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Abstract
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FORMER STATE LIBRARIAN, ESTELLENE P. WALKER, DIES AT 71

Miss Estellene P. Walker, 71, retired South Carolina State Librarian, died on May 15, 1984, in Columbia.

Miss Walker received her undergraduate degree from the University of Tenn. and her B. S. in Library Science from Emory University in 1935. She began her library career at the Lawson-McGhee Library in Knoxville, Tenn., where she served from 1935 until 1941 when she became Post Librarian at Ft. Jackson, South Carolina. During the last year of World War II, she was appointed Materials Supply Librarian with the Army Special Services in the European Theatre of Operations.

In 1946, Miss Walker assumed the position of Executive Secretary of the South Carolina State Library Board (1946-1968) and then of State Library (1968-79). Under her direction, a small public library extension agency grew into the South Carolina State Library which served government, libraries, the blind and physically handicapped, and the general public. Miss Walker established the pattern of unified county library systems and led in the development of county-wide public library service throughout South Carolina. Her steady purpose and creative leadership resulted in a strong program of State Aid for public libraries, a massive increase in the book holdings of local libraries, more professional librarians and better facilities for public libraries, the extension of library service to the blind and physically handicapped, creation of library service in state institutions, and the development of a state-wide interlibrary loan network.

Miss Walker was active in the American, Southeastern, and the South Carolina Library Associations. She served as president of the Association of State Libraries and the South Carolina Library Association. She also served on the South Carolina Committee for the Humanities and served a term as president of the local chapter of the American Association of Retired Persons.

Following her retirement, Miss Walker authored a history of public libraries, SO GOOD AND NECESSARY A WORK: THE PUBLIC LIBRARY IN SOUTH CAROLINA. She received the State Library's Distinguished Service Award in October, 1983.

Miss Walker was listed in WHO'S WHO IN AMERICAN WOMEN and WHO'S WHO IN THE SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST.

PLEASE NOTE: SCLA EXECUTIVE SECRETARY LOU WHITMORE HAS A NEW TELEPHONE NUMBER: 869-3411.
YOU NEED SELA NOW!!!!

Have you decided to let your Southeastern Library Association membership slide this year? Have you never joined? Stop and think again about what you may be missing. SELA is one of the best values around, with regular memberships costing no more than $15.00, the maximum on a sliding scale. For your $4, $6, $9, $12, or $15, you get a wealth of benefits. Among them are:

CONTINUING EDUCATION: Workshops are put on by the various divisions during the biennium.

REGIONAL INFORMATION SHARING AND NETWORKING: Meet and get to know your counterparts all over the Southeast. Find out what they are doing and share your accomplishments.

LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT: SELA offers opportunities for membership involvement through its twelve divisions and twenty-four committees.

AWARD-WINNING JOURNAL: THE SOUTHEASTERN LIBRARIAN was awarded the H. W. Wilson Library Periodical Award for excellence in 1979.

And, to top it all off—OUTSTANDING BIENNIAL CONFERENCES. This fall, SELA meets in beautiful Biloxi, Mississippi, jointly with the Mississippi Library Association, from October 15-20. The conference theme is "Fair Sailing in Biloxi", symbolic of its Gulf Coast Location. Preconferences are planned beginning October 15. The one-man play "Oh Mr. Faulkner, Do You Write?" by John Maxwell will be presented on October 17. The conference program itself is packed. As an added bonus, there will be travel opportunities to nearby New Orleans for the World's Fair. Join now to receive all conference mailings and find out the details. For membership information and conference details, contact:

Southeastern Library Association
P. O. Box 987
Tucker, GA 30084
Phone: 404-939-5080.

NINE PRESSES RECEIVE 1983 SOUTHERN BOOKS COMPETITION AWARD FOR EXCELLENCE

Nine presses in the sunbelt region have been recognized for excellence in publishing of fifteen outstanding books during 1983. The fifteen titles were chosen from one hundred and two submitted entries representing a region as vast as from Arizona to the District of Columbia and from West Virginia to Florida. The criteria for the thirty-first annual contest included the overall aesthetic appeal of the book design, the quality of the presswork, and the craftsmanship in the design and execution of the binding.
The jury consisted of three Philadelphia bookmen: Thomas J. Colaiezzi, Production Manager of Lea and Febiger; Clinton Matlack, National Publishing Company; and Henry Baust, Jr., Retired, F. A. Davis Company. The jurors recently have been associated with the Philadelphia Book Show.

