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Executive Committee Meetings
In Brief
September 8, 1973

The Executive Committee of the South Carolina Library Association met on September 8, 1973 at 10:30 a.m. at the Ocean Forest Hotel.

Treasurers Report

Colonel Hillard reported that eight individual members have joined since the typing of this report, bringing the total to 790 individual members, 26 life members, and 57 institutional members and a grand total of 873. Finances appear in good shape in the budget. Colonel Hillard suggested that the treasurer be bonded for $15,000.00 instead of $10,000.00.

October 11, 1973

The Executive Committee of the South Carolina Library Association met on October 11, 1973 at 10:30 a.m. at the Ocean Forest Hotel.

Treasurer's Report:

Colonel Hillard reported that there are now 808 personal members, 31 life members and 57 institutional members, a total of 896 members as compared to a total of 291 members 10 years ago. The balance in the checking account is $7,463.25, and in the savings account $2,869.93 — a total of $10,331.18. The Convention sold 46 exhibit spaces for an income of $1,610.00 and has expended $345.61 leaving a balance from the Convention of $1,264.39. About 275 people have registered for the Convention. From the JMRt Writer's Map $110.00 has been received and $60.00 expended, leaving a balance of $50.00. The balance is at the printer. It is expected that copies as place mats might like to purchase copies as place mats. Colonel Hillard requested that all bills be sent to him by December 1, 1973.

Section Reports:

Public: See attached report.

College: See attached report.

Publications Distribution Committee:

The Publications Distribution Committee has been enlarged to include the South Carolina Library Association Treasurer, the Editor of the South Carolina Librarian, and the Chairman of the Writer's Map Committee. This committee will prepare a report on their recommendations.

Treasurer's Records:

Colonel Hillard said he will turn his old records over to the Caroliniana Library and the 1973 records will be given to the new treasurer.

December 1, 1973

The Executive Committee of the South Carolina Library Association held a joint meeting of the incoming and outgoing officers on December 1, 1973 at the South Carolina State Library.

Colonel Hillard distributed a copy of the treasurer's report to all members. The treasurer's report showed a balance in the checking account of $4,278.46 and in the savings account of $2,869.93, making a total of $7,148.39. He also reported that he knew all Convention expenses had been paid, leaving a balance from the Convention of $637.82. A list of Life Members and Honorary Life Members was distributed and corrections of several of the addresses were made.

Mr. Baker reported that Writer's Map sales are progressing more slowly than expected. About 99 maps have been sold and 200 need to be sold before it will show a profit.

New Business:

Miss Neil made a motion to pursue the possibility of a joint SCLA-NCLA Convention. Mr. Toombs seconded and the motion was carried.

Reprint Project:

The Reprint Company, Spartanburg, S. C., that did the reprint of out-of-print books project, is interested in another reprint project. They wish the SCLA to agree to sponsor the project and help with the selection of material to be reprinted.

Mr. Reames moved that the Association support the Reprint Project and appoint a committee to work with the Reprint Company and to select titles. Mr. Toombs seconded the motion and it was carried.

Annual Meeting:

Mr. Reames moved that the Executive Committee instruct the Constitution and By-Laws Committee to prepare a revision of the Constitution to provide for annual conventions. Mr. Nolen seconded and the motion carried.

1974 Budget:

Colonel Hillard presented a temporary budget calling for an estimated income of $5,000.00 and expenses of $5,460.00 and moved that the budget be temporarily adopted. Miss Neil seconded the motion and it was carried.
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### TREASURER’S REPORT
#### DECEMBER 1, 1973

### INCOME

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### SPRING 1974

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RESUME

Conventional Income ........................................ 5,984.35
Convention Expenses ........................................ 5,346.53
BALANCE ....................................................... 637.82

JMRT LITERARY MAP

Income ......................................................... 280.00
Expenditures .................................................. 1,106.00
Debit ............................................................. 826.00

S. C. LIBRARIAN

Income ......................................................... 693.17
Expenditure ................................................... 1,764.96
Debit ............................................................. 1,071.79

BALANCE SHEET

Balance forward Jan. 1, 1973
Checking ....................................................... $3,081.43
Savings .......................................................... 2,869.93

Income 1973
Budgeted items ............................................... 5,843.81
Convention income .......................................... 5,984.35
TOTAL ASSETS ................................................... $17,779.52

Expenditures
Budgeted items ............................................... 5,284.60
Convention ..................................................... 5,346.53
BALANCE DECEMBER 1, 1973
Checking ....................................................... $4,278.46
Savings .......................................................... 2,869.93

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The midwinter meeting of the American Library Association took place during the week of January 22-25, 1974, at the Palmer House in Chicago. Most of the Council meetings were taken up with the new dues proposal as put forth by the Committee on Program Evaluation and Support. After two days of debate this proposal was approved for ratification by the membership. American Library Association members will receive the proposed amendment on May 1, 1974, and have until June 10, 1974, to return it. If carried the dues will become effective on January 1, 1975. The vote will be to amend articles I and IV of the By Laws. The vote will affect personal memberships only, not institutional or other membership categories.

The new dues structure is as follows:

**Student Members:** enrolled at least ½ time in four year undergraduate or in a graduate program of Library and Information Science - $10.00

**Non-salaried, inactive, retired librarians or those with salary under $6,000:** $10.00

**Foreign Librarians:** not employed in United States or Possessions of United States - $20.00

**Regular members:** $35.00

All above memberships include American Libraries; member rates at conferences; discount on American Library Association monographs; Handbook; insurance privileges and voting privileges. There are no free divisions.

Divisions may charge more for their memberships if desired. With approval of the Executive Board, special one year promotional memberships may be made available. As an example, the American Association of School Librarians offered American Library Association memberships for $25.00 last year.

