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17 March IBBY Conference 'Literacy Through Literature: pictures, words, stories'. University of Sydney. Stephen Roberts Theatre. Contact: Ena Noel (02) 32 5075.

29 - 30 March National Seminar on Information for Sport and Physical Education into the 90's. Conducted by National Sport Information Centre of Australian Sports Commission at Australian Institute of Sport, Canberra. Cost \$40. Program and details: Nerida Clarke, National Sport Information Centre, PO Box 176, Belconnen ACT 2616. (062) 52 1369.

2 - 3 April Public Libraries and Literacy Sections. International Literacy Year Conference. Libraries and Literacy: Read all about it?' Melbourne. Enquiries Jane King (03) 429 3644, George Eraclides (03) 481 8424.

17/18 May NLA. National Seminar: The right to read: publishing for people with disabilities. Venue: Rialto Theatrette, Melbourne. Contact: Disability Services Section, National Library of Australia, Canberra; (062) 62 1251.

29 - 31 May 7th Conference for Librarians in the Criminal Justice System. Venue: Burgmann College, ANU, ACT. Contact: John Mytle, Librarian, Australian Institute of Criminology, PO Box 28, Woden ACT 2606, (062) 83 3841.

1 September 1991 - 5th, National Special and Law Librarians' Conference, National Convention Centre, Canberra, Planning now underway, Contact: Rosemary Bell, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade Library (062) 61 2965. Pat Stone, Defence Information Services (062) 66 2258. 30 September - 5 October. ALIA 1st Biennial Conference 1990. Venue Perth Concert Hall, Perth. Contact: Conference Organiser, Promaco Conventions, 9/890 Canning Hwy, Applecross, WA 6153; (09) 364 8311.

NEW SOUTH WALES

21 February State Library of NSW. 'Conservation Access' workshop: First aid for books, part 1. 9am - 4.30pm. Bookings essential, Cost: \$70. Contact: Helen Price (02) 230 1445. 22 February CSIRO AUSTRALIS Subject Specific Training course -Local Government. 1/2 day course,

\$100. State Library of NSW. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

22 - 28 February, Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Business (22 Feb), Agriculture & Environment (28 Feb). Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790. 23 February ALIA NSW Branch Council AGM.State Library of NSW, Seminar Room 1, Level 11, 6pm for 6.30pm. Meeting and presentation of H.C.L. Anderson Award to Margaret Trask. Dinner afterwards, Bookings essential for dinner - by 19 February. Contact: Rita Frisina (02) 682 0614, fax (02) 682 0620.

24 February NSW Branch. First Council Meeting for 1990. State Library of NSW, Seminar Room 1, Level 11. 10 am - 4pm. Observers welcome. Contact: Rita Frisina (02) 682 0614, fax (02) 682 0620.

27 February Special Libraries Section (NSW Group). Industrial Relations Update - Speakers: Kate Burnham of the PSA of NSW, Cheryl Hyde of the MWU and Tom McKeon, Industrial Information Officer of ALIA. Venue: Commonwealth Bank, 8th floor Conference Room (enter via Martin Place), 6 pm for 6.30pm. Contact: Wendy Bartlett (02) 543 3742.

28 February State Library of NSW. 'Conservation Access' workshop: preservation of photos. 9am - 4.30pm. Bookings essential. Cost: \$70. Contact: Helen Price (02) 230 1445. 28 February Cataloguers' Section (NSW Group). AGM and talk on the new Macquarie online catalogue and CLSI system, by Fides Lawton and Euginie Greig. Venue: State Library of NSW, Council Room. 5.30pm for 6pm. Contact: Frances Taylor (02) 265 9292.

1 March Public Libraries Section (NSW Group). Laser Picture Service pictorial past & present at your fingertips. Demonstration & discussion. Granville May, Coordinator. State Library of NSW, Council Room 6pm. Bookings required. Enquiries: Barbara Hunter, Leichhardt Municipal Library, (02) 560 9346. See handout sent to all Public Libraries.

