

# BIBLOS



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## THE LIBRARIAN'S STATEMENT

The library is becoming a large and complex organization. Over 175 staff members maintain the Main Library and its three branches, the Woodward Library, the Law Library and the Curriculum Laboratory. More branches are being planned. Inevitably in such an organization people often fail to meet one another and divisions are not always aware of each others' activities. The staff newsletter BIBLOS will attempt to solve a growing problem of communication, and will carry information of both an official and non-official nature. Staff members are urged to submit to members of the editorial committee any news or announcements they wish to circulate.

## THE EDITORIAL COMMITTEE'S STATEMENT

We, as a new body, initiating a new means of library-wide communication, quite simply ask for help and co-operation in collecting material and in making your opinions known. We welcome both your views and your problems in that we will gladly air them in published print. If we can act both as a staff sound board and as a news media, we may fulfil some useful need. Most importantly, we smile!

### WE ARE-

Jay Kincaid, Chairman	Cataloging
Pat Gorgenyi	Acquisitions
Jill Buttery	Science
Susan Lissack	Social Sciences
Mike Matthews	Circulation
Marilyn Berry	College Library now Sedgewick Library
Ture Erickson	Woodward Library
Jeanette Fish	Law Library
Eleanor Mercer, Recording Secretary	Extension Library

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Anyone wishing to circulate material in next month's BIBLOS should please contact one of us before November 23rd.



Senate Library Committee

The Senate met on October 21st and approved appointment of the following Senate Library Committee for 1964-65:

Dean I.M. Cowan, Chairman

Dr. John Norris

Dr. Malcolm F. McGregor

Dr. Sydney Friedman

Dr. K.C. Mann

Mr. F.E. Walden

Dr. S. Rothstein

Chancellor

President

Librarian

Registrar

ex-officio

Staff Authors

Mr. Stuart-Stubbs displayed Canadian Book prices current, 1959-62, v. 3, compiled by Rita Butterfield, and assisted by R.M. Hamilton. This useful and important work lists the prices of Canadiana in recent years. The first two volumes were compiled by Mr. Hamilton before he came to UBC.

School of Librarianship

The School has requested that its students be scheduled, as before, to observe at the Information Desk; and next term to man the desk, under guidance.

On Friday, November 20th, the School will make a field trip to Victoria, to visit the University of Victoria Library, Victoria Public Library, the Queen's Printer and the Provincial Library. Librarians who can be spared from their duties are welcome to join the group-please notify the School office, local 712. Return fare, approximately \$6.00. The chartered buses will leave Blanca Loop at 8:00 a.m. and return on the 7:00 p.m. ferry.

## DEPARTMENTAL LIBRARIES

A draft policy on library units outside the main building, prepared in 1963, will be worked on again. It is hoped, after possible revision, to get this statement adopted as definite University policy.

## BUILDING

The architect expects that most of the alterations will be complete by November 15th, although the work on heating and ventilation will probably go on until the end of November. The new stack entry in the front hall should be ready by October 26th, and the Processing divisions should be reunited on Floor 7 by November 2nd. The shelving has only recently been shipped from England; shelf reading will be completed by November 15th. Mr. Bell hopes to convince the University that a thorough post-construction cleaning, done by outside services, is essential - which it is.

The portraits of chancellors and presidents in the concourse will be removed to various other locations: the concourse wings, the new Reserve Book Room, and to the Fine Arts Room entry. The portrait of Dr. Sedgewick will be hung in the College Library, and that collection will be renamed the Sedgewick Library.

## DID YOU KNOW

Library notice boards are for our own announcements only, and occasionally for worthy campus causes. The Librarian will send a statement of this policy to the Ubysey.

FRONT-OFFICE

CLEANINGS



Mid-Term Break

At its meeting on October 21st, the University Senate passed a motion approving a mid-term break, March 4,5,6, for those Faculties in which a recess would not adversely affect the academic programme. This break would require cancellation of lectures and laboratories but would not mean a closing of the University. The Librarian asked the Chairman of Senate (President Macdonald) if the Library was to be closed. The Chairman of Senate (President Macdonald) replied to the Librarian that the Library should remain open.