COPES says that the American Library Association will be bankrupt by 1976, if something is not done now. There are two major sources of income for the association. These are the income from dues and the income derived from interest and investments on the Endowment Fund. Membership has decreased as the number of programs to be supported has increased. Therefore, dues income is inadequate to meet the needs of the Association. Interest on the Endowment Fund has decreased because the stockmarket is depressed. The principal of the Endowment Fund has decreased because the Association has borrowed from it to make up the deficit between dues income and expenditures. The alternatives, according to COPES, are to increase dues or to have the divisions support themselves. This means that the $35.00 will support the central organization only. Therefore, the divisions have received support from the parent organization. One of the biggest deficits is for division publications. For example RQ brought in between $5,000-6,000 last year. The Association paid out over $20,000 to publish it. The Reference and Adult Services Division will have to support RQ if the new dues structure is approved. The central office of the American Library Association will turn its attention to what it considers matters of interest to all librarians. This would include Intellectual Freedom, the Washington Office, etc.


Whatever dues we pay in 1975, there will be a new entry on the membership application. The Freedom to Read Foundation, a separate organization from the American Library Association, will be included. Separate checks must be made out for each organization.

The Staff Committee on Mediation, Arbitration and Inquiry reported to Council on two matters that it was directed to investigate.

I Library of Congress

SCMAI reported that progress has been made toward alleviating race related problems. The Committee could see no immediate solutions but made five recommendations to implement further progress. These are:

1. Coordinating Committee - to represent divergent points of view and to assist in drafting policies and procedures.
2. that the Librarian of Congress become more visible in directing efforts to implement changes in personnel policies.
3. that the Library of Congress review its Affirmative Action program to develop realistic plans for upgrading positions and training.
4. reactivate the Librarian's Liaison Committee
5. that the American Library Association with the cooperation of the Library Congress Union and the staff organization monitor the progress of Congress in meeting these recommendations

A full report will be published in American Libraries. The Library of Congress's semiannual report on their Affirmative Action Program will be published in the same issue.

Mr. Eugene Walton of the Library of Congress responded to the Council actions on this matter. He thanked the American Library Association for its interest in Library of Congress's problems and said he would be happy to see all libraries report on their actions toward racial minorities in American Libraries. This drew applause from Council.

University of Chicago

SCMAI was also investigating the dismissal of six librarians from the University of Chicago.

The librarians claimed that their Union activity was the cause of their dismissal. SCMAI considered this issue to be central to the determination of the merits of the complaints. Local 103 of the Distributive Workers of America filed a formal complaint with National Labor Relations Board. The complaint was filed prior to the American Library Association conference in Las Vegas.

"Since the National Labor Relations Board is a judicial one with respect to labor relations, its findings are legally binding on all parties." As the issues in dispute were of fact, and were currently under the jurisdiction of the National Labor Relations Board, SCMAI decided not to enter the case. The Regional office of the National Labor Relations Board found insuf-
SOUTH CAROLINA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

48TH CONVENTION

October 11-13, 1973

The 48th Convention of the South Carolina Library Association was held October 11-13, 1973 at the Ocean Forest Hotel in Myrtle Beach, South Carolina.

First General Session (Business Meeting)

Mr. Nolen called the meeting to order.

Mr. Nolen introduced Miss Emily Sanders, Charleston County Librarian, who acted as parliamentarian and Mrs. Libby P. Law, South Carolina Library Association Secretary.

Mr. Nolen expressed his appreciation for the privilege and opportunity given to a Trustee to serve as the President of the South Carolina Library Association.

Mr. Nolen mentioned three important events in the past year that he wished to call the attention of the membership to:

1. The membership of the South Carolina Library Association is by far the largest in the history of the Association. There are approximately 900 members and a possibility that we will reach 1000 by the end of this year.

2. Mr. Nolen wished to commend the Legislative Committee, Mrs. Jean Galloway Bissell, Miss Estellene P. Walker, and others throughout the state for the fine job they did in securing a 10c per capita increase in the State Aid funds for public libraries.

3. He also wished to call the membership’s attention to the very successful off year meeting held on October 13, 1972 and expressed his thanks to Miss Estellene P. Walker, Mr. Kenneth Toombs, Mr. J. Mitchell Reames, and others who were responsible for this meeting.

The committee and section reports were given by the chairmen of each committee or section. The committee chairmen were presented and gave their reports. Those section chairman giving reports were: Mr. Chapman J. Milling, Jr., Public Library Section; Mrs. Mary Finney, Trustees Section; Mr. Frank Anderson, College Library Section; Mrs. Gladys Hammond, School Library Section; Mrs. Dorothy K. Jones, Special Library Section, and Mr. Barry Baker, Junior Members Round Table.

Colonel James M. Hilliard, SCLA Treasurer, then presented the treasurer’s report. Mr. Nolen praised Colonel Hilliard for being an excellent treasurer and pointed out that there are now 808 personal members, 31 life members and 57 institutional members making a total of 896, the largest ever registered. This compares with 291 members in the Association ten years ago. Colonel Hilliard also reported that there are presently 275 registered at the Convention. The financial report showed that there is $7,463.25 in the checking account, $2,869.93 in the savings account, making a total of $10,331.18. He also reported that he is presently holding about $3,000 in checks.

Mr. Carl Stone, Chairman of the Constitution and By-Laws Committee, presented his report.
Amendments to the By-Laws

To amend Article V, Section 1 by inserting the sentence “The Round Tables of the South Carolina Library Association shall be as follows: Junior Members,” after the sentence “The Sections of the South Carolina Library Association shall be as follows: College, Public, School, Special, and Trustee.”

To amend Article V, Section 1 by inserting the sentence “The Junior Members Round Table shall elect their officers yearly,” after the sentence “The College, Public, School, Special and Trustee Sections shall elect their respective officers at the Biennial Meeting.”

To amend Article V, Section 1 by inserting the words “and Round Table” after the word “sections” in the last sentence.

“If amended the section will read: Sec-

tion 1. The Sections of the South Carolina Library Association shall be as follows: College, Public, School, Special, and Trustee. The Round Tables of the South Carolina Library Association shall be as follows: Junior Members. The College, Public, School, Special, and Trustee Section shall elect their respective officers at the Biennial Meeting. Junior Members Round Table shall elect their officers annually. Section and Round Table Officers shall be elected for one term and may be eligible for reelection for one term.”

