

HAPPENINGS

A REGULAR DIARY OF MEETINGS AND EVENTS

National

JULY 2 Footscray Institute of Technology **Seminar** 'Amalgamations and libraries'. Main speaker: Mr David Lewis, Librarian, Sheffield Polytechnic, UK. Contact: Gerard Peguero, FIT Library (03) 688 4274.

JULY 8 URICA Users' Group **Conference** 'National workshop on current and future URICA developments' **Sydney**. Cost: \$125. Limit: 50 participants. Information and application forms: Pat Stewart, Preston College of TAFE, St Georges Rd, Preston 3072. (03) 479 3345.

JULY 24-31 Children's Book Week **Book Fair**. **Reception Hall, Sydney Opera House**. Contact: Children's Book Council NSW Branch, 35 Mitchell Street, North Sydney 2060 (02) 922 6700.

AUGUST 18-21 Second National Child Development Conference. **Institute of Early Childhood Development, Kew**. Key speaker: Prof Jerome Kagan (Harvard Uni). The conference will be of interest to all those professionally involved in the area of child development, education and care. For further info contact: Second National Child Development Conference Secretariat, PO Box 29, Parkville Vic 3052. (03) 347 8011.

AUGUST 22-26 LAA22 **Conference**. **Adelaide** Watch *InCite* for details.

AUGUST 23 LAA Children's Libraries Section **AGM** 4pm **Uni of Adelaide**. To be followed by LAA Children's and School Libraries Section **Combined Dinner**.

AUGUST 23-25 ANZAME (Australasian and New Zealand Association for Medical Education) **Conference** 'Clinical problem solving'. **Sydney**. Speaker: Dr Howard Barrows (Sthn Illinois Uni). Contact: Mrs Mavis McCarthy, 5 Norfolk Road, Longueville NSW 2066.

AUGUST 25 Geoscience/mining librarians attending LAA22. **Get-together and tour of Australian Mineral Foundation** facilities. 12.30pm Light lunch provided. Contact: Claire Conroy (08) 79 7821.

NOVEMBER 19 Footscray Institute of Technology **National Seminar** 'Australian clearing-houses and data bases — whose responsibility?'. Contact: Gerard Peguero, Seminar Co-ordinator, FIT (03) 688 4274. Telex: FITLEX 36596.

NOVEMBER 22-24 LAA Edlib Section Vic Group **Seminar** 'The Library Workforce'. Keynote speaker: Nick Moore (Research Division, British Library). Contact: Janette Wright (03) 341 2315.

SA

JULY 13 Joint LAA UCLS/Cataloguers/Library Technicians SA Groups **Meeting**. 7.30pm **Old Rare Book Room, Barr-Smith Library**. Peter Nissen to talk and demonstrate automated cataloguing in the Barr-Smith (Biblion). Contact: Sandy Gray (SAIT Levels) (08) 260 2055.

Queensland

JULY 28 LAA Qld Branch **General Meeting** 'Information broking in Queensland'. 5.30 for 6pm. **QIT Library**. Speaker: Lee Tonkin. Contact: Phil Finnimore (07) 221 2411.

AUGUST 18 LAA Qld Branch Council **General Meeting**. 'Impact of information technology on the concept of networks' **QIT**. Speaker: Susan K. Martin (Head, Library Systems Office, Uni. of Calif/Berkley). Contact: Ann Lawson (07) 224 2433.

AUGUST 31 LAA Special Libraries Section Qld Group **Committee Meeting**. 12.30pm **Supreme Court Library**.

SEPTEMBER 21 Qld Online Users Group **Meeting** 'New developments in Dialog' 5.30 for 6pm **QIT Library**. Speaker: A Dialog training specialist. Contact: Glenda Smith (07) 377 2211.

Northern Territory

JULY 19 LAA NT Branch **General meeting** 7.45pm **Mines and Energy Library**. Contact: Judy Cameron (089) 81 4640.