The winning books will be available for display in libraries throughout the region. Contact Stew Lillard, Librarian, Queens College, Charlotte, NC. 28274.

The book A SURVIVAL HANDBOOK FOR THE SCHOOL LIBRARY MEDIA SPECIALIST has been published by Shoe String Press. Authored by Mrs. Betty Martin, former supervisor of library services for the School District of Greenville County, it focuses on the building library media specialist and addresses one of the most pressing personal and professional problems in today's schools: stress and how to cope with it, change and how to adapt to it.
SHARE

A Directory of Feminist Library Workers

In 1984, the Illinois Library Association Social Responsibilities Round Table/Women's Concerns Task Force will be compiling a National SHARE Directory. The directory will attempt to be a comprehensive listing of feminist library workers on a national scale. We encourage the participation of all interested library workers. If you are willing to share your skills, resources, special interests and support for this networking tool, please complete the form below. Thank you.

NAME: ____________________________________________

HOME ADDRESS: ________________________________ WORK ADDRESS: ________________________________

PHONE ( ) ____________________________________________ PHONE ( ) ____________________________________________

TYPE OF LIBRARY (CHECK ONE)

(1) ACADEMIC _____ (2) PUBLIC _____ (3) SCHOOL _____ (4) SPECIAL _____

(5) OTHER (PLEASE SPECIFY) ________________________________

PROFESSIONAL SKILLS AND INTERESTS ________________________________

MEMBERSHIPS/AFFILIATIONS _________________________________________________

HOBBIES _________________________________________________

COMMENTS/OTHER THINGS TO SHARE _________________________________________________

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754-2 California Terrace

Chicago, IL 60657

MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Illinois Library Association/SRRT
Banned Books Week is three years old. The themes of this year's week center around George Orwell's 1984 and the National Security Decision Directive 84 (NSDD 84) that echoes Big Brother's thought control. The NSDD 84 would mandate massive life-time pre-publication review of every public statement of present and former government employees with access to classified information. According to the U. S. General Accounting Office, the directive—which applies to books, articles, lectures, and fiction—currently could affect at least 113,000 people nationwide, and untold numbers in the future. In addition, the directive would permit the head of any federal agency to require all his employees holding security clearances to submit to lie detector tests on a random basis, whenever unauthorized disclosures of classified information were being investigated.

To generate public and press attention for First Amendment concerns, a kit of useful material is available for $8.00. It includes three posters, camera-ready art for ads and bookmarks, display ideas, sample news releases, suggested activities, an annotated "List of Books Some People Consider Dangerous", an annotated "List of Books Challenged or Banned in the U. S. in the Last Year" and a "List of Books Affected by the National Security Decision Directive 84". For further information about kits, contact Judith F. Krug, Director, Office for Intellectual Freedom, ALA, 50 East Huron St., Chicago, ILL. 60611. Telephone: 312-944-6780.

PUBLIC LIBRARY ADMINISTRATORS TO MEET IN HILTON HEAD

The Association of Public Library Administrators of South Carolina will meet during the annual convention of the South Carolina Association of Counties August 16-18 at Hilton Head. In addition to local reports and a business meeting, a program will be presented entitled "Hard Facts About Overdues" by Patsy Hansel, Assistant Director of the Cumberland County Public Library, Fayetteville, N. C., and Robert Burgin, formerly with the Forsyth County Public Library in Winston-Salem, N. C., and currently Lecturer at NC Central University and Doctoral candidate at the UNC School of Library Science.
OPEN LETTER FROM BESSIE B MOORE, VICE CHAIRMAN OF THE NATIONAL COMMISSION ON LIBRARIES AND INFORMATION SCIENCE, TO STATE LIBRARY ASSOCIATIONS.

The National Commission on Libraries and Information Science (NCLIS) has made examination of library and information services to the elderly a priority in its FY 1984 program. NCLIS feels strongly that libraries can be windows of opportunity for the aging. Libraries participating and coordinating with other community agencies can provide informational, educational, recreational and cultural programs that will enhance the later years of an aging population.

There is an unquestioned need for improved library and information services and programs for the elderly in this nation. The older members of our population need information on a wide variety of topics, depending on their state of health, where they live, and how they live. Old children need information on how to manage and care for their old-old parents as well as find information that will help them deal with their own aging process.

NCLIS is concerned that service to the elderly too frequently is equated only with the delivery of books to the homebound or the institutionalized, who form a minority of the aged. Attention to the needs of the majority of the aged is overdue along with appropriate services and programs to meet these needs.

