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PROJECT 2000 UPDATE

Project 2000 is nearing completion. The Project Advisory Committee met October 27 and 28 to review a draft of the Project report. The report now is being revised in light of this discussion. The revised document will be available for the ATLA Directors to review at their January 1984 meeting. The Project Advisory Committee will meet in March to review and, it is hoped, to accept the final report. Both the ATLA Directors and the Advisory Committee will be considering ways to facilitate general discussion of the report and its recommendations. The full report should be published before the ATLA Annual Conference in June 1984.

Following the ATLA Conference in Richmond last June, several recommended changes in accrediting standards for libraries were forwarded to the ATS Standards Committee. This committee now has revised all of the accrediting standards. A draft of these standards has been sent to member schools for critical evaluation. Reactions to the proposed standards may be forwarded to the ATS Standards Committee through the responses from member schools.

I continue to benefit from the considerable interest many librarians show in Project 2000 and I appreciate this support. Also, I will continue to answer questions you may have about this Project. They may be directed to me at: Yale Divinity School Library, 409 Prospect Street, New Haven, Connecticut 06510.

Stephen L. Peterson, Director
Project 2000

BOARD OF DIRECTORS REQUESTS COPIES OF MEMBERS'
RESPONSES TO ATS ACCREDITING STANDARDS

President Martha B. Aycock requests that all ATLA members who submit statements to the ATS Standards Committee regarding the revised accrediting standards also send copies of these statements to her so that the Board of Directors may have access to them at its January 11-13 meeting. They should be directed to Mrs. Aycock at: Union Theological Seminary Library, 3401 Brook Road, Richmond, Virginia 23227.

NOMINATING COMMITTEE REPORT

The Nominating Committee presents as candidates for the ATLA elective offices which are to be filled in 1984:

Vice-president - Class B Director (one to be elected):

Sara M. Mobley, Assistant Librarian for Public Services, Pitts
Theology Library, Emory University, Atlanta, Georgia

Board of Directors - Class A Director, three-year term, 1984-1987 (one to
be elected):

Elizabeth Flynn, Reference Librarian, Graduate Theological Union,
Berkeley, California

Alice M. Kendrick, Director, Records and Information Center,
Lutheran Council in the USA, New York, New York

Board of Directors - Class A Director, three-year term, 1984-1987 (one to
be elected):

Don L. Meredith, Librarian, Harding Graduate School of Religion,
Memphis, Tennessee

James A. Overbeck, Librarian, Columbia Theological Seminary,
Decatur, Georgia

Index Board - Class A Member, three-year term, 1984-1987 (one to be elected):

Seth Kasten, Reference Librarian, Union Theological Seminary,
New York, New York

Sarah P. M. Lyons, Librarian, Denver Conservative Baptist Seminary,
Denver, Colorado

Index Board - Class B Member, three-year term, 1984-1987, nominated by
the Index Board (one to be elected):

Abraham Bookstein, Professor, Graduate School of Library Science,
University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois

Board of Microtext - Class A Member, three-year term, 1984-1987 (one to be
elected):

Leslie R. Galbraith, Librarian, Christian Theological Seminary,
Indianapolis, Indiana

Robert J. Kepple, Librarian, Westminster Theological Seminary,
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

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Biographical data on the candidates will appear in the February issue of the Newsletter.

Other nominations may be made by petition, signed by not less than ten full members of the Association and submitted to the Executive Secretary, Albert E. Hurd, 5600 South Woodlawn Avenue, Chicago, Illinois 60637, not later than March 17, 1984. After all additional nominations have been filed, the Executive Secretary will prepare the final ballot and mail a copy to all full and institutional members on April 6. All ballots must be returned to the Executive Secretary by mail. In order to be counted, ballots must be postmarked not later than May 7. Ballots will be tallied during the month of May and a report of the results will be made to the President of the Association not later than June 1.

The members of the Nominating Committee submitting this report are Newland F. Smith, III, Sharon A. Taylor, and H. Eugene McLeod, Chair.

ATLA BOARD OF DIRECTORS TO MEET IN JANUARY

The Board of Directors of the American Theological Library Association will hold its winter meeting January 11-13, 1984, in Holland, Michigan. Anyone having business which ought to be considered at that time should communicate with the President of the Association, Martha B. Aycock, Union Theological Seminary, 3401 Brook Road, Richmond, Virginia 23227.