AUGUST 15-17 LAA NT Branch **General meeting** 'Frederick Ratcliffe Address' 7.45pm **Darwin Public Library**. Contact: Judy Cameron (089) 81 4640.

SEPTEMBER 4-5 LAA NT Branch **Weekend workshop** 'Local history' **Civic Centre, Katherine**. Members of LAA, NT Historical Society, Katherine Historical Society, The National Trust, teachers, historians and interested local residents. Contact: Judy Cameron (089) 81 4640.

SEPTEMBER 20 LAA NT Branch **General Meeting** 7.45pm **Jarvin Community College**. Speaker: Robyn Young, Lecturer, DCC. Contact: Judy Cameron (089) 81 4640.

Tasmania

JULY 2-3 Tas Teacher/Librarians' Association **Annual Conference** 'Reforming informing' **Westside Motor Inn, 156 Bathurst St, Hobart**. Speakers: Dr Roy Lundin, Dr Deane Hutton, Mrs Marianne Broadbent. Contact: Jill Ware (002) 30 2170 or (002) 30 2507.

JULY 13 LAA Tas Branch/ Tas Historical Research Assoc **Joint meeting** 8pm 'Librarians and laymen: recurrent tensions in the management of the Tasmania Public Library Board' **Royal Society Room, Tas Museum and Art Gallery, 5 Argyle St, Hobart**. Contact: Peter Fagan (002) 29 5150.

JULY 17 LAA Tas Branch **Seminar** 'ABN for Tasmania?' **Senior Common Room, Uni of Tasmania**. Speakers: Judith Baskin and Peter Nissen. Cost: \$10 students; \$15 LAA members; \$25 non-members. Contact: Christine Grey (002) 20 2351.

AUGUST 6-10 Australian Council for Adult Literacy **Sixth Conference** 'Literacy and libraries' **Hobart**. Contact: Maureen Campbell, Publicity Co-ordinator, Adult Literacy Conference, PO Box 841, Burnie Tas 7320.

Victoria

JULY 9 VATCL (Vic Assoc of Technical College Librarians) **One day seminar** 'TAFE — basic skills program and the library' 9.15am **Library, Preston College of TAFE, St. Georges Rd, Preston**. Cost \$5. Contact: Jan Stewart (03) 479 3212.

JULY 14 LAA Vic Branch **Council Meeting** 5.30pm **State Library Conference Room**. Meetings will be held on the second Wednesday of each month, same time and place. Dates for future meetings: 11 August, 8 September, 13 October, 10 November. Observers are welcome. Enquiries: Jan Lindner (03) 819 8911.

JULY 17 LAA Children's Libraries Section Vic Group **Seminar** 'How can I manage? — the children's services librarian as manager' 9.15am-4pm **Book House, 199 Cardigan St, Carlton**. BYO lunch. Cost: \$7 (\$5 to LAA members). Contact: Anne Burnett (03) 370 5244.

JULY 20 LAA Special Libraries Section Vic Group **Meeting** 'Consultants and freelance library services' 6 for 6.30pm **Hoechst Australia Ltd, 606 St. Kilda Rd**. Contact: Sue Hill (03) 543 5495.

JULY 24-27 Children's Book Week **Fair**. **Brighton Town Hall, Cnr Carpenter and Wilson Sts, Brighton**. Contact: Jack Morris (03) 592 8260 or Margaret Aitken (03) 669 9830.

JULY 26-27 ACI Computer Services **Orbit New and Advanced User Training Courses**. **Melbourne**. Contact: Leigh Baker (03) 544 8433.

JULY 28-30 ACI Computer Services **Ausinet New and Advanced User Training Courses**. **Melbourne**. Contact: Ian McCallum (03) 544 8433.

JULY 29 LAA Cataloguers Section Vic Group **Seminar** 'ABN standards' 6-8pm **Library Council Seminar Room State Library**. Speakers: Doreen Parker, John McKinlay, Helen Hoffmann, followed by discussion: your opportunity to input into ABN standards. Contact: Graham Dudley (02) 669 9931.

