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Variety show, alumni speakers on calendar

The third annual variety show, "Anything Goes," was Saturday night, April 12.

Field trips to Indianapolis, Columbus, Ind., and Terre Haute were popular this year. Students visited the Eli Lilly Library, the Indiana State Library, the IU School of Medicine Library, *Star-News* library, Indianapolis Museum of Art, Bartholomew County Public Library and Cummins Engine Information Center in Columbus, the Vigo County Public Library and the Indiana State University Library in Terre Haute.

The student chapter of SLA sponsored a resume writing workshop. Guest experts were Louise Routt, Bureau of Educational Placement, Mary Lockett, faculty member and doctoral candidate, and Sara Laughlin, director of admissions. The focus of the workshop was on specific considerations for successful cover letters and resumes. After a general presentation illustrating resume preparation, opportunity was provided for one-to-one discussion and critique of individual resumes by workshop leaders and faculty.

Charles Davis, Dean, School of Library Science, University of Illinois, spoke on "Mediating the Media" at an open meeting of the student chapter of ASIS.

David Grossman, Midwest Marketing Representative for SDC (ORBIT) spoke on "Breaking into a Career as an On-line Searcher" at a joint meeting of the student chapters of ASIS and SLA.

Larry Cunningham former manager of Information Management, Cummins Engine Company, presented a lecture on "Records Management: Presenting a Case to Upper Management" at the April student chapter of SLA.

Faculty participate in Exchange Day

Library Exchange Day was observed in March in Bloomington, with faculty from the IU Graduate Library School exchanging roles with Monroe County Public Library staff members, many of whom are IU alumni. Shown at the downtown library are (from left) Eva Kiewitt, IU; Marla Gray, Monroe County Library; and library patron, David Green, a graduate student at Indiana.

GLS alumni sponsor Commencement luncheon

1980 graduates were honored at the annual Commencement luncheon and annual meeting of the GLS Alumni Association at 12:30 p.m. Saturday, May 10, State Room East, Indiana Memorial Union.

This year graduate school degrees were awarded in the 10:00 a.m. ceremony and undergraduate degrees in the 3:00 p.m. ceremonies.

The Commencement Day luncheon program included recognition of Bernard Fry, who is retiring as Dean, and Margaret Sheviak, who will retire this month. Ben Speller '65, PhD'73, School of Library Science, North Carolina Central University, Durham, was the luncheon speaker.

Acts from the third annual variety show were repeated. Videotapes of the '79 and '80 shows were shown at the school openhouse after the luncheon meeting.

Following the luncheon, which was co-sponsored by the Graduate Library School Alumni Association, alumni elected new association officers for the 1980-81 year.

The Graduate Library School Alumni Association board of directors voted in February to contribute maps to the IU Alumni Family Camp on Lake Monroe. The maps, which will provide information about the Lake Monroe area, will be framed and on permanent exhibit at the camp.

Five visit White House Conference

Five IU students from the Graduate Library School served as conference associates at a five-day White House Conference on Library and Information Services last November 15-19.

