

North Carolina Library Education News

East Carolina University *Department of Library Science*

Since September, committees have been analyzing the competencies identified by the Division of Educational Media, State Department of Public Instruction, necessary for academic preparation of school media coordinators. A team from the Department of Public Instruction is scheduled to be on the East Carolina campus in March to review this project. A self-study is also underway in preparation for a visit from the National Council for Accreditation of Teacher Education on the same date. In November a team representing the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools visited the department.

Winter Quarter began after Thanksgiving with a slightly larger enrollment. A new course, "Media Services in Community Colleges," has the largest enrollment at the graduate level. Consultants from the field are being brought in to lead the discussion on problem areas being faced by media coordinators in technical institutes and community colleges.

The entire curriculum is being revised to make courses much more flexible. Tentative plans, now in committee, will include expansion of the field work course to include observation and practical experience in a type library based on the student's background and aspirations. The course will provide experience for students specializing in college and university, public, special, or school media work.

Plans are also now being refined for summer workshops for 1973. Due to the great success of these last summer, more

will be available in the future. Specialized short-term workshops will include such areas as bibliotherapy, public relations, and collection building.

North Carolina Central University *School of Library Science*

The Parent/Child Project and the field experiences of the Early Childhood Library Specialist Program were highly successful. Consultants who participated were: Bertha Addison, Consultant, Far West Educational Laboratory, Berkeley, California; Harriet Brown, Supervisor, District No. 23, School Libraries, Brooklyn, N. Y., and Board of Advisors, *SESAME STREET* and the *ELECTRIC COMPANY* television series; James Dyer, Association Professor, Department of Education, North Carolina Central University; Ginny Graves, Director, Discovery Series, Johnson County Public Library, Shawnee, Kansas; Robert Gregory, Consultant, State Department of Public Instruction, Television Services, Raleigh, North Carolina; and Della Horton, Parent Coordinator, Demonstration and Research Center for Early Education, George Peabody College for Teachers, Nashville, Tennessee. An Oral Literature Workshop was a summer activity of the Program and was conducted by Mrs. Mary Jo Howard, Associate Director, School Library Department, Viking Press.

A grant of \$39,000 was made by the U. S. Office of Education to renew the Institute for Public Librarians in Service to Young Children for 1972-73. The survey of services in the state will be continued

by Mrs. Sandra Roberson, a 1972 graduate of the Program. Mrs. Lillian White, another 1972 graduate, will be an instructional assistant to Mrs. Tommie M. Young who is Director of the Program.

Grants of \$53,265 for the African-American Materials Project and \$25,000 for the purchase of materials in five of the libraries assures continuation of this work in 1972-73. Miss Geraldine O. Matthews, Associate Director, compiled comprehensive checklists of Black newspapers and periodicals and of authors of pre-1950 imprints by and about Black people.

The Library School Faculty presented a tuition scholarship to a North Carolina resident in 1972-73.

Visiting lecturers during the second semester and summer were: Augusta Baker, Coordinator of Children's Services, New York Public Library; E. J. Josey, Chief, Bureau of Academic and Research Libraries, University of the State of New York; Vivian D. Herwitz, Librarian, Carnegie Endowment for International Peace; and Lillie D. Patterson, Librarian and Author.

A course in Government Publications was initiated in the 1972 fall semester and is being taught by Miss Judith Ganson.

Plans for the renovation and expansion of the library building are progressing and work should begin this school year.

The University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

School of Library Science

Edward G. Holley, Dean of the School of Library Science, has been appointed ALA Representative to the Advisory Council on Research and Publications of the American Revolutionary Bicentennial Commission. In this capacity, the Dean notes that he will be pleased to receive any information, plans, hopes or dreams of libraries for participating in that program. Dean Holley is also a candidate for Vice-President and President-Elect of ALA. The election will be held in the Spring of 1973.

Dr. Doralyn Hickey of the School's faculty is a candidate for Vice-President and President-Elect of the Resources and Technical Services Division of ALA. Another faculty member, Dr. Fred Roper is incoming Chairman of the Medical Library Association's Continuing Education Committee. He will be assisting with the continuing education course presentations at the meeting in Kansas City, May 27-31. Dr. Roper served as moderator of a panel discussion on reference services at the joint conference of SWLA and SELA in New Orleans this Fall. Dr. Ray Carpenter will be the convener for the Research Interest Group of the Association of American Library Schools in Washington, D. C. on January 27, 1973.

The School wishes to announce the appointment of Carol S. Nielsen as Librarian of the Library School Library. She is an energetic worker who includes being an editor of the ALA SRRT Clearinghouse among her activities.

On University Day, October 12, the School of Library Science Alumni Association presented the Library Science Library with portraits of the first director, Louis Round Wilson and former deans Susan Grey Akers and Lucile K. Henderson, under whose leadership the School of Library Science was established and developed from 1931 to 1960.

Most time-consuming of the School's many enterprises this Fall has been participation in the ten-year institutional self study for the Southern Association. Many hours have been spent trying to pull together data and to decide what kind of School we want to be in the next ten years.

