COLORADO COUNCIL OF MEDICAL LIBRARIANS

NOTICE OF MEETING

WEDNESDAY, JANUARY 25, 1984

PLACE: Porter Memorial Hospital
2525 South Downing Street
Denver, CO 80206

Hostess: Karla Britain

MEETING ROOM: Dining Room 2 - located at back of cafeteria. The cafeteria is just inside the main entrance on the right.

ONLINE USERS: 8:30 - 9:00 Helen Ann Brown

COFFEE: 9:00 - 9:30 Please introduce your guests to Janet Holton

BUSINESS MEETING 9:30 - 10:15

1. Introduction of guests and new members
2. Review of minutes
3. Treasurer's report
4. Introduction of 1984 officers
5. Education Report - Connee Wethey
6. LA/LT Task force report
7. Salary survey
8. Dues increase - Barbara Hamilton
9. MLA annual meeting report - Charles Bandy
10. Announcements

BREAK: 10:15 - 10:30

PROGRAM: 10:30 - 11:30

Dr. Jim Huber, Medical Director of the Baromedical Service, will speak on the recently installed hyperbaric oxygen chamber at Porter, the only one of its kind in the Denver area.
X - PORTER MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

2525 S. DOWNING

P = Visitor & Outpatient Parking
The regular bimonthly meeting of the Colorado Council of Medical Librarians was held on January 25, 1984 at Porter Memorial Hospital. Out-going President Margaret Bandy called the meeting to order at 9:30 a.m. Margaret introduced our new President, Sandy Parker, and turned the meeting over to Sandy.

Sandy thanked all of the out-going officers and committee chairpersons, including the Nominating Committee, for all of their work and time during the past year.

Sandy introduced the current officers for 1984. They are:

- President Elect: Susan Higginbotham
- Secretary: Bettye Craft
- Treasurer: Vanessa Stephens
- Committee Chairpersons:
  - Membership: Catherine Reiter
  - Member-at-Large: Karla Britain
  - Nominating: Martha Burroughs and Elana Heiberger
- Guests

Janet Holton introduced guests and new members. They were:

- Bobbie Pepper - Rose Medical Center
- Dorothy Wilcox - Fitzsimons Army Medical Center
- Cheryl Kass - Cobe
- Louis Moore - Denver General Hospital
- Cynthia Kinnamon - Rocky Mountain Hospital
- Alfreda Hanna - Ft. Carson Medical Library
- Kate Elder - Ft. Logan Mental Health Center
- Erwin Berry - Spitz Psychiatric Library

Minutes

The minutes of the November 16, 1983 meeting were approved as mailed.

Treasurer's Report

Vanessa Stephens reported a beginning balance of $2,990.48; expenditures for this period were $39.60 and income was $1,262.40; the new balance is $4,213.28.
Education Report

Connee Wethey reported that an Excerpta Medica Course is scheduled for April 16, 1984, from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at BCR. Jeff Gold is the scheduled instructor. His telephone number is (212) 867-9040. The course should allow more online time and some advanced search strategies. It is not known whether free manuals will be available.

Librarian Technicians/Assistants Report

Dorothy Earley reported that the new committee members for the Library Technicians/Assistants Task Force are Dorothy Phillips, Dorothy Sullivan, Rosa Lee Griffin and Marlene Eisold. The Committee has not selected a chairperson as of this date.

Dues Increase

Barbara Hamilton reported the results of the dues increase questionnaire. The results are as follows: 51 people voted yes and 6 voted no.

MLA Meeting Committee

Charles Bandy reported that the speakers have been selected for the meeting. Contributed papers will also be sponsored by some of the sections. The papers, according to Charles, should all be very well done. The Hospitality Desk needs volunteers. Charles also stated that as the Conference draws closer, other activities will come up and he asked for CCML members' support.

Joann Hagerman announced a film festival is scheduled for Sunday and Monday during the MLA Annual Meeting. The festival will emphasize management and administration problems. Only 16mm films please. Persons are also needed to help preview films. Anyone interested, please call 394-8085.

Nancy Simon reported that the Publicity Committee is having some problems. They need at least one other person to help publish the daily newsletter. They expect a requirement of 1,500 newsletters daily.