LIBRARY HOLDINGS OF CHRIST SEMINARY DISPERSED

The Library of Christ Seminary and its Librarian, Lucille Hager, moved from St. Louis, Missouri, to Austin, Texas, during July and August. The main part of the collection is housed in the library of the Episcopal Theological Seminary of the Southwest. Part of the collection - the storage section - is shelved in the library of Texas Lutheran College, Seguin, Texas. The rare books were moved to the library of Wartburg Theological Seminary in Dubuque, Iowa.

The library move was a part of the deployment of the resources of Christ Seminary as three Lutheran churches look forward to Lutheran union in 1988. Faculty have been added to the staff of Lutheran School of Theology at Chicago, to Pacific Lutheran Theological Seminary at Berkeley, California, and to the Hispanic ministries program of Wartburg Theological Seminary in Austin, Texas. About 100 former Seminex students have also enrolled in one of the three programs.

ATLA RECEIVES TEN NEW MEMBERS

The American Theological Library Association welcomes the following new members:

Full:

- Dr. Julia A. Foster, Cataloging/Reference Librarian, Methodist Theological School in Ohio, P.O. Box 1204, Delaware, Ohio 43015
Ms. Linda Hartig, Assistant Librarian, Nashotah House, Nashotah, Wisconsin 53058
Dr. Martha M. Smith, Library Director, North Carolina Wesleyan College, P.O. Box 205, Rocky Mount, North Carolina 27801

Associate:

- Mr. Richard Daubert, 121 Wilshire Avenue, Michigan City, Indiana 46360
Mrs. Winsome Davis, #112-5600, Dalhousie Road, Vancouver, British Columbia V6T 1W4, Canada
Mr. Charles Johnson, 107 Broadway, Ocean Grove, New Jersey 07756
Dr. Nobel Sack, Archivist, Western Evangelical Seminary, 4200 S.E. Jennings Avenue, Portland, Oregon 97222
Ms. Twyla Lynn Tranfaglia, Librarian, Institute for Christian Studies, 6213 Green Oaks Drive, Austin, Texas 78746

Student:

- Mr. Chris W. Cullnane, II, Eigenmann Hall, Room 784, Indiana University, Bloomington, Indiana 47406
Mr. Armand T. Ternak, David Otis Fuller Library, Spurgeon Baptist Bible College, 4440 Spurgeon Drive, Mulberry, Florida 33860

POSITION OPEN

Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary is seeking to fill the position of Director of Learning Resources (Library and Media). Candidates must have a master's degree in Library Science from an ALA accredited library school and an M.Div. degree or its equivalent. Library administrative experience is desired, including knowledge of OCLC procedures and familiarity with computer technology. Eastern is a confessional school, committed to an evangelical theological position which is open and ecumenical. Interested persons should send a resume to Dr. Manfred T. Brauch, Dean, Eastern Baptist Theological Seminary, City Line and Lancaster Avenues, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19151.

BOARD OF MICROTEXT ANNOUNCEMENTS

The titles listed below have been added to the program since the publication of the last previous list in the May 14, 1983, issue of the Newsletter. These titles also supplement the May 1983 mailing by the Board that was cumulative since the 1981 catalog. Copies of both of these listings are available upon request. Titles marked with an asterisk are continuations of titles of which other volumes have been announced previously. Orders should be addressed to: Dr. Charles Willard, ATLA Board of Microtext, P.O. Box 111, Princeton, New Jersey 08540.

- *Adventist Review. v. 159. 1982. (S381) 1 reel. \$31.00.
- B.I.P. 1978-81. (S455) 1 reel. \$47.00.
- B.I.P.-S.N.O.P. 1978-81. (S456) 1 reel. \$42.00.
- *Bangalore Theological Forum. v. 9-14. 1977-82. (S448) 1 reel. \$22.00.
- *Bekehrnrok. v. 26. 1982. (S335) 1 reel. \$7.00.
- *Berliner Sontagsblatt; die Kirche; evangelische Wochenzeitung. v. 37. 1982. (S273) 1 reel. \$14.00.
- Bible. Ethiopic. 1915. An Ethiopic Version of the Old Testament, the Apocrypha, and the New Testament. Asmara, Francis da Bassano, 1915-34 (B517) 1 reel. \$49.00.
- Breakthrough. 1948-83. (S452) 2 reels. \$52.00.
- *The Brethren Journal. v. 78-81. 1979-82. (S421) 1 reel. \$30.00.
- *Broderskap. v. 54. 1982. (S437) 1 reel. \$21.00.
- Burke, Albert Carswell. Resurrection in the Acts of the Apostles. Th.M. thesis. Princeton, 1952. (B518) 1 reel. \$8.00.
- *Catholic Standard. Washington. v. 11-19, 32. 1961-9, 1982. (S185) 10 reels. \$395.00.
- *Catholic Standard and Times. 1982. (S268) 2 reels. \$45.00.
- The Christian; a Weekly Record of Christian Life. London. 1882-9, 1894-1907, 1913-25. (S445) 34 reels. \$1,040.00.
- Consensus. v. 1-8. 1975-82. (S447) 1 reel. \$27.00.
- Conservative Baptist Foreign Mission Society. 1959-65, 1971-82. (S450) 1 reel. \$22.00.
- *Dansk Kirketidende. v. 133-4. 1981-2. (S368) 1 reel. \$19.00.
- Dodd, Samuel. Diary. (B516) 1 reel. \$18.00.
- *Dokumentation, ein Informationsdienst. 1982. (S272) 3 reels. \$133.00.
- EPD Ausgabe für kirchliche Presse. Evangelischer Pressedienst. 1970, nos. 26-27-1979; 1981. (S271.1) 13 reels. \$416.00.

