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UNIVERSITY OF KENTUCKY LIBRARIES' NEWSLETTER

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CALENDAR

- 13 January - Library Faculty Meeting (tenured faculty only) - Whitehall Classroom Building, Room 208, 10:00 AM
- 20 January - Administrative Council Meeting - Gallery, 8:30 AM
- 20 January - The Gallery Series - Beethoven Sonatas by John Lindsey, violin, and Lucien Stark, piano - Noon in the Gallery, King Library North (see note)

Current Exhibits: Foyer, King Library North - A Tribute to Vladimir Nabokov. Also display of Recent Acquisitions. Gallery - Department of Special Collections - 19th Century Photographs (January 16 - February 15).

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ABOUT THE LIBRARIES

Gallery Series Scheduled

Eleven programs--recitals, plays, and readings--are scheduled for the spring Gallery Series in King Library North, University of Kentucky. Each program is free and open to the public and begins at noon on selected Fridays during the spring semester. The series is sponsored by the University of Kentucky Libraries and the College of Fine Arts.

Literary readings are a new feature of the series this semester. Two distinguished Kentucky authors will read from their recent work. Harry Caudill, Whitesburg lawyer and author of *NIGHT COMES TO THE CUMBERLANDS* and currently professor of history at UK, will read selections from his latest book, *WATCHES OF THE NIGHT*. Mr. Caudill, a noted authority on Kentucky history and strip-mining legislation, will also entertain questions from the audience. Ed McClanahan, whose fiction has appeared in *PLAYBOY* and other publications and who teaches writing at UK, will read from current fiction and works-in-progress.

In addition, two plays (including a selection from *APPALACHIAN QUARTET* by Lee Pennington, professor of English at Jefferson Community College who is a nominee for this year's Pulitzer Prize for poetry) and seven performances by members of the School of Music Faculty, will also appear on the program.

The complete list of programs includes:

- 20 January: Beethoven Sonatas by John Lindsey, violin, and Lucien Stark, piano
- 3 February: "Free To Be You and Me," directed by Mary Beth Kopesky
- 10 February: Wind Music by The Faculty Woodwind Quintet
- 17 February: "Selection from *WATCHES OF THE NIGHT*," read by Harry Caudill
- 3 March: A Benjamin Britten Memorial by The School of Music Faculty
- 10 March: "Selection from *APPALACHIAN QUARTET*," directed by Bob Wills
- 17 March: Early Music by The Collegium Musicum
- 31 March: "Recent Fiction and Work in Progress," read by Ed McClanahan
- 7 April: Finnish and Yiddish Songs by Arthur Graham and Aimo Kiviniemi, tenors

14 April: Horn Music by Rex Connor, tuba, and Betty Garrett,
piano

28 April: Jazz with Tom Senff.

For additional information, contact David Farrell, King Library
North; 606-258-2651.

Reminder of Library Closing Policy

When classes are not in session and the University closes (or delays opening) the Library follows the University statement for University offices. If the University should close early or delay opening when classes are in session, the Library normally continues its regular schedule as an "essential service" with staff coverage as is maintained in public service units on nights and weekends (i.e., usually student assistant coverage).

New SPEC Kit

The Reference Department has just received a new 'SPEC Kit' from the Systems and Procedures Exchange Center. It is number 38 in the series and is entitled "Collection Development Policies."

Library Tours Reminder

The Reference Department still needs volunteers to lead orientation tours of King Library public service areas during the week of January 23-27. We welcome volunteers from all areas of the Library who have 30 minutes or more to spare. If you are interested, please contact Patricia Renfro at 7-1631 or Charles Timberlake at 3-2759 as soon as possible.

CENTER FOR RESEARCH LIBRARIES TOURS

The Center will be conducting tours and orientation sessions during ALA Mid-Winter Conference, Monday - Thursday, January 23 - 26. The three-hour program will be held each morning at 9:30 AM and every afternoon starting at 1:30 PM. If you plan to attend one of the meetings, please make reservations by calling the Center at 312-955-4545 or by writing to Ray Boylan, Assistant Director, 5721 Cottage Grove Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60637.

PERSONNEL

Kathy Holden will be in charge of the Business Library while Rhoda Channing is on sabbatical. Ms. Holden has an MA in classics, holds a MLS from Kentucky and worked on a half-time basis in Reference during the fall semester.

LT II Acquisitions (router). If interested, please see Faith Harders by Wednesday, January 18. Also LT I Acquisitions.

Social Security Increases

The social security tax rate and base are being increased effective January 1, 1978. The rate is being increased from 5.85% to 6.05%. The base is being increased from \$16,500 to \$17,700. The maximum social security tax for both the employer and employee will be \$1,070.85 for the calendar year 1978.

PROFESSIONAL EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES

Librarian of the Faculty of Education, Harvard University, Cambridge, Massachusetts. Available: July 1, 1978.

Acquisitions Librarian, (Librarian III), Syracuse University.

Serials Librarian (Librarian III), Syracuse University. Available: immediately. Salary: \$11,828+ depending on qualifications. Application Deadline: January 15, 1978.

UNIVERSITY LIBRARY SYSTEM PLANNING REPORT-DISCUSSION DRAFT

While we had initially indicated that a revised draft of the Planning Report would be prepared and circulated to the Library Faculty for additional discussion, because of duplicating cost and the lack of significant change in the Report, we have decided to place copies of the revised report on reserve for the faculty review. We would encourage all faculty members to examine the Report and convey your reaction, in writing, to the Director's Office by January 20, 1978. The Report will then be edited and sent to Dr. Lewis W. Cochran with copies to all Library Faculty.