

North Carolina LIBRARY EDUCATION NEWS

APPALACHIAN STATE UNIVERSITY

Department of Library Science

Visiting faculty members for the summer terms will include Jane Wright, Dr. Purline Yeatts, Mildred Council, Eliza Goode, and Darwin Jones. Among the course offerings will be three two-week workshops: *Children's Literature Workshop* to be taught by Jane Wright June 28-July 9, 1971, *Humanizing the Learning Center* (concerned with the application of the latest psychology to the media center) to be taught by Dr. Purline Yeatts July 12-July 23 and *Two Year College Workshop* to be taught by Mildred Council July 26-August 6.

Representing the Department at the DAVE winter conference in Winston-Salem were Lois McGirt and Mell Busbin. Mayrelee Newman served as a consultant recently to Wright State University in the development of a program of library education at the graduate level. The department was well represented at the Library Education Conference at Pinehurst. As this went to press three members of the Department were planning to attend the ALA tutorial on Automation and School Libraries in Atlanta in February.

EAST CAROLINA UNIVERSITY Department of Library Science

Winter Quarter opened in Greenville with a record enrollment in the Department of Library Science. Many new students were admitted to the recently initiated Master of Library Science degree program. Currently, graduate students are preparing for positions in senior college, junior college, public, and school libraries and in technical institutes. New graduate courses were taught for the first time during the winter quarter and others will be offered in the spring and summer quarters.

The local chapter of Alpha Beta Alpha constructed a gigantic lighted holly wreath for the Joyner Library for the holidays. Plans are now being made for a library careers program for their February meeting. James Gorst is current president of the ECU honorary fraternity.

Faculty members have been devoting a great deal of their time this quarter in the reorganization and structure of present course offerings in the Department. The chairman's Student Advisory Committee has also been helpful in this endeavor. Course names and credits are being changed to more adequately identify the content of both the undergraduate and graduate programs. The Department was

represented at the DAVE conference held at Wake Forest University in January. A noncredit workshop for library aides is also being conducted in Craven County.

Summer schedules are now available. Included among the offerings is a three-week workshop on media for children planned for the primary or elementary teacher, supervisor, or media specialist to investigate current trends and materials for this level. There will be discussions of reading, listening, and viewing patterns as well as an intensive study of story-telling techniques. These credits may be used for certificate renewal or beginning library science certification.

There will also be provided a three-week study of the forms, distribution, care and utilization of all types of federal government publications. Attention will be given to publications of value in all types of libraries or media centers. There will be brief problems in legislative tracing as well as a review of state government publications. Credits may be used for graduate certificate renewal or for graduate degree credit. This workshop will be appropriate for librarians in all types of libraries as well as social science teachers and supervisors. Teachers under contract in North Carolina schools for the next school year may be eligible for reimbursement of tuition for both of these workshops.

NORTH CAROLINA CENTRAL UNIVERSITY

New courses offered during the second semester are *Analysis of Library Operations* and *Subject Analysis of Materials*. Visiting lecturers

scheduled are Milton S. Byam, Dean, School of Library Science, St. John's University and formerly Deputy Directory of the Brooklyn Public Library; and Albert P. Marshall, Librarian, Eastern Michigan University.

Two short courses will be offered during the summer:

June 8-18, *Supervision of Library Systems and Media Centers*, to be taught by Dr. Chow-Loy Tom, School of Librarianship, University of Denver and Mrs. Doris Willingham, IMC Coordinator, Atlanta Public Schools.

June 28-July 10, *African-American Collections* (with emphasis this year upon materials for children), to be taught by Mrs. Augusta Baker, Coordinator of Children's Services, New York Public Library and Mr. Daniel Williams, Archivist, Tuskegee Institute.

UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT CHAPEL HILL

School of Library Science

The School of Library Science regretfully accepted the resignation of Assistant Professor Robert A. Miller at the end of the fall semester in January. A popular and effective faculty member for 15 years, he is now devoting full time to public relations work for the Christian Science Churches of North Carolina, with headquarters in Chapel Hill.