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- *Evangelisch-Lutherische Kirche in Bayern. Amtsblatt. 1979-82. (S414)
1 reel. \$40.00.
- *Die Evangelische Kirche in Deutschland. Amtsblatt. v. 34-6. 1980-2.
(S371) 2 reels. \$48.00.
- Evangelische Woche. 1970-82. (S444) 3 reels. \$106.00.
- *Evangelischer Pressedienst für Österreich. 1958-75, 1977. (S398)
12 reels. \$331.00.
- *Die Gemeinde: Organ des Bundes Evangelisch-Freikirchlicher Gemeinden.
1982. (S379) 1 reel. \$23.00.
- *Gemeinde-Unterwegs. v. 6-9. 1979-82. (S427) 1 reel. \$14.00.
- *Harvard Divinity Bulletin. v. 9-12. 1978-82. (S332) 1 reel. \$7.00.
- *Hervormd Nederland. v. 38. 1982. (S274) 1 reel. \$30.00.
- *Homiletische Monatshefte. v. 57. 1981/2. (S345) 1 reel. \$19.00.
- Impact. v. 29-40. 1972-May 1983. (S451) 1 reel. \$37.00.
- *Indre Missions Tidende. v. 129. 1982. (S361) 1 reel. \$30.00.
- Interdenominational Foreign Mission Association. 1950-83. (S449)
2 reels. \$64.00.
- Justice Studies (Dominican Province of Saint Joseph). New York. 1977-80.
(S458) 1 reel. \$6.00.
- Keil, Karl August Gottlieb. Systematisches Verzeichniss derjenigen theo-
logischen Schriften und Bücher. 2te, verm. und verb. Ausg. Stendal,
Franzen und Grosse, 1792. (B519) 1 reel. \$14.00.
- Kirche. Schweizerische Kirche. v. 147-9. 1979-81. (S443) 2 reels.
\$60.00.
- *Kirche und Rundfunk. 1960-77. (S399) 17 reels. \$637.00.
- *The Lutheran. v. 13-5. 1979-81. (S372) 2 reels. \$41.00.
- The Lutheran Spokesman. 1958-June 1982. (S459) 3 reels. \$102.00.
- *Lutheran World Federation Information. 1980-2. (S354) 2 reels. \$90.00.
- Missionalia. v. 1-10. 1973-82. (S460) 4 reels. \$91.00.
- News Digest (Dominican Province of Saint Joseph). New York. v. 1-23.
Nov. 1958-1982. (S457) 1 reel. \$38.00.
- *Reformatusok Lapja. v. 22-6. 1978-82. (S164) 2 reels. \$39.00.
- *Reformierte Kirchenzeitung. v. 84-6, 90-119. 1934-6, 1949-78. (S57)
7 reels. \$236.00.
- Schwarzenau (Alexander Mack Historical Society). v. 1-3. July 1939-
Jan. 1942. (S446) 1 reel. \$16.00.

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- *Schweizerische evangelische Pressedienst. 1972, nos. 30-53; 1975-7; 1979-82. (S350) 6 reels. \$297.00.
- Sparks. v. 1-8, no. 1. Nov. 1975-Jan. 1983. (S453) 1 reel. \$19.00.
- Svensk Pastortidskrift. Uppsala. 1959-82. (S461) 24 reels. \$556.00.
- Wisconsin Lutheran Quarterly. v. 1-79. 1904-1982. (S454) 16 reels. \$541.00.
- *Wyckoff, Dewitt Campbell. Bibliography in Christian Education for Seminary and College Libraries. 1960-81. (B410) 1 reel. \$19.00. Also available in full size paper Xerographic reproduction: \$65.00.

