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37TH ANNUAL CONVENTION

The 1951 meeting of the W.V.L.A. will be held at West Virginia State College, at Institute, W. Va., on Friday and Saturday, October 19 and 20, upon the occasion of the dedication of the new library building at the college. Dr. Luther Evans, the Librarian of Congress, and Dr. Errett Weir McDiarmid, the Librarian of the University of Minnesota, will be the conference speakers. A full program is planned, with ample opportunity for careful inspection of the new building.

TENTATIVE PROGRAM

Friday, October 19, 1951

10:00 a.m.

Academic gathering in the college auditorium.

Dr. John W. Davis, the President of West Virginia State College, will preside. Miss Mary E. Wattles, the President of the West Virginia Library Association, will speak briefly. Dr. Luther Evans, the Librarian of Congress, will be the speaker.

11:00 a.m.

Academic procession to the new library,  
opening of the doors by the Librarian,  
Mrs. Leonead P. Drain.  
Guided tours through the library.

11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

REGISTRATION FOR CONFERENCE.

Registration fee	\$ 1.00
Membership dues payable	2.00
Payment for 3 conference meals	4.50

College students who are considering entering the library profession will be admitted to the conference without payment of registration fees or membership dues.

12:00

Lunch - Glasscock Hall \$ 1.25

Board meeting of W.V.L.A. following lunch.

1:30 p.m.

General Meeting - Audio-visual rooms on ground floor of the library.  
Miss Mary E. Wattles, President, presiding.  
Brief welcome by President Davis  
Announcements.  
Remarks by Miss Wattles

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

SECTION MEETINGSPublic Library Section

Miss Frances Alderson, Chairman

2:00 p.m.

Business Meeting - Election of officers.

2:15 p.m.

Round TablesTechnical Processes

Mrs. Madalyn Bradford, Leader

Work with Children

Miss Wilma Brown, Leader

Special Services

Mrs. Lawrence Tatterson, Leader

Extension Work

Mr. Harold Harlan, Leader

3:45 p.m.

Panel Discussion"Current Issues in Public Library Administration in West Virginia"

Participants: Miss Dora Ruth Parks,  
Leader  
Mrs. Madalyn Bradford  
Mr. Robert North, Jr.

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

College Library Section

Mrs. Vivian Boughter, Chairman

Business Meeting - Election of officers

Discussion - The College Audio-Visual Program: In the library, Mr. Budd Gambee; Separate from the library, Mr. Walter C. Felty.

5:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Faculty tea for the librarians, in the Faculty Lounge, ground floor of the library.

8:00 p.m.

Dinner - Glasscock Hall \$ 2.00  
 Miss Mary E. Wattles, President, presiding.  
 Dr. Errett Weir McDiarmid, Speaker

The college dormitories are reserving space for people who wish to change their clothes for dinner. Mrs. Drain, Mrs. Frederick Lehner, and Mrs. Richard Homberger have offered their houses also. There is ample time for a return to Charleston, if a person wishes. The drive takes about half an hour. The 7:20 p.m. bus will reach Institute at 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 20, 1951

9:00 a.m.

Board Meeting

10:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

General Meeting in Audio-visual rooms, on ground floor of library.  
 Election of officers.

12:30 p.m.

Lunch - Glasscock Hall \$ 1.25  
 New Board Meeting  
 Committee Meetings

## OVERNIGHT ACCOMMODATIONS

Hotels in Charleston

- Daniel Boone Hotel - Single room \$ 4.50 and up.  
 Double room and room with twin beds \$ 7.50 up to \$10.50.
- Holley Hotel - Single room \$ 3.00 and up.  
 Double room \$ 7.00 - \$ 8.00, with twin beds.  
 Double room \$ 5.50 and up, with double bed.
- Kanawha Hotel - Single room \$ 3.00, \$ 3.50, and \$ 4.00.  
 Double room \$ 5.00, \$ 5.50, and \$ 6.00.  
 Room with twin beds \$ 6.00 and \$ 7.00.
- Ruffner Hotel - Single room \$ 3.00 to \$ 5.00.  
 Double room, without bath, \$ 4.00.  
 Double room, with bath, \$ 5.50 to \$ 7.50.

Make your reservation now, directly to the hotel, and request a confirmation.

Arrangements to stay on the college campus may be made by reserving a room with Mr. Robert Jeffries, Chairman of the Housing Committee, West Virginia State College, Institute, West Virginia, by October 12th.

