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REUNION AT A.L.A.—WILL YOU BE THERE?

April, 1932

To the University of Illinois Library School Association

DEAR FELLOW MEMBERS:

I cannot tell you how eagerly I am anticipating the A.L.A. meeting and the opportunity which it gives of welcoming you to Louisiana and New Orleans. Those of you who have had the pleasure of visiting New Orleans will, I am sure, want to get back and wander again under the overhanging galleries with their hand wrought iron railings. Those of you who will be seeing New Orleans for the first time have a treat in store for you.

Our Illinois dinner is to be held Wednesday, April 27, at the Patio Royal, a charming French restaurant with a fascinating open courtyard in the heart of the Vieux Carré. I won't tell you in detail about the things you are going to see for I don't want to lessen your pleasure of discovery.

Please watch the bulletin at Headquarters and sign for reservations for the dinner on Monday, as the number must be reported Tuesday morning. The price will be \$2.20, which includes tips.

I hope that we will have a large representation of alumni in New Orleans.

Cordially yours,

LOIS F. SHORTESS, '23

President

To the Class of 1931:

Greetings from New Orleans! Although the last News Letter shows that we are scattered to all parts of the country, it is time for a reunion. Let's have a big one on April 27th at the Library School dinner. There is no need for me to write of the interesting things to do in New Orleans, or of the fine meetings which are being planned. I just hope that most of us will be here, for we "Intimate strangers" must have a grand time at this—our first A.L.A. Meeting.

MARY HELEN JAMES, '31

Tulane University Library

POST-CONFERENCE TRIPS

Dear Alumni—North, South, East, and West:

As a new-comer to the south I urge you to come to New Orleans the last of April if you can possibly arrange to. The charm of this old southern city will repay you for a long journey, as will also the hospitality of the southern librarians and library workers.

I also want to extend to each and all of you a cordial invitation to visit Baton Rouge on the post-conference trip, for there you will find the new state capitol of Louisiana, the Louisiana Library Commission, the State Supervisor of School Libraries, and the new School of Library Science of Louisiana State University.

MARGARET M. HERDMAN, '14

School of Library Science,
Louisiana State University

DEAR FELLOW ALUMNI:

Perhaps you have visited New Orleans before and perhaps not, but unless you have seen the country along the upper Teche river reaches, you have not seen Louisiana, for here, in the region made famous by Longfellow, are the full-blooded descendents of the ancient Acadians, who came to seek a new home free from the heavy hand of the British régime in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick. A more bountiful land could scarcely be found, yet in spite of all nature has done, man has managed to first adorn and then spoil. Up and down the Teche from Patterson to Arnaudville one finds old homes once the pride of the country and now rambling ruins. Houses which once re-echoed to the laughter of the children of Evangeline's happier companions now serve as homes for the rat and owl.

A few, however, have been preserved or restored and the Barbour Home not far from Franklin is one of these.

Mrs. Flack and I have visited most of the places of interest in the Teche country and were quite pleased when we were asked to take charge of the proposed Teche post-conference tour, for we were glad to feel that we might help others see and appreciate the things we had grown to care for—the land of wonderful moss-festooned oaks, silent streams and chattering French people dwelling in the teeming rushing new world. A land where time seems to have stood still while the rest of the country was ever gathering momentum.

We trust that we will see many familiar faces in New Orleans next month and that many of our friends will be with us when we visit the grave of Longfellow's Evangeline in the quaint old town of St. Martinsville.

C. R. FLACK, '26
Librarian Southwestern Institute
Lafayette, La.

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DO WE HAVE YOUR LATEST ADDRESS?

During the year demands have been made upon the Library School office records for information of several kinds which it has been a bit difficult to answer as quickly as might have been desired. For example, our graduates are always interested in knowing who the other alumni in their state or region are. Lists showing the geographic location of former students have been compiled from time to time, but, as is customary with lists on sheets, they were often out of date before they were completely typed. The record is now being made on cards, so that with each item of news showing change of position or location, the individual record can be shifted and the whole file always kept up to date.

