

James Estrada, director of the Trecker Library at the University of Connecticut, Hartford, was presented with the 1994 Special Achievement Award by the Connecticut Library Association.

Karen Nelson Hoyle, director and curator of the Kerlan Collection of Children's Literature at the University of Minnesota, received the 1994 Distinguished Alumni Award from St. Olaf College, which she graduated from in 1958. For the last 25 years Hoyle has built the Kerlan Collection into one of the largest such repositories in the world. In 1992 she received an honorary doctorate from the University of St. Thomas and the Minnesota Library Association's Distinguished Achievement Award.

Mohammed Aman, dean of the School of Library and Information Science at the University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, was awarded the Black Caucus of the American Library Association (BCALA) Leadership Award at the Second National Conference of African American Librarians in August. Aman is a founding member of BCALA.

Gladys Smiley Bell, coordinator of electronic information services at Kent State University, Ohio, received the 1994 Distinguished Service to the Profession Award from BCALA. The awards are given to librarians, educators, and trustees who have shown distinguished service to the profession, scholarship, service to the

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community, and active participation in BCALA.

Ernie Ingles, director of libraries at the University of Alberta, received the Outstanding Academic Librarian Award of the Canadian Association of College and University Libraries, presented at that society's annual meeting in Vancouver. The award is based on service to the profession, the planning and implementing

of exemplary library programs, research and publication, mentorship, and leadership.

Jessie L. Matthews, reference and evening librarian at Rutgers University Law Library, has been named the 1994 recipient of the Spirit of Law Librarianship Award, presented annually to the American Association of Law Libraries member who makes a contribution toward the improvement of a social condition or the increased awareness of a social concern. Matthews is being honored for her work with the Patient Learning Resource Center at the Magee Rehabilitation Hospital in Philadelphia.

William A. Moffett, director of the Huntington Library in San Marino, California, was re-



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necting a multistate consortium of public and private colleges and universities to a public library and an historic library." This funding was originally in the Senate-passed version of H.R. 4606 where S. Rept. 103-318 indicated that "Portland State University, in conjunction with the Oregon Historical Society, would be especially suited to operate" such a program.

The Senate had passed a total of \$8,270,000 for HEA II-B research and demonstrations, with \$3,994,000 for "demonstration projects involving the digitization of research library collections and the development of related organizational tools for access to these digital resources." However, House-Senate conferees cut the Senate total to \$6.5 million, deleted the digitization projects, and switched \$2.5 million of that funding to bring the statewide fiber optic network project funding to \$5 million. ■

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cently presented with the 1994 Alumni Achievement Award at the Simmons College Graduate School of Library and Information Science's Alumni Day.

Mary Joyce Pickett, director of library services at Illinois Benedictine College, has been elected president of the LIBRAS consortium of 18 northern Illinois private academic libraries. She will serve during the 1994-95 fiscal year.

William Gray Potter, director of libraries at the University of Georgia, and **Ellen Waite**, university librarian at Loyola University of Chicago, have been elected to six-year terms on the OCLC Board of Trustees.

The Oxford Dictionary of American Legal Quotations (Oxford Univ. Press, 1993) by **Fred Shapiro**, associate librarian for public services at Yale Law School, has been named the winner of the 1994 Joseph L. Andrews Award by the American Association of Law Libraries.

Linda Watson, director of the Claude Moore Health Sciences Library at the University of Virginia, has been appointed by Gov. George Allen to a three-year term on the State Networking Users Advisory Board. The nine-member board advises the state librarian and State Library Board on the development and direction of the Virginia Library and Information Network.

Appointments

Carolyn Gray has been named director of library services at Florida Gulf Coast University. Gray has served since 1988 as associate director for public services and library development officer at Brandeis University, where she also served as assistant director for technical services and automation, and associate director for technical and reader services. Before that she held positions at Western Illinois University, the University of Oklahoma, and the AMIGOS Bibliographic Council.



Carolyn Gray

Paul Kobulnicky has been named director of university libraries at the University of Connecticut, Storrs. He previously served as interim director of the University Library System at the University of Pittsburgh since 1990. Kobulnicky received his B.S. in physics and math from Pennsylvania State University, and his MLS in administration and systems analysis from the University of Pittsburgh.



Paul Kobulnicky

Rush Miller is now director of the University Library System at the University of Pittsburgh. Before joining Pittsburgh, Miller was dean of libraries and learning resources at Bowling Green State University (1986-1994); director of the libraries at Sam Houston State University (1982-1986); and director of library services at Delta State University (1975-1982). Long active in ALA and other professional associations, Miller has published many articles on topics like TQM, multiculturalism in libraries, and support staff development.



Rush Miller

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Paul Schrodt has been appointed director of the John W. Dickhaut Library at the Methodist School of Theology Library in Ohio.

Kevin Starr, professor of regional and urban planning at the University of Southern California (USC), has been appointed state librarian of California by Gov. Pete Wilson, who said, "Starr has a statewide and national reputation as an expert on California. Over the years, he has distinguished himself as a public librarian, a historian, a journalist, and a communications consultant." Starr will remain on the USC faculty and will teach one course there. He previously served as city librarian of San Francisco.

Rick Bean has been named coordinator of O'Hare Campus Library at DePaul University, Des Plaines, Illinois.

Michael Biggins is now assistant Slavic and East European librarian at the University of Washington, Seattle.

Richard Bleiler is now reference librarian/selector for the humanities at the University of Connecticut, Storrs.

Jan Blodgett is the new college archivist and records management coordinator at Davidson College in North Carolina.

Navjit Brar has been appointed access services/periodicals librarian at Trenton State College, New Jersey.