AUGUST 2 NLA/ACI Computer Services 'ANB and APAIS' **Ausinet Training Courses**. **Melbourne**. 2 sessions morning and afternoon. NLA (For info sheet) 14/82 referred. Registrations: Ian McCallum (03) 544 8433.

AUGUST 3 LAA Medical Librarians' Section Vic Group **AGM**. **Medical Library, Austin Hospital**. Contact: Sue Hill (03) 541 2957.

AUGUST 5 LAA UCLS Vic Group **Half-day seminar**. Guest: Dr Frederick Ratcliffe (University Librarian, Uni of Cambridge). Venue and topic to be advised. Contact: Helen Sweeny (03) 819 8184.

AUGUST 16-19 Educare '82. **Victorian Expo Centre, Melbourne**. Further information: Ron Rochester (02) 411 5033.

SEPTEMBER 4 LAA Children's Libraries Section and School Libraries Section Vic Groups **Seminar and workshops** with Dr Patricia Cianciolo. 10am-4pm **Melb State College**. Cost: \$12 (LAA members), \$15 (non-members), \$10 (students) lunch included. Applications close August 6. Contact: Ros Conroy (03) 3477655.

SEPTEMBER 21 LAA Medical Librarians' Section Vic Group/Special Libraries Section Vic Group **Joint meeting**. Details to be announced. Contact: Sue Hill (03) 541 2957.

SEPTEMBER 29-30 ACI Computer Services **Orbit New and Advanced User Training Courses**. **Melbourne**. Contact: Leigh Baker (03) 544 8433.

OCTOBER 23 LAA Medical Librarians' Section Vic Group **General meeting and All day workshop** 'Audio-visual media' **Ballarat Base Hospital**. Contact: Sue Hill (03) 541 2957.

ACT

JULY 6 LAA Library Technicians Section ACT Group **Seminar** 'Government publications' 9.30am-4.30pm **Theatrette 'J' Block, Canberra College of TAFE, Reid**. Contact: Robyn Lee (062) 47 8176.

JULY 8 LAA Cataloguers Section ACT Group **Brief Business Meeting** 5.30pm. **Monthly Committee Meeting** 6pm 'Discussion on cataloguing problems' **Seminar Room, Menzies Bldg, ANU Library**. Meeting for 1982 will be held on the second Thursday of each month, same time, same place as above. Dates of future meetings: 12 August, 9 September, 14 October, 11 November, 9 December (AGM). Wine and cheese. All welcome. Contact: Philip Keane (062) 89 8177 or Helen Livingston (062) 52 2916.

AUGUST 5 LAA ACT Branch **Council Meeting**. 5.30pm **Readers Lounge, NLA**. Meetings will be held first Thursday of each month (except April), same time, same place as above. Dates of future meetings: 2 September, 7 October, 4 November, 2 December (AGM). Contact: Janet Perfrement (062) 66 3572.

AUGUST 29-SEPTEMBER 1 Conference 'International cooperation in Chinese bibliographical automation' **Asian Studies/Law Lecture Theatre, ANU, Canberra**. Contact: Enid Bishop (062) 49 5111.

OCTOBER 15 Canberra TAFE Library Studies Consultation Committee **Seminar** 'Horses for courses — job design for library technicians'.

OCTOBER 25-26 ACI Computer Services **Orbit New and Advanced User Training Courses**. **Canberra**. Contact: Steve Cartland (062) 47 0988.

OCTOBER 27-28 ACI Computer Services **Ausinet New User Training Course**. **Canberra**. Contact: Steve Cartland (062) 47 0988.

OCTOBER 29 NLA/ACI Computer Services 'ANB and APAIS' **Ausinet Training Courses**. **Canberra**. 2 sessions morning and afternoon. NLA (For info sheet) 14/82 referred. Registrations: Steve Cartland (062) 47 0988.