Mr. Barry Baker seconded the motion and it was passed.

Miss Betty Callaham gave a progress report on the Southeastern States Cooperative Library Survey.

Mr. Lester Duncan was praised by Mr. Nolen for the marvelous job he has done as Editor of the South Carolina Librarian.

Mr. Duncan reported that in 1971 there were 950 printings and in 1973 there were 1300.

Mr. William F. Summers, as Chairman of the Planning Committee, made a report.

New Business:

Faculty Status:
Mr. Ellis Hodges, Librarian, College of Charleston, moved that:

In as much as librarians, as educators, make a significant contribution to the educational process and are an integral part of the total educational process and system;

Be it therefore resolved that the South Carolina Library Association go on record as endorsing and supporting the standards for minimum adequacy of collections and academic libraries developed and endorsed by the Association of College and Research Libraries division of the American Library Association.

This motion was seconded by Kathlee Pilcher and after a brief discussion it was passed.

Mr. Ellis Hodges commented about the complicated factors involved in introducing business to the South Carolina Library Association due to the fact that the Association only meets every two years. He pointed out that the concerns, problems, and challenges that face librarians and librarianship are too important to be relegated to an every two year type of thing. And he mentioned that he did hope that arrangements could be made to have annual meetings.

Mr. Reames, Chairman of the Nominating Committee presented the nominations for South Carolina Library Association officers:

President: Estellene P. Walker, South Carolina State Library.
Vice-President; President-Elect: Josephine Neil, Naval Regional Librarian, Charleston Naval Base.
Secretary: Thelma Murtha, Technical Services Librarian, ABBE Regional Library.
Treasurer: H. Paul Dove, Librarian, Erskine College Library.

Mr. Reames then moved that the nominating be accepted. Mr. Nolen called for other nominations from the floor but no other nominations were accepted. The original nominations were then passed unanimously.

After several brief announcements the meeting was adjourned.

Section Officers
Public Libraries Section
Chairwoman: Gerda Belknap, Children's Services Librarian, Richland County Public Library; Vice-Chairman, Jack Pitzer, Reference Librarian, Greenville County Library; Secretary-Treasurer: Mildred Finch, Technical Services Librarian, Spartanburg County Library.

College and University Libraries Section
Chairman: Kenneth Toombs, Director, University Libraries, University of S. C.; Vice-Chairwoman; Chairwoman-Elect: Thelma Elkins, Librarian, Baptist College Library.

Special Libraries Section
Chairwoman: Jean Ligon, Librarian, Lyles, Bissett, Carlisle and Wolff; Vice-Chairman, Chairman-Elect: James B. Johnson, Jr., Consultant-Special Programs, South Carolina State Library; Secretary-Treasurer: Virginia McEachern. Horger Library, S. C. State Hospital.

School Libraries Section
Chairwoman: Catherine Fellows, Librarian, Northside Middle School, West Columbia; Vice-Chairwoman: Cornelia Ward, Librarian, Southside Elementary School, Greenwood; Secretary: Betty Foran, Supervisor of Library Services, Richland School District No. 1.

Trustees Section
Chairwoman: Carollana Hendrick, S. C. State Library Board; Vice-Chairman: Dr. Hugh E. Vincent, S. C. State Library Board; Secretary: Mrs. Courtland D. Leigh, Chester County Library Board.
Junior Members Round Table
Chairman: James B. Johnson, Jr., Consultant-Special Programs, S. C. State Library; Vice - Chairman; Chairman - Elect: Harry Lull, Librarian, Science Library, University of S. C.; Secretary: Dorothy Radford, Circulation Librarian, Charleston County Library; Treasurer: Robert Fasset, Reference Librarian, Greenville County Library.

Mrs. Libby P. Law, South Carolina Library Association Secretary, presented at the Second General Session. Mr. Stephen T. Spencer, Administrative Assistant of the City of Myrtle Beach, welcomed the convocation and briefly told of the changes taking place in Myrtle Beach. Mr. J. Mitchell Reames, Francis Marion College Librarian, introduced the speaker, Mr. Robert G. Swartz, Deputy Director, National Commission on Libraries and Information Science, Mr. Swartz told about the National Commission and what its findings can mean to libraries throughout the nation.

Mr. Barry Baker, Chairman of the Junior Members Round Table, presided at the Third General Session. Mr. Leonard Pearson, Presbyterian College Librarian introduced the speaker, Dr. W. Edwin Hemp hill, Editor of the Calhoun papers. Dr. Hemp hill's topic was "John C. Calhoun's Manuscript."

At the Fourth General Session (Banquet) Mr. J. Frank Nolen, President of the South Carolina Library Association, presided. Dr. Robert C. Tucker, Furman University Librarian, gave the invocation, Colonel James M. Hillard, South Carolina Library Association Treasurer, presented honorary memberships to: Alice B. Adams, Nancy Blair, Romayne Barnes, Mrs. Ben Coleman, Mary Cox, Evelyn Cuthbert, Annie D. Daniels, Naomi Derrick, Nell Garrard, Mrs. Louise B. Garvin, Elizabeth O'Bear, Carrie T. Politzer, Mabel L. Politzer, Annette H. Shinn, Ella Sue Smith.

Mr. Chapman J. Milling, Jr., in behalf of the Public Librarians and Trustees presented an appreciation to Mrs. Jean Gallaway Bissell.

The speaker, Dr. Thomas Naylor, Director of the Center for Southern Studies at Duke University, was introduced by Miss Betty E. Callaham, Director of Field Services at the South Carolina State Library. Dr. Naylor's topic was: "Strategies for Change in the South."

Incoming South Carolina Library Association President, Estelle P. Walker, presided at the Fifth General Session. Miss Walker briefly told of the State Library's plan for a statewide reading club to contribute to the American Bicentennial Celebration. Dr. Porter G. Barron, Executive Secretary of the South Carolina Committee for the Humanities, whose topic was: "The South Carolina Committee for the Humanities-What is it? What can you do with it?" was introduced by Mr. John H. Landrum, Director of Readers Service at the South Carolina State Library.