Again, it has been hard to know how many people we had in specific types of work. In the cases of the few recommendations which it has been necessary to make, information concerning the experience and salaries of specific types of workers has only been available, if at all, after searching several records. In consequence, an index by position is being compiled.

Other questions we are called upon to answer constantly are: "What is Miss Former Student's married name?" "We are writing to Mr. Former Student—what is his title?" Latest addresses, changes in position, honors acquired, date of death, are other details which we are expected to know accurately. We cannot keep our records accurate and exact unless the alumni help us.

If you have not sent us news of yourself recently, may we hear from you, so that our new records may be as accurate as possible?

LETTERS FROM MISS SIMPSON

Penang
January 1, 1932

We got out of Manchuria quite safely, but none too soon, in my opinion. I judge that our party has been the only group of tourists who ventured as far as Mukden this fall; at least, I haven't heard of any others!

Since I wrote you last, I have been through the Dutch East Indies and found them, particularly Bali, quite up to specifications. Bali is beautiful and not like any other spot I shall be likely to see. There are no railroads, so all of our travel was by motor and we had a splendid chance to see the country and the people. We spent four or five days there, and then went back to the port where we landed to get the next ship for Java.

The most interesting thing in Java was the Barabudur Temple, almost our first day. Java is much more sophisticated than Bali, but otherwise is much like it. We had fine weather most of the time—I recall only one rain—and not too warm. In fact, I have been agreeably surprised at the coolness of the tropics. Except for the middle of the day, when we stay indoors it is quite comfortable, I have experienced more discomfort in Urbana!

Singapore, where I received most of my Christmas mail, while a thriving and busy, and in some parts, beautiful city, was a disappointment to me. We stayed at the famous "Raffles" Hotel, and it is living on the memory of its past glories, I judge, for it is one of the poorest places we have experienced. The little hotels and rest-houses in the Dutch East Indies, were clean, and very attractive, but the less said about Raffles the better! We came from Singapore here, stayed a day and two nights, and took the train to Bangkok, where we had a most enjoyable four days on our way to Angkor, where we arrived Christmas Eve. Angkor-Vat, Angkor-Thom, and the rest of the ruins which we were able to see were beyond description. How such groups of stone buildings could have disappeared from human ken for over five hundred years is to me still a marvel, though the *Jungle* will explain much!

By the way, we stopped for the night at the border between Siam and Cambodia, en route to Angkor, and learned that a tiger hunt was planned for that night to get rid of a beast which was troubling the farmers in the neighborhood! At last account, the tiger was still alive! Two days again in Bangkok and train back here, where we stay until tomorrow noon—then all aboard for India!

I am writing in a little balcony which looks out over the lower part of the Bay of Bengal. All of the bed-rooms in the tropics have verandahs or balconies, a very pleasant and comfortable feature! This climate is cooler than Siam and has fewer mosquitoes! They were terrible in Bangkok. (Time out for afternoon-tea!)

Later—Since we lunch at 1 P.M. and dine at 8 or 8:30 P.M., tea at 4 is almost a necessity, and I am becoming a devotee, I fear.

I must close now and pack the bags!

Bombay
February 1

Bombay is a very pretty place and the cleanest city I have seen since we left Tokyo. Of course, there is a strong *western* influence in evidence here. We had feared that we might be annoyed here because of being taken for English as most of the Indians do not discriminate, and, of course, this is a strong Ghandi locality, but so far we have had no trouble whatever aside from a little annoyance from some Hindu *women* in Benares, and that didn't scare us at all. They simply lined up as we passed and cried "Bombay martyr! Bombay martyr!" meaning of course Ghandi as it was soon after his imprisonment.

It is hard to foresee what will happen here. Mohammedans (about 70,000,000) and Parsees (perhaps 12 to 15 millions—perhaps not so many!) are likely to go against anything that the Hindus want! So there you are! Most of the native states, we were told, do not allow Ghandi doctrines to be promulgated, and they include about a quarter of the population, part Hindu and part Moslem. (Oh! I'm learning lots over here! In fact, I'm so *crammed* with information all the time that its a wonder I don't burst!)

