

# North Carolina Library Education News

## **Appalachian State University**

### **Department of Educational Media**

Susan Plate will be leaving ASU to start her Doctoral work in Curriculum and Instruction. She will be starting her work this fall at N.C. State in Raleigh while continuing to minor in Library Science by taking courses at UNC-Chapel Hill.

Ms. Plate authored "Accountability and the School Media Center Director" which appeared in the Spring issue of the *Southeastern Librarian*. Her "Comment on" the article "Continuing Education: Carrot or Stick?" by Barbara Conroy was printed in the March issue of *Catholic Library World*.

The Mainly Media Club sponsored by Ms. Plate was very active during the Spring Semester. The students participated in the annual Language Arts Festival sponsored by Ms. Beulah Campbell. Books were sold as part of the May Day-Play Day campus festival. Club members also participated in the planning and preparation for the Mainstreaming Conference.

Plans were drawn up for a Departmental trip to Washington, D.C. Any Educational Media student interested in participating should notify the Club as a waiting list has been started. Participants will be staying at the Appalachian House and travel will be in ASU vans. The Ap-

palachian House is reserved for Sept. 21, 22, 23 and 24.

The final meeting was held at Ms. Plate's house. New officers were elected and those elected were: Robin Polk (Charlotte), President; Kim Johnson (Eden), Vice President; Sarach Schug (Charlotte), Secretary-Treasurer.

Dr. Alice Naylor's article "Mirror, Mirror on the Wall, What is the Favorite Goal of All: Perception of OLA Goals by its Members" appeared in the April issue of the *Ohio Library Association Bulletin*.

She also participated in Storytelling Festival for the teachers and librarians in the Charlotte-Mecklenburg school district during June.

As part of the Student Teaching program directed by Dr. Naylor the following students visited Raleigh during March: Irene Gabe, Cathy Garland, Diane Hubbard, Susan Sands, Kim Smith and Janice Wright. The students attended the Educational Media Association Conference at the Royal Villa, visited Ravenscroft School and the Instructional Materials Center.

In April the following Supervising Teachers came to ASU: Charlotte Elliot, Northwest High School, Warrensville; Ethel Jacobsen, A.C. Reynolds High School, Asheville; Betty Davis, Owens High School, Swannanoa; Cecilia Denning, Hardin Park Elem., Boone; Ms. Steve Dally, Cove Creek Elem., Sugar Grove;

Mary T. Padgett, Media Coordinator, Caldwell County School; Elizabeth Poer, Baton Elem., Granite Falls; Mrs. Ila T. Justice, ASU and Susan Plate, ASU. A luncheon meeting was held at which problems related to Student Teaching were discussed. The Supervising Teachers were invited to participate in the Language Arts Festival.

Student Teachers assigned to the Fall Semester are: Deann Bradshaw, Allyson Fitzpatrick, Joan Gransee, Susan McBryde, Jeanne McRary, Paula Moss, Teresa Palmer, Cecil Reid, Betsy Roberts, Kathy Russell and Melony Winkleman.

The Eunice Query Scholarship Award was split between Gayle Alston and Jeanne McRary. This announcement was made via the Alumni letter in February.

Dr. Joleen Bock and Dr. Naylor were speakers at the Learning Resources Association meeting March 15-16 in Greensboro. Dr. Naylor conducted a workshop on the role of paraprofessionals in the LRC. Dr. Bock spoke about personal management to the LRC directors.

The Computer Applications class travelled to Washington, D.C. in May under the sponsorship of Dr. Bock. They stayed at the Appalachian House and visited the Library of Congress, the National Library of Medicine and the National Agriculture Library. In addition, they spent some time at the various museums of the Smithsonian Institution.

Mrs. Ila T. Justice and Susan Plate conducted a workshop for the elementary teachers, principals and media coordinators in the Rutherford County Schools during April. Their presentation was entitled "Reading and the Media Center: Bringing Children and Books Together" and their discussion dealt with enrichment

of teaching through the use of materials in school media centers.

Dr. Jeff Fletcher was a speaker at the North Carolina School Public Relations Association in April at Nag's Head. His topic dealt with photography for P-R people and how to put together slide-sound presentations.