A Curriculum Revision Committee was appointed in the Fall and is hard at work at the task of planning major changes in the curriculum which has not been overhauled since 1963. The Committee consists of three students, Steve McCarver, Carol Myers and Susan Brinn; three faculty members, Professors Haynes McMullen, Fred Roper and Doralyn Hickey, chairman; and three practicing librarians, Professor

Cora Paul Bomar, UNC-Greensboro, Miss Elaine Von Oesen, Assistant State Librarian, and Mrs. Norma Royal, Librarian, North Durham Elementary Schools and currently president of the alumni association.

The following visitors will present public lectures this Winter and Spring: (All dates are tentative)

Donald Haynes, State Librarian of Virginia, March 7th;

Duane Webster, Director of the Office of University Library Management Studies of ARL, February 14th; and

Dr. Mary Edna Anders, Director, Southeastern States Cooperative Library Survey, will be the speaker for the annual Alumni Day luncheon on May 5.

The School of Library Science will have four visiting faculty members for the summer terms, 1973. Joining the faculty for the first summer term, May 31-July 6, 1973, will be Dr. Nancy W. Bush, Associate Professor of Library Science, Appalachian State University, to teach children's literature and social science literature; Warren Bird, Associate Director, Duke Medical Center Library, who will teach basic library administration; and Dr. Joe W. Kraus, Director of Libraries, Illinois State University, who will teach the history of books

and printing. Also teaching during the first summer term are regular faculty members Ruth Stone, Dr. Fred Roper, and Dr. Ray Carpenter.

Shirley Aaron, doctoral candidate at Florida State University and former school librarian, will teach children's literature and the organization and administration of the school media center during the second summer term. Regular faculty teaching during the second summer term include Dr. Budd Gambee, Dr. Kenneth D. Shearer, and Dr. Doralyn Hickey.

University of North Carolina at Greensboro

Library Education/Instructional Media Program

Faculty planning during the late fall was focused on a review of competencies specified in the new state guidelines for certification of "school media coordinators" and "school media specialists," and the analysis of course offerings and other program components in relation to these competencies. This analysis provides a base for the development of a proposal for State approval of programs leading to certification in these areas.

Course offerings for the 1973 Summer Session will include several short-term courses as well as three special Institutes related to media. *Design and Production of Audiovisual Materials* (Ed. 562; 3 s.h. credit) will be offered twice, one section meeting Monday - Friday (9:40 a.m. - 12:50 p.m.), June 5-21, and the other meeting Monday - Friday (9:00 a.m.-12:00 noon), July 13-31. *Utilization of Instructional Media* (Ed. 560; 3 s.h. credit) will meet Monday-Friday (9:40 a.m.-12:50 p.m.), June 22-July 11. A new course, *Systematic Development of Instruction* (600's level; 3 s.h. credit), will also be offered in this three-week format, June 5-21 (1:00-4:00 p.m.).

Special media-related Institutes in June 1973 will include *Programmed Instruction* (Ed. 506; 3 s.h. credit), a study of programmed instruction and its role in support

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of individual and diversified instructional practices. Dr. Norman Licht of Bennett College will direct this Institute, designed for teachers and media specialists in technical institutes, community colleges, and secondary schools. *Media and the Humanities* (Ed. 506; 3 s.h. credit), an Institute offered last summer, will be offered again June 4-22, with Dr. Elisabeth Bowles of the University at Greensboro as director. This Institute examines the role of media in supporting interdisciplinary "Humanities" studies in the secondary school, and is designed for secondary school teachers and media specialists. A third Institute, *The Film: Peripheral or Integral to Curriculum Development*, will be offered June 4-9 with Dr. Patricia Arlin of the University at Greensboro as director. The Institute provides opportunity for elementary and secondary school teachers to explore and develop competence in using the film medium.

The Library Education/Instructional Media Program of the University at Greensboro joined with the Guilford Library Club in hosting a reception and seminar for area librarians and students in library education on November 15, 1972, at which Dr. Jesse H. Shera, Dean Emeritus, School of Library Science, Case Western Reserve University, served as speaker on "Library Networks."

Cora Paul Bomar has accepted appointment to the 1973-74 Nominating Committee of the American Library Association. The ALA Committee on Accreditation has invited Miss Bomar to attend the Seminar funded by the J. Morris Jones-World Book Encyclopedia - ALA Goals Award, which will be held at the Center for Continuing Education, University of Chicago, January 12-14, 1973. The purpose of the Seminar is to prepare a group of some forty library educators and practitioners and others knowledgeable about librarianship to serve as members of the Committee on Accreditation Visiting Teams to institutions requesting evaluation of programs under the new *Standards for Accreditation* adopted by the ALA Council in June 1972. Miss Bomar will be committed to serve on an average

of two COA Visiting Teams a year for the next four to five years.

Mary Frances K. Johnson is serving on the Editorial Revision Committee appointed by the American Association of School Librarians and the Association for Educational Communications and Technology to review the preliminary drafts of revised standards for school media programs at the building and district levels (replacing the 1969 *Standards for School Media Programs*) and to prepare a revised document for publication, upon approval of the two associations' boards of directors. Mrs. Johnson served as consultant for a workshop of the School and Children's Section, Georgia Library Association, held December 8-9, 1972, at Callaway Gardens, Pine Mountain, Georgia. Participants in the workshop on "Library/Media Services for all the Children" represented school and public library service to children and young people, as well as library education programs in the state.

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