I am enjoying India much more than I had feared I would. It is not nearly so dirty as I had been led to suppose, and we have had wonderful weather. Only one or two rains since we left China or rather Japan,—one in Java, and one in the Malay states, and both times we were traveling by train

and were under cover all of the time! This is their cold season, of course, and it is unusually dry and somewhat dusty, but aside from that, we have been most comfortable all of the time. For the next four days, we shall be going south to Madras, Madura and Ceylon, and it will be very warm, I suppose. Every one says Ceylon is lovely, and I am looking forward to the few days I shall spend there.

I spent Christmas at Angkor-Vat, a spot about as removed from the idea of Christmas as could be imagined, but we had a wonderful four days there climbing about among the ruins. New Year's day we were back at Penang, waiting for our boat to Calcutta.

I never imagined the stone carving and sculpture we should see here. The Taj Mahal is only one of many beautiful marble structures. This morning we went over to an island (Elephanta) to visit some wonderful temples in caves, and again found remains of magnificent carvings, over 1200 years old.

I reach Egypt (Suez and Cairo) on Feb. 22, and expect to take a 16-day tour in Egypt and Palestine, between two Dollar ships. I shall get my tickets, etc., from Cook's and will have almost no responsibility for details myself. On March 9 I sail for Naples on the Van Buren, and after that my plans are not entirely fixed.

Red Sea
February 18

Last night we passed Aden on the southern tip of Arabia, went through the Straits of Babel-Mandeb, and are now in the Red Sea steaming up the coast in sight of the islands off of the Egyptian or Abyssinian coast. The Red Sea is much choppiest than the Arabian Sea was, and the ship is rolling considerably this morning.

I leave the ship next Monday morning at Suez and shall spend the sixteen days between the two Dollar ships in Egypt and Palestine; if my plans as made now are carried out.

The trip in Ceylon was delightful but too short, as the Monroe changed her schedule and sailed two days sooner than had been advertised. That gave me only three days in Ceylon and it was far too short a time to see much. I left my party at Kandy in the mountains, and went alone by train to Colombo where I spent a day and a half and then came aboard.

I am very comfortable; have a nice cabin for two with no roommate, the food is good (it seems like heaven to have lettuce, fresh tomatoes, cucumbers, hot cakes and *decent* coffee once more!) and the people are very friendly.

India was marvellous and I wouldn't have missed it for anything, but travel there is not easy and my impressions are confusing and contradictory. I don't think that I care to go back. China and Japan, particularly Peking, I feel quite differently about. The weather has been wonderful almost all of the time, but it was the dry season and the dust was terrible. I think I have swallowed or inhaled not *pecks* but *bushels* of dirt this winter. It seems so strange to have had no winter, at all, and I simply can't realize that spring is already on the way. We were warned that the Red Sea would probably be *hot*, but the breeze is so fresh this morning that I had to put on a jacket and finally came inside to write.

After the early part of April, until about May 1, I shall be in Rome, Italy, c/o American Express Co., and from May 1 until about June 1, c/o American Express Co., Florence, Italy.

March 11
At sea, somewhere in the
Mediterranean.

I have been "on the jump" almost literally since we landed at Suez considerably over two weeks ago, as I tried to "do" Egypt, Palestine and Spain, in sixteen days! It can't be done, is my verdict, though I made a fairly good attempt. As I have probably written I was "*personally conducted*," (literally) by Cook's office. I had no traveling companions except my drayman and driver

for 16 days, and I recommend it as an excellent way to get about all there is to get from one's guide; to my surprise, I was not lonely for a minute! I suppose I hadn't time to think about being alone!

We did Cairo Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, seeing the usual sights—Pyramids, Sphinx, Mosques, Bazaar, etc., and on Thursday evening, I took the night train for Luxor where I spent two very interesting, and (except for the pestiferous *flies*) pleasant days. Again I saw about all there was to be seen there, including the Valley of the Kings, King Tut-Ankh-amen's tomb, the Tombs of the Queens, the Ramesseum, and Memnonium Colossi, as well as the Temples of Karnak and Luxor, both of which, or *all* of which, are exceedingly interesting. I was fortunate, both in Cairo and at Luxor, in having intelligent guides who spoke fair English.

