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31 May - Memorial Holiday -Libraries closed.

2 June - Branch libraries' area meeting - 8:30 AM -Tech Services Conference

4 June - Faculty meeting - 8:30 AM - Gallery.

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8, 9 June - Staff Development program - 9:15 AM - Geology Library (see note).

10 June - Repeat of above - 1:30 PM.

ABOUT THE LIBRARIES

Ave Atque Vale:

Over 200 guests, not including staff members, attended the reception held in the Special Collections Department on May 21st, for six retiring library staff members. The retirees: Hunter Adams, Jacqueline Bull, Carolyn Hammer, Kate Irvine, Lucille Keating and Mary Ada Sullivan, were honored by fellow staff members, faculty members, friends and relatives, some of whom travelled from Texas, Indiana, and Ohio, as well as from cities in Kentucky. Among the guests were Dr. Stuart Forth, former director of M.I. King Libraries, now living in Pennsylvania, and Mrs. Forth, Dr. Cochran, Vice President for Academic Affairs, musician and composer John Jacob Niles, and Mrs. Niles, and many faculty members from various disciplines.

In honor of the retirees, the Staff Organization presented the Library with a four volume set of the 1834 William Sotheby translation of Homer's Iliad and Odyssey, illustrated by Flaxman. A special book plate, printed by Sallie Ruff of the King Library
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A special book plate, printed by Sallie Ruff of the King Library Press lists the names of the six retirees honored. will be housed in Special Collections.

Guests were treated to music by Jim Shaeffer, who performed several contemporary and classical works for the harp, and a trio consisting of Adelle Dailey, Jean Graef, and Charles Timberlake, who performed works for the recorder. Souvenir book marks, specially designed by Carolyn Hammer and hand-colored by Evelyn Elder and Mildred Stanley, were provided. Flowers for the buffet table were arranged by Evelyn Evans and Dean Trivette. Other decorative arrangements were provided by Virgil Henderson of the maintenance staff and Dr. Holman Hamilton, retired history professor.

The Library Staff Organization wishes to extend special thanks to Rhoda Channing, Jean Robinson, and all the members of the Social Committee and Staff Room Committee, as well as the noncommittee members who helped provide an enjoyable and memorable reception.

Trudi Bellardo addresses ASIS meeting:

Trudi Bellardo (Data Services) and Dr. Katherine Cveljo (College of Library Science) delivered a paper entitled "On-line Retrospective Searching as a Method in Teaching Information Sources, Services, and Research in Business and Management" at the 5th Mid-Year Meeting of the American Society for Information Science. "Information Interaction" was the theme of the 20-22 May meeting in Nashville, Tennessee. Some technical sessions that proved interesting were "Use of Data Bases in Combination," "Interface and Information Transfer," and "Sociocultural Aspects of Information Interaction." A visit to the Grand Ole Opry provided a refreshing change of pace and a different sort of "information interaction."

Travellers:

Ellen Baxter, Mary Evelyn Minter, Rhoda Channing, and Jessie Adams are going to Denver for the national conference of the Special Libraries Association 6-10 June. Trudi Bellardo will be attending the "On-line Workshop" sponsored by the Graduate School of Library and Information Science at the University of Illinois 1-4 June.

OPEN HOUSE AT FRANKFORT

Kentucky's Department of Library and Archives is holding an open house for its Library for the Blind and Physically Handicapped on Friday, 4 June, from 11:30 AM to 3:00 PM.

RATIONAL BEHAVIOR TRAINING OFFERED

The Office of Continuing Education is repeating its popular course in "Rational Self-Counseling" for the benefit of the University community. Classes meet Thursday nights for 15 weeks beginning 3 June. Mary Greene at the Center for Rational Behavior Training at the Medical Center has additional details.

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June Staff Development Program:

The June program for the U.K. Libraries Staff Development Series will be given by Vivian Hall in the Geology Library. There will be a tour of the library, with emphasis on the Caramates, an audio-visual individualized instruction package on the use of the library and geology materials.

There will be three sessions--Tuesday, June 8 at 9:15 a.m.; Wednesday, June 9 at 9:15 a.m. and Thursday, June 10 at 1:30 p.m. I would appreciate it if each department/unit head would let me know by Friday, June 4 how many people from his/her unit will be attending each session.

Faith Harders

Special Collections:

David Farrell transfers this week to Special Collections. In August he will become Curator of Book & Map Collections with responsibility for the King Library Press, The Library Associates, and the Gallery exhibits.

Jobs:

The Libraries' now subscribe to The Academic Journal, a monthly magazine devoted exclusively to the employment of professional educators in schools and colleges. It lists job openings for administrators, librarians and teachers in the US, Canada, and overseas.

Technician openings at MIK:

LT I Circulation (2 part time people needed). If interested, please see Faith Harders.

Travel Requests:

All travel requests need to be in to the Director's Office by June 4. Please note that 2 summer ALA meetings fall in the 1976/77 fiscal year.

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Assistant Librarian. New Mexico Institute of Mining and Technology. Monographic Cataloger. North Carolina State at Raleigh. 1 July 76.