Gifts and Exchanges

The needs of other academic libraries in the province should be our first priority in distributing duplicates. In order to ensure that this is done, Eleanor Mercer will scrutinize all incoming gifts to establish which items are suitable for inclusion to academic libraries and which duplicates should be offered just within the province.

A PLEA TO ALL STAFF

All material taken from the stacks for xeroxing must be signed out.

Periodicals are wandering! Please! Staff members must sign out all periodicals - on a Library Use only basis. Librarians have faculty borrowing privileges

HAVE YOU TRIED TO CALL

LATELY



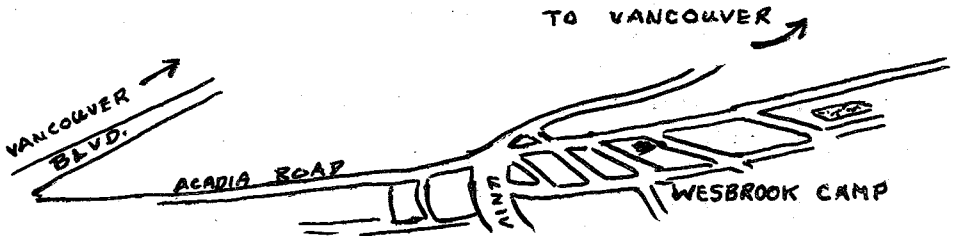
We offer a preliminary list of Library locals with additions and changes to be announced when available.

Acquisitions (7th floor)	426
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*You used to*

# KNOW YOUR LIBRARY

THE UNIVERSITY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA



In this mammoth structure where we work, we have by now discovered nothing is sacred, or even worse, stable. Unfortunately, a complete scanning of all present and future changes would fill an entire BIBLOS. Therefore, in compromising fashion, we will mention the newly created departments and introduce the first of a series of write-ups on individual divisions and libraries.

## MAP DIVISION

All maps have been moved to a new area on floor seven, south wing. The Division will be open from nine to one and two to five, Monday to Friday. It is hoped to develop closer liaison with the Geography Department's map collection in anticipation that the collections might one day be merged in better quarters. Personnel of the Division: Maureen Wilson, Head; Jean Poy, Library Assistant; two student assistants. Until next July Miss Wilson will be working part time with government documents. N.B. - The atlases are remaining on the SSD balcony.

GOVERNMENT PUBLICATIONS DIVISION

All the government documents which have been housed in the Social Sciences Division are now in a newly created Government Publications Division on floor 6, in the old Bio-Medical section. Personnel: Suzanne Dodson, Head; Maureen Wilson, Librarian, part time; Lorraine Lintner, Library Assistant ... In addition, three clerks from SSD are responsible for filing the documents.

ACQUISITIONS DIVISION

For purposes of administration, the Acquisitions Division has been divided into two sections with distinct responsibilities.

Acquisitions - Orders

Functions: Searching	O/P catalogues
Orders - Checking	Duplicates
Revising	Gifts & Exchanges

Staff:

Dorothy Shields, Head.	
Pat Gorgenyi	Sheila Hogg
Paulina Kerman	Janet Yuan
Hannelore Kaye	Judy Williams
Elizabeth Bouscholte	Yvonne Forsythe

Acquisitions - Funds and Invoicing

Functions: Ordering	
Receiving	Funds
Reports	Orders - Typing

<u>Staff:</u>	Rita Butterfield, Head	
	Julius Benyovits	Maria Haas
	Patricia Dew	Pat LaVac
	Georgina Clark	Siu-Cheong Siu
	Anne Bolton	Gwen Mirvis
	Janet LeRoy	Vivi Jorgenson



WOODWARD LIBRARY

Here are a few, approximately factual, notes about us. To get to us from the Main Library, come south on East Mall and turn left (east) behind the Westbrook Building. If you would rather not brave such a tortuous route, you could phone us at the following:

Circulation - 151,152,153

Anita DeRuyter  
Joanne Davey  
Elsbeth Hughes  
Sheryl Miller

Cataloging - 147(148-soon?)