Dr. Fletcher also did a presentation at the Mainstreaming Conference held at ASU in May, dealing with the adaptation of A-V materials for exceptional children.

"Mainstreaming: Its Impact on the School Media Center" was the focus of a workshop sponsored by the Educational Media Department in May. Among the speakers were Dr. James Tompkins, ASU, Special Education Dept.; Mrs. M.G. Fancher-Beeler, Librarian, Sunland Training Center, Miami, Fla.; Dr. Richard Stahl, ASU, Special Education Dept.; Dr. Hughes Moir, Professor of Elementary Education, University of Toledo; Carol Lewis and Sue Scott, Division of Educational Media, State Dept. of Public Instruction and Bobbye Draughon, Division for Exceptional Children, Northwest Regional Educational Center, North Wilkesboro. The conference was attended by more than 70 Media Coordinators and Special Educators from all over the state.

A workshop, conducted by Uri Shulevitz, winner of the 1969 Caldecott Medal, was held in July. It combined writing and illustration, exploring original visual approaches to writing especially designed for the picturebook genre. Instruction and discussion included sequence and story structure, continuity, flow, words and picture relation, dummy story board, color separation, pictorial reference material, publication possibilities and presenting an idea to a publisher. Other visiting lecturers in-

cluded author/artist Steven Kellog and Sandra Jordan, Editor-in-chief, Farrar Publishing Company.

Mr. Joseph Murphy announces the New River Mixed Media Gathering. The festival is open to all amateur, non-theatrical films, videotapes and slide-tape programs produced since January 1, 1977 by a resident of North Carolina, South Carolina, Virginia, Kentucky or Tennessee. An entry blank and a five dollar entry fee must accompany each program entered. All entries will be divided into age groups and categories. Age groups are seventeen and below and eighteen and above. Formats are 1) Videotape 2) Super-8 3) Slide-Tape. Cash awards will be given to the 1st and 2nd prize winners for each category in each of the two age groups. Entries *must* be received by September 15, 1978. For further information contact: Joseph R. Murphy, P.O. Box 5000, Appalachian State University, Boone, NC 28608.

### **East Carolina University** **Department of Library Science**

The chairman of the ECU Department of Library Science, Dr. Gene D. Lanier, announced that Dr. Eugene A. Brunelle, Director of Library Services, has been appointed as adjunct professor of library science in the Department.

Dr. Brunelle came to East Carolina University in 1976 and will hold this new appointment concurrently with his present one. He has twenty-five years of experience in library and bibliographic work, teaching, research, student advisement, editorial work, and library administration. This he will share with the students in library science and participate in the program on a part-time basis.

Brunelle holds degrees from Harvard, Simmons, California-Berkeley, and New York Universities. He has had library experience at Harvard, Newark Public Library, Northeastern University, University of California-Berkeley, and SUNY College at Buffalo. Prior to coming to East Carolina he served as Professor of English and Director of Instructional Resources at St. Mary's College of Maryland. He was founding editor of the *Journal of Creative Behavior*.

Chairman Lanier indicated that the Department was fortunate to have someone of Dr. Brunelle's background and experience participate in the library science program and he looked forward to working with him.

Alpha Eta Chapter of Alpha Beta Alpha in the ECU Department of Library Science held their Spring Awards Banquet. Ludi W. Johnson, Assistant Professor, is advisor for the honorary fraternity.

Highlighting the night's activities was the recognition of outstanding students in the fraternity and Department. Dr. Gene D. Lanier, Chairman of the Department of Library Science, served as master of ceremonies and helped in the awards ceremony.

Sarah Lynn Earnhardt, a senior of Mooresville, N.C., was recognized as the Departmental representative during Women's Awareness Week.

Selected as the outstanding senior in the Department of Library Science for the 1977-78 school year was Doris Dianne Catlett of Washington, N.C.

Sharon Horn of Moorestown, New Jersey was voted the outstanding Member of ABA by her colleagues and received the plaque with her name engraved on it as Outstanding ABA Member for 1977.

Recipient of the Mildred Daniels Southwick Scholarship Award was Sallie Ann Chauncey of Washington, North

Carolina. She received the Master of Library Science degree in the spring and has been employed in the learning resources center at Beaufort County Technical Institute. She was chosen by a faculty committee based on her exceptional credentials in terms of academic achievement and outstanding potential in the reference area of library science. The Southwick Award was established last year by Dr. Mildred D. Southwick, Professor Emeritus, Division of Library Services, ECU, in memory of her parents. Dr. Southwick was a guest at the banquet for the presentation.

