an adequate supply of magazines and records. The spirit of a library is a reflection of the man in charge. The good librarian is one who loves his books and his readers and makes it as easy as possible to bring them together. He reads books as well as handles them.

The second speaker, Mr. A. J. Petch (Jeremy North) of Durham, North Carolina, is a member of the American Antiquarian Booksellers Association. Of all trades that of antiquarian book seller is most firmly rooted in the past Mr. Petch stated. Although the literature on the subject is scarce, the excerpts read from a text of 1774 are relevant even to the present. In answering the question of how to be selective the speaker said that 20 per cent of books issued form the book stock of the dealer in old books. Finding, buying, stocking and making available to potential users at as low a price as possible is the business of such a dealer.*

During the brief business session, dispensing with reading of the minutes, the proposed By-Laws were adopted for the section. The report of the nominating committee, composed of Dr. Benjamin Powell, Miss Elizabeth Walker and Mr. William L. Eury, was presented by the chairman. The following slate was elected by acclamation: chairman, Dr. Andrew Horn, librarian of the University of North Carolina; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Spears Hicks, reference librarian of Woman's College, Duke University; chairman-elect, Mrs. Lilian Buchanan, Western Carolina College, Cullowhee; directors, Mrs. Oma U. Johnson, librarian, Elon College and Dr. Benjamin Smith, librarian of North Carolina College, Durham.

The group was joined at 1 p.m. for luncheon in the ballroom by the sections of Special Libraries, School and Children's Libraries and Junior College Libraries. At this time the three living founders of the North Carolina Library Association were given recognition. They were Mr. Robert Douglas, Mr. Louis R. Wilson and Miss Annie Petry, unable to be present because of a broken ankle. A silver letter opener was presented each of the founders. Other guests were Mrs. Douglas and Mr. and Mrs. Petch. Following the luncheon Miss Nora Beust spoke on "Experiences of an Educational Consultant in Korea."

Virginia F. Barnes,
Secretary

JUNIOR COLLEGE SECTION
MRS. HARLAN C. BROWN, CHAIRMAN

The Junior College Section of the North Carolina Library Association met on Friday, October 21, 1955, at 2:30 p.m., in room 202, at the Sheraton Hotel, in High Point. Fifteen persons were present, including seven junior college librarians.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Harlan C. Brown, chairman. An announcement soliciting volunteer speakers for the librarian recruitment program was made by Miss Elizabeth Walker.

The chairman gave the order of procedure to be the program, followed by the business session, and forthwith introduced the first speaker, Mr. Kenneth McIntyre, director of the Bureau of Visual Education, Extension Division, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill, N.C., who spoke on "Organizing an Audio-Visual Center in the Library." Opening with the national trends as presented at the pre-conference institute.

*The full text of this address is printed in this issue.
at the A.L.A. meeting in Philadelphia, July 3, 1955, Mr. McIntyre gave a summary of the article in *College and Research Libraries*, underlining the necessity for coordination and cooperation between the librarian and the audiovisual specialist. He also touched on the role of the library in the junior college, defining therein the latter institution; the cataloging of audio-visual material, including the use of colored cards and separate audio-visual listings in the card catalog; and stressing the necessity of faculty cooperation and coordination. The steps in organizing an audio-visual department were given as

(1) making an audio-visual survey of the campus;
(2) appointing a faculty audio-visual committee, or, in a small college, combining this committee with the faculty library committee;
(3) analyzing the survey with the committee;
(4) expanding the audio-visual holdings with requests from the faculty;
(5) setting up administrative procedure for cataloging and housing the material.

Mr. McIntyre stressed the importance of the library’s having every piece of reference material available on the sources of 16mm films, 35mm filmstrips; recordings; equipment; and accessories; mentioning particularly the H. W. Wilson Company’s *Education Film Guide* and *Education Filmstrip Guide* (both sold on a service basis); and the Educators Progress Service series; *Educator’s Guide to Free Films, Educator’s Guide to Free Filmstrips*, and *Educator’s Guide to Free Curriculum Material*. In conclusion Mr. McIntyre mentioned in detail the services of the Bureau of Visual Education. Questions were asked by the members, and an informative discussion on audio-visual matters followed.

Because of pressure of time, the second speech, “Important Events and Trends in the Junior College Library World,” by Elizabeth Shepard, was not given, but Miss Cowan kindly offered to have the speech mimeographed and sent to each junior college librarian in the state.

The section proceeded directly to the business session. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Mrs. Brown introduced the new members of the Junior College Section.

A debt of gratitude was expressed by the chairman on behalf of the Section to Miss Daisy Anderson who served as secretary during the past biennium. Appreciation was also expressed to Miss Bessie Mae Cowan who acted as hostess during the conference and to Miss Elizabeth Shepard who served as secretary pro tem.

The matter of either continuing or disbanding the Section was then presented by the chair, with a discussion ensuing of membership potentiality and possible courses of action open. It was moved and seconded that the Junior College Section be disbanded; that the Executive Committee be petitioned for re-admission to the College and University Libraries Section, with the request that a Junior College Committee be formed therein; and that the junior college librarians continue to meet informally as a group at each biennial meeting of the Association. The motion was unanimously passed.

Miss DeShong moved and Miss Motley seconded the motion that the petition above-mentioned include the request that Mrs. Harlan C. Brown be appointed to act as chairman of the Junior College Committee. This motion was unanimously passed.

Elizabeth Shepard,
Secretary Pro Tem