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Constitution, Southeastern Chapter, A.A.L.L.

Art. II. Object:

The purpose of the chapter is to stimulate a spirit of mutual helpfulness among law librarians of the Southeastern region, to promote professional growth, and to further the development and usefulness of law libraries in the Southeastern region.

Lexington Meeting :

At the Saturday morning meeting of the Association, a report was given on two regional library organizations of general interest to law librarians in the Southeast. They were the SIRF and ASERL. Miss Corinne Bass presided over the discussion period which followed, during which a number of matters were brought up. Ruth Corry was appointed as the Atlanta member to contact SIRF; Dorothy Salmon to contact Mr. Thompson of the University of Kentucky in the matter of Documents Exchange problems; Mary Oliver was invited to use her discretion in contacting library schools in the area or the Ass'n of American Library Schools, to investigate the matter of encouraging interest and recruiting library school graduates into law librarianship... Suggestions that perhaps law school deans and library school deans may be of considerable assistance were forwarded; Stanley J. Bougas was appointed to bring out the NEWSLETTER; Mary Oliver has been appointed to the Board by the SE Law Teachers; those members printing up acquisitions list were requested to place member libraries on their mailing list; as the SE Union list of serials will contain periodicals holdings of the various member organizations, the proposed periodicals master list was shelved; ... the SECAALL will not meet with the Law Teachers in 1957. The Georgia member present volunteered to sponsor the meeting in Atlanta in 1957. Miss Bass appointed the 1957 local arrangements committee which includes John Folger, Vera Jameson, Ruth Corry, Chairman, all of the Georgia State Library, and Stanley J. Bougas of Emory Law Library. Miss Coffman of Mercer and Miss Gillam of the University of Georgia were invited to participate...

Respectfully submitted,
Mary W. Oliver
Acting Secretary

The members of the chapter who attended the Joint Meeting were invited to attend the Legal Research Panel sponsored by the SE Law Teachers. The discussion centered about the research done by the legal institutes at Vanderbilt, North Carolina, and Michigan.

At the chapter luncheon, Lawrence Thompson of the University of Kentucky gave an informative talk on document exchanges between libraries.

The cocktail party and banquet held at the Lafayette Hotel was the most successful affair of the meeting.

Announcements

The President announced that Dorothy Salmon of the University of Kentucky has been chosen President-elect and Minnette Massey Secretary-Treasurer for 1957-58.

The 1957 meeting of the American Association of Law Libraries will be held at Colorado Springs, Colorado. Our hosts will be the Frank Shepard Co. and the Cooperating Universities. The dates for the meeting are June 24-27 and headquarters will be at the Antlers Hotel. Further information will be forthcoming to the membership in the next few weeks.

Dues are due. Get your blanks on page 3

The Association of Southeastern Research Libraries was organized recently. Its main purpose will be to improve the resources and services of libraries in this region.

News Notes

Mary Oliver has been made a member of the SE Law Teachers Board. Miss Oliver is the first woman to be so honored.

Jane Oliver Green, former Georgia State Librarian is the Executive Secretary of the Vanderbilt Law Review, while her husband Prof. Thomas Green, Jr. is a visiting Professor at that Law School.

Miss Vera Jameson, associate state librarian now heads the Georgia State Library.

Two new comers on the Georgia law library scene are Miss Gray Gillam of the University of Georgia Law Library and Miss Patricia Coffman. Miss Gillam has taught school and held a number of library positions since receiving her B.S. in Library Science from North Carolina. Miss Coffman is from Tennessee, with a law degree from Cumberland University, a member of Tennessee Bar and had been in private practice prior to entering the law library field

1957 SECAALL Meeting.

Plans and a program are being drawn up for the 1957 meeting. The Georgia librarians will be hosts this year and further suggestions and opinions are requested by the local arrangements committee for program panel ideas. The membership will be urged to let the Georgians know well in advance as to attendance and preferred dates for the meeting.

The reports on practice materials for the Southeast make their initial appearance with this Newsletter. Enough margin has been allowed for those who may wish to put it in a binder of some sort. Alabama, Georgia and North Carolina appear in this number; it is hoped three more shall be ready for the next issue.

Editors

Attached is the form for use in returning 1956-57 dues for membership in the Southeastern Chapter, A.A.L.L. Please check the proper box and mail dues to:

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