Special Collections Department. It will be on display until May 30th.

Special Collections and Archives was well represented at the Kentucky Council on Archives at Transylvania University on April 4th. Those attending were: ALISON ARNOLD, MARY MARGARET BELL, TERRY BIRDWHISTELL, BILL MARSHALL, GERRY MUNOFF, MAUREEN O'BRIEN and VICKIE WALKER.

ANNE CAMPBELL and TERRY BIRDWHISTELL attended a fund-raising presentation of the Frontier Nursing Service slide-tape program on April 23rd at the Washington Club. The event was sponsored by the Washington Committee for Frontier Nursing of Washington D.C.

MAUREEN O'BRIEN of the Photographic Archives, Special Collections attended the Modern Archives Institute workshop on photographic preservation of still photographs. The Institute was sponsored by the National Archives on April 21-24 in Washington, D.C.

FROM DEPARTMENTS

The AGRICULTURE LIBRARY took part in the College of Agriculture's Wilderness Trail Career Day on April 3rd. Approximately 70 high school students were on campus to tour the facilities and and were given tours of the library.

The HILLBROOK COLLECTION, a political memorabilia campaign collection was presented on the TV program PM Magazine Friday, April 11th. The collection is on deposit in Special Collections. Bill Marshall, head of the department was in charge of the arrangements.

FROM LSO

The LSO MEMBERSHIP DRIVE can be termed a success. To date 84 membership cards have been issued (that is exactly twice the original membership of 1956). Although the drive has wound down it is still not too late to pay your dues. Send them to Sandra Muencks or your LSO representative. By the way the nine original members still on the staff are: Bess Clotfelter, Evelyn Evans, Norma Jean Gibson, Frances Kelley, Agnes McDowell, Mildred Moore, Loraine Noel (Bates), Emilie Smith, and Gerry Taylor (Webb).

The first LSO LUNCH HOUR PROGRAM will be held on April 30th from 11:30 to 12:30 in the Technical Services Conference Room on the Third floor of King North. The program is on making silk flowers so bring your lunch and join the festivities. If you have any ideas for programs, send them along to Jean Robinson. Since we had to spend some money for supplies, there will be a 50 cent charge for non-LSO members, so members bring your cards.

BROWN BAGGERS BEWARE ... You know there is a recession when people are desperate enough to steal lunches. We have had a rash of thefts from the refrigerator in the staff lounge in King North. There is not much we can do about it as security is nearly impossible during the day. The Director's Office has been notified but short of guarding the lounge I don't think anything can be done. Just be aware that this is going on and let's hope that it stops once school is out.

THE GNOMES HAVE IT... The annual soft ball game between the M.I. King Kongs and the Super Gnomes went to the Gnomes. It was a beautiful day, perfect for a baseball game, a picnic, and fortunately walking. First we were ousted from the picnic area by some Ag. people, then we were ousted from the playing field by an intramural team. Fortunately we found a less than desirable field next to the E.S. Good barn. We finished the game amid trash, but alas, we lost with a score of 4 to 14. The buffet lunch (or dinner) was served off the hood and trunk of Anne Campbell's car and the food was great. Any one ready for a rematch?

The KENTUCKY SAMPLER is still hanging in there. If all goes well the supplement should be ready to duplicate next week. We will be charging a price of 3 dollars for the 2nd edition and 1 dollar for the supplement to LSO members and 3.50 and 1.25 to non-members. We should have a form for you to fill out in the GREEN BEAN within the next couple of weeks.

CLASSIFIEDS

FOR SALE: 1968 Ford Custom 500, excellent condition, 400 dollars. 1973 Cadillac, excellent condition, 1000 dollars. If interested call 258-8611 or 278-8031.

TUPPERWARE: If you would like to buy some tupperware or are interested in seeing a catalog, call Andrea Bryant at 8-4644.

SOME THINGS NEVER CHANGE... The WAX BEAN is not a new idea. In the 1950's and 1960's the Library Staff Organization had a monthly news sheet called NEWS AND NOTES. Emilie Smith was the first editor and she also had trouble getting news. If you have anything for the WAX BEAN,

send it along at anytime. My deadline for the next issue is MAY 23.

DO YOU know that NEWS AND NOTES died in December of 1963. What are the names of the publications that succeeded NEWS AND NOTES? Answer next month.

THE LSO OFFICERS