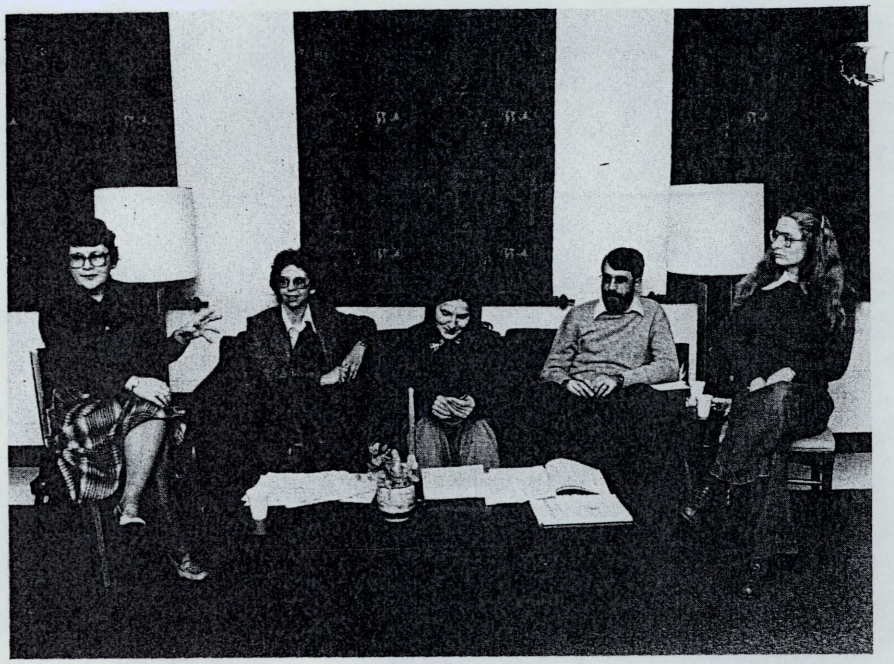
The five, who were among 50 students selected from library schools throughout the country to help with the Washington, D.C., conference, were:

Dianne Albers, Louisville, Ky.; Randi Loescher, Bloomington, Ind.; Jeffrey Matthias, Bordon, Ind.; Margaret Omar, Bloomington, Ill.; and Carolyn Rawles, Sacramento, Calif.

Upon their return from Washington, these students discussed the conference with faculty and students from the library school at an informal "Coffee and Conversation," November 28.

Albers said that while only one-third of the actual delegates to the conference were librarians or information specialists, the lay delegates had close ties with the field. Many of these lay delegates were library trustees or volunteer librarians. Albers said that while working with a delegation of 900 representatives was confusing and difficult to organize, all of the delegates were cooperative and eager to plan the future role of librarians and users in this information age. All five IU students acted as recorders during the delegates' various meetings.

Rawles explained that the large body of delegates was broken down into five workshop areas: "Meeting Personal Needs," "Enhancing Life-Long Learning," "Government and Society," "Helping Organizations and Professions," and "International Cooperation."



Students attending the conference were (from left) Margaret Omar, Randi Loescher, Dianne Albers, Jeffrey Matthias, and Carolyn Rawles.

Representatives from each of these areas later met to author resolutions which "captured the comprehensive spirit of the entire group," Matthias said. He explained that this process was extremely slow, "like rediscovering the wheel," but there was actually very little controversy among the delegates.

Two of the more "innovative" resolutions called for a national library to coordinate and fulfill the information needs to libraries throughout the U.S., and a national law library to distribute collections of current statutes for non-professional use in public libraries.

Featured speakers addressing the conference included President Jimmy Carter; Thomas Galvin, ALA president; Ralph Nader.

Ellis Mount named visiting professor at IU for 1980 Summer Sessions

Dr. Ellis Mount, distinguished librarian in the fields of science, engineering, and technology, will be a visiting member of the IU faculty during the Summer Session of 1980 (June 19th to August 15th). Dr. Mount will teach Literature of Science and Technology (L524) and a section of Information Science and Services (L504).

Dr. Mount is a native of Connersville, Indiana, and holds degrees in physics from Principia College (BS) and Northwestern University (MS). His library degrees are from the University of Illinois School of Library Science (MS, 1950) and the Columbia University School of Library Services (DLS, 1979). He is currently assistant professor of library science at the Columbia School of Library Service. Prior to joining the Columbia faculty, he served as science and engineering librarian for Columbia University from 1964-1977. From 1955 to 1964, he was chief librarian of the ITT Federal Laboratories in Nutley, New Jersey.

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From *Open Entry*

Impressions of IU's MLS program

Dianne Hill Albers and Peggy Omar, students in the Graduate Library School, have given careful consideration to the education they are now receiving at IU, and recently published their impressions of the school's programs in the February issue of Open Entry.