A.N.Z.A.T.S. HOLDS LIBRARY CONSULTATION

Forty librarians and heads of theological colleges attended the Library Consultation which was held at the conclusion of the Annual Conference of the Australian and New Zealand Association of Theological Schools on September 3, 1983.

The special feature of the consultation was its emphasis on library standards, focussing on two key papers. Hans Arns, St. Patrick's College, Manly, New South Wales, presented a survey of the present condition of A.N.Z.A.T.S. libraries, and Trevor Zweck, Luther Seminary, North Adelaide, South Australia, presented proposals for the adoption of a schedule of standards for A.N.Z.A.T.S. libraries. The meeting enthusiastically supported the proposals and resolved that a task force be established to implement them. Their job will be to draw up a set of policy standards, a set of guidelines for interpreting and implementing them, and an instrument and procedure for gathering and disseminating relevant statistical information. Special attention was drawn to the need for individual libraries to draw up specific collection development policies, using the categories established by the National Library of Australia, to facilitate cooperation among libraries.

Two further proposals were endorsed: (1) the undertaking of a survey of theological libraries and other libraries with theological collections to identify special collections, major holdings, and areas of strength; (2) the development of a special collection on theological education, to be housed in one of the member libraries. There was also a request to develop ways and means (e.g. a workshop and/or a manual) to help less experienced staff to become more professional in their work. Another feature of the consultation was a demonstration by the Overseas Telecommunications Commission of a DIALOG search using the MIDAS telecommunications link.

A.N.Z.A.T.S. represents more than fifty theological colleges in Australia and New Zealand. Representatives attending the consultation were very conscious of the forward-looking nature of the proposals adopted. Many had the feeling, as one participant expressed it, that this was "Day One" of the future of Australian and New Zealand theological libraries.

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Classification of Canon Law

Father Leo Tibesar (Saint Paul Seminary, St. Paul, Minnesota) recently wrote to Warren Kissinger at the Library of Congress about the LC classification scheme for canon law. He had received the Codex Iuris Canonici (Libreria Editrice Vaticana, 1983), the Latin version of the Revised Code of Canon Law. Father Tibesar noted that in schedule "B", canon law is treated twice: once under Practical Theology - Ecclesiastical Theology at BV 759-BV 764 and again under Denominations and Sects - Roman Catholic Church at BX 1935 - BX 1943. "Admittedly, the BV arrangement tells the cataloger to 'Prefer individual denominations, e.g., BX 1935-1943, but how can one do so adequately, faced with a much more restrictive schemata at BX 1935-1943 that doesn't even mention 'Sources'?"

Father Tibesar also wanted to know how to classify the new Codex. "Neither BV or BX specifies an arrangement heading as 'Code'. Certainly a Code is not a General Work. Nor is the Code currently in force considered a Source. It is not subject to arrangement by country, topic, or trial. So precisely where on the shelf should the Code be placed?"

Warren Kissinger replied that LC has not been using BV 759-764 and he has proposed that this area be cancelled. Further, a note in page 351 of the BX schedule states that LC no longer uses the numbers BX1935 - BX1943. Mr. Kissinger explains LC's approach: "Our policy is to class works on canon law and ecclesiastical law with law materials. If you prefer to use the BX schedule for this type of material, we suggest that you expand it to suit the needs of your own collection. Since we no longer use it for materials at the Library of Congress, we will not be developing this area of BX, but will instead be making further provision for this subject in class K. However, it will undoubtedly be several years before a canon law classification has been completed."

In his cover letter to the Bibliographic Systems Committee, Father Tibesar did not say what decision he had made in his own library. Clearly LC will not be providing guidance in the classification of canon law in the near future. Classification of the new Code in the Dewey Decimal System will also be a problem. In his letter on the revision of the 200's in Dewey discussed below, Father Raymond Vandegrift (Dominican College Library, Washington, D.C.) suggests that 262.93 (Dewey 19) needs revision. Since the Codex is so important to Roman Catholics (the last Codex was issued in 1917), many catalogers are now facing the problems described by Father Tibesar and Father Vandegrift. We will be happy to continue this discussion in a future Newsletter.