NCLIS and the Administration on Aging are in the process of developing an interagency agreement regarding the delivery of library services and programs to the aging. We are also discussing ways for raising the level of consciousness among legislators, community leaders, service providers and the library/information community about the opportunities that exist for public libraries to provide enhanced services to the nation's elderly.

I have been designated by the Commission as the person to shepherd the Commission's efforts in this program area. In my opinion, decision makers and the aged themselves must have the chance to appreciate the benefits of quality library and information services and programs for the aging. Therefore I need to know about services and programs in your state that have been successful in serving the library/information needs of the elderly. I am particularly interested in programs that are, or have been, the result of coordinated action with area agencies on the aging and/or other organizations or groups serving the aging.

I know it is late, but I would like to ask you to consider having a slot reserved on the program at your next annual conference for a presentation on library and information services to an aging population. If you can, please do so and let us know. Christina Carr Young is our staff member at NCLIS assigned to work with me in this Commission program area. Call her if you need advice on a speaker.

The Commission is counting on state library associations to join us in this effort which is necessary, timely and urgent.

Sincerely,  
Bessie B. Moore, Vice Chairman  
7th & D Streets, S. W., Suite 3122  
Washington, DC 20024
The Conference is sponsored by the United States Association Members of IFLA

The City of the Conference:
Chicago is the second largest city in the United States with a population of more than 3 million. In 1983, the City is celebrating its 150th Anniversary.

The City of Chicago is located on the southwest shore of Lake Michigan and enjoys a geographic position that makes it a transportation hub. O'Hare International Airport offers direct flights to all major cities in Europe, to Central and South America and to the Orient.

Chicago is noted for its architecture; it is the home of the skyscraper and its downtown area (known as the Loop) is a virtual museum of modern American architectural styles. It was the home of such famous architects as Frank Lloyd Wright, Louis Sullivan, Daniel Burnham, and Mies van der Rohe, to name but a few. A magnificent panorama of the plains is visible from the observation deck of the Sears Tower, the world's tallest building.

Chicago is a cultural, academic and commercial center with a fine Art Institute (whose collection of French Impressionist painting is unrivaled), symphony and opera, as well as active theaters. It is the home of five major universities.

In addition to housing two of the host associations, Chicago is also the site of a number of famous libraries such as the Newberry. The Chicago Public Library Cultural Center with its mosaics by Louis C. Tiffany is an outstanding building. The universities also have important libraries, and there are many special libraries such as those of the American Hospital and American Dental Associations.

Shopping is a delight, with large numbers of department and specialty stores, including Chicago's Marshall Field's, whose State Street store also has a major mosaic dome by Tiffany. Chicago is the site of the 1992 World's Fair—in honor of the 500th Anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus.

The Site of the Conference:
The conference activities will take place in a Loop hotel. Public transportation is readily available to all parts of the City, and the Lake Front Parks are a short walk from the hotel area. In August there are free orchestra concerts at night in the Grant Park Band Shell (five blocks from the Hotel).

Participants and Guests:
The Conference is open to all librarians and other interested persons. For accompanying persons a special program of sightseeing and cultural events has been planned.

Registration Fees:
The Registration Fee for Conference Participants has been tentatively fixed at US $175.00, and for accompanying persons at US $150.00. More detailed information concerning application, payment, and final terms will be issued in due course.

Accommodation and Dining Facilities:
Chicago is a major meeting and visitor center, and a wide variety of hotel accommodations will be available to participants, in addition to rooms at the conference hotel. Chicago is noted for its restaurants, which feature a stunning variety of ethnic as well as American dining opportunities in all price ranges.

Passports and Visa:
As a rule, visitors to the United States must be in possession of a valid passport, and entry visas may be necessary from different countries. Please contact the United States Embassy or Consulate in your country of residence for accurate, up-to-date information about visas.

Climate:
In general, the month of August is warm and sunny, with temperatures averaging in the 80s F. (27-30 C.). Being located on the Lake, the temperatures are moderate and the air is fresh and clean. Weather may change rapidly during the summer, and there are often short thunderstorms with heavy rains.

All conference facilities are well air-conditioned, but may be colder than visitors expect. It is usually wise to travel with a jacket or similar covering to ensure comfort in meetings and at restaurants.

Conference Tours:
During the Conference Week, one day will be devoted to study tours of notable libraries and historic sites in Illinois. Chicago's many libraries—public, private, and special—will be open for visitors during the conference for informal scheduled visits.