Sponsored by the Graduate Library School Alumni Association, Open Entry *is the GLS student publication. Peggy Omar serves as editor, and Dianne Albers, along with Alice Larkin, Jeff Matthias, Carol Sulanke, and Mark Thomas are staff members. The publication includes book reviews, announcements, student comments, and interviews. Alumni Association Members may be placed on the* Open Entry *mailing list by writing to the Editor at the Graduate Library School.*

My expectations for the MLS program were colored by my absolute lack of experience, except as a user, in any library situation. I came here expecting to learn all those "nitty gritty" things that librarians seem to know. Therefore, it was a bit disconcerting for me to have the instructors in my courses preface their introductory remarks with "the purpose of this course is not to teach you to be catalogers (or information retrieval experts or computer programmers or . . .) but rather to introduce you to the principles underlying those positions." The thought which popped into my mind was "foundations are fine but then what?—how can I build on a foundation when I don't know how to do anything?" This concern over being "trained" intensified when I heard people talk about GLS grads who had gone into positions where they were the only librarian or, indeed, the only staff person in the library. Could I handle that? Was I being prepared for that type of responsibility?

The IU program is providing me with both *theory and practice work.*
—Peggy Omar

I have discovered that these concerns are not uncommon—the debate over whether librarians should be trained or educated is still going on in the literature. After conversing with librarians and with students with library experience, I have come to some degree of acceptance of the program's thrust toward educating me as to the "big picture". After all, each library may do those "nitty gritty" things in different ways. It's more important in that case to know why the task is being done and how that task fits into the overall situation. But I do believe that this theoretical understanding must be firmly tied to actual library experiences through internships, practice work, or other cooperative learning programs between GLS and area libraries. After all, translating theory into practice is the challenge which I will face in my professional career.

Did the program meet my expectations? Well, not my initial expectations—but these expectations have changed since I first enrolled here. I believe that the GLS program is providing me with a sound theoretical framework and, balanced with my practice work experience, is preparing me to cope with my responsibilities as a professional librarian.

Peggy Omar

Now that I think back on it, I can't remember precisely what my expectations were on the MLS program here at IU I do remember that a year ago when I began to "look around," I wanted a program which considered the work, the *raison d'etre,* of the public librarian, in the light of broad societal forces—historical, political, economic, technological. This need came out of problems I saw in my public library experience, so that my intention in going for the MLS was to allow me to be in a better position to shape public library policy in the particular situation in which I would next be working. It was a philosophy I was seeking.

So, am I getting what I expected? That depends—usually on how much I'm willing and/or able to put into the program. I believe that one's success as a student here is directly related to how much one is willing to ask questions, poke around, become involved in this one-year stint. I believe the opportunity is here—reflected in the cohesiveness of purpose and the openness of the faculty and in the chances provided by faculty and staff for exposure to "real world" library experiences through convocations, field trips and the overall very successful effort to keep students informed of, for example, grant possibilities, conferences, study and job opportunities.

I would not hesitate to recommend IU's MLS program to anyone with an interest in librarianship.
—Dianne Albers

I see room for improvement in the area of individual teaching methods. In particular, there is still a need for improvement in the organization of courses, clearly stating the purpose of the methods used, clarifying requirements and recognition of individual biases. Teaching has much to do with personality, and it is up to the student to take an active role in the classroom situation by objecting to what he/she does not like.

I realize that my impressions are affected by the fact that I have goals different from many other students, and that my past library experiences have influenced the extent to which I have benefited from the program. I would not hesitate to recommend the IU MLS program to anyone interested in developing his own potential and expectations in librarianship.

Dianne Hill Albers

Two earn 1980 scholarships

At right, Nancy Hartman of Indianapolis has been awarded a 1979-80 scholarship by the Indiana Library Association and the Indiana Library Trustees Association. Hartman has worked as a librarian for the American United Life Insurance Co., the Marion County Public Library, and Whiteland High School. Below, two other students, Mary A. Miller (left) of St. Clairsville, Ohio, and Sara Amspaugh of Marion, Ind., are H. W. Wilson scholars. Miller is a graduate of Marietta College, and Amspaugh is a Purdue University graduate.