1 - 29.March Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System (1 Mar). Introductory System (22 Mar), Chemical (29 Mar) in Sydney. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

7 March School Library Section (NSW Group) AGM. Theme: Resources and courses. Speakers: Jan Barnett, Education Officer, Australian Museum, Ian McMurtie, President, Science Teachers Association. Venue: Australian Museum, 6 College Street, Sydney. 6pm for 6.30pm. Contact: Di Simpson (02) 957 3943. 7 March State Library of NSW. 'Conservation Access' workshop: preservation of paper Bookings essential. Cost: \$70 Contact: Helen Price (02)

14 March State Library of NSW 'Con-

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servation Access' workshop: maps, plan, posters. 9am - 4.30pm. Bookings essential, Cost; \$70. Contact: Helen Price (02) 230 1445. 16 March Children's and Youth Services Section (NSW Group).AGM and one-day Conference. 'I wanna reed' - the right book for the right child at the right time. State Library of NSW, Metcalfe Auditorium. 9am -4.30pm, followed by drinks and dinner (optional). Cost: ALIA members \$15, Students \$10, Non-members \$25. Speakers include Libby Hathorn and June Factor. Contact: Julie Barkman (02) 521 0452 or Margaret Redrup (02) 726 7896. 26 -30 March Data-Star free demonstration; Data-Star training courses basics, advanced, biomedical, business; ABN Inquiry courses; Scansearch seminar - Competitive Edge Database Update. Contact Scansearch's Adelaide office for registration details, (08) 372 2735. 11 April Special Libraries Section (NSW Group)Free evening seminar. How to survive in the 1990's: All you need to know about office politics, mentors and much more! Speaker: Paul Stevens, Worklife counsellor. Refreshments served. Venue: Conference room, level 12, Deloittes. NAB House, 255 George Street, Sydney. 5.30pm for 6.00pm. Contact: Angela

VICTORIA

Dunstan (02) 228 1066. Book early as

numbers are limited.

21 February Chief Librarian's Council and Viclink will host a Reception to honour Constance Pavey's 35 years service to Librarianship (25 years as Chief Librarian of Nunawading) in the Grainger Room at the Victorian Ministry for the Arts, 2 Kavanagh Street, South Melbourne: 5.30pm for 7.30pm. Cost: \$7.50 per head to include refreshments & gift. All friends and colleagues welcome. RSVP by Tuesday 20 February to Maryna Mews (03) 524 3245. 21 February School Libraries Section (VIC Group). Meeting at Statewide School Library Support Centre, 67 High Street, Prahran, 5.30pm - 7pm. Contact: Beverly Pianta (03) 521 1721

(W), (03) 386 2808 (H). 6 - 7 March CSIRO AUSTRALIS New User Training course, Cost:\$350. CSIRO ISU, East Melbourne. Contact:

(03) 418 7307.

8 March Insearch/DIALOG. Introductory System Seminar.In Melbourne. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

20 March CSIRO AUSTRALIS Advanced User Training Course, Cost: \$175. CSIRO ISU, East Melbourne. Contact: (03) 418 7307. 21 March School Libraries Section

(VIC Group)

Meeting at 'Books Illustrated' - new address to be advised. 5.30pm - 7.30pm. Bookings essential as numbers limited. Contact: Beverly Pianta (03) 521 1721 (W), (03) 386 2808 (H).

2 - 3 April 'Libraries and Literacy: Read all about it?' Public Libraries and Literacy Sections. International Literacy Year Conference. Melbourne. Enquiries Jane King (03) 429 3644, George Eraclides (03) 481 8424. 10 April CSIRO AUSTRALIS Subject Specific Training Course - Local Government. 1/2 day course. Cost: \$100. CSIRO ISU, East Melbourne. Contact: (03) 418 7307

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12 May School Libraries Section (VIC Group) in conjunction with Children's Section and Public Libraries Section. One-day Seminar 'Reading in the 1990's. Venue: Institute of Educational Administration, East Geelong. Cost: members \$60, non-members \$80, students \$40. Payment due: 30 March, cheques to be made payable to: ALIA School Libraries Section (VIC), c/- 36 Alfred Road, Burwood 3125. Inquiries: Beverly Pianta (03) 521 1721 (W), (03) 386 2808 (H).