I did not get up to Asman, much to my regret, but if I went to Damascus and Baalbek, there wasn't time! The most interesting thing I have seen in Egypt was the Cairo Museum, to which I returned *by myself* the last day for another visit! At King Tut's Tomb, I saw the Inspector-General of the Dept. of Egyptian Antiquities, with no less a person than *Mr. Carter*, who is still there, planning new excavations!

The night train again to Cairo and a day at Shepherd's Hotel where I had been earlier, and I was ready for the trip to Palestine. I was most fortunate in having a single compartment both nights in Egypt, and no one *over me* on the way to Jerusalem, my *last night journey*, I hope!

Cook's man met me at the station, took me to the hotel, did everything except eat my breakfast for me! and after breakfast, my Palestine guide and I started out for the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, which kept us busy for most of the morning. Somehow, I wasn't thrilled! Too many ornate chapels built by warring faiths do not incline one towards reverence. There are five Christian bodies, all claiming representation at most of the sacred spots in and around Jerusalem! They don't always agree, I am told!

In the afternoon we drove to Bethlehem, where unluckily, we ran into a big cruise, just arrived, and quite noisy. That would have spoiled the Church of the Nativity for any one! On the way back, we stopped at the Garden Tomb, which many believe to be the real site of Calvary and the Tomb of Our Lord. After that the Mt. of Olives, to me the loveliest place, except Gethsemane, near Jerusalem.

The second day was devoted to a drive down to the Dead Sea and Jericho, stopping at the Garden of Gethsemane as we left the city. I was agreeably disappointed in the Dead Sea, it is a beautiful sheet of water. We had luncheon at Jericho where there is not much of interest remaining, and drove back to Jerusalem to find the rain which we had left in the morning, had stopped, but the air was bitterly cold, a sharp contrast to Jericho and the Sea where it had been warm and balmy.

The third day we devoted to Jerusalem, visiting the great Mosque (Dome of the Rock) on Mt. Moriah, via Dolorosa (of course, the real street lies about thirty feet below the present level, and one goes *down* to the chapels marking all the sites!) In the afternoon, Mt. Zion near the hotel took some time—King David's Tomb, which no non-Moslem may enter, the Citadel, David's Wall and Gate, and one or two other spots occupied a couple of hours. Then I went to Cook's to arrange about the remainder of my tour, and get money changed. When I left the office, I was carrying *five* kinds of money—Egyptian, Palestinian, Syrian, British, and Italian! Can you beat it? I'm from now on a firm believer in an international medium of exchange!

The rest of my tour in Palestine and Syria must go until another letter, as we land tomorrow at Naples and I must *finish packing*. (I could do it now "with my eyes shut and one hand tied behind me!") The eleven o'clock beef-tea has just appeared and it is cold enough to make a hot drink very acceptable! I hope Italy will be warmer!

ALUMNI PUBLICATIONS

Arthur R. Curry has a poem "In the Library" in the *News Notes* of the Texas Library Association, January, 1932.

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Harriet E. Howe, "The Library School Curriculum," *Library Quarterly* 1:283, July, 1931.

Grace O. Kelley, "The Subject Approach to Books: An adventure in curriculum" has been reprinted from *Catalogers and Classifiers Yearbook*, Number 2, 1930.

Betty H. Pritchett, librarian of Coe College, has just issued a "Library Handbook" for the College.

Christine Sanders writes on "Problems Faced by a Young Commission" in *Library Journal* 57:18, January 1, 1932.

Mary E. Silverthorn has an article "Standards in Selecting Fiction" in the *Michigan Library Bulletin* 23:5, January, 1932.

Henry G. Statham, "Library Service to Alumni of American University" in *D. C. Libraries* 2:49, 1932, issued by the District of Columbia Library Association.