Barbara Butler is now reference librarian at Sonoma State University, Rohnert Park, California.

Nancy Chaffin is now bibliographic services librarian at Arizona State University West.

Cynthia Churchwell is the new social sciences reference librarian at the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

Martha Creedon has been named library reporting specialist in the Office of Information Systems at Harvard University, Cambridge.

Francine DeFranco has been promoted to Reference Services Unit head at the University of Connecticut, Storrs.

Ann Dykas has been named to a two-year position as retrospective conversion project librarian at the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

Alison Elms is now coordinator of the Oak Brook Campus Library at DePaul University, Westchester, Illinois.

Margaret Ericson has joined Tufts University in Medford, Massachusetts, as head of the Music Library.

Joanne Evanoff has been appointed science/reference librarian at the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks.

Nancy M. Godleski has joined the Central Library at Vanderbilt University, Nashville, as bibliographer/reference librarian.

Anne Gordon is now head of technical services at DePaul University Library, Chicago.

Frank Graubart-Cervone is now Systems Department head at DePaul University Library, Chicago.

Mary Hawkins has become a member of the staff of the Kansas Collection at the University of Kansas.

Karen Inghis has been appointed coordinator of the South Campus Library of DePaul University, Oak Forest, Illinois.

Amy Leimkuhler is the new special collections reference librarian at the University of Missouri-Kansas City.

Patrick Mahoney has been named business/reference librarian at the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks.

David R. Majka has been named reference librarian/business specialist at Robert Morris College, Coraopolis, Pennsylvania.

Stephen Mantz is now music librarian at Davidson College, North Carolina.

Hideyuki Morimoto is the new Japanese cataloger at the University of California, Berkeley, East Asian Library.

Eva S. Moseley has been appointed acting director of the Schlesinger Library at Radcliffe College, Cambridge.

Thomas A. Peters has been appointed associate director for collection development at Northern Illinois University, DeKalb.

Nancy S. Reinhardt has been named special collections librarian at Colby College in Waterville, Maine.

Julia Robinson is now reference librarian at Ohio University, Lancaster.

Beverly Ryan is the new bibliographic systems librarian at the University of California at Santa Barbara.

Tony Stukel has been named director of ODIN, the Online Dakota Information Network headquartered at the University of North Dakota, Grand Forks.

Aaron Trehub has been named acting director of the Illinois Researcher Information Service at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Jim Walsh has joined the Arts & Sciences Library at Tufts University in Medford, Massachusetts, as head of reference.

WeiWei Wang is now assistant law librarian at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Joyce Wright has been appointed undergraduate librarian at the University of Illinois at Urbana-Champaign.

Retirements

Eva L. Kiewitt retired as associate dean of Regent University Library & Information Services in July after 13 years in that position. Before joining Regent, Kiewitt served as associate professor and librarian at the School of Library and Information Science at Indiana University, Bloomington. She served on many ALA and

ACRL committees, authored *Evaluating Information Retrieval Systems*, and coauthored the first two editions of *The Directory of Curriculum Materials Centers*. She has been named librarian emeritus at Regent.

Lois J. Lehman retired in August as dean of library and information services at Regent University in Virginia Beach, Virginia. During her 47-year career, Lehman taught at all levels and served as a librarian in public, school, and university libraries. She has been active in ALA and ACRL, coauthored the first two editions of *The Directory of Curriculum Materials Centers*, and served as chair of ACRL's Education and Behavioral Sciences Section's committee that produced *The Directory of Historical Curriculum Collections*. She has been named librarian emeritus at Regent.

Norman D. Stevens retired as director of university libraries at the University of Connecticut (UC), Storrs, in May, when he became emeritus director. Before joining UC in 1968, Stevens served as acting university librarian at Rutgers University, and acting director of university libraries at Howard University. He has authored or edited 12 monographs, and written more than 175 articles and more than 100 "Our Profession" columns for the *Wilson Library Bulletin*. He is known for his writings on library humor and his collections of librarians and library postcards. He's been a life member of ALA since 1957.



Norman D. Stevens

at Davidson College in North Carolina, died in June at the age of 87.

Louis Kaplan, emeritus professor, retired chief librarian of Memorial Library, and director of university libraries (1957–1971) at the University of Wisconsin-Madison (UWM), died in July at the age of 85. Kaplan's career at UWM spanned the years 1937 to 1977, interrupted by a three-year leave to serve in World War II. During that time he organized the first Reference Department of the library and played a leading role in the design of library facilities, including Memorial Library and College Library. He taught in the UWM library school until his retirement in 1977.

John Kelly, chief bibliographer at the University of Alabama since 1990, died in July. Kelly formerly served as university bibliographer and curator for special collections at the University of Southern Mississippi and as special collections reference librarian at Mississippi State University.

Patricia Miller King, Carl and Lily Pforzheimer Foundation director of Radcliffe College's Schlesinger Library on the History of Women in America since 1973, died of lung cancer last May. King's career at Radcliffe included overseeing a \$3.4 million renovation in 1987. In 1990 the Schlesinger Library received the Distinguished Service Award from the Society of American Archivists, and in 1993 the Carl and Lily Pforzheimer Foundation contributed a \$2 million gift to endow King's position. Chair of the National Council for Research on Women's Board from 1989 to 1992, King also served on the membership committees of the American Antiquarian Society and the Massachusetts Historical Society. ■

Deaths

Joseph C. Borden, serials librarian at Purdue University until his retirement in 1974, died on June 10. Borden had also served as associate librarian at the University of Arkansas (1947–1965) and on the staff of the New York Public Library.

Chalmers G. Davidson, college archivist (1975–1994) and library director (1936–1975)

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