Journal Locator

Roz Dudden reported that the cover is completed for the Journal Locator. The cover was designed by Pat Perry. The Locator should be out on Monday, January 30, 1984. Invoices will be sent at a later date.

Roz also gave some highlights of her family's recent eight-week trip. Countries visited included the Philippines, Hong Kong, Thailand, Singapore, Australia and Tahiti. Visiting family and friends in far away places, sightseeing, and doing unusual things (riding elephants), had all the ingredients for a memorable vacation. Thanks Roz for sharing some of your adventures and excitement with us.
Announcements

Vicki Milam announced that Denison Library is publishing the 1984 Periodons. The price is about the same as last year's, $15.50. Send your request to Sue Virdell and let her know if you want the spiral edition or the three-hole punched edition.

Sara Katsh announced that a list of AORN Publications and AORN Rival Publications were on display at the meeting for anyone interested.

Anita Westwood wanted dates of the beginning MEDLINE Course. The dates are May 21-25, 1984. The course is free and will be held at CU Medical School. Call MEDLARS Management "800" number to register. Applications also appeared in NLM Technical Bulletin, October 1983.

Sandy Parker announced interest in forming a Patient Education/Consumer Education discussion group. A sign-up sheet was available at the meeting for interested members.

Helen-Ann Brown announced that she will be entering a poster in the MLA Poster Session. Congratulations Helen-Ann.

Marla Graber announced that Nancy Simon will be delivering a Contributed Paper at MLA. Congratulations Nancy.

Joann Roith announced she is moving to Texas. Our thanks to Joann for her contributions to CCML. Good luck, Joann.

An article by Dr. Rogers appeared in last week's issue of "Current Contents - Clinical Practice".

The meeting was adjourned at 10:00 a.m.

Respectfully submitted,

Betty L. Craft
Secretary
Colorado Council of Medical Librarians
TREASURER'S REPORT
January 1, 1984 to January 25, 1984

BEGINNING BALANCE:  $2,990.48

INCOME
DUES  $ 752.50
UNION LIST PARTICIPANTS  387.40
UNION LIST NON-PARTICIPANTS
INTEREST INCOME  47.50
ROYALTIES
CONTINUING EDUCATION  75.00
MISCELLANEOUS
TOTAL  $1,262.40

EXPENDITURES
MAILINGS (bi-monthly, including postage and photocopying), directory  $ 39.60
MEETING REFRESHMENTS
HONORARIA FOR 3 SPEAKERS PER YEAR
CE COURSE EXPENSES
ISABELLE T. ANDERSON COLLECTION  39.60
CONTINGENCY FUND
NEW BALANCE:  $4,213.28

ACCOUNT RECONCILATION
STATEMENT CHECKING BALANCE:
PLUS DEPOSITS IN TRANSIT: no bank statement received as of 1/25/84

LESS OUTSTANDING CHECKS:

RECONCILED CHECKING BALANCE:

Respectfully Submitted,
Council Quotes
Bulletin of the Colorado Council of Medical Librarians

"Men leave arms and legs behind, severed by the frost, and the cruel cold cuts off the limbs already broken."

Silius Italicus [25?-101]
PUNICA, III•552 (tr. by J.D. Duff)

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HUMOR DEPARTMENT from The New Yorker, by Sara Katsh.

MLA 84 HOSPITALITY/INFORMATION BOOTH. The 1984 annual meeting of the Medical Library Association (MLA 84), to be held in Denver, is fast approaching. We need your help in staffing the Hospitality/Information Booth during MLA 84. Please remember to plan a two-hour block of time into your schedule for this most important function. Sign-up sheets will be mailed in March.
JOIN THE HOSPITAL LIBRARY SECTION OF MLA. Any member of the Medical Library Association with an interest in hospital libraries is eligible for membership in the Hospital Library Section. Annual calendar year dues are only $5.00! Please join. We need your support so that we have the kind of representation necessary to promote the interests and act upon the concerns of hospital libraries and librarians. Request an application form from Margaret Bandy at St. Joseph's Hospital or Lyn Hammond at Parkview.

CCML LIBRARY STATISTICS SURVEY FOR OCTOBER 1983. (All institutions are urged to submit statistics. People may contact Helen-Ann Brown at National Jewish, for definitions of what to collect and copies of the monthly form. This is an opportunity for us to compare our workloads and create a meaningful statistical record for ourselves and our supervisors.)