Revision of the 200's in the Dewey Decimal Classification

At the end of July Father Raymond Vandegrift took the time to write a substantial letter proposing that four numbers in the 200's be revised: 262.0011 (Dewey 19) for materials on the ecumenical movement, World Council of Churches, etc.; 262.93 (Dewey 19) for the Code of Canon Law; 242 (Dewey 19) for devotional literature (which does not provide for such traditional

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Catholic subjects as the Sacred Heart, Saints, the Mass, etc.); and 241 (Dewey 19) for moral theology (which does not provide for original sin, gifts of the Holy Spirit, morality (independent of law) etc.). Father Vandegrift also proposes that the provision of Dewey 18 in Table 1, Standard subdivisions, "-08 Collections not planned as composite works" be reinstated. Father Vandegrift would prefer to collect works by and works about a philosopher or theologian in one place in the collection. In Dewey 19 the critical works about a philosopher are classified by subject and spread throughout the collection.

Father Vandegrift's letter has been forwarded to John Comaromi, Office of Dewey Classification at the Library of Congress. When we receive a reply we will share it with you. Wayne Woodward (Wesley Biblical Seminary, Jackson, Mississippi) had earlier asked ATLA libraries using Dewey to correspond with him on suggestions for revision of the 200's (ATLA Newsletter, v. 29:54). I do not believe he received any replies at that time. Yet this is an important issue for ATLA libraries using Dewey, for the 200's are not scheduled to be revised in Dewey 20. (See ATLA Newsletter, v. 30:79.)

Identifying Special Interest Groups in the Bibliographic Systems Section

It would be nice to know which ATLA libraries use the Dewey system so that letters such as Father Vandegrift's could be circulated among them. In the last Newsletter the Committee announced plans to poll the membership about union lists and OCLC sometime in September. This poll was postponed due to the unexpected resignation of Richard Mintel, because of illness in his family. When the questionnaire is written, it will also include questions about the classification in use at each library so that we will be able to identify quickly special interest groups such as those using a particular classification scheme.

CC:DA at ALA Annual Conference in Los Angeles

Elvire Hilgert, ATLA's representative to the Committee on Cataloging: Description and Access of ALA was unable to complete her report on the meeting at the ALA Conference in Los Angeles because of illness just prior to the Newsletter deadline. This report will be sent out separately to members of the Bibliographic Systems Section. Other ATLA members who wish to see her report may request a copy from this committee. We hope this special mailing will give us time to discuss the agenda for the upcoming mid-winter meeting of CC:DA in Washington, D.C., in January 1984.

"p." and "cm." in CIP Records

Several ATLA librarians producing catalog cards manually complained to Ben Tucker at the AACR 2 workshop in Richmond that it was a bother to cover the "p." and "cm." in the collation line on CIP cards before the physical description of the work in hand could be typed in. Ben Tucker raised this issue at LC and replied as follows:

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"It is easy to sympathize with those who must mask out the "p." and "cm." on CIP records. Originally these abbreviations were retained because our 'format recognition' program needed them to do the requisite 'recognition.' ... When we abandoned this program, we retained the abbreviations without questioning their remaining utility--probably because most people were using them to identify CIP records quickly. I really think it is too late in the day for us to think about making a change, especially since some software adjustment would be necessary."

AACR 2 Revisions Revisited

In the May Newsletter (v. 30:81), we discussed the changes to AACR 2 approved by the Joint Steering Committee for Revision of AACR. Joyce Farris (William R. Perkins Library, Duke University, Durham, North Carolina) asked if some confusion might arise because many of these changes related to notes on items reproduced. LC (and OCLC) do not follow AACR 2, Rule 1.11. (See LC policy regarding microreproductions, CSB 14:56.) Of course LC would report changes to AACR as written, whether or not they were to accept them in practice. The changes to AACR 2 did not mention Rule 1.11, but both 1.11 and 1.7A4 apply to notes for reproductions. Specifically, Rule 1.7A4 applies to notes citing other editions and works on records for items reproduced. A situation which requires a note relating to another edition of a reproduction does not come easily to mind. It seemed worthwhile to get Ben Tucker's point of view on these rules, since he serves on the Joint Steering Committee as well as heading the Office for Descriptive Cataloging Policy at LC.

"I really don't know what to say in response to those who would read the revision of 1.7A4 out of context. We certainly have no plans to change our policy about 1.11, for we remain convinced that the right view prevailed. For the rest of it, we simply must be quite frank: this is one clear-cut case in which the U.S. policy (LC plus OCLC plus whoever follows us) is entirely apart from AACR 2. The addition to 1.7A4 was made to tidy things up only. Here is what was less than tidy:

1) 1.7, which is supposed to be the comprehensive, controlling rule for the note area, was entirely silent on the requirements for reproductions.

2) 1.11, which included a lot of the prescription for notes needed for reproductions, covers one basic point, i.e., the single note for all details concerning the original (cf. 1.11F) but is entirely silent on the other basic point: the order of notes, as this question arises between the single note for the original and the remaining notes for the reproduction."