Agnes Tomczak writes on "The Library School's Responsibility" in the *Library Journal* 57:200, February 15, 1932.

Jerome K. Wilcox, "U.S. Reference Publications, a Guide to the Current Reference Publications of the Federal Government." Boston, Faxon, 1931 (Useful Reference Series No. 43.)

ALUMNI GOSSIP

The December number of *Libraries* and also its last appearance as a periodical was in honor of Mary Eileen Ahern, its editor since its beginning in 1896. The number contained many letters and articles from librarians all over the country expressing their appreciation of Miss Ahern's contribution to the library profession, many of the letters were deeply appreciative of the great personal inspiration and help which Miss Ahern had always given, especially to the beginner. Her warm interest in people, her keen wit, her wide knowledge of affairs and her insight into the real needs of the profession won her many warm friends and made *Public Libraries* (later *Libraries*) a real factor in library progress.

Harriet E. Howe, '02, is director of the School for Librarianship at Denver, Colorado, not assistant director as stated in the last letter. Her home address is 960 Sherman St., Apt. 5, Denver.

Helen T. Kennedy, '03, is at present cataloging the Museum Library at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Josie B. Houchens, '05, will again be an instructor in the Summer Session of the School for Library Service, Columbia University.

Mary B. McClellan, '05-'06, formerly reference librarian at White Plains, N.Y., is in charge of the Inter-Racial Service Department of the Hartford, Conn., Public Library.

Elizabeth E. Wilson, '07, is on the catalog staff of the Public Library at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Fenimore Schwartz, '14, is taking a prolonged vacation and is living in Knoxville, Ill. She visited the University not long ago and says she is having a good time remodelling her home, searching for antiques, and incidentally she is a board member of the Knoxville Public Library and is giving some assistance in cataloging the library.

Stella Galpin Trowbridge, '14, has been working half time in the catalog department of New York University, taking the place of Frances Klank Stunkard, who is spending the year in Europe. Prof. Stunkard is on the faculty of New York University, and is on a sabbatical leave.

C. H. Stone, '16, librarian of the College for Women at Greensboro, N. C., will give several courses this summer at the School for Library Service, Columbia University.

Spencer Robinson, '18, is resigning from the University of Rochester medical library to become librarian of Wilmette College at Salem, Oregon.

Jackson E. Towne, '22, who has been librarian and director of the Library School at George Peabody College, Nashville, Tennessee, has resigned and on April first will become the librarian of the Michigan Agricultural College at East Lansing, Michigan.

Octavia Rogan, '24, resigned from her position as reference librarian of the Rosenberg Library, Galveston, Tex., to become the librarian of the Masonic Grand Lodge of Texas at Waco.

Claire Luger, '24-'25, was married September 3, 1927, to John H. Gillen. They have a daughter Joanne Claire and are living at 1617 Thorne ave., Chicago.

Julia C. Pressey, '26, has resigned from the faculty of the Library School of Emory University, Atlanta, and will become Head of the Office for D.C. numbers, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Dorothy Cornwall Lewis S.S., '26, is map librarian in the library of the Department of State, Washington, D.C.

Louise Edmondson, '26-'27, has been appointed librarian of Marshall College, Huntington, West Virginia.

Frances H. Norris, '27-'28, who had been teaching for some years at the J. Sterling Morton High School at Cicero Illinois, died on the 3rd of August, 1931, after an operation. She was recovering nicely when she had a fall which caused her death.

Madeline Canova, '28-'29, is now loan librarian of the University of Texas Library at Austin, Texas.

Gordon Gray, '28-'29, has resigned from the reference department of the University of Missouri to become a member of the reference department of the College of the City of New York.

Eileen Velde, '27-'28, formerly an assistant in the State Library Extension Division at Springfield, Illinois, is now Mrs. Ralph Surman and is living at Carlinville, Ill.

Anne Jensen, '28-'29, is librarian of the Graduate School of the American University at Washington, D.C.

Phoebe Ruth McHenry, '28-'29, is librarian of the Christian College Library, Columbia, Missouri.