Pre-Conference Seminar:
The theme of the 1985 pre-Conference Seminar is "Public Libraries." Support for this seminar is being requested from UNESCO.

Special invitations will be issued for this event.

Conference Secretariat:
For further information about the 1985 Conference, please address inquiries to:

IFLA 85 Secretariat
C/o American Library Association
50 East Huron Street
Chicago, Illinois 60611
United States of America
The Executive Board of the South Carolina Library Association met at the South Carolina State Library in Columbia on Saturday, April 28, 1984, at 11:00 a.m. Those present were: Drucie Reeves, David Cohen, Carl Stone, Lou Whitmore, Mary Bull, Tom Marcil, Penny Albright, Robin Deal, Sherre Dryden, Pat Ryckman, Judy Dilts, Linda Allman, Alleene Holland, John Graves, Glen Clayton, Neal Martin, and Michael Kronenfeld.

President Drucie Reeves called the meeting to order. The minutes of the February 11, 1984, meeting were approved after correcting them to show that Neal Martin was present at that meeting.

REPORTS

TREASURER'S REPORT

David Cohen reported that the audit had been successfully completed and a tax return had been prepared. He noted that the format for the treasurer's report had been modified slightly to include a statement of assets, as well as a statement of year-to-date expenditures comparing 1983 to 1984. He pointed out that memberships were running behind those of last year at this time.

EXECUTIVE SECRETARY'S REPORT

Lou Whitmore reported a number of activities, including completion of seven bulk mailings. Memberships for 448 members had been processed.

PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Drucie Reeves reported that the Constitution and Bylaws Committee was working on changes in the method of balloting for officers. She announced that the Interlibrary Loan Protocols Committee would soon begin its work. She recently attended Library Legislative Day in Washington, D.C., along with six others from South Carolina.

FIRST VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Carl Stone requested that each section/round table chair complete a memorandum concerning arrangements for conference speakers and return it to Alleene Holland as soon as possible. He noted that it would be less expensive if sections provided conference speakers with needed equipment rather than using hotel equipment. The Local Arrangements Committee would still make sure that each room was set up properly for programs.

Alleene Holland volunteered to register guest speakers for the conference. She noted that she had information for each section chair regarding Local Arrangement Committee responsibilities and section responsibilities.
Carl reviewed the conference program schedule, adding several items and noting changes needed. He urged everyone to attend conference exhibits.

All general session programs have been set for the conference. These include:
1) Movietonews--computerized access to content of the films;
2) Stuart Forth--Dean of the Library at Penn State University;
3) Ron Kozlowski--new director at Charlotte-Mecklenberg Library.

SECOND VICE-PRESIDENT'S REPORT

Due to illness Lea Walsh could not attend.

SECTION AND ROUND TABLE REPORTS

College and University Section: Tom Marcil announced that the section would be cooperating with other sections to sponsor Herbert S. White at the annual conference.

Public Libraries Section: Penny Albright announced a May 2 workshop on management. She noted that Virginia Baeckler would present a session on the patron's view of the library at the conference.

Special Libraries Section: Robin Deal reported that arrangements had been made for Herbert S. White to speak on "management communications" at the conference. The session will be co-sponsored by the College and University Section, Two-Year College Section, and Archives and Special Collections Round Table.

Two-Year College Section: Sherre Dryden thanked Robin Deal for arranging the joint program at the conference.

Library Administration Section: Pat Ryckman reported that the section's plans for a conference speaker had not been finalized.

Public Services Section: Judy Dilts noted that the Bibliographic Instruction Interest Group had sponsored a successful workshop, "Perspectives on Bibliographic Instruction," for 37 participants on April 6. The Online Users Interest Group will be holding its workshops on May 17 and 18. Representatives from DIALOG, BRS, and SDC had all agreed to speak at the conference program. The section was still planning a program on basic reference for LTAs in mid-July.

Technical Services Section: Linda Allman announced a May 7 workshop: "Coping With the Battered Book." Plans for co-sponsorship of the ALA LAMA two-day institute on management of the online catalog are underway. The institute will be held September 28-29, 1984, at Davis College, USC-Columbia. Registration will be $120 for SCLA members and $145 for others. It will be sponsored by the South Carolina State Library, SCLA, and USC-College of Library and Information Science. Confirmation has been received that there would be no financial responsibility to the co-sponsors if less than 75 persons register. The Continuing Education Committee has agreed to handle local arrangements and cover local expenses. The Technical Services Section will be available to provide assistance.
Drucie Reeves encouraged section chairs to have their vice-chairs begin preparation now for next year's workshops.