Beta Phi Mu holds annual initiation

Pongsoon Lee, director of libraries and of the library school at Ewha Women's University in Seoul, Korea, was recognized for outstanding service at the annual initiation meeting of the Chi chapter, Beta Phi Mu. With Miss Lee (left) are Elizabeth Solt, 1979 initiate, and Dr. David Kaser, president of the Chi chapter.

ALA Reunions

A continental breakfast had been scheduled at the Hilton Room of the Waldorf Astoria Hotel but because of the costs ($7.50 per person subject to increase), alumni will meet at the Central Park Zoo cafeteria 8 a.m. Monday, June 30. Look for signs in the registration area for an update on the breakfast reunion.

Doctoral graduates and faculty will meet at Julie Nilson's suite, at 5 p.m. July 2. Watch announcement board for hotel and room number.

Ten years ago in the *Alumni Newsletter*

Dennis Ribbens joined the faculty in September.

Enrollment statistics 1969-70: 306 students: 144 masters, 35 Ph.D., 5 special, 1 transient, 70 other grads, 22 seniors, 29 juniors.

Off-campus enrollment of MLS students: Indianapolis 25, Northwest 11.

Indiana University librarians have formed the Indiana University Librarians Association. Lois Heiser is president.

The Association of American Library Schools met at the Indiana Memorial Union in January.

Indiana University will play a key role in the development of the International Nuclear Information service, as provided in a contract awarded the Graduate Library School by the Atomic Energy Commission. Current research in the GLS has its initial objective a study for the improvement of the EURATOM Thesaurus. This project is a first step toward evential establishment of computer convertability between long-standing European traditions of classification systems and thesauri patterns of free terms used in the United States. Miles A. Libbey is principal investigator, assisted by Allan D. Pratt.

GLS has been awarded a research contract to evaluate the Educational Resource Information Center, which is the operating national network in the field of education.

David Kaser, Director of Libraries, Cornell University, spoke at the IU Library dedication ceremony Friday, October 9.

Alumni news: Val Harris is acquisitions librarian at A & T State University, Greensboro, North Carolina.

Douglas D. Oleson is head librarian at Davis and Elkins College, Elkins, W. Va.

Joan M. Benedetti has temporarily retired. She was the decorative arts librarian at the Milwaukee Public Library.

Fred Hanes was elected president of the GLS Alumni Association.

Faculty News

Josefa Abrera was a panelist at the ILA Library Education Division spring meeting.

Marian Armstrong is chairman of the Search and Screen Committee for a new dean. **Allan Pratt, Margaret Sheviak,** and **David Kaser** are also on the committee. Bill Studer, director, Ohio State University Libraries; Carol Olson, Student; and Frank Banta, faculty, IU German department, are non-faculty members.

Bernard Fry presented a paper, "Serials Collection in a Network Environment," at the National Science Foundation's MINITEX Conference.

A Book for a Sixpence, published by Beta Phi Mu, details early American commercial libraries and is **David Kaser's** eighth and newest book. Kaser is also the author of two books on Taiwan, and when he visited that country in December to direct a workshop on planning library services, he received a citation honoring his 20 years of service to the Taiwanese library community. His trip to the National Taiwan Normal University was funded by a grant from the Pacific Cultural Foundation. His previous work in Taiwan was as a Guggenheim Fellow.

Eva Kiewitt spoke to the California Library Association in San Francisco recently. She chaired the committee for the Association for Indiana Media Educators district meeting and was selected district director. Kiewitt is vice chairman/chairman elect, Education and Behaviorial Science Section, ACRI.

Allan Pratt has sabbatical leave this semester to write a textbook on library and information science.

Judy Serebnick is a member of the ALA Resources and Technical Division Education Committee 1980-1982. She spoke about the reference interview at an adult services program of the Indianapolis - Marion County Public Library. "Librarians as Censors" was the title of her speech at the ILA district meeting in Greencastle.