Bill Parker  
He looks after our filing, etc. while Barbara Gibson in Main Library does the rest.

Consulting Psychiatrist, Memorial Collection, trouble shooter (she and Helen Allen are our answer to Red Adair)  
Hildegard Spaulding - 147 (148)

Head Furniture Mover, Head of Coffee Committee - 145,146.  
Doug McInnes

Keeper of the Spiral Staircase (It's true!) secretary to Drs. Gibson and McKechnie  
Terry Haughian - 269, 470 (224-3320)

Inter-Library Loan - 147 (148)  
Peg Leighton

Xerox - 147(148)  
Colleen Copithorne

Serials - 147(148)  
David Thomas  
Betty McAully  
Teri Hepplewhite

Reference- 147(148)  
Helen Allen  
Elizabeth Jupp  
Bill Parker  
Jean Rennie  
Ture Erickson

Secretary - 145,146  
Dorothy Sheppard

Branch at the Vancouver General Hospital - TR 6-4844  
John Cummings  
Deirdre Perth  
Leslie Coutts  
Betty McAully  
David Thomas  
Luba Scripnikoff

Our collection covers the life sciences and the medical sciences. Roughly that restricts us to the following areas:

QH - Natural History (Biology)	QP - Physiology
QK - Botany	QS - Human Anatomy
QL - Zoology	QT - Human Physiology
QU - Biochemistry	QY - Clinical Pathology
Qv - Pharmacy and Pharmacology	QZ - Pathology
QW - Bacteriology	SH 1 - 399 - Fisheries
QX - Medical Parasitology	W - Medicine, Dentistry

While most books and journals in these classifications are in the Woodward Library, there are many exceptions, and specific questions should be directed to the Information Desk and Location File in the Main Library before sending people to the Woodward. As well, it will probably be simpler to direct people wanting information about, or requests from the Branch, to Woodward.

The Woodward Memorial Room houses the Woodward Historical Collection (history of medicine and science). Among the names of collections and funds represented are Wellcome, MacIntosh, and Leake.

Library Hours

Mon. - Fri.	8:00a.m. - 12:00 p.m.
Sat.	8:00a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
Sun.	1:30p.m. - 5:30 p.m.

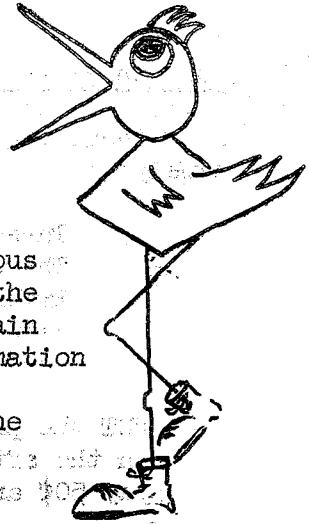
Reference & Circ. Hours

Mon. - Fri.	8:00a.m. - 9:45 p.m.
Sat.	8:00a.m. - 4:45 p.m.
Sun.	None

Night phone outside exchange area - 224-1147.

It had to happen! (On the phone) "Woodward Library".  
"Woodwards??"  
I wanted UBC"!

SOMEONE ANNOUNCES



Campus Delivery

It has been arranged that materials requested by faculty for delivery on campus will be delivered to them directly from the Woodward on the same basis as from the Main Library. Requests for delivery or information should still be directed through Campus Delivery, local 711. Requests made by the Bio-Medical Branch (V.G.H.) for material likely to be in the Main Library are now being processed by Main Campus Delivery.

Sir Ouvry announces

as of Sept. 21, a new bus service along 41st Ave. and Marine Drive up Agronomy Road, around the campus and back again. The two morning runs and four afternoon runs are timed to fit in with the beginning and end of lectures.

Woodward Library finally announces

that the official opening of the building will be held on November 12th with all pertinent dignitaries taking part; tea will be served. Library staff members who can be spared are invited to attend.