Myrne Moffit, '28-'29, is in the Veterans' Hospital Library at Lexington, Kentucky.

Gladys M. Smith, '28-'29, resigned from the University of North Carolina Library and is now assistant librarian of Winthrop College, Rock Hill, S.C.

Estella Roy, '28-'29, was married March 12, 1932, to Mr. Fred

Crane of Chicago. She will continue, for the present, in her position at the Southern Illinois State Normal University, Carbondale, Ill.

Anna L. Thrall, '28-'29, is a cataloger at the Public Library at Evansville, Indiana. Her home address is 709 E. Powell ave.

Henry G. Statham, '29, has resigned from his position as librarian of the American University at Washington, D. C., and has accepted a position with the Library of Congress.

The Class of 1930 has issued number 2 of their class News letter and it is full of interesting news from many members of the class. A few of the following items were found there.

Dorothy Heyl Jones (Mrs. Roger Warren Jones), '29-'30, is assistant librarian of the School for Library Service at Columbia University. Her home address is 434 West 120th st., N.Y.

Helen R. Miller, '29-'30, is assistant librarian in the law library of the University of Iowa, Iowa City.

Arthur E. Gropp, '29-'30, was married Jan. 16, 1932, to Miss Dorothy Geddes. He is librarian of the Middle American Research Department of Tulane University, New Orleans. Mrs. Gropp has been in library work at Mackenzie College in Sao Paulo, Brazil.

Wave L. Noggle, '29-'30, was married on August 16, 1931, to Miss Elizabeth Grace Conard. They are living in Champaign and Mr. Noggle is continuing his work for his A.M. degree.

Ruth Rinkle, '29-'30, was married on September 3, 1931, to Ray Spaeth. They are living at 48 Boylston st., Cambridge, Mass. Mr. Spaeth is a student in the Harvard Business School.

Mary J. Scrimger, '29-'30, is now Mrs. Ray Treichler and has a position in the library of the Texas A. & M. college, College Station, where Mr. Treichler has a position on the research staff.

Zona Gale Stevenson, '29-'30, was married on April 10, 1932, to Mr. Lucius Fitch. They are making their home in Des Moines, Ia.

Margaret Eckels and Rachel Minick, '29-'30, are both on the staff of the Enoch Pratt Library at Baltimore, Maryland, and are enthusiastic about their work and life in Baltimore.

Gretchen Knieff, '29-'30, has an interesting position in the County Library at Santa Monica, Calif. She describes her department as a cross between Reference and Circulation work.

Edmon Low, '29-'30, is still at the East Central State Teachers College, Ada, Okla. He and Mrs. Low say that the most important event in the last two years is the arrival of their daughter Frances Kathryn on June 1st, 1931.

Leone Mayer, '29-'30, is librarian of the Junior-Senior High School at Iron Wood, Mich.

Susan E. Miller, '29-'30, is librarian of the Henry Clay High School at Lexington, Kentucky.

Margaret C. Woolward, '29-'30, was the assistant librarian of the Wisconsin Telephone Company until October when she was appointed head of the North Avenue Branch Library of Milwaukee Public Library.

Irma M. Woods, '29-'30, is in the Circulation department of the City Library, Wichita, Kansas.

Dorothy G. Martin, '29-'30, spent last year doing graduate work at the Library School of Chicago University. She now has a position in the Catalog department of the University of Chicago.

Mildred A. Nelson, '29-'30, is librarian of Wasatch Academy, Mt. Pleasant, Utah.

Fay Cuzner, '29-'30, is librarian of the Lincoln School Library, North Hibbing, Mich.

Rutillia James Eubank is the librarian of the County Library, Lubbock, Texas. She says she is the order and accession librarian, the cataloger, and the reference librarian, etc., and thinks she has a full job.

Alice E. Paine, '29-'30, is librarian of the Senior High School, Grand Island, Nebraska.

Agnes Tomczak, '29-'30, has a position in St. Louis University Library, St. Louis, Mo.

Kathryn Adams, '29-'30, is on the staff of the Northwestern University Library, Evanston, Illinois.