Western Australia

JULY 28 LAA Information Science Section WA Group **Film evening** 7.45pm **Art Gallery Theaterette, James St, Perth**. 'The Silicon Factor' (a sequel to 'Now the Chips are Down'). All welcome. Contact: Ian Stone (09) 328 7466.

NSW

JULY 3 LAA NSW Branch Council **Monthly Meeting, Conference Room, Fisher Library, Sydney Uni**. Meetings held second Wednesday of each month, same place. Dates for future meetings: August 11, September 8, October 13, November 10, December 8 (venue TBA). Any LAA member welcome as observer. Contact: Hon Secretary Philomena Lapsley (02) 692 1122 or President Marea Terry (02) 692 2888.

JULY 6 Government Special Libraries Group **Inaugural meeting** 12noon **State Office Block**. Contact: Robin Vincin (02) 266 7115 or Nina Grant (02) 268 8111 ext 8045.

JULY 6 LAA Special Libraries Section NSW Group **Mid Year Dinner**. **Weinkeller, 72 Pitt St, Sydney**. 6-9pm. Contact: Maria Gemenis (02) 270 9582.

JULY 7 LAA NSW Branch **Meeting** 6 for 6.30pm 'Meet the President' **Galleries, State Library of NSW**. An informal meeting with Judith Baskin, 1982 LAA President. Contact: Philomena Lapsley (02) 692 3257 or Ian Gordon (02) 230 8563.

JULY 8 LAA Hunter Regional Group **Meeting** 5.30 for 6pm **New Lambton Public Library**. Speaker: Judith Wright. Contact: Julie Young (049) 61 7355 by 6 July.

JULY 8 Australian Law Librarians Group **Networking Committee Special meeting** to discuss shared cataloguing network in NSW. 12noon **Uni of Sydney Law School Library, Browning Room, Level 6**. All welcome. Contact: Lyn Pollack (02) 230 8228.

JULY 8 LAA Law Librarians Group **Special meeting**. **University of Sydney Law School Library, Phillip Street** discuss the report from the networking committee. For further information contact: Lynn Pollock (02) 230 8228.

JULY 10 LAA South Coast Regional Group **Meeting** 'Getting the library up front' 9.00am-4.00pm **Glennifer Brae**. Speakers: Dulcie Stretton, Chris Donally, Dr Neil Adams and others on writing press releases, communications, lobbying, printing and promotion. Contact: Georgia Green (042) 28 7330.

JULY 12 LAA Cataloguers Section NSW Group and IBBY **Meeting** 'Cataloguing a multicultural collection' 6 for 6.30pm **Galleries, State Library of NSW**. Speaker: Ms M. Casey, Ms M. Kumvaj and Ms M. Santos. Contact: Andrew Wells (02) 88 9083.

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JULY 12-13 ACI Computer Services **Orbit New and Advanced User Training Courses**. Sydney. Contact: Katie Blake (02) 698 6297.

JULY 14-16 ACI Computer Services **Ausinet New and Advanced User Training Courses**. Sydney. Contact: Katie Blake (02) 698 6297.

JULY 19 NLA/ACI Computer Services 'ANB and APAIS' **Ausinet Training Courses**. Sydney. 2 sessions morning and afternoon. NLA (For info sheet) 14/82 referred. Registrations: Katie Blake (02) 698 6584.

JULY 19 **Second Public Meeting** concerning the establishment of the Children's Literature Research Collection in NSW 6.30pm **Ground floor meeting room, City of Sydney Public Library, Queen Victoria Building**. Contact: Liz Maher (02) 29 5070 ext 10.

JULY 19-20 Macquarie University CE Program **Workshop** 'Toys in libraries: selecting, processing, using'. Cost: \$110 (incl lunch both days). For further details contact: Mini-course Secretary (02) 888 8000 ext 9283.

JULY 21 LAA Public Libraries Section NSW Group **Meeting** 'Branch library: grass roots or out on a limb' 6.30pm Venue to be announced. Branch library workers share their experiences and discuss the opportunities and problems unique to their situation. Contact: Murray Love (047) 32 2422 ext 314.