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STATE NURSING JOURNALS. AORN has scattered issues of some state nursing journals. Try AORN before OCTANET (they're cheaper).

HELP FOR AHL YOU CINNERS. Here is a helpful hint to expand the usefulness of the CINAHL Transition Guide. If you are looking for a nursing topic, and there is no MeSH heading comparable to the CINAHL term you are used to, or seemingly nothing close to the terms you were given to work with for that particular search, try consulting the Guide. It will lead you to a tree number that might provide an appropriate alternate term or list of terms. For example, if you are searching for "Direct Pressure Monitoring", you will not find it in MeSH per say, but it is listed in the Guide as "Monitoring, Direct Pressure", with tree number E1.621.460, which places it under "Monitoring, Physiologic", a broader MeSH term. Not foolproof, says Sara, but definitely worth fooling with.

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CHRISTMAS PARTY/Business Meeting. On December 14, 1983, the LA's and TA's had a combined Christmas Party and Business Meeting. The refreshments, brought by each person, helped provide a festive touch to the meeting. Thanks to everyone for their contribution to such a worthy cause! A copy of the CCML TASK FORCE ON LIBRARY TECHNICIANS/ASSISTANTS REPORT was given to each LA/TA who attended the meeting. It was concluded by those present to be quite accurate in stating the LA/TA's feelings and hopes. The report had previously been presented to the CCML general meeting in November. Anyone wishing a copy of the report should contact Marlene Eisold at Lutheran Medical Center.
SURVEY RESULTS (PRELIMINARY REPORT). Dorothy Earley tabulated and presented the ff. facts regarding the LA/TA surveys that have been received to date. Ten surveys have been received: five from hospitals; three from government hospitals; two from other institutions. Seven respondents are FTE; three are PTE.

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JOB SATISFACTION: Very Satisfied=1; Satisfied=6; Unsatisfied=2; No comment=1.

SPECIFIC ASPECTS LIKED IN JOB: Reference work; job variety; working in a small library setting; working independently; working with ILL's.

SPECIFIC ASPECTS DISLIKED IN JOB: Clerical work (most respondents mentioned this); photocopying; too much work; no advancement; lack of recognition.

NEW TASK FORCE MEMBERS FOR 1984. Tentative members are: Dorothy Phillips, Fitzsimons; Dorothy Sullivan, St. Joseph's; Kate Elder, UCLSC; Marlene Eisold, Lutheran; Rosalie Griffin, VA.

PURSUING A GOAL. Mary Aldefer, from Denver General Hospital, is furthering her education by working towards her M.A. at the University of Denver. Best wishes, Mary!

THE NEXT MEETING FOR ALL LA/TA's will be Wednesday, March 21st, at National Jewish Hospital from 3:00 - 5:00 P.M. See you all then.

NEW CCML REIMBURSEMENT FORM. Please duplicate the form on the backside of this page and use it to get reimbursement from CCML. Attach all receipts to the form and mail or give to Vanessa Stephens at the Denver Medical Library. You must use this form to be reimbursed. Your cooperation will be appreciated; this system should speed up your check.


DEADLINE for the next Council Quotes is March 2nd, 1984. Please send all items for inclusion to: Lyn Smith Hammond, Medical Library, Parkview Episcopal Hospital, 400 West 16th Street, Pueblo, Colorado 81003; or call 1-584-4582; or send message via OCTANET "MX" to location "PEP0", user "LYNNH".
Colorado Council of Medical Librarians
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Send this completed form with any receipts to:

Vanessa L. Stephens
Denver Medical Library
1601 East 19th Avenue
Denver, Colorado 80218
Helen-Ann and Brenner are engaged!

ON-LINE USER SWEEPSTAKES Jan 84

1. Divorce rate is up, but aren't more people getting married than divorced?

2. After a divorce, how long until someone remarries?

3. What is the youngest age to now recommend amniocentesis and/or other methods of prenatal diagnosis?

4. What information can you find on interracial marriages, interethnic group marriages, and/or couples of different religions marrying?

5. Do marriages last longer if the couple sought therapy before marrying?