We appreciate Ben Tucker's help in clarifying the relationship between Rule 1.7A4 and 1.11, and his forthright restatement of LC's position on cataloging microreproductions.

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Current LC Subject Headings

Tom Gilbert (Andover-Newton Theological School, Newton Centre, Massachusetts) reports that he sent out 61 copies of the first regular issue (v. 1:1) of Current LC Subject Headings in the Field of Religion. Subscriptions are \$6.00 for the volume year, which turns out to be quite a bargain since this issue was a special issue cumulating headings authorized at LC from June 1982 through August 1983. It came to 42 pages! Future issues will be quarterly and not cumulated. Our intention is to get these headings changes distributed on a timely basis, not to duplicate the LCSH supplements, which are still more than a year delayed. However, as we look at this cumulative issue, we realize it may have some value in itself as a study document.

The period between June 1982 and August 1983 captures much of the work LC has done to replace the form heading "Liturgy and ritual" with subject headings to bring together in one file the liturgical works of a denomination. Other major projects reflected in these headings include the discontinuation of use of the term "Jews" as the name of a religion, the revision of pattern subdivisions for Christian denominations, the introduction of Christianity as a subdivision, replacement of many 'and' headings of the type {denomination} and {topic} by headings of the type {topic}--Religious aspects--{particular religion or denomination} and considerable work on Roman and Greek mythology.

The phrase 'freefloating subdivision' becomes even more familiar as the legend "This heading has been replaced by the heading ..., a heading not printed in LCSH because it uses a free-floating subdivision" is repeated literally dozens of times. Catalogers not sensitive to LC's practice of freefloating subdivisions and subdivisions controlled by pattern headings may wonder what headings replace the cancelled ones. A good explanation of LC practice is contained in the 1982 supplement to LCSH. The preliminary material in each issue contains updated versions of the lists of subdivisions printed in the 1979 supplement. The first section lists the most commonly used subdivisions, while the second section discusses subdivisions controlled by pattern headings and includes a "Table of Pattern Headings." For example, the Jesuits are the pattern heading for Religious and monastic orders. A subdivision listed under the pattern heading is usable under any other heading belonging to its category; however, the subdivisions listed under a pattern heading are not an exhaustive list. The standard free-floating form and topical subdivisions are by definition not normally listed in LCSH under any headings, even pattern headings. Exceptions to this rule may occur when subdivisions have been regularly listed in LCSH prior to their having been accorded free-floating status. Other subdivisions, although free-floating, are printed in order to trace important references. Letters from ATLA catalogers have indicated that this practice has not been totally understood. The numerous examples provided in the 42 pages of new and revised subject headings may help to clarify the use of these subdivisions. Order and payment information is contained in the August 1983 issue of the ATLA Newsletter.

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Please continue to send copies of correspondence with LC to the Bibliographic Systems Committee, Graduate Theological Union Library, 2400 Ridge Road, Berkeley, California 94709.

Libby Flynn, Chair
Bibliographic Systems Committee

A. R. WENTZ LIBRARY RENOVATED AND ENLARGED

The newly modernized A. R. Wentz Library of the Lutheran Theological Seminary at Gettysburg, Pennsylvania, was rededicated at services held on October 13. The renovation of the old building was begun in June of 1982 with groundbreaking for the expansion taking place in September of that year. The project was completed at a cost of \$1,050,000.

In the renovated and expanded building the entire regular collection is now housed on the lower level. All periodicals, bound and unbound, are on the main level next to a periodical index counter and close to other bibliographic reference materials. Twenty-five study carrels are located adjacent to the collections on both levels. Thus all library functions are now confined to two conveniently and efficiently structured levels.

Featured in the modernized library are special rooms reflecting programmatic concentrations of the Seminary. A Town and Country Church Room will provide space for materials, displays, meeting, and special seminars of the Town and Country Church Institute. In addition, the room will provide study space for the scholars-in-residence of the Institute. The Luther Institute will make similar use of its Luther Room for meetings, seminar events, and the housing of special editions of Luther's works.

A computer room has been created in the rotunda, and the north end of the upper level has been transformed into a large, air-conditioned meeting room which can better accommodate the Lay School as well as practice preaching and other large classes.

AUTHOR SEEKS SUGGESTIONS IN REVISION OF RESEARCH GUIDE

James R. Kennedy, Jr., Reference Librarian at Earlham College, is preparing a second edition of his Library Research Guide to Religion and Theology; Illustrated Search Strategy and Sources, published by the Pierian Press in Ann Arbor, Michigan, in 1974. He would appreciate receiving suggestions of ways in which the work might be improved in the revised edition and especially invites recommendations from persons who have used it as a textbook. Communications should be addressed to Mr. Kennedy at: Earlham College Library, Richmond, Indiana 47374.