Mr. MacInnes hopes to arrange, before the opening date, a tour for Library staff.

Cirriculum Laboratory insists

it is open in the evenings and on Saturday afternoons as a reading room only. Only a student is in attendance, and no service can be given.

You can skate at the U.B.C. Sports Arena

Faculty and staff have the same hours as the public, namely:

Tuesday 12:45 - 2:45 and 7:30 - 9:30  
Thursday 12:45 - 2:45  
Friday 3 - 5 and 7:30 - 9:30  
Saturday 3 - 5 and 7:30 - 9:30  
Sunday 12:45 - 2:45 and 7:30 - 9:30

BUT the prices differ. The public are charged 60¢ in the afternoon and 75¢ evenings. Faculty and staff pay 50¢ and 60¢ respectively.

The Library participates in Young Canada's Book Week Program, Nov. 16-22

Monday, 16 November 8 p.m. Central Van. Pub. Lib.

Auditorium: Sheila Egoff feature speaker on "Why not Nancy Drew and the Hardy Boys"?

Tuesday, 17 November 8 p.m. Eric Hamber Secondary School

Auditorium: Bill Wood, moderator and Eleanor Hoeg, panelist: "Student use of libraries; are we still planning for yesterday"?

A full program for YCBW will appear on library noticeboards later this week.

In this day and age

It may be possible, if there is enough interest, to have a course on computer programming given in the Library.

Would any interested staff members please contact Robert Harris, Circulation Librarian.

## STAFF LITERARY ENDEAVORS

The Science Division recently published Scientific and Technical Serials in the University of British Columbia Library.

Copies of the publication have been sent to relevant departments and reading rooms on the campus, and to a number of scientific and technical libraries in Canada and the U.S. Additional copies are on sale at the UBC Bookstore.

Barbara Gibson, Cataloging Dept., in the April B.C. Library Quarterly (only recently published) discusses "Professional ethics for librarians". Have we read this?

ADLIB, mouthpiece of the Library School, wishes to announce its rejuvenation after a year's absence from the publishing world. The first issue should be available in the waning weeks of November.

## PERSONALITIES

Mrs. Helen Constable transferred from Gifts and Exchanges to the Science Division on October 1, 1964.

Miss Sheila MacEwan, Library Assistant in the Acquisitions Division, is now known as Mrs. Sheila Hogg.

Mrs. Barbara Parker, until recently a member of the Serials Division, now has a second son, Gavin Sydney, born on October 5, 1964.

Luba Scripnikoff, as of November 1, 1964, has been appointed Clerk I at BMB.

Terry Haughian, ex of the Reserve Book Room and Vancouver Times, has rejoined us at Woodward in the capacity of secretary with the Dept. of History of Medicine.

FAÇETIÆ

Lost,  
strayed,  
or stolen

The Sunday contemplations of the Head Librarian were recently interrupted by the distress call of a co-ed whose dogfish was spending the week-end in the Science Division - through no fault of its own. A thorough search of the Science Division and environs revealed only silverfish. So, in some dark corner of the Science Division lurks a dogfish - pickled we hope!



We  
are  
threatened



BEWARE of and guard against Sedgewick Library's "Phantom Book Collector". A frustrated student? faced with, in his opinion, an insufficient one day loan period, is challenging our bureaucracy by collecting library books.

Signed  
Phantom (B-B)

PLEASE LEND TO ME!

The Main Loan Desk realizes the extent of its numerous responsibilities. Nowever, even they were somewhat nonplussed when faced with a sweet young frosh applying for student \$ loans at the Main Loan Desk. The extent and scope of their services are to be commended.

Why did Bill Bell walk  
through the Science Division's glass

Wall ?

What do they do?

Where there were five librarians in the main office there are now three. Present areas of responsibilities are as follows:

Basil Stuart-Stubbs: Administration and Faculty contacts  
Processing  
General Figurehead Responsibilities

Bill Bell: Budgets  
Personnel  
Suppliers and Equipment

Bert Hamilton: Collections  
Reference Services

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VS.

Basil