The South Carolina Library Association adopted a statement presented in memory of Mr. Charles Edward Stow, Greenville County Librarian.

Respectfully submitted,
Libby P. Law
Secretary

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MINUTES OF THE MEETING OF THE COLLEGE SECTION OF THE S. C. LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

The Association met in the Woodside Room of the Ocean Forest Hotel in Myrtle Beach, S. C., during the 48th Conference of the SCLA, October 12, 1973.

Frank J. Anderson, Chairman, called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m. Approximately 125 persons were in attendance.

The speaker was identified, as was Mr. Kenneth Toombs, Director of USC Libraries and the incoming section chairman.

The Chairman's report had been delivered to the group at the first general session and hence was not repeated.

The election of a Chairman/Elect was the next order of business. Mrs. Davy Jo S. Ridge, Chairman of the Nominating Committee, whose other members were Claude Green and Jimmy Wright, made her report. The Committee presented Ms. Thelma Elkins, Librarian of the Baptist College in Charleston as the candidate for Chairman/Elect of the section. A delegate asked for a "thumbnail" biography of Ms. Elkins. The Chair then invited Ms. Elkins to tell something about herself. Ms. Elkins arose and obliged.

The Chair called for nominations from the floor. There were none. The Chair called for a vote. Unanimously the vote was in favor of the nominee. Col. Hillard moved that the vote be recorded as being "by acclamation." It was seconded and so moved. Thus Ms. Elkins is the Chairman/Elect of the section and will serve from 1974 through 1978.

The Chair called for old business. There was none.

The Chair called for new business. Paul Dove moved that the annual report, which librarians make to the S. C. State Library, be revised so that the enrollment figure which is reported is specified as the fall enrollment. The move was seconded by Mitchell Reames. Discussion followed. The comment by Ms. Estellene Walker was that it was within the perogative of the section to suggest the revision. A consensus of opinion seemed to be that the figures to be submitted should be the FTE fall enrollment figures. This was passed by the membership.

No further business was considered.

Ms. Walker made an announcement concerning the SELA Library Survey. She stressed the importance of the survey for the future development of libraries in the region. She urged those persons who had not filled out and returned survey questionnaires to do so as soon as possible.

Ms. Walker called the roll of the libraries who had not submitted questionnaires and verbally chastised them.

Frank Anderson introduced the speaker who was Dr. Louis D. Rubin, Professor of Southern Literature at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. Dr. Rubin gave a fine talk on Joel Chandler Harris, commenting on his life and work, and giving the group new insights into the true meaning of the Uncle Remus stories.

The meeting was adjourned at approximately 10:30 a.m. Dr. Rubin lingered in order to chat with many of the members of the section.

Submitted by: Frank J. Anderson, Chmn., SCLA/College Section.

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SOUTH CAROLINA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION
JUNIOR MEMBERS ROUND TABLE
REPORT — 1972-1973

Mr. President, I am pleased to present the following report of the activities of the Junior Members Round Table during the past two years.

JMRT has the unique distinction of having members from all sections of SCLA in its ranks, the newcomers to the state and the newcomers to the profession.

Therefore, it has and will continue to be the aim of JMRT to provide pro-
programs and workshops of interest to all librarians in South Carolina.

With this aim in mind, JMRT sponsored four workshops, open to all members of the association. Topics of these workshops were:

- Library Orientation (February, 1972)
- Library Construction (May, 1972)
- Graduate Library Education in South Carolina (February, 1973)
- Library Acquisitions (May, 1973)

Dr. Guy Lyle and Mr. Daniel Melcher were principle speakers during this series.

Two important projects of interest to librarians have been recently completed by my committees of JMRT. These are the:
- The Sandlapper Index — a five year index to the Sandlapper Magazine.
- The Writers Map — a map and booklet of notable South Carolina writers.

**CONSTITUTION OF THE SOUTH CAROLINA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION**

**WITH REVISIONS AS OF OCTOBER 11, 1973**

**Article I. Name**

This organization shall be called the South Carolina Library Association.

**Article II. Objective**

Its objective shall be to promote libraries and library service in South Carolina.

**Article III. Membership**

Section 1. Any individual interested in the objectives of the Association may become a member with a right to vote, upon payment of annual dues.

Section 2. Any library, club, or other educational association in South Carolina interested in the objectives of the Association may become an institutional member by payment of dues and may be entitled to send a delegate with the right to vote.

Section 3. Any person who has maintained an active, paid membership in the Association for a period of ten (10) consecutive years prior to retirement shall upon retirement, be entitled to Honorary Membership in the Association, upon approval of the Executive Committee.

**Article IV. Officers**

The officers of the Association shall consist of a President, Vice-President, who shall be President-Elect, Secretary, Treasurer, and such other officers as provided for in the By-Laws.

**Article V. Executive Committee**

The Executive Committee shall be composed of the elected officers, the Past-President, the American Library Association Councilor, the South Carolina representative on the Southeastern Library Association Executive Board, and the Chairman or Vice-Chairman of each Section and Roundtable, as named in the By-Laws.

**Article VI. Meetings**

There shall be a biennial meeting of the Association with special meetings as authorized by the By-Laws.

Other activities included Regional Meetings, usually in the form of a luncheon with a speaker. These have been successfully held in several areas of the state. Programs such as these enable librarians to meet and discuss items of interest on an informal, social basis.

Through its Membership Committee, JMRT acquainted librarians new to the profession and South Carolina with professional associations available to them: SCLA, SELA, and ALA. JMRT also served the association in the area of recruitment.

JMRT is fortunate to have Mr. Pat Conroy, author of *The Water Is Wide*, as the speaker at the JMRT luncheon to be held during this convention.

Respectfully submitted,

Bobby B. Baker
Chairman

**Article VII. Affiliations**

Section 1. The South Carolina Library Association shall be a contributing member of the American Library Association. The Association shall be affiliated with the American Library Association as a Chapter, and shall elect one of its members to serve as American Library Association Councillor for a term in accordance with the requirements of the American Library Association.