Services to Children and Youth in Public and School Libraries (SCYPS): Alleene Holland announced that Eleanora Tate will discuss the film that was adapted from her book, Just an Overnight Guest, at the conference luncheon on Friday, September 14. The section has added 30 members since sending out a membership brochure.

Trustee Section: John Graves reported that he had been encouraging trustees to become SCLA members through a recent mailing. A breakfast meeting is being planned for the conference, featuring Ann Woodward, a library trustee from Atlanta. A regional trustees meeting has been set for May 10 in Dillon. Topics for the meeting include: library automation, alternative funding for libraries, and budget problems in connection with local government agencies.

Archives and Special Collections Round Table: Glen Clayton reported that the group's secretary was conducting a membership drive and that the newsletter would be mailed soon.

GODORT: Neal Martin announced that an issue of the group's newsletter would soon be mailed. He noted that the government documents directory had been completed and distributed by Mary Bull. The tentative conference program will be a visit to the South Carolina Division of Research and Statistical Services in Columbia.

JMRT: In Donna Tolar's absence, Drucie Reeves reported that the group's grant-writing workshop had made a small profit.

STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

Intellectual Freedom Committee: Michael Kronenfeld introduced a proposal to implement an award to a state resident who had made a special contribution to intellectual freedom. The award would be funded by the Social Issues Resources Series, Inc (SIRS), and it would be awarded jointly by SCLA and SCASL. It would include a $500 cash award to the recipient, a $500 cash award for new materials for the library of the recipient's choice, a luncheon or breakfast awards banquet for 20-30 people, and travel expenses for the recipient to the meeting to receive the award. Michael described the procedure involved in determining the recipient each year. He hoped to be able to make the first such award at either the SCLA or SCASL conference this year.

Discussion pointed out that time factors would prohibit sponsoring a separate luncheon for presenting the award at this year's SCLA conference. However, the award could be presented at the conference banquet. The Board unanimously approved the MOTION to pursue implementation of this award.

NEW BUSINESS

The next Executive Board meeting is scheduled for July 27, 1984, at Brookland-Cayce High School.

The meeting was adjourned by President Drucie Reeves at 12:10 p.m.

Submitted by:

Mary R. Bull, Secretary
Are Your Friends Worth Keeping?

YES!

July 23, 1984

Dear SCLA Member:

How much are your friends worth to you? In many communities, Friend of the Library groups - or just plain friends - play a major role in developing and/or sponsoring library programs, campaigning for library referendums, supporting libraries at budget time, sponsoring book sales or volunteering time in school, public, private and academic libraries.

There are always one or two people who deserve special attention or recognition for their devoted service to a particular library and its community. If you have one of these people helping your library, why not show your appreciation by nominating him or her for the 1984 Friend of the Library award? This award is made every year at the annual SCLA Conference banquet.

Keep your old friends and encourage new ones. Send your nominations to the SCLA Publicity and Awards Committee by August 20th, 1984.

The following information should accompany the name of each nominee:

1. Resume: a concise statement of specific contributions of the nominee, demonstrating his/her distinguished service to libraries (no more than two or three typewritten pages).

2. Name, title and address of the person submitting the nomination for consideration.

Send all nominations to:

South Carolina Library Association
Publicity and Awards Committee
c/o Michael R. Leonard, Chairperson
Charleston County Library
404 King Street
Charleston, SC 29403

DON'T DELAY; DO IT TODAY -
AND HAVE GOOD FRIENDS TOMORROW!
COMING EVENTS AND ATTRACTIONS!

JULY 25: Special called meeting of Association of Public Library Administrators (APLA), 10:30 AM, State Library in Columbia. The meeting is to allow APLA members to give their input to the State Library concerning impending decisions about the statewide library network.

JULY 27: SCLA Executive Board Meeting, the Library, Brookland-Cayce High School, Cayce, S. C. Coffee at 10:30 AM, Meeting at 11 AM. For further information contact Drucie Reeves, SCLA President, 791-5000.

SEPT. 13-15: SCLA Annual Conference, Carolina Inn, Columbia. Further information and schedules will be forthcoming.