Dr. Doralynn Hickey, Associate Professor, received the honor of being cited as Outstanding Resources in Technical Services Librarian in the Southeast during the recent Southeastern Library Association Conference in Atlanta, Georgia.

THE UNIVERSITY OF NORTH CAROLINA AT GREENSBORO

Library Education Program



From left to right: Dr. Henry M. Brickell, Institute for Educational Development; Mrs. Mary Frances K. Johnson, UNC-G; Mrs. Pauline F. Myrick, Chairman, NCASL; Miss Cora Paul Bomar, UNC-G.

Thirty-five participants representing twenty North Carolina and six Virginia school systems were selected for the Institute for Training in Librarianship (Higher Education Act, Title II-B), conducted part-time (ten Saturdays) in the spring semester, 1971. Visiting lecturers for the Institute include Mary V. Gaver, Professor, Rutgers University; Dr. Richard L. Darling, Dean, School of Library Service, Columbia University; Mae Graham, Assistant Director, Division of Library Development, Maryland State Department of Education; and Mrs. Alice Rusk, Director of Library Services, Baltimore (Maryland) City Schools. UNC-G staff members for the Institute include Mary Frances Johnson (Director) and Cora Paul Bomar. Pauline F. Myrick, Supervisor of Library and Audiovisual Services, Moore County Schools, is a visiting lecturer.

Self-study reports are being compiled in preparation for reevalua-

tion of teacher education programs at the University of North Carolina at Greensboro by NCATE and the State Department of Public Instruction. Visiting committees are scheduled to visit the campus in the fall of 1971.

Mrs. Stella R. Townsend, School Library Specialist, Library Department, Greensboro Public Schools, is serving as visiting instructor, part-time, in the 1971 spring semester and Summer Session, teaching *Organizing Library Collections*.

During the 1971 Summer Session two courses will be offered on a special schedule designed to meet the need for short-term intensive study opportunities. *Utilization of Instructional Media* will be offered June 10-26, and *Design and Production of Audiovisual Materials*, June 28-July 14. In addition to these courses, five courses will be offered in the usual schedule during the first term, June 10-July 14, and six during the second term, July 17-August 20.

Enrollment data were compiled for the *Survey of Library and Information Science Education Programs 1969-71*, conducted by ALA and the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee School of Library and Information Science. In the fall semester 1970-71, enrollments in library education courses represented forty-three graduate degree students, of whom eleven were full-time students, plus four post-master's students and three special students. These figures exclude non-library education majors electing one or more courses in the program. Enrollments have increased in the 1970-71 spring semester in each

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of these categories. Fourteen master's degrees were granted in 1969-70 and twenty-eight candidates are expected to complete degree requirements in 1970-71.

WESTERN CAROLINA UNIVERSITY

Department of Library Science

The Library Science Department sponsored a Visitor's Day on November 18, 1970, and there were 279 off-campus guests in attendance. Our guests included high school librarians, student members of the Western District NCHSLA, county and city library supervisors, and principals.



Mrs. Doris Brown

Following a welcome by Dr. Roy L. Cox, Head of Curriculum and Instruction, a lecture was presented by Mrs. Doris Brown, Consultant for Field Services, North Carolina State Department of Public Instruction, on "The Challenge in Education for the Media Specialist." Mrs. Brown gave many important factors in implementing unified media programs, and she

stressed choosing the media specialist field as a career. There were approximately four hundred people present to hear Mrs. Brown's lecture.

The Library Science Program hosted 265 people for lunch in Brown Cafeteria. Following lunch, the group was given tours of the Library Science and Library facilities.

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The third major speaker was Edward G. Miller, EDL Component Manager, Educational Developer Laboratories, Division of McGraw-Hill, Inc. He reported on the progress of a major performance achievement contract awarded by the Texarkana Local Education Agency to EDL/McGraw-Hill and its two area dealers, Arkansas School Services in Little Rock and Texas Educational Aids of Tyler in Tyler, Texas. Texarkana was the first school system in the United States to contract with a private company to improve education. Mr. Miller reported the instructional programs being used emphasize "individually paced learning through multi-media instruction." All students participating in the project are at least two years below grade level in performance. The program is now in its second year of operation. The original contractor was dropped due to unfavor-

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