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#### Farewell Allan and Judith

• Allan Horton, University Librarian, University of NSW, will retire on 30 September, 1988, after a career of 45 years in librarianship. Mr Horton started in the then Public Library of NSW as a junior clerk at the age of 15.

Colleagues, former colleagues and friends are invited to his farewell on Friday, 30 September at 3.30 pm, University of NSW. (See Happenings for details).

• Judith Baskin retired from the National Library of Australia (NLA) on 30 June 1988 after having worked for the NLA since 1955. Positions she has held include Chief Librarian, Acquisitions, NLA; Chief Librarian, South and South East Asia, Principal Librarian in Bibliography, Cataloguing and Medlars Section, Principal Librarian, Policy Secretariat and Director, Bibliographic Services Branch. She was promoted to the new position of Director, Networks Branch in 1981 and has been responsible for the management of the ABN.

Judith was also President of the LAA in 1982 and has been a member of the Futures Committee, Publications Board and the 50th Anniversary Conference Committee. She has also been involved with the Commonwealth Library Association (COMLA). Judith was Honorary Treasurer of COMLA from 1983-86 and its Vice-President since 1986.

#### **ACLIS Executive Officer**

• Gordon Bower has been appointed to the staff of the National Library of Australia and has taken up duties as Executive Officer of the Australian Council of Libraries and Information Services (ACLIS). Gordon's experience in a wide variety of libraries, coupled with his time as Executive Director of the LAA, will prove to be of great assistance in consolidating the establishment of ACLIS.

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