**Article VIII. Amendments**

The constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of the members present, provided notice of the proposed change has been given in the call to the meeting.

**BY-LAWS**

**WITH REVISIONS AS OF OCTOBER 11, 1973**

**Article I. Nomination, Terms, and Election of Officers**

Section 1. The President, with the approval of the Executive Committee, shall appoint a Committee on Nominations to present the names of one member for each elective office. This Committee shall consist of at least three members.

Section 2. Officers shall be elected by majority vote at the biennial meeting and shall serve for two years beginning January 1, or until their successors are installed.

**Article II. Duties of Officers**

Section 1. The duties of the officers shall be such as are implied by their titles except as are modified by the By-Laws.

Section 2. The Secretary shall prepare a report of the biennial meeting or any special meeting of the Association; he shall send one copy to the Library Journal, one copy to the American Libraries, one copy to the Southeastern Librarian, one copy to the South Carolina Librarian, and one copy to the President, who will keep it on file.

Section 3. The position of Treasurer shall be covered by a fidelity bond for an amount equal to the financial resources of the Association.

**Article III. Executive Committee**

Section 1. Membership.

The membership shall be as stated in the Constitution with the following exceptions:

a. In the event a Section Chairman is serving as a member of the Executive Committee in another capacity, the Section Chairman shall appoint a representative from his Section.

b. In the event another member is serving in a dual capacity on the Executive Committee, the Executive Committee shall appoint a member-at-large in order to keep a consistent number.

Section 2. Powers and Duties.

The Executive Committee shall have power:

a. To act for the Association in intervals between meetings and make arrangements for the biennial meeting.

b. To consider and develop plans for the general work of the Association.

c. To appoint, in case of a vacancy in any office caused by resignation or otherwise, a member of the Association to fill the unexpired term.

d. To receive and disburse money for the Association.

e. To approve all encumbrances and expenditures of Association funds, except those stated in the Constitution and By-Laws or previously authorized by a vote of the membership, which may be approved for payment by the President.

f. To provide for the publications of the Association and to contract for such publications as may be desirable for furthering the interest of the Association.

g. To approve and make awards of recognition to noteworthy individuals based on outstanding achievements and/or contributions which have
promoted the progress of the Association.

Section 3. Meetings and Quorum.

The Executive Committee shall meet at the call of the President, or upon the request of three members of the Committee. A majority of the Executive Committee shall constitute a quorum.

Article IV. Committees

Section 1. The President, with the advice of the Executive Committee, shall appoint such committees as may be necessary to carry on the work of the Association, and define their duties. The President is an ex-officio member of all committees except the Committee on Nominations.

a. Standing Committees.
   1. Appointments to a standing committee shall be for a period of four (4) years, the terms of approximately one-half of the membership expiring each biennium.
   2. The Standing Committee shall include the following, with function and size to be determined by the Executive Committee:
      - Constitution and By-Laws
      - Editorial
      - Legislative
      - Membership
      - Planning
      - Recruiting
   b. Special Committees.
      There shall be such special committees as deemed advisable by the Executive Committee.

Article V. Sections and Round Tables

Section 1. The Sections of the South Carolina Library Association shall be as follows: College, Public, School, Special, and Trustee. The Round Tables of the South Carolina Library Association shall be as follows: Junior Members. The College: Public, School, Special, and Trustee Sections shall elect their respective officers at the Biennial Meeting. Junior Members Round Table shall elect their officers annually. Section and Round Table Officers shall be elected for one term and may be eligible for reelection for one term.

Section 2. Sections and Round Tables of the Association may be organized upon application to and approval of the Executive Committee. After approval, the name of a new section shall be listed in Article V, Section 1, of the By-Laws.

Section 3. Sections and Round Tables may adopt By-Laws provided they do not conflict with the By-Laws of the South Carolina Library Association.

Article VI. Dues

Section 1. Annual dues of individual members shall be five dollars ($5.00) and shall be due on January 1 of each year.

Section 2. Institutional or member clubs shall pay according to their incomes on the following scale: (per Year)

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Section 3. Dues of sustaining members shall be $10.00 per calendar year.

Section 4. Any person, upon payment of $100.00 shall be entitled to life membership in the Association. The funds from life membership dues shall be placed in a trust fund, the income to be used for current expenses only.

Section 5. Delinquent members shall be notified of their delinquency. Members in arrears for a year shall be dropped from the membership roll.

Section 6. There shall be a registration fee, set by the Executive Committee, for each member and visitor attending the annual meeting. Only visitors may register without payment of dues.

Article VII. Meetings and Quorum

Section 1. Regular
   The biennial meeting shall be held during the second week-end of October in the odd year.

Section 2. Special.
   Special meetings of the Association may be called by the President; by a quorum of the Executive Committee; or on request of seventy-five (75) members of the Association. Only business mentioned in the call shall be transacted.

Section 3. Quorum.
   Fifty (50) members shall constitute a quorum for the transaction of business.

Section 4. Notice.
   At least thirty (30) days notice of any meeting shall be given in writing to members.

Section 5. Votes by Mail.
   Votes by mail, both of the Association and of the Executive Committee, may be authorized by the Executive Committee between meetings. Such mail votes shall be conducted under the same requirements as votes at meetings.

Article VIII. Amendments

Amendments to the By-Laws shall receive a majority vote of the members present, providing notice of change has been included in the Call to Convention.

Article IX. Parliamentary Authority

Robert’s Rules of Order, latest revision, shall be the governing authority in matters not specifically covered by this Constitution and By-Laws.
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Charles Stow commanded respect of his associates with his depth of concern for the Greenville County Library which he headed until his death last week. As librarian, he also was possessed with a sense of service toward the public which had become accustomed to the quiet efficiency of that county institution.

SOME MEN make their mark with loud leadership on the center stage where all can see. It was an attribute of Mr. Stow that the library's orderly progress and daily efficiency were a reflection of his constant attention to a multitude of details.