JULY 21 LAA Cataloguers Section NSW Group **Dinner** To honour Miss Janet D. Hine 6 for 6.30pm **Peacock Gardens Restaurant, 100 Alexander St, Crows Nest**. Cost: \$20 per head. RSVP with payment by 19 July to Mrs Janet Robinson, Office of Library Co-operation, 8th Floor, CAGA Centre, 8 Bent St, Sydney. Enquiries: Mrs E. Greig (02) 88 9084.

JULY 28 LAA Information Science Section NSW Group **Meeting** 'New issues in archives' 6 for 6.30pm **Conference Room, Archives Office, 2 Globe St, The Rocks**. Speaker: D.J. Croft (Principal Archivist, Archives and Records Management Office of NSW). Contact: Enid Roberts (02) 240 4530.

JULY 29 Australian Society of Archivists Sydney Branch **Workshop** 'Introduction to micrographics' **Conference Room, Archives Office of NSW, 2 Globe St, The Rocks**. Cost: \$20 (incl lunch), \$15 for ASA members. Contact: K. Oakes (02) 660 0914 or T. Robinson (02) 27 3953.

AUGUST 11 LAA NSW Branch Council **Seminar** 'Collection building and management' 2.15pm **Holme Bldg, Uni of Sydney**. Speaker: Dr Frederick Ratcliffe (Uni Librarian, Uni of Cambridge). Numbers Limited. Contact: Philomena Lapsley (02) 692 3257 or Marea Terry (02) 692 2888.

AUGUST 19 LAA Cataloguers Section NSW Group **2nd Annual Mollie Thomson Memorial Lecture** 'Networking' 6 for 6.30pm **Galleries, State Library of NSW**. Speaker: Susan K. Martin (Director, Milton S. Eisenhower Library, The John Hopkins University). Contact: Janet Robinson (02) 240 4530 or Janne Worsley (02) 662 3332.

SEPTEMBER 29-30 ACI Computer Services **Orbit New and Advanced User Training Courses**. Sydney. Contact: Katie Blake (02) 698 6297.

OCTOBER LAA Special Libraries Section NSW Group **One Day Seminar** 'Information management'. Time and place to be advised. Contact: Jenny Adams (02) 82 0244 ext 337.

Mollie Thomson Memorial Fund

THE FUND TO honour Mollie Thomson, FLAA, former Deputy Librarian at Macquarie University, now stands at nearly \$6,000. In accordance with the original intention to purchase a work or works of art, it has been decided to commission a crafts-person to work on a window in stained glass for the Library.

A small committee has been formed to specify requirements, and to select and commission the artist. The Committee consists of Mollie's husband, Jim Falconer, three members of the Library staff, Eoin Wilkinson, Eugenie Greig and Gordon Fleet, with the advice and assistance of the Architect-Planner at Macquarie University, Wally Abraham.

It is hoped that this work will provide a fitting memorial to Mollie's interest in contemporary art and design and the part they can play in the life of a University and its library and in the wider community.

Insert in this issue

People living in NSW are the only ones to get an insert in this issue — a white newsletter from the NSW Schoolies. Please contact this office if your *InCite* is missing this insert.

Retirement of Janet Hine

MISS JANET D. HINE retires from the State Library of New South Wales this July after 40 years of service. The last 16 years have been spent in the Cataloguing Department — 12 of them as Head Cataloguer — and it is probably as a cataloguing commentator and promoter of Australian standards that Janet is best known to the library profession. However, she has also served in a variety of other posts in the State Library, including years of experience in reference work with the Mitchell and Dixon collections, also three years as London Liaison Librarian for the Mitchell Library.

Janet Hine's contribution to cataloguing theory and practice has a special character and a place in the tradition of original and critical thinking which has been passed down over many years at the State Library. It is a contribution extending well beyond the bounds of that institution.