Clay Shepherd spoke about micro computers at the annual AIME conference and at the ILA workshop for small and medium library directors.

Donald E. Thompson, who taught at the Graduate Library School ten summers, received the ILA-ILTA Special Service Award. Thompson was Wabash College Librarian, 1955-1978. He is working on a supplement to the bio-bibliography dictionary, *Indiana Authors and their Books, 1917-1966,* which he edited.

George Whitbeck was chairman of a panel discussion, "Developments and Needs in Library-Media Education in Indiana," at the ILA Library Education Division spring meeting. **Whitbeck, Jean Major,** and **Herbert White** wrote "Funding Support for Research in Librarianship," published in *Advances in Librarianship,* Vol. 9.

Herbert S. White was selected by the University of British Columbia as one of its two visiting scholars for the 1979-80 academic year. White spent a week at the university in February, and presented two campus-wide lectures on aspects of library administration and education for library and information science. In conjunction with his trip to Vancouver, White presented an all-day seminar on computer applications in libraries in Victoria, B.C.; and an all-day seminar on library administration in Regina, Saskatchewan. His article, "Management—A Strategy for Change," was distributed to the 673 delegates to the White House Conference on Libraries last November.

New grads placed

January graduates who have reported their positions to the Dean's office:

Marjorie Berry, Lake County Public Library

Leota Boesen, Visiting Affiliate Librarian, Vocational Educational Information Services, IU

Jeannette Carr, Hammond Public Library

Frances H. Cummingham, University of Virginia, Charlottesville, retrospective conversion project

Wei Juen Feng, Specialist program, GLS

Janie L. Flowers, Indianapolis Public Library

Brenda Grable, Indianapolis — Marion County Public Library

Wong Heng, Singapore

Nancy Kosenka, Serendipity Bookstore, Berkeley, Calif.

Meri Meredith, IU Serials Project

Beth E. Oljace, Anderson Public Library

Carolyn Rawles, Clinton Public Library

Kay Ann Ritchie, University of Arizona, cataloger of Near Eastern materials

Heija Ryoo, Law Librarian of Southern Ill. University

Mary Ellen Schmidt, Danville Public Library (Ind.)

Theodore Thieme, Specialist program GLS

Lee Wetmore, Children's Librarian, Sycamore Branch Public Library of Cinn. and Hamilton Co.

Mei-Hwa Yang, Taiwan

Two alumni visit

Ralph Steinke, '76, Director, Anderson Learning Resources Center, Olney Central College, Olney, Ill., lectured on "The Learning Resources Center in the Community College" in L554. His lecture concerned the challenges, and opportunities in community college libraries.

Loretta Smith Naylor, Madisonville, Community College Librarian, Madesonville, Ky. spoke to the L504 Information Sources class when she was on campus to attend a semiotics conference.

Spring convocations

Robert O'Neil, president, University of Wisconsin, and former vice president, IUB, presented the third annual convocation about "Library Litigation."

Barbara Markuson, INCOLSA director, and Terry Belanger, School of Library Service, Columbia University, were convocation speakers. "Rare Books and Manuscripts in Academic Libraries" was the subject of Belanger's address.

Other convocations during the spring semester included the popular annual panel of recent graduates. This year '79 graduates, Bill Friday, Stone Hills Areas Library Services Authority reference librarian, Tom Bryan, Vigo County Public Library reference librarian, Carolyn Rawles, Clinton (Ind.) Public Library director, Emily Melton, University of Illinois Chicago Circle Campus government publications librarian, and Lynn Connor, Marion County Law Library, Indianapolis, discussed their job searches, their jobs, and how they feel about their preparation for their work.

