

# Personnel

## PROFILES

Purdue University has announced the appointment of Joseph M. Dagnese as Director, Libraries and Audio Visual Center, effective January 10. He comes to Purdue from the



Joseph M. Dagnese

Massachusetts Institute of Technology, where he has been Assistant Director of Libraries for Technical Services since 1966.

His educational background includes a bachelor's degree in English from Boston College, and a master's degree in English from Catholic University.

Further work at Catholic University earned him the M.S.L.S. degree in 1952. On this foundation he has built a record which includes a wide range of professional activities and experience.

Mr. Dagnese joined the MIT libraries in 1960 as head of the acquisitions department. This was followed by the dual responsibility of science librarian and head of the circulation department.

Other libraries have benefited from his professional insights. During 1966 and 1967, Mr. Dagnese was library consultant to the Birla Institute of Technology and Science, Pilani, India, on a Ford Foundation-sponsored program. A six-week visit there in 1966 was followed by a one-year residence in 1967. He is presently an adviser to the program.

In 1970 Mr. Dagnese was consultant for the Ford Foundation at Delhi University Library. Mr. Dagnese has been active in the Special Libraries Association, both in the Boston Chapter and nationally. Other memberships include the American Library Association and National Microfilm Association.

Royce Butler, a native Canadian, has returned to Canada to become Director of Libraries and Professor of Bibliography at the University of Manitoba replacing Mr. David Wilder. Butler brings to Manitoba a wide range of experience gained in American and Canadian libraries.

His background includes positions as head of technical services at the University of Denver, 1962-1965, and associate director of libraries at York University in Toronto during 1965 and 1966 where he played a major role in developing the preliminary program for their new central library which opened in the fall of

1971. Before accepting the directorship at Manitoba, Mr. Butler served as university librarian and later Dean of the Library at Oakland University, Rochester, Michigan from 1966 through 1971.

The five years spent at Oakland University added greatly to the experience that he had already gained. He again wrote a building program for a main library and also helped to gain full faculty rank and status for his staff.

His contributions to the profession have been as varied as those he has made to his employers. He was founding editor of the *Colorado Academic Library* in 1963, he has published in various library journals, and has been an active participant and leader in state as well as the American and Canadian library associations.

His credentials as a leader in academic librarianship should stand him in good stead at the University of Manitoba.

## APPOINTMENTS

CAROLYN AMSTUTZ has been appointed to the catalog division of the University of Washington libraries, Seattle.

MARCIA J. BATES has joined the School of Library and Information Services of the University of Maryland, College Park, as lecturer.

LARRY X. BESANT has joined the staff of Ohio State University, Columbus, as their assistant director of libraries for public service.

EDGAR W. DAVY has joined the MIT libraries, Cambridge, as Dewey librarian.

DONALD P. HAMMER has accepted the position of associate director for library and information systems at the University of Massachusetts/Amherst library.

MURIEL HOWELL has been appointed associate librarian in the catalog department of the University of Maryland Library, College Park.

PHYLLIS E. JAYNES has assumed the duties of engineering and business librarian at Dartmouth College, Hanover, New Hampshire.

OLIVIA KREDEL is now serving as associate librarian in the library of the School of Library and Information Services at the University of Maryland, College Park.

VIVIAN LEWIS has been named associate librarian I in the acquisitions department of the University of Maryland Library, College Park.

IMRE MESZAROS will be an adjunct lecturer in the University of Maryland's School of Library and Information Services, College Park.

ZDENKO MILETIC has recently been appointed assistant law librarian and instructor in legal bibliography, College of Law, University of Oklahoma, Norman.

Mrs. HELEN MITCHELL received appointment to the staff of the serials cataloging department in the MIT libraries, Cambridge.

Mrs. LUCILLE SIBULKIN has assumed the position of head of technical services at Adams library, Rhode Island College, Providence.

PATRICIA STEVENS has been named associate librarian I in the catalog department of the University of Maryland library, College Park.

JANE WEISEMANN has been appointed associate librarian I in the serials department of the University of Maryland library, College Park.

SANDRA WILSON has been appointed to the position of assistant preparations librarian at the Kansas State University library, Manhattan.

MARY BETH WOLFE received the appointment of assistant reference librarian at the Norris Medical library, School of Medicine, University of Southern California, Los Angeles.

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