Under his guidance, the library was able to make the transition from an old, inadequate building to the modern structure on College Street with a staff that has tripled.

In that move was the evidence of his sensitivity to the needs of library patrons. It was Mr. Stow who delayed for a week the move from the old building to the new, so that students working on term papers and examinations could have the uninterrupted use of library facilities during that critical time.

GREENVILLE'S cultural community will sorely miss the quiet wisdom and devotion that characterized this gentle soul.

(From the Greenville Piedmont)
A RESOLUTION PASSED BY THE SOUTH CAROLINA LIBRARY ASSOCIATION ON OCTOBER 13, 1974
CHARLES EDWARD STOW

In the death of Charles Edward Stow on October 10, 1973, the South Carolina Library Association lost a valuable member. Born in Greenville, South Carolina on January 6, 1914, he was the son of Mrs. Jennie Charles Stow and the late Walter Stow. He received his B.A. degree from Furman University in 1936 and his B.S. in L.S. from Columbia University in 1937. From 1937 to 1950, he was Librarian of the Hill School in Pottstown, Pennsylvania, was Reference Librarian at Furman University in 1950-51 and the Greenville Public Library in 1951-52. From 1952 until his death, he was Librarian of the Greenville County Library. In this last position, Charles Stow, with the able assistance of colleagues and trustees, provided the leadership which developed the Greenville County Library into one of the finest in the state.

B. O. Thomason, Jr., Chairman of the Greenville County Board of Trustees, described him as "a highly intelligent and capable individual. For some 21 years Charles E. Stow graced our library as Librarian. His primary goal was for our county to have the finest library possible." He was active in his church and his wider interest in his profession is attested by the fact that he was a member of the American and Southeastern as well as the South Carolina Library Association. He was President of S. C. L. A. in 1957.

One did not have to know him long to realize that under Charles Stow’s quiet and dignified manner lay a wry sense of humor that made him an unusually pleasant companion. He will be sorely missed by his friends and colleagues.

STATEMENT BY B. O. THOMASON, JR.
CHAIRMAN OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES
GREENVILLE COUNTY LIBRARY

"For some twenty-one years Charles E. Stow graced our library as librarian. He was a highly intelligent and capable individual. His primary goal was for our county to have the finest library possible."

"When Charles Stow first came to Greenville as librarian, the library consisted of two units, the city and county. Later in 1961, the two libraries were merged into one, and under his leadership the beautiful new facility we now enjoy became a reality. Mr. Stow was tremendously interested in seeing books distributed throughout every area of Greenville County. Just prior to his illness, plans had been completed to open a new branch library for the citizens of the Taylors community. This unit is expected to be open and in business on or about November 1, 1973."

"During his many years as librarian, Mr. Stow constantly challenged the Board of Trustees to seek a larger, better and more up-to-date book collection for children and adults alike. Through his efforts, our library collection was rapidly expanded, and more and better reading material has become accessible to the public."

"Our whole community has suffered a great loss in his passing, and it will be most difficult to replace his guiding hand at our library."

DEDICATORY ADDRESS
KERSHAW COUNTY PUBLIC LIBRARY
SEPTEMBER 9, 1973
By Governor John C. West

Here is the complete text of Governor John C. West’s speech at the dedication - open house for the new Kershaw County Public Library, Sunday, Sept. 9, 1973 at 3 p.m.

“There are many thoughts which cross the mind at this dedication ceremony, many of them of a very personal nature. It was 40 years ago when I first discovered the treasures of the books in the Carnegie Library next door. I recall that during the summer months I would visit the library regularly, each Wednesday and Saturday, checking out six books each time. Some of the earlier librarians — Mrs. Morrison, Miss Burnet and others — were skeptical I am sure as to whether I really read all of those books.

"Then in the late 1930s the Kershaw County Library opened. I had gone to college then, but I was proud of the new library, oriented perhaps towards country people with its bookmobile, its dedicated persons, Mrs. Baker, Mrs. Marie Sparrow, and others. And I recognized along with many others the additional service which could be rendered by a combined additional service which could be rendered by a combined facility and I recall the frustration which many of us felt at the defeat of the referendum in 1963. But this community has a history and a tradition of leadership and of ultimately finding the right solution for its problems.

"Ever since its earliest days, this city and this community has been a leader in the state of South Carolina."

"And while it no longer remains one of the largest cities — and as far as I know has no particular ambition to become a large city — Camden has always been known throughout the State for its excellence in many fields and this has been a matter of special pride for me as I have travelled about the state in recent years.

"So as we dedicate this fine facility today, it is with the pride of knowing that our community is once again demonstrating its leadership and its tradition for settling for nothing less than the best — and I say without reservation that there is no finer comparable facility to be found anywhere in our state or nation, and I want to thank and pay tribute to all who have made it possible.

"There is another aspect of this dedication, however, which strikes me as being particularly timely and significant. If we may detach ourselves briefly from this particular moment, and from this magnificent new building, let us ask ourselves some broader questions. A library, of course, is many things to many people. To the adult readers, it is a place to stay up to date with new books, to remain informed through newspapers and periodicals, and perhaps it’s a place to browse and lose yourself for a little while. To young children, it is a place to be introduced to the magic of books and stories, a place to have fun, and a place to learn some very important early skills and information. To the student of grade school and high school, it is a place to work on assignments — perhaps not always fun — but also a place to learn the vastness and the enormity of the learning resources which are here. To a community of this size — and to communities like this throughout South Carolina — a library is a special place with a special purpose in our lives.

“It was Jefferson who once said, 'Enlighten the people generally, and tyranny and oppression will vanish like evil spirits at the dawn of day.' The purpose of this library — and the basis of the entire concept of public libraries — is to provide that means by which the public may continue to be enlightened. And I agree with Jefferson that such enlightenment is our.
“Very often today, we see and hear around us the wondrous works of this age of Technology. Our senses are almost constantly bombarded with new electronic wonders, and in many ways, our life becomes easier as a result. Man can watch news reports from halfway around the world in his own living room. He can pick up a telephone and talk across the country in a matter of seconds. He can get on a jet plane and travel thousands of miles in a matter of hours. His life has become a part of that Age of Technology, and many persons fear it may be controlled by that very technology. Pessimists view us as becoming robots in an automated world very similar to that envisioned in the book, 1984. It is well for us to remember that 1984 is only 11 years away, and that if such dire predictions are to come true, the time is rapidly approaching.