An invitation to join

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Alumna directs folk art museum library

It's hard to believe that my Advanced Cataloging paper (in 1966) was on the then very tenuous project called "Cataloging-In-Publication." I really thank God for CIP now . . . (but) one thing that has remained unchanged is the basic friendliness and helpfulness of librarians." — Joan Benedetti, AB'58, AM'66

As the sole librarian at the Crafts & Folk Art Museum (CAFAM) in Los Angeles, Joan Benedetti has found an occupation which presents "the hardest work I have ever done in my life — and absolutely the most fascinating."

But librarianship was not always Benedetti's career goal. She received her AB degree in theatre at IU and had hopes of becoming an actress. (She has since married Robert Benedetti, Dean of the Theatre School at CalArts.) While in Bloomington, she took several art history and studio courses, including a studio course

from Alma Eikerman, distinguished professor emeritus of fine arts who was recently honored for her silversmithing by the American Crafts Council. "She taught me the importance of study and of seeing with an open mind," said Benedetti. After a few years out of school, Benedetti returned to IU's Graduate Library School. While working on her AM in library science, she served as the Children Librarian in Gary, and as Decorative Arts Librarian in Milwaukee. But now, "after an eight year hiatus away from the library profes-

sion, two years of which were spent knocking on doors that were pretty much slammed shut here in California even before Proposition 13," Benedetti has found her dream job.

While serving as a volunteer at CAFAM for two years, Benedetti conducted a study and wrote a paper on the establishment of a Media Resource Center for the museum. She has been a full-time staff member since that time, working to transfer her "someday-maybe" space age dreams of a slide collection on video disc into a reality.

When Benedetti first came to the museum, no attempt had been made to transform the library beyond the "bookshelf stage." In addition to crafting a working library that serves the museum staff, Benedetti has established the possibility of craft information resource center for southern California. She also oversees the audio-visual equipment for the museum.

Benedetti is thankful for the helpfulness of other librarians who helped in all of her new endeavors. "In my planning and development of the CAFAM library, I have had to reach out to my colleagues all over the country. In most cases they have not only responded, but have begun exchanges of periodicals, books, and exhibition catalogues . . . and have given me every kind of up-to-date referral information." Betty Jo Irvine, AB'66, MLS'69, slide librarian for the IU Fine Arts library, shared her building plans with Benedetti, who will be using Irvine's book on Slide Library Management in establishing the CAFAM art slide archive.

Benedetti is also grateful for the instruction she received from the GLS faculty: "I guess I did get a pretty good professional training, or I would not have been able to know where to turn for the 'post-graduate' work that I needed to catch up with today's library world."

As if her activities at the CAFAM aren't enough to keep her occupied, Benedetti also serves as chairperson of the southern California chapter of the Art Library Society of North America (ARLIS/NA). The southern California chapter has about 100 members, representing art librarians from museums, colleges and universities, public libraries, and private collections. Art book dealers and other visual resource professionals are also members, Benedetti said. The latest in ideas in art information dissemination are available through ARLIS, and Benedetti is the means by which the new technologies come to the CAFAM library.

"ARLIS did not exist when I graduated in 1966," she said. "But then, neither did a lot of things we take for granted now."

Where in the world are you?

The Graduate Library School and its alumni association have a continuing need for information about alumni. Please fill out the form below and send it to Alumni Records, IMU M-17, Bloomington, Ind. 47405.

Name _____

Address _____

IU degree(s) and date(s) _____

Current position (How long?) _____

News (family, job, professional activities, community activities, recognitions, etc.)

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Alumni News

Emeritus

After 30 years of service as librarian at Southern Union Junior College in Wadley, Alabama, **Vera Van Cleave,** AB'25, remains active during her retirement. She teaches private piano lessons and is active in her church music program.

1950s

Rosemary Kaiser Canwright, AB'58, is a cataloger at the Westchester Public Library in Chesterton.

Ruth Lathom Dorrel, AM'58, now serves as the director of the St. Paul, Indiana, county historical indexing project of the Indiana Historical Society.