SEPT. 28-29: Workshop on online catalogs to be held in Columbia. Joint sponsors: SCLA, S. C. State Library, and the USC College of Library and Information Science. Featured speakers: Joe Matthews, an automation consultant, and Charles Hildreth, author of the OCLC online catalog series. The workshop also is sponsored by LAMA division of ALA and will feature demonstrations of systems, will discuss different systems and components, planning and implementation, and the future of online systems. More information will be mailed to SCLA members. Contact: Carol Bradsher, Greenville County Library, 300 College Street, Greenville, SC 29601.
OCTOBER 15-20: SELA Biennial Conference, Biloxi, Mississippi. Additional information to be mailed to SELA members. Contact: Southeastern Library Association, P. O. Box 987, Tucker, GA 30084. Phone: 404-939-5080.


JANUARY 5-10, 1985: ALA Midwinter Conference, Washington, DC.

JULY 6-ll, 1985: ALA Annual Conference, Chicago.

PEOPLE!

FRANK J. ANDERSON retired as Head Librarian at Wofford College in Spartanburg on June 30, 1984. Frank had served Wofford for 18 years and worked in the library profession for 32 years.

OAKLEY HERMAN COBURN succeeds Frank Anderson as the new Head Librarian at Wofford. He was circulation librarian at Wofford from 1972-76 before leaving for Emory University for additional graduate study in English. A 1971 graduate of Transylvania University, Coburn holds an MA degree in library science from the University of Kentucky. Coburn's experience also includes a tenure in the computer-assisted interlibrary loan department at the Woodruff Library of Emory University, teaching introductory English courses at Emory, and publishing and editing poetry and cartoons.

CONGRATULATIONS TO JOHN O'CONNELL, staff artist at Greenville County Library, on having his adaptation of the national library symbol used on the cover of the SCLA Convention programs featured in LIBRARY PR NEWS (Vol. 7, No. 1).

GEORGE NEEDHAM, formerly Adult Services Coordinator at Charleston County Library, is now Director, Fairfield County Library, Lancaster, Ohio.

SUSAN MURPHY began duties June 1 as reference librarian and coordinator of online searching at Dacus Library, Winthrop College. Ms. Murphy received her MSLIS from Catholic University in 1983. She has a BA and M.Ed. from the University of South Carolina. While in Washington, she had internships at the National Cancer Institute and at the JFK Center for the Performing Arts. She has taught in S. C., Florida, And Zimbabwe.
ANURADHA S. ACHAREKAR has been appointed Director of the Edgefield County Library. Mrs. Acharekar received her undergraduate degree and an M. A. in English literature from SNDT Women's Univ. in Bombay, India.

HELEN DEWITT has resigned as Director of the Marion County Library.

RACHEL S. MARTIN, Director of the James B. Duke Library at Furman Univ., will retire on August 31. Ms. Martin joined Furman in 1957 as Reference and Serials Librarian, becoming Associate Librarian in 1972 and Director in 1978.

BEST WISHES TO JANE GARDNER CONNOR and Ken Crim Connor who were married on April 29. Mrs. Connor is the Children's Consultant at the South Carolina State Library.

WOFFORD ADDS 200,000th VOLUME.

James Joyce's FINNEGANS WAKE, a signed and numbered copy, was the 200,000th volume to be added to the Sandor Teszler Library at Wofford. It is one of 10,000 rare books in the library's collection which includes a 15th century manuscript, 25 publications from the 16th century, and some special editions of recently published books. Librarian Frank Anderson said that the Joyce book was published in 1939. There were 425 numbered and signed copies and 300 available for sale in the U. S. FINNEGANS WAKE was acquired from the family of Anthony Morris Clark and presented to the college by an anonymous donor.

PLEASE SEND ANY ANNOUNCEMENTS AND NEWS OF INTEREST TO YOUR FELLOW LIBRARIANS IN SOUTH CAROLINA TO BE INCLUDED IN THE NEXT ISSUE OF NEWS AND VIEWS. Please include the name of your library or organization, the people involved (personnel changes, awards, officers, etc.), announcements of programs, workshops, meetings (including all vital information such as dates, cost, how to register, deadlines, contact person, etc.), and dates to note. Send to:

William C. Cooper, Editor
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Laurens County Library
321 S. Harper St.
Laurens, SC 29360.

THANKS!

The search is on....for HONORARY LIFE MEMBERS! If you have retired from a library position and have been a member of SCIA for the past 10 years, you are eligible for Honorary Life Membership in the South Carolina Library Association. If you are eligible, or if you know of someone who meets these qualifications, please notify SCIA Executive Secretary, Lou Whitmore, P.O. Box 25, Edisto Island, SC 29438, phone: 869-3411 Thanks........