“I prefer to disagree with those predictions. And while it is possible to say that technology has made our life easier, that is only a surface judgment. Technology and the advancement of sciences have only placed a greater premium on the concept of education. It has made it virtually impossible for an individual to succeed in today’s world without a strong basic education, and without a continuing desire to broaden and improve his education. Rather that seeing a world in which technology controls man, I see one in which man advances his own educational capabilities to new levels of excellence, and converts our scientific capabilities into new resources for the improvement of life quality for all people.

“Such notions and concepts begin right here, at places such as the Kershaw County Library. Here is where this community has expressed its continuing belief, support, and demand for educational quality for its citizens. Let this institution be the symbol by which we express our continuing understanding of education, and our continuing appreciation for its role in our society. Let this be the means by which we reaffirm our belief in the open minds of greatness which have built this nation, and the freedom of expression upon which our society is built. While education can be viewed as an instrument for self improvement, while it can be viewed as a means by which we perpetuate our scientific advancements, while it can be viewed in the strictly utilitarian sense, there is a greater and higher purpose for education. Because we live in a free society, and because we value and jealously guard those freedoms, we must be constantly vigilant. There is no more vital part of our heritage than freedom of expression, freedom of communication, freedom of belief and opinion as guaranteed by the Constitution of this nation. Nowhere are such freedoms more fully guaranteed than in the preservation and in the perpetuation of ideas and thoughts through books. If we look back through history and study the development of tyrannies, we learn that one of the first steps in that direction is the use of thought control, propaganda, the destruction of dissenting opinion and the burning of books by the government. Libraries such as this throughout our nation today are the first line of assurance that such events cannot take place in America, that the citizens of this nation will always be free to make their own decisions and choices based upon their own judgment, and that tyranny of the mind will not exist in this nation. Jefferson had one other observation which I think pertinent for this occasion. He said, ‘I know of no safe depository of the ultimate powers of the society but the people themselves.’ In making that statement, he presupposed that we were talking about an enlightened society of people whose minds were developed, but not trained, by society, and whose visions were opened, and not closed by the process of education.

“On behalf of all of the people of this community and our state, I thank you now for your part in perpetuating those principles, and I presume to thank you on behalf of future generations whose lives will be enriched and whose freedom will be more secure because of this facility which we dedicate here today.”

(The Camden Chronicle)

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A WRITER’S MAP EMERGES FOR S. C.

South Carolina is a state rich in both native writers and those who have adopted her as home.

For many years there has been a desire on the part of many South Carolinians to see the formulation of an up-to-date writers’ map of South Carolina. Just such a map has now emerged. Suggested by Mr. J. Mitchell Reames, past-President of the South Carolina Library Association and Director of the library at Francis Marion College, the map was compiled by a committee of the Junior Members Round Table of the South Carolina Library Association.

Its first task was the gathering of names of writers from all over the state and from all periods of our history.

County librarians most generously submitted lists of authors from their geographic areas. Advice was solicited from several college librarians. Standard bibliographical dictionaries and literary histories of the South and of South Carolina were searched. Friends from everywhere were solicited for names. In this manner, a list of considerable length was formed.

Next came the formidable necessity of reducing the mass of names gathered to a manageable number most worthy of inclusion, an extremely difficult duty.

To help with selection, general criteria were established. South Carolina authors from the earliest history of the state to 1972 are included. For inclusion on this map, an author is considered to be a South Carolinian if he was born in the state and lived in South Carolina for most of his life; if he was born, reared, and educated in South Carolina but resided outside of the state in his maturity; or if he were neither born nor reared in South Carolina but became identified with the state because of the number of years in which he resided within her bounds.

Of the South Carolina authors, only those who have written works of fiction, literature, broad scholarship, and general interest were considered. Authors of technical, sermonic, genealogical or narrowly academic works are excluded. Only authors who have published entire books are included.

Along with the map comes a booklet of brief biographical sketches intended to serve as introductions to the authors and their works, and in cases of lesser known authors, to explain their inclusion on the map. This information was obtained from standard biographical reference works and from materials in the South Caroliniana Library of the University of South Carolina.

In color and suitable for framing, these maps offer interesting educational information for school children as well as adults.

The maps and booklets may be seen at Palmetto Square Bookstore on Main Street in Columbia and purchased there, or ordered by contacting Neta Murray at the University of South Carolina Library, 1430 Washington St., Columbia. They are as follows: President, Mary Mall; Vice-President, Kendra Witter; Recording Secretary, Harriet Woodard; Treasurer, Cynthia Holmes; Secretary, Janice Corbett; Corresponding Secretary, Thelma Tinsley; Assistant Librarian, Thomas L. Johnson; Assistant Librarian, South Caroliniana Library; University of South Carolina.

NEW FRONTIERS

Alpha Omega Chapter of Alpha Beta Alpha was installed at South Carolina State College, Orangeburg, South Carolina, on Sunday, October 28, 1973. Forty-three students of the State College Department of Library Service, along with twenty-three professional and contributing members from neighboring Claflin College and from city school libraries, were initiated. Thus a new incentive for good scholarship was established.

Installing officers were from East Carolina University, Greenville, North Carolina. They are as follows: President, Ann Woodard; Vice-President, Beth Puns; Secretary, Janice Corbett; Treasurer, Harriet Rood; and Sponsor, Mrs. Tudi Johnson.

Officers for Alpha Omega Chapter are as follows: President Mary Smalls; Vice-President, Cynthia Holmes; Recording Secretary, Shirley Carter; Corresponding Secretary, Thelma Tinsley; Treasurer, Linda.
Johnson; Historian-Reporter, Diane Hall; Parliamentarian, Doris Maxey; Pledge Leader, Shirley Crooks; Sponsor, Mrs. Rosie Caldwell.