Two new faculty members have been chosen to join the faculty in the Department of Library Science Fall, 1978. Dr. William C. Buchanan comes to East Carolina from the University of Central Arkansas where he was assistant professor of library science and educational media. He holds degrees from Belmont College, Middle Tennessee State University, and Louisiana State University. In addition to his teaching, he has had library experiences in schools, junior colleges, community colleges, and senior universities.

Dr. Carol J. Veitch, assistant professor of library science at Murray State University, comes to East Carolina in the area of children and young people's literature. With degrees from Clarion State College and the University of Pittsburgh, she brings to the faculty experiences as a school media coordinator and a special librarian. Dr. Buchanan is a native of Tennessee and Dr. Veitch was born in Pennsylvania.

### **North Carolina Central University School of Library Science**

Alumni Day is scheduled for September 30 and the continuing education seg-

ment will be devoted to distributed data processing for libraries.

A grant totaling \$57,050 was received from the U.S. Office of Education for five graduate and five undergraduate students. The five undergraduates, who are to be juniors in selected colleges, will be brought to the School during the summer of 1979 for a special introduction to librarianship.

During the April trip to Washington students and five faculty members participated in Legislative Day then visited the District of Columbia Public Library, the Associates for Renewal in Education, the Library of Congress, the Government Printing Office and the Depository Library.

Alice Hill, a student in the Early Childhood Library Specialist Program, was selected to represent the School at a Workshop for Training Library Specialists for Multi-Ethnic Heritage Programs at Atlanta University.

Selected original works of Tom Feelings were exhibited in the University's Art Museum during National Library Week. These framed illustrations are from the William Tucker Collection of Black authors and illustrators of children's materials.

Effie Lee Morris, formerly Coordinator of Children's Services, San Francisco Public Library and Mollie Huston Lee, formerly Librarian, Richard B. Harrison Library, have announced that they will contribute to an effort that the School is making to preserve the papers of Black librarians. Others are expected to participate and interested persons are invited to contact Dean Phinazee.

India D. Powell has been selected by the Faculty to be the School's 1978/79 intern at the U.S. Department of Labor Library.

Benjamin Speller delivered the Carrie M. Robinson Lecture at the Alabama A & M University School of Library Media in April. Miriam G. Ricks

participated on a panel during the Study Conference of the Association for Childhood Education International in Charlotte in March. Grady Morein presented a paper at the Annual Conference of the North Central Regional Accrediting Association. As Chair of the ALA Standing Committee on Library Education, Annette L. Phinazee participated in the meeting in Washington in April to get SCOLE organized.

MIRIAM G. RICKS, Assistant Professor of Library Science and Director of the Early Learning Center of North Carolina Central University, was a participant on a panel during the Study Conference of the Association for Childhood Education International held in the Sheraton Center, in Charlotte, March 29. She discussed the role of librarians in motivating and in assisting parents in providing constructive learning experiences for their children.

The involvement of parents has been recognized as essential in educating children. Librarians can play an important role in preparing preschoolers for reading readiness, and in getting parents to participate. An increasing number of public libraries are experimenting with this important aspect of community service.

The North Carolina Central University Early Childhood Learning Specialist Program was initiated in recognition of this fact in 1971. Miss Ricks has concentrated upon working with parents in the early learning centers at NCCU and at the Stanford L. Warren Branch of the Durham County Library. Parent aides were recruited so that they could learn while they assisted librarians. Special lectures, demonstrations, and programs have been presented in the centers for parents and for persons who work with them.

Funds for these activities, for the two

early learning centers, and for fellowships to educate librarians were provided by the Carnegie and Xerox Corporations, the Z. Smith Reynolds Foundation, and the U.S. Office of Education.

## Grants to be Awarded

The North Carolina Central University School of Library Science is making a special effort to admit qualified minority group persons who will earn a master's degree. Five fellowships will carry stipends of approximately \$3000 for the academic year plus one summer and will pay tuition and fees.