1960s

Ralze W. Dorr, AM'62, is associate professor of library science and the library planning office at the University of Louisville. Dorr serves as consultant for the new central university library, new law library, and new music library. The U of L plans to convert the existing central library building for use as a sciences library and university archives.

Carl F. Braun, AM'66, now serves as social sciences department head and business/economics bibliographer at the Syracuse University Libraries. He was promoted to department head after less than a year at Syracuse.

Rebecca Dixon, MLS'67, was selected as a Council on Library Resources Academic Library Management Intern for 1979-80. Dixon was head librarian at IU's Institute for Sex Research until 1975. She directs the library services division of the Center for the Study of Youth Development in Boystown, Nebraska.

Karen H. Momenee, MLS'68, PhD'79, is an assistant professor of library science at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. She will teach computer applications to library/information problems and special librarianship.

Rebecca Bingham, BS'50, MLS'69, continues to direct library media services for the Jefferson (Ky.) County Public Schools and is serving as president of the American Association of School Librarians.

1970s

Earny Hotard, MM'59, MLS'70, associate librarian, Nicholls State University, Thibodaux, La., is library consultant, South Central Planning and Development Commission.

Terry Connan, MLS'70, is chief librarian, serials department, Cecil H. Green Library, Stanford University Libraries.

Anita Hall Danigelis, AB'70, MLS'71, is a librarian at the Pierson Library in Shelburne, Vermont.

Michael H. Harris, MLS'71, University of Kentucky College of Library Science, spoke at an IU Friday afternoon seminar on "Paradigm Lost: Eclecticism to Chaos in Library Research." He also discussed "Women in Librarianship" in Mary Lockett's management class.

Christine Lothman Stevens, MLS'71, is reference librarian at the IU School of Law in Indianapolis. She chaired the Model Bibliography Committee of the Ohio Regional Assoc. of Law Libraries producing the 1979 Model Bibliography of legal materials for the states of Ohio, Indiana, Kentucky, and Michigan.

James Greaves, MLS'72, and **Alice Tischler,** MLS'71, have formed a Bloomington research firm, Specialists in Information Resources.

Mary Alice Hunt, MLS'73, is president of the international library science honorary, Beta Phi Mu.

Stephen A. Kershner, MLS'73, is director of libraries, Geauga County Public Library, Chardon, Ohio.

Dan Fast, MLS'74, is coordinator, Stone Hills Area Library Services Authority, Spencer, Ind.

Michele Reiling, MLS'74, has returned to the General Reference Unit of the University of Missouri-Columbia Library after one year's leave to complete an MA in Italian at the Middlebury College Center in Florence, Italy.

Christine Shama, MLS'74, directs the Columbus Regional Information Service, an affiliate of the Columbus area Chamber of Commerce.

Sharon Wiseman, MLS'74, is a library consultant with the Indiana State Library Extension Division.

Merlin Whiteman, MLS'74, is the readers service librarian at the IU School of Law-Indianapolis.

Martha Louise Miller Boesch, MLS'75, manages the Griffith Resource Library of the American College of Cardiology, Bethesda, Md.

Robert Goehlert, MLS'75, political science librarian at IU, is a member at large, Law and Political Science Section, ACRL. Goehlert discussed "Getting into Print" as a SLIS coffee and conversation for IU students and faculty.

Robert Ibach, Jr., MLS'75, directs the Billy Graham Center, Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill.

Duane Johnson, MLS'75, teaches library science at the University of Northern Iowa in Cedar Falls.

Cynthia Swaine, MS'73, MLS'75, has been promoted to Library Instruction Librarian at Old Dominion University in Norfolk, Va. She has recently published articles in *RQ* and *Southeastern Librarian,* and serves on the membership committee on the Virginia Library.

Donald E. Baker, AB'66, AM'68, MLS'76, of Evansville's Willard Library, served as project director for "Evansville: A Moment of Our Time," which aired on WNIN-TV and was made possible by a grant from the Indiana Committee for the Humanities.