Alpha Beta Alpha National Undergraduate Library Science Fraternity was established in 1950 at Northwestern State College of Louisiana, Natchitoches, Louisiana (now Northwestern State University of Louisiana). The Alpha Chapter has been joined by other chapters throughout the United States. Its membership consists of the following categories: Students in institutions with undergraduate library science programs, their alumni counterparts, professional faculty and staff located in these institutions, contributing librarians and interested persons, sustaining members, and honorary members.

Alpha Omega Chapter at South Carolina State College is the first chapter of Alpha Beta Alpha to be established in South Carolina. The chapter is part of the program of the Department of Library Service in the School of Education. Chairman of the Department is Mrs. Bernice Middleton. Her associate is Mrs. Rosie B. Caldwell.

NEW LIBRARY ORIENTATION COURSE AT COLLEGE OF CHARLESTON

The new library orientation course at The College of Charleston, Library 101, is currently under way for the fall semester. Required for all entering Freshmen and transfer students, the course is designed to give students a firm foundation in the use of library materials. The College, offering fifteen sections, has 600 students enrolled in the course for one hour's credit.

Library 101 is unique in that the College of Charleston is the only academic institution in the state with such a program for its students. In the near future, portions of Library 101 will be presented as supplementary material to the classroom lectures and will be offered on audio visual equipment and software. The school's Learning Resources Center will house the auxiliary material. It is hoped that exercises will eventually become computer scored for the students.

For more information concerning the College's library program, including student handbooks of the library and outlines of the course, please contact Ms. Joan Schmelze, Reference Librarian of The College of Charleston.

NEW LIBRARY FOR THE BLIND & PHYSICALLY HANDICAPPED

The South Carolina State Library has opened a Library for the Blind and Physically handicapped which will provide direct library service to more than 3,000 South Carolinians, according to Estellene P. Walker, state librarian.

Prior to the establishment of the Library, South Carolina citizens were served by a Regional Library in Raleigh, North Carolina jointly supported by the North Carolina and South Carolina State Libraries. The move by South Carolina to become an independent organization will mean faster, more efficient service for the patrons in the State who have need of this special service.

The Library will provide services for individuals with visual and physical handicaps who are unable to use conventional reading materials. This includes the blind and partially sighted, the ages, and persons who are handicapped as a result of polio, cerebral palsy, paralysis, etc. Patrons may choose from a selection of general materials, classics, current fiction, non-fiction, and magazines in Talking Book and various other forms.

Located in Columbia, the Library will be headed by James B. Johnson, Jr. From this location, Talking Books (special long-playing records played on special phonographs), tapes in both cassette and reel-to-reel form, and books in large print will be mailed to individual patrons who have registered for the service. There are no charges for these services. Postage is free.

Users of Braille, however, will continue to receive their books from the Regional Library in Raleigh.

Anticipating the creation of the new Library, the State Library began increasing its services to the blind and physically handicapped in 1972. Browsing collections of Talking Books were provided in five county libraries: Anderson, Charleston, Richland, Spartanburg, and Greenville. In addition, grants were given to twelve county library systems to purchase books in large print.

WOFFORD LIBRARY BOOKS ARE 93.33% AVAILABLE

Recently, Professor Robinson of the Mathematics Department arranged to have students in his statistics class make a study of the availability of Wofford College library books. This was a practical problem for the students, and an exercise in using sampling techniques.

Professor Robinson reports the following results of the survey:

"With probability of .9 the percentage of books owned by the library which can be accounted for is between 91.7% and 95%. To put it another way, with probability .9 the percentage of books owned by the library which can be accounted for is 93.33% ± 1.68%. This result was obtained by taking a sample of 60 cards from each of the 10 Dewey Decimal classifications in the self list and determining whether the corresponding book could be accounted for. From the total sample of 600 books, 560 could be accounted for, that is, 93.33% of all books in the sample could be accounted for."

To put this in terms of the library user it means that the chances of your finding the book you want are pretty good. Out of a hundred books the library user will be able to locate 93 or 94 of them. Not quite as good as Ivory soap, but the odds of finding a particular book are in favor of the library user.

Miss Walker stated, "The establishment of this new library resource in South Carolina is a major step by the State to provide a complete and specialized library service to enrich the lives of a segment of the population which unfortunately, can only help themselves in a limited way. We hope eligible people will make great use of this new facility."

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The State Library has introduced an innovative reference service for members of the General Assembly, according to Dr. Carlanna Hendrick of Florence, board chairman.

During all 1974 sessions, a representative of the State Library’s staff will be on the mezzanine in the Capitol building. Any research or reference information that is quickly needed by a legislator or member of his staff can be requested from this professionally-trained librarian.

“It is anticipated that information can be supplied within an hour,” said Dr. Hendrick.

She further pointed out that state statistical information would most likely be in frequent demand and the State Library has major reference holdings in this area of research.

ROBERT SCOTT

In a recent gift collection of books donated to the Robert Scott Small Library of The College of Charleston, ten one-dollar bills were found in James Boswell’s The Life of Samuel Johnson. The book, copyrighted 1807, was in the process of being cataloged when the cash was discovered. Each bill is dated 1935 and is marked as a “silver certificate” to the bearer. A spokesman for a local Charleston bank stated that the bills would be a valuable addition to a collection of coins and currency. According to Ellis Hodgin, director of the library, the money will be returned to the owner of the donated book. The library’s copy of Boswell’s work can now truly be termed a unique “rare book.”

FORMER LIBRARIAN

Mrs. Susan Simonton Padgett, 92, widow of Alonzo Curtis Padgett, died Wednesday in Dorchester County Hospital in Summerville. She lived at the Presbyterian Home in Summerville.

Mrs. Padgett was born in Catoosa County, Ga., daughter of the late Abner Arthur and Margaret Dorcas Johnston Simonton. She was a member of Eau Claire Presbyterian Church, a member of the Women of the Church and a member of the Kings Daughters.
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