NEWS OF ATLA MEMBERS

Bonnie Ulrey Baker was appointed Assistant Librarian of the Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis, Tennessee, effective September 1, 1983. A graduate of Harding University in Searcy, Arkansas, Mrs. Baker holds the M.A. degree in English from the University of Arkansas in Fayetteville, and the M.L.S. degree from the George Peabody College for Teachers in Nashville, Tennessee. She came to her new position from Vienna, West Virginia, where she had served as Librarian and Instructor in French, English, and Piano at Ohio Valley College since 1981.

Michael P. Boddy, Acquisitions and Public Services Librarian for the B. L. Fisher Library at Asbury Theological Seminary, in Wilmore, Kentucky, has resigned his present position in order to become Theological Librarian at Drew University, Madison, New Jersey, in mid-December. Mr. Boddy joined the staff of the B. L. Fisher Library on August 1, 1977.

Duane R. Bogenschneider has been appointed Manager of Products Development for the Academic Micropublishing Division of Research Publications, Incorporated, in Woodbridge, Connecticut. He will be responsible for analyzing and developing proposals for new products in academic micropublishing, as well as instituting market research for proposed and existing products. Mr. Bogenschneider was previously Editor and Manager of the Printed Materials Department of the Microfilming Corporation of America in Sanford, North Carolina.

The Reverend Simeon Daly, O.S.B., Librarian of St. Meinrad College and School of Theology in St. Meinrad, Indiana, will be on sabbatical leave during the second semester of the 1983-84 academic year. He will spend most of his leave in Rome, where he will participate in a theological renewal program.

John Dickason has resigned his position as Reference Librarian at Princeton Theological Seminary in Princeton, New Jersey, in order to accept the post of Library Director at Fuller Theological Seminary in Pasadena, California. He will assume his new duties on December 1.

James W. Dunkly assumed the position of Director of Libraries for the Episcopal Divinity School and Weston School of Theology in Cambridge, Massachusetts, on July 1, 1983. He had previously been Librarian at Nashotah House in Nashotah, Wisconsin, a post he had held since 1975.

Hedda Durnbaugh is now Special Collections and Catalog Librarian at The Seminary Library which serves Bethany Theological Seminary and Northern

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Baptist Theological Seminary in Oak Brook, Illinois. Prior to moving to her new position, she was Program Director of the Chicago Cluster of Theological Schools in Chicago, Illinois.

Ralph Ewbank has resigned his position as Librarian of the George Hallauer Memorial Library at Western Evangelical Seminary in Portland, Oregon, and is currently devoting his time to research and writing.

Joyce L. Farris presented a paper on "The Catalog Information Desk - Duke University" at the annual conference of the North Carolina Library Association held in Winston-Salem, October 26-28. The paper was a part of the Resources and Technical Services Section program on "The Public Catalog: Arrangement, Access, and Maintenance." Mrs. Farris is Head of the Original Cataloging Section of the Monographic Cataloging Department in the William R. Perkins Library, Duke's central library unit. She was a member of the committee which organized the Catalog Information Desk at Duke and was the first coordinator of the service, which is designed to provide assistance by technical service staff members in the use of the public catalog for patrons at the site of the catalog.

Larry L. Haight, Librarian at the Assemblies of God Graduate School in Springfield, Missouri, has recently completed Pentecostal Periodicals in the Assemblies of God Libraries and Archives in Springfield, Missouri : A Union List. The Union List includes bibliographic and holdings information for 557 Pentecostal periodicals held by the Assemblies of God Graduate School, Central Bible College, and Evangel College libraries and by the Assemblies of God Archives. Copies of the Union List may be purchased directly from the author for \$12.95. Orders should be addressed: Larry L. Haight, 1400 South Plaza, Springfield, Missouri 65804. Checks should be made payable to Mr. Haight. Payment must accompany all orders.

Linda Hartig was named Acting Librarian of Nashotah House in Nashotah, Wisconsin, effective August 1, 1983.

Charles T. Kendall was named Librarian of the Byrd Memorial Library, Anderson School of Theology, at Anderson College, Anderson, Indiana, effective August 1, 1983. He holds the B.A. degree from Huntington College in Huntington, Indiana, and the M.L.S. degree from the George Peabody College for Teachers in Nashville, Tennessee, and has pursued graduate studies at Asbury Theological Seminary in Wilmore, Kentucky. Mr. Kendall came to his new position from a temporary appointment as Cataloger at Asbury College. A native of Pennsylvania, he had previously served in public libraries in Pennsylvania, Indiana, Illinois, and Arizona.