Mary Anderson, '29-'30, is cataloging at the Public Library, Alliance, Ohio. She writes that she made the catalog of the new Junior High School which was opened this fall.

Vera Estelle Cook, '29-'30, is librarian of the Portland Branch library, Rochester, N.Y.

Ruth Hoff, '29-'30, is head of the periodical department of the University of Kansas Library, Lawrence, Kansas.

Henrietta Howell, '29-'30, has a position in the catalog department of the University of Tennessee, Knoxville, Tenn.

Eleanor M. Chapple, '30-'31, was recently married to Mr. C. N. Saltus. Their home will be in Duluth, Minn.

Margaret Oldfather, '32, received her A.M. degree in February and is now in the catalog department of the Ohio State University Library, Columbus, Ohio.

Alumni Holding Positions in Louisiana and Neighboring States

ALABAMA

Albert, Mattie L., Ensley Branch of Birmingham Public Library, Ensley.
Case, Cleona L., Talladega College, Talladega.
Suter, Dorothy A., Alabama College for Women Library, Montevallo.
Tillia, Virginia E., Minor High School Library, Ensley.
Williams, Walter B., Tuskegee Institute Library, Tuskegee.

ARKANSAS

Beck, Florence, now Mrs. Thomas L. McGlachlin, Teachers College, Conway.
Boudinot, May F., John E. Brown College, Siloam Springs.
Cooper, Nina M., Loan Department, University of Arkansas Library, Fayetteville.
Courter, Elma I., Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia.
Cunningham, Mrs. Ruth McFadyen, University of Arkansas Library, Fayetteville.

Dunlap, Norma L., Public Library, Little Rock.
Earle, Clara, College of the Ozarks Library, Clarksville.
Heuver, Eleanor M., State A. & M. College Library, Jonesboro.
Holladay, Lois P., Ouachita College Library, Arkadelphia.
Knerr, Ina H., Catalog Department, University of Arkansas Library, Fayetteville.
Malone, Elizabeth M., Junior High School Library, Jonesboro.
Matthews, Jim P. (Miss), University of Arkansas Library, Fayetteville.
Millar, Ethel K., Hendrix-Henderson College Library, Conway.
Perkins, Phyllis C., Little Rock Junior College Library, Little Rock.
Sanders, Christine, Free Library Service Bureau, Department of Education, Little Rock.
Snook, Vera J., Public Library, Little Rock.
Upchurch, Grace, Loan Department, University of Arkansas Library, Fayetteville.

Wilson, Bertha K., Fort Roots, U. S. Veterans' Hospital Library, North Little Rock.

FLORIDA

Brown, Otye Burnice, Circulation Department, Public Library, Jacksonville.
Cummins, Theodosia A., Catalog Department, University of Florida Library, Gainesville.
Donahey, Ethel E., Periodical and Binding Department, University of Florida Library, Gainesville.

GEORGIA

Howard, Clara E., Library School, Emory University, Atlanta.
Leatherman, Marian, Agnes Scott College Library, Decatur.
Pressey, Julia C., Library School, Emory University, Emory University.
Spence, Dorothy V., Bessie Tift College Library, Forsyth.
Torrance, Mary, Catalog Department, Emory University Library, Emory University.
Wyeth, Ola M., Public Library, Savannah.

LOUISIANA

Boylan, H. Elaine, Louisiana State University School of Library Science, Baton Rouge.
Campbell, Mrs. Ruth Bates, Reference Department, Hill Memorial Library, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge.
Cook, Maud M., Catalog Department, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge.
Davis, Reba (Mrs. Clinton Clevenger), 2127 Carondelet st., New Orleans.
Flack, Charles R., Southwestern Louisiana Institute Library, Lafayette.
Foote, Lucy B., Catalog Department, New Hill Memorial Library, University of Louisiana, Baton Rouge.
Gropp, Arthur E., Middle American Research Department Library, Tulane University, New Orleans.
Harper, Harriet R., Dodd Junior College for Girls Library, Shreveport.
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