The School's entrance requirements include:

- (1) A bachelor's degree from an approved college or university.
- (2) An undergraduate grade point average of at least 2.7 for the last sixty hours.
- (3) Completion of at least 90 semester hours of liberal arts courses.
- (4) Two recommendations.
- (5) A completed application blank.

College graduates who majored in modern foreign languages or in natural science are especially encouraged to apply. Persons who are interested in computer science are also being sought.

## University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill

*School of Library Science*

MARGARET ELLEN KALP, 63,  
associate professor emeritus of the



School of Library Science at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, died suddenly April 26 at North Carolina Memorial Hospital.

Funeral services were held April 30 at Walker's Funeral Home. Burial was at the Kalp family plot in Mount Pleasant, Pa.

An authority on school librarianship, Miss Kalp joined the school's faculty in 1947 and worked in the creation of the master of library science degree program and, more recently, in the establishment of the doctoral program. She served as acting dean from 1964 until 1967 and was made assistant dean in 1973. She retired in May 1977.

Dr. Edward G. Holley, dean of the School of Library Science, said: "In every social institution there are individuals whose lives seem to reflect the institution or whose personalities seem to influence significantly its character. Miss Kalp was one of those individuals. For 30 years she served the profession of librarianship and the School of Library Science with a ready smile, a quiet competence and a loyalty which demanded, at times, undertaking tasks she personally disliked. We shall all miss her friendly interest in our own personal and professional well being as well as the encouragement she always brought to the school's faculty and students."

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*The majority of school librarians who graduated from UNC-CH completed their master's papers under Miss Kalp's direction and many of them were her advisees. She was a consultant to the N.C. Department of Public Instruction, the U.S. Office of Education, the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools and various school libraries.*

*A native of Middletown, N.Y., and a graduate of Douglass College, Miss Kalp received her M.A. degree in library science from the University of Michigan. She also studied at Rutgers University and the University of Chicago. Before joining the UNC-CH faculty she taught at the Hampton Institute Library School and at George Peabody College.*

*Miss Kalp served on executive boards and committees of several organizations: president of the N.C. Library Association from 1963-65; a member of the Council of the American Library Association from 1963-67; and on the board of directors of the Association of American Library Schools. She also was a member of the Southeastern Library Association and American Association of School Librarians.*

*Miss Kalp was active in several civic and professional services in the Chapel Hill community including the Altrusa Club, Alpha Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, serving as president from 1974-76, and Beta Phi Mu.*

### **Library Science Faculty Members and Students Write For Dictionary of American Library Biography**

Six faculty members and four students of the School of Library Science

contributed 23 biographical essays to the recently published *Dictionary of American Library Biography*. The *Dictionary*, a product of almost five years of effort, includes thoroughly researched and original biographies of "302 outstanding men and women who, in large measure, founded and built this country's free public libraries, assembled monumental university and research collections, started school and special libraries, initiated pioneering ideas in library education, constructed irreplaceable bibliographic tools, forged national, regional, and state professional associations, and introduced to the library profession . . . a solid foundation for our present library and information networks." Selection for inclusion in the *DALB* was made from criteria developed by a national advisory board which included two UNC-CH faculty members, Dean Edward G. Holley and Professor Haynes McMullen. To have been included, a biographee must have had national significance in the library and information field, achieved professional distinction, and must have been deceased as of June 30, 1976.

Writing biographies of the twenty-three were Dean Holley, and Professors Hayne McMullen, Budd Gambee, Mary Kingsbury, Paul Koda, and Marilyn Miller. Students involved in the project included Davenport Robertson, now NIEHS Librarian, Research Triangle Park; Sandra Roscoe, now Assistant Reference Librarian, University of Chicago; and Michael Wessells, now Researcher, Information Systems Section, Battelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, Ohio. Also writing a biography of North Carolinian Lillian Baker Griggs is Betty Young, School of Library Science Alumni Association President, and Head, Circulation Department, East Campus Library, Duke University.

In their preface to this major

reference work, the editors note that, among the more than 200 contributors to the work "The extensive services rendered by a few of the contributors do stand out . . . as being of special importance to the final shape of the book," and extend their appreciation to a few others who helped with problems of special difficulty. Included for special acknowledgment are UNC-CH Professors Gambee, Holley, and McMullen.