She has written and reviewed on a variety of subjects, especially her particular interests, Australian subject headings and place-names. Her writing has provoked much thought and pricked a fair few balloons, while she has heavened the lump of many a meeting.

John McKinlay has dedicated to Janet his recently-published list of Australian subject headings, *FLASH*, with the words

There were many individual correspondents. The most consistent was Janet Hine who, although never really in sympathy with the project, provided an invaluable stream of advice and information, combining qualities of wit and wisdom which no subject heading list, unfortunately, can hope to emulate. This edition is, therefore, dedicated to her, in gratitude, and in the hope of making a convert.

With perhaps special sympathy for part-time students, having gained honours in English and Philosophy as an evening student at the University of Sydney, Janet lectured in various courses organised by the Library Association of Australia for Registration candidates.

Janet became an enthusiastic member of the LAA's Sydney Cataloguers' Group and of the subsequently-formed Cataloguers' Section. She is also a member of the Australian Society of Archivists and the Australian Society of Indexers. She has many indexes to her credit and usually another one in hand.

We wish Janet well in what promises to be a full and varied life in her retirement.

In the Happenings section of this issue, there is a notice about a dinner in her honour being organised by NSW Cataloguers' Group and to which Janet's friends and colleagues are cordially invited.

Small miscellaneous advertisements are accepted at the rate of \$8 per line, \$24 minimum.

ACHLIS — The Australian Clearing House for Library and Information Science (in association with LISA) needs **your** publications from 1981 onwards.

Send two copies (with invoice if necessary) to ACHLIS Co-ordinator, FIT Library, PO Box 64, Footscray Vic 3011.

To place an advertisement in this column contact Assistant Publications Officer, LAA, 473 Elizabeth Street, Surry Hills NSW 2010. Phone (02) 698 4100.

Macquarie University Library Reader Services Department

SENIOR LIBRARIAN GRADE 1

Position No 82/73

Applications are invited from suitably qualified librarians for the position of Reader Education Librarian in the Reader Services Department of the University Library.

The successful applicant will be responsible to the Associate University Librarian (Reader Services) through the Deputy Reader Services Librarian, for the direction of the Library's reader education program. As well as advising, co-ordinating and training library staff involved in reader education, the duties of the position will include the planning of library orientation programs, the preparation of library publications issue by the Reader Services Department, and some line responsibility for staffing in the Information Services Section.

The minimum qualification for appointment is eligibility for professional membership of the Library Association of Australia, provided the applicant's qualifications include a degree from a recognised University or College of Advanced Education or an equivalent qualification. Demonstrated ability in conducting and organising reader education in an academic library is essential, and supervisory experience would also be highly desirable.

Commencing salary will be determined within the range \$20,313 (\$387.38 per week) (x5) to \$23,154 per annum (\$443.75 per week) according to experience.

For further information about this position please telephone Miss J. Knox, Associate University Librarian (Reader Services) on (02) 88 9277.

Macquarie University provides four weeks annual leave together with generous sick leave and long service leave benefits. Superannuation is available after a qualifying period.

Applications in writing giving full details of qualifications and experience and quoting the position number and names of two referees should be lodged with the undersigned by Friday 6 August 1982.

North Ryde 2113

J.B. Manning
Bursar

University of Sydney

SENIOR LIBRARIAN

The position is that of Orders Librarian to head the Orders Department with a staff of 12, and to be responsible to the Associate Librarian (Technical Services) for placing and receipt of orders and for maintenance of commitment and other financial records. Acquisitions experience desirable.

Applicants must hold a degree of a recognised university, CAE or equivalent, be eligible for professional membership of the Library Association of Australia, and have relevant experience.

Salary within the range Senior Librarian Grade 1: \$20,213-\$23,154pa.

Applications giving full particulars of qualifications and experience and the names and addresses of two referees should be forwarded to The Librarian, University of Sydney, Sydney 2006, not later than 16 July 1982.