A recent issue of *American Libraries* profiles **Cheryl Anne Metoyer-Duran,** PhD'76, assistant professor at UCLA's graduate library school. She has edited the *American Indian Libraries Newsletter* for three years, and continues to work toward the improvement of materials and services for Native American communities. She represented other American Indiana librarians at the White House Conference on Libraries and Information Services last fall.

Josephine Zukiewicz Kibbee, MLS'76, is the new librarian in the media resources center at Western Kentucky University. Her husband, **Douglas Alan Kibbee,** AM'75, is an assistant professor of foreign languages at WKU.

Michael Lunsford, BS'70, MLS'76, EdS'78, is the audiovisual specialist at the Home Hospital in Lafayette. He and his wife, **Patty Lunsford,** MLS'76, have returned to live in Indianapolis.

Suzanne M. Smith, AB'74, MLS'76, is the media director of North Vernon Jr. High School in Columbus, Ind. She serves as vice president of the Bartholomew Consolidated School Corp. Board.

Crystal Graham, AM'77, MLS'77, is the serials librarian at New York University and is the co-author of the *Latin American Studies Research Guide.*

Dominic Saccone, MLS'77, is a librarian in the Government Printing Office.

Jennifer Thompson, MLS'77, is librarian, Chillicothe and Ross County (Ohio) Public Library.

Antoinette Walder, MLS'77, is head of acquisitions for Xavier University in Cincinnati.

Pat Wilkinson, MLS'77, is documents and maps librarian, University of Northern Iowa.

Leticia Ekhaml, MLS'78, is editor of the *NEMA News,* newsletter of the Nebraska Educational Media Association.

Miriam Joseph, MLS'78, is reference librarian with the rank of instructor at St. Louis University.

Susan Kinne, MLS'78, is children's librarian in the Riley Room of the Indianapolis Marion County Public Library.

Jane Snider, MLS'78, of the Herron School of Arts Library, is vice chairman/chairman elect of the art section, American College Research Libraries.

Ieva Straatman, MLS'78, is librarian at South Wayne Jr. High School, Indianapolis.

Jeff Weber, MLS'78, now works at Zeitlin & Ver Brugge Booksellers, specialists in rare and antiquarian books in the history of science and medicine. Jeff lives in Culver City, Calif.

Karen Garmater, BS'77, MLS'79, now supervises the Lincoln National Life Insurance Company's Information Resource Center on Data Processing.

Ruth Hans, MLS'79, is the assistant head of the extension department of the Akron-Summit County Public Library.

Becky Helm, MLS'79, is reference librarian, Marion Public Library.

Frank N. Owings, Jr., AB'71, MLS'79, is corporate services manager for the Service Supply Co. of Indianapolis. His *The Keats Library: A Descriptive Catalog* was published in 1978.

Sheviak honored with symposium

Margaret Sheviak, Professor in the Graduate Library School at Indiana University, was honored April 3 with a Symposium on "Issues and Trends in Children's Literature," held in the Graduate Library School Auditorium.

Miss Sheviak will retire from teaching this month. For 18 years she was Children's Librarian at the LaPorte, Indiana Public Library. During those years, she also completed an AB in 1957, Phi Beta Kappa, and an AM in 1958, both at IU.

She was Coordinator of Children's Services at the Louisville Free Public Library before returning in 1959 to IU to teach children's literature and services in the Graduate Library School. She has inspired hundreds of children's librarians, guided numerous dissertations, and traveled widely lecturing. In 1974 she won a Distinguished Teaching Award from Indiana University. The Graduate Library School Alumni honored her with the Louise Maxwell Award for Distinguished Service in 1979.

Speakers at the Symposium April 3 were:

Mrs. Barbara Miller, retired Coordinator of Children's Services at the Louisville Free Public Library,

Mrs. Harriet Bard, Director, Morrison-Reeves Public Library Richmond, Indiana,

Mrs. Ginny Richey, Head, Children's Department, Monroe County Library, Bloomington, Indiana.

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