Among the North Carolinians included in the *Dictionary of American Library Biography*, in addition to Ms. Griggs, North Carolina's first professionally trained Librarian, Durham Public Library, Director of the North Carolina Library Commission, and Librarian of Woman's College, Duke University; are Mary Peacock Douglas, first state school library adviser in the North Carolina Department of Public Instruction, (written by Professor Mary Frances K. Johnson, UNC-Greensboro); Henry Harrisee, bibliographer of Americana and instructor at UNC-CH, 1953-56, (by Davenport Robertson) and Charles Everett Rush, UNC-CH Librarian, 1941-1954, (by Robert L. Logsdon). Also contributing a biography for the *DALB* is Chapel Hillian, Ruth Gambee.

According to Dean Holley, "Those of us working in the field of library history have long needed a publication which would provide reliable information on the major figures in American librarianship. For that reason the publication of this 596 page *DALB* for librarians is a scholarly achievement of the first importance. Ranging from 1,000 to 6,000 words, the articles in the *Dictionary of American Library Biography* will be the first source to which many of us will turn when we are looking for facts on specific individuals with the assurance that the sketches have been competently done. That will be a welcome relief after the long ordeals of searching

through numerous obituaries, mug books, and ephemeral articles for similar materials. The editors, Dr. Bohdan Wynar, President of Libraries Unlimited, and his colleagues, Deans George S. Bobinski and Jesse H. Shera, are to be congratulated on undertaking the compilation of this much needed reference work and bringing it to a successful conclusion."

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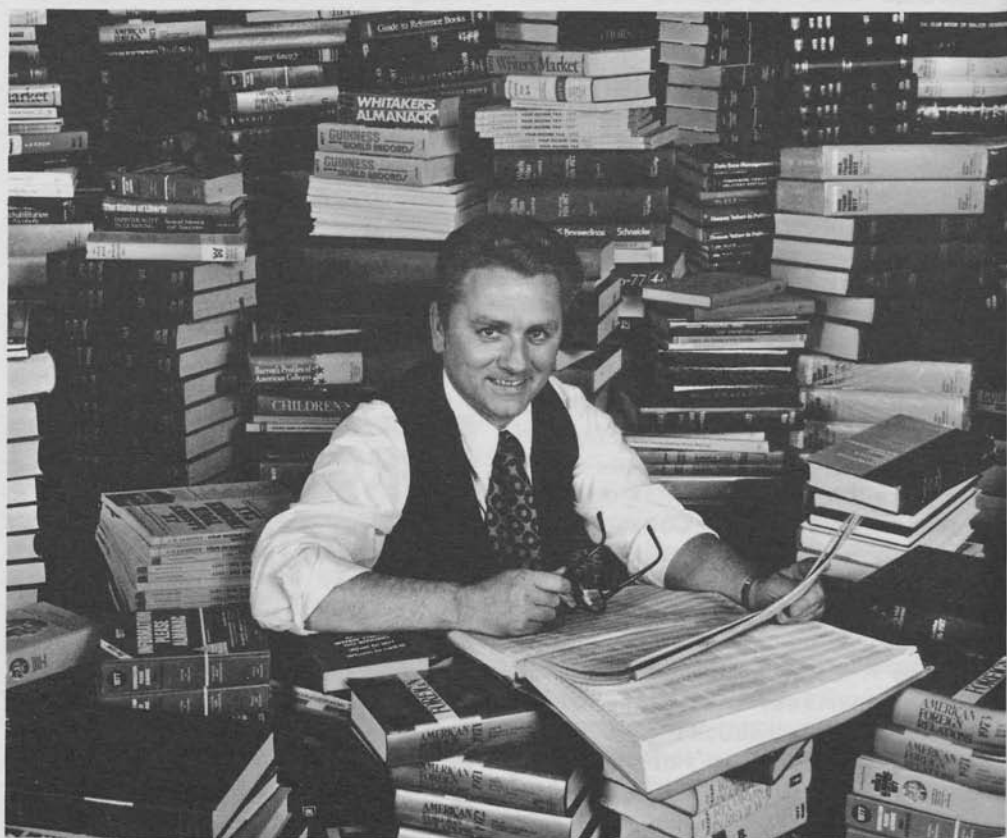
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