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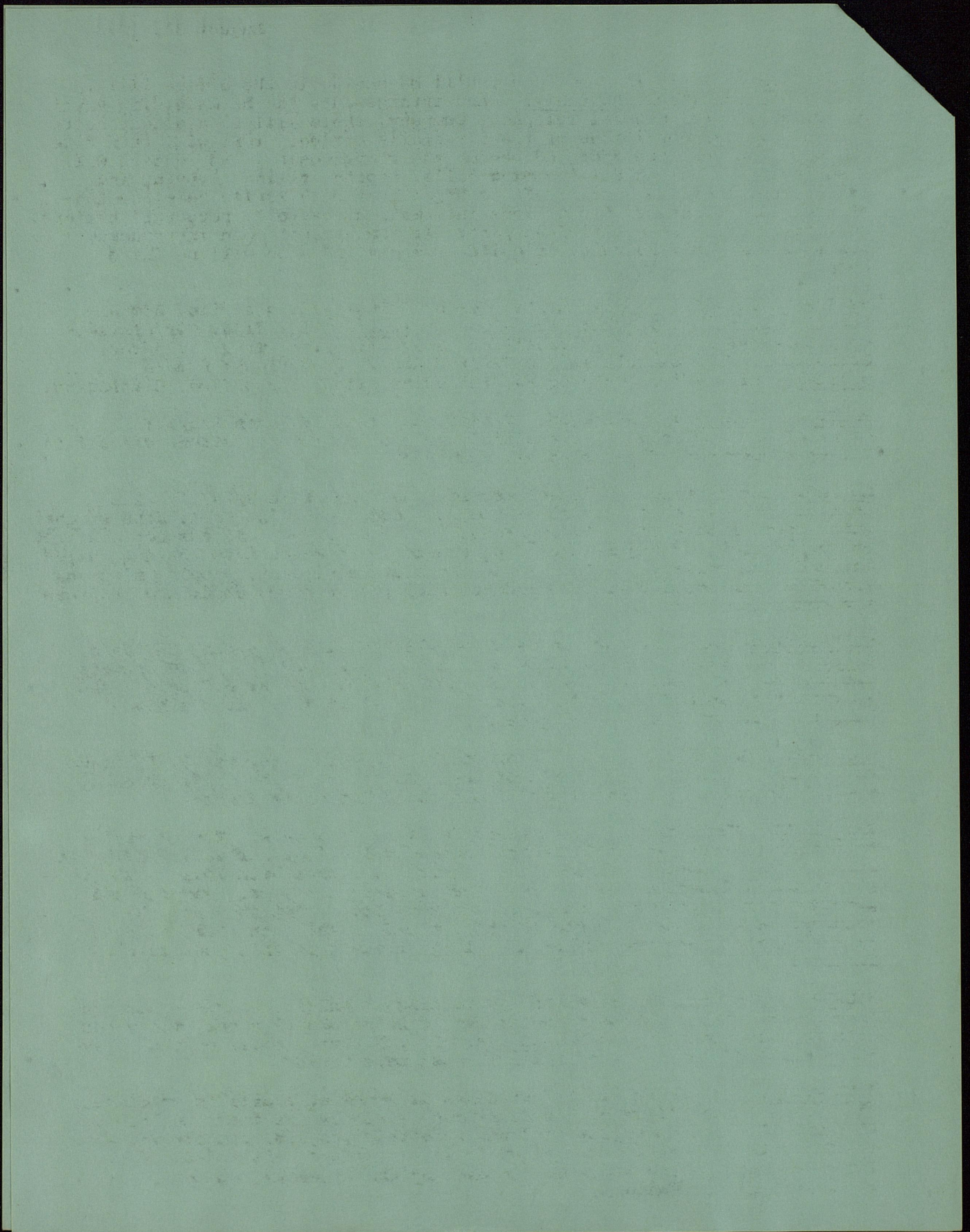
SOLINET: Mr. Eldon H. Degge has been appointed director of the Southeastern Library Network effective 8/1/73. One of his first tasks will be to negotiate a contract with OCLC and determine the best location for the computer center and headquarters. Until a new location can be found, Mr. Degge will remain in Houston. There will be a membership meeting in Atlanta on November 18, 1973. (letter from Chairman, SOLINET Executive Committee, August 15, 1973)

\$\$\$\$\$: "The addition of professional and clerical staff for the new Library addition was given a high priority rating in Academic Affairs. Also, I included a request to fund recurring acquisitions needs on a recurring basis. Although it will not be possible to secure the resources truly needed in the biennium, it is important that we begin an effort to regularize and enlarge the recurring acquisitions program. Funds to continue the teletype service for the interlibrary loan program and to catalogue the 55,000 microfilm titles were included as priority items." (Letter to Paul Willis from Dr. Cochran, August 21, 1973) Dr. Cochran was also able to find \$40,000 to be added to the Acquisitions budget in the current fiscal year. There is some hope that a little more can be added some time in January 1974.