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Patricia Kuehne was named Assistant Director of the George Hallauer Memorial Library at Western Evangelical Seminary in Portland, Oregon, effective July 1, 1983. Mrs. Kuehne has been a member of the library staff at Western Seminary since September 1975.

Annie May Alston Lewis retired from her position as Librarian of the Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis, Tennessee, on August 31, 1983. She came to Harding in 1962 as its first full-time professional librarian. Mrs. Lewis has directed the growth of the library holdings from 4,800 to 75,000 volumes over the past twenty-one years and was responsible for the plans for the library building completed in 1964 and for an addition made to it in 1978. She is spending the current academic year in Jerusalem with her husband, Professor Jack P. Lewis of the Harding faculty, who is conducting research at the W. F. Albright Institute of Archaeological Research.

Don L. Meredith was appointed Librarian of the Harding Graduate School of Religion in Memphis, Tennessee, effective September 1, 1983. Mr. Meredith joined the library staff at Harding in 1968 as Assistant Librarian and was named Associate Librarian in 1970. A 1963 graduate of Harding University in Searcy, Arkansas, he received the M.Th. degree from the Harding Graduate School of Religion in 1967, and was awarded the M.S. in L.S. degree by the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill in 1968.

Gary Metzenbacher was appointed Director of the Library at Western Evangelical Seminary in Portland, Oregon, on July 1, 1983. Serving in various capacities, he has been a member of the staff of the George Hallauer Memorial Library at Western since 1978.

George A. Mindeman was named Head Cataloger/Director-Elect of the Library at the International School of Theology in San Bernardino, California, effective August 1, 1983. He will become Library Director on July 1, 1984. For the past two years Mr. Mindeman served as Catalog Librarian at the Reformed Theological Seminary in Jackson, Mississippi.

Elmer J. O'Brien, Librarian of the United Theological Seminary in Dayton, Ohio, has been elected Chair of the Dayton-Miami Valley Consortium (DMVC) Library Division Executive Board for 1983-84. The DMVC is a consortium of twenty institutions of higher learning, two public library systems, and five corporations. The Library Division carries on its program through its Executive Board, five standing committees, and numerous task forces. The educational institutions serve a student and faculty constituency of more than 75,000; and a much wider population is served by the public library systems and the corporation libraries.

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Evelyn Payson was appointed Director of Library Automation at the University of Wisconsin - Whitewater on June 1, 1983. She had previously served as Assistant Librarian at Nashotah House in Nashotah, Wisconsin, since 1978.

Louis J. Reith, Rare Book Librarian at St. Bonaventure University in St. Bonaventure, New York, attended the Sixth International Congress for Luther Research in Erfurt, German Democratic Republic, August 14-19. On October 29 Dr. Reith chaired a session on "Luther and the Eucharist" at the Sixteenth Century Studies Conference held at Marquette University in Milwaukee, Wisconsin; and he is currently conducting a continuing education seminar on "The Changing Image of Luther" at St. Bonaventure University.

Nobel Sack has been appointed Archivist of Western Evangelical Seminary in Portland, Oregon, and with this appointment becomes again a member of the library staff. Dr. Sack earlier served as Librarian of Western Seminary.

Katherine Skrebutenas will become Reference Librarian for the Speer Library at Princeton Theological Seminary, Princeton, New Jersey, on November 21, 1983. Ms. Skrebutenas is transferring from the position of Order Librarian for the Speer Library, which post she has held since 1976.

Sharon A. Taylor will join the staff of the Speer Library at Princeton Theological Seminary in Princeton, New Jersey, on January 1, 1984, as Cataloger. Ms. Taylor is currently Director of the Reformed Theological Seminary Library in Jackson, Mississippi, having become a member of the staff there in 1972 as Assistant Librarian.

COLUMBIA SEMINARY LIBRARY RECEIVES FOUNDATION GRANT

The Arthur Vining Davis Foundation has recently announced a grant of \$50,000 to the John Bulow Campbell Library of Columbia Theological Seminary in Decatur, Georgia, to aid in the library's reclassification project. Campbell Library is using the OCLC database to reclassify its books from Union classification to the Library of Congress system. A by-product of this project will be a completely machine-readable catalog. Mrs. Ruthanne Strobel has been employed to direct the project, which in its initial stage will last three years. James A. Overbeck is the Librarian.