CRL: "The March list of Journals Accessible Through the Center for Research Libraries lists 405 titles now available from or through the Center as part of its expanded journals project. Of these titles, 301 are titles cancelled by the member libraries. Of these cancelled titles the Center has placed subscriptions for 112 to be received by the Center, 166 the Center will provide free photocopies from through the NLL collection and 23 it was already receiving. The remaining 104 titles on the March list are journals which, although not yet cancelled by a member library, the Center will provide free photocopies from the NLL. These titles were selected for addition to the list because available union lists show them to be held by few member libraries and it would appear to be useful to have them available through the Center. These are all foreign titles that the available evidence indicates are very infrequently used.

Most of the recommended titles to which the Center had a subscription are received through the PL-480 program." (CRL Newsletter, 144:1, February-April 1973)

ONE DOLLAR: "You, too, can become a naturalized citizen of Oceanus: The price is right-- one buck; and the citizenship offer is open to anyone of any age, sex or national origin. What is Oceanus? As you might guess, it is a worldwide nation consisting of the six-sevenths of the world underwater. The founding father of Oceanus, Mr. Ted Welles of Manset, Maine, envisages the day when human beings everywhere will recognize and promote a simple understanding; i.e., the world's seas and oceans belong to all of the world's people. Not just to brawling cod fishermen, marauding whalers and aggrandizing politicians. If you would like to take out citizenship papers in Oceanus, just send \$1 to Mr. Welles. And tell your friends." (The Environment Monthly, 6/73:12) By the way, this publication is well worth reading from cover to cover.



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DIRECTOR'S OFFICE: The new face you'll be seeing in the office will be that of Teresa (Teri) Mulvaney. Once arrangements can be made with Physical Plant and the General Telephone Company, there will be a slight shift in the physical conditions of the Director's Office. Teri will then take the position near the door and become the receptionist. Her duties will also include handling all incoming calls, typing, filing, copying and other general office duties. It is hoped that with Teri's helping, the office will be better able to move information, payroll, personnel actions, etc. at a faster more efficient pace. If you haven't been introduced, don't be shy. Ms. Mulvaney is quite friendly and soon will be quite helpful.

PERSONNEL CHANGES: Appointments: Teresa Mulvaney, Classified, Administrative Services; Terminations: Donna Hoffman, Classified, Circulation-Copy Service; Jane Smith, Classified, CSR. Transfer: Trudi Bellardo, Classified, From Circulation to Reserve Room. Promotions: Pamela Williams, Classified, Cataloging; Katherine Allen, Classified, Cataloging.

POSITION OPENINGS: Cataloging, Classified III & IV, open 9/4/73; Circulation-Copy Service, Classified IV, open now; Circulation, classified VI, open now; GPD, Classified VI, open now.

MOVING: The "Moving Committee" met for the first time 8/29/73. The initial composition of the committee included Jacqueline Bull, John Bryant, Ruth Brown, Paul Willis, Bill Gardner, and Tom Marcum. Discussion centered on the priority arrangement of departments to be moved into the new building and some preliminary talk about necessary equipment, people, time and know-how. An attempt will be made to keep you informed about the progress the committee is making.

CIRCULATION: Any day now, in fact, 9/4/73 you will be seeing Ms. Jean Graef in the Circulation Department. As the new head of the department, she has much to catch up on, but it shouldn't be too far off before she is wandering in and out of the various offices in MIK. Lend a hand, help her get her feet on the ground.

MESSAGES: Messages, gripes, information, requests, etc. for Cliff Black may be left with the Director's Office. Until the move, Cliff probably won't have direct access to one of General Telephone's finest.

REFERENCE: The Reference Department (MIK) is in a mess. The construction crew for the new addition has knocked holes in their walls and built funny little temporary structures. Their desks have been moved. The telephones still function, but in less than a perfect manner. Banging and pounding have become the sounds of everyday life. And they have had requests to tour over 500 people through MIK. Bear with them and have a little patience and understanding. It just could be that your turn will be next!

MEETING: The West Family Washhouse meeting at Shakertown was a success from all reports. If you think it should be an annual event, money permitting, say something to Mr. Willis. If you want details on the activities, ask the nearest professional, most were there.

NEED HELP?: Financial aid for students is somewhat available on campus. This means to the library that Work-Study students are there to help us. If you would like to employ students from this program, contact Tom Marcum (73801). Do it soon because it won't last long from all indications.

Note: wages for these students are paid by the Financial Aid office so it won't affect your budgets.