SOUTH AUSTRALIA

20 March SA Branch. Seminar on award restructuring. Key Speaker: Tom McKeon ALIA Industrial Information Officer, with speakers representing unions and employers.9.30 am -3.30 pm. Venue: The Orphanage Teachers Centre, 181 Goodwood Road, Millswood, SA. For further information contact: Anne Harris (08) 372 1818, Di Booker (08) 213 0377 or Robina Weir (08) 263 6244. 28 - 29 March Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System (28) March), Beyond the Basics (29 March), in Adelaide. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

March CSIRO AUSTRALIS Advanced User Training course, \$175. Date and venue in Adelaide to be announced. Contact: (03) 418 7307. March CSIRO AUSTRALIS Subject specific Training course. 1/2 day course, \$100. Date and venue to be announced. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA

26 February School Libraries Section/Westralian Library Foundation Launch of 25th Anniversary edition of Orana.6pm - Alexander Library Building, preceded by Schools Section AGM at 5 pm. Contact: Margaret Phillips (09) 405 1300 (W), (09) 341 4058 (H).

12 March ALIA second AGM (WA Branch) Venue: Fremantle Port Au-

thority, 1 Cliff Street, Fremantle. Cost: Dinner \$34 per head. Time: 5.30pm. RSVP: to local office by 6 March, Contact: Christine Martin, telephone (09) 451 0831. Please book early as numbers are limited.

20-23 March. Insearch/DIALOG Seminars. Introductory System (19 March), Beyond the Basics (20 March), Business (21 March), Medline (22 March), Agriculture & Environment (23 March), in Perth. Contact: (02) 218 9790.

March CSIRO AUSTRALIS New User Training Course. Cost: \$350. Perth Cultural Centre. Dates to be announced. Contact: (03) 418 7307. March CSIRO AUSTRALIS Advanced User Training course. Cost: \$175. Perth Cultural Centre. Date to be announced. Contact: (03) 418

March CSIRO AUSTRALIS Subject Specific Training course - Agriculture. Cost: \$100. Perth Cultural Centre. Date to be announced. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

QUEENSLAND

22 February UCLS (Qld.
Group)Evening Meeting. Topic: Book prices: is there a change on the horizon? A discussion of the Prices Surveillance Authority inquiry into the deregulation of the book trade. Venue: State Library of Qld. - Theatrette. Time: 5.30pm for 6pm (wine and cheese provided). Cost: Free. Speakers: Laurie Muller, Managing Director, University of Queensland Press, Charles Conlan, Managing Director, Barker, Conlan & Ferrett Pty Ltd. (Library suppliers). Introduction by Derek Fielding.

13 March ALIA Qld. Branch. Council MeetingVenue: Room R306, Resource Centre, Kelvin Grove Campus - Brisbane CAE. Time: 5.30pm. Contact: Brenda Simpson telephone (07) 354 1400.

March CSIRO AUSRTRALIS New User Training course. Cost: \$350. Dates and venue in Brisbane to be announced. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

March CSIRO AUSTRALIS Advanced User Training course. Cost: \$175. Dates and venues in Brisbane to be announced. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

ACT

28 March Canberra Online Users Group. Punch-cards on PC'S: coping with machine readable records in libraries and archives. Seminar, Burgmann College, ANU. Contact: Geraldine Triffitt (062) 46 1177. 29 - 30 March National Seminar on Information for Sport and Physical Education into the 90's.Conducted by National Sport Information Centre of Australian Sports Commission at Australian Institute of Sport, Canberra. Cost \$40. Program and details: Nerida Clarke, National Sport Information Centre, PO Box 176, Belconnen ACT 2616 telephone (062) 521 369.

18 APRIL CSIRO AUSTRALIS Subject Specific Training course. Environment. \$100 University of Canberra. Contact: (03) 418 7307.

TASMANIA

12 March ALIA Tasmanian Branch.Award restructuring for librarians and library technicians: a workshop. Speakers: Tom McKeon, ALIA Industrial Information Officer and Greg Summers, TPSA and employer representative. Venue: School of Library and Information Studies, University of Tasmania, 9 am - 12.30pm. Cost: \$15, RSVP 5 March. Contact: Christine Goodacre (002) 20 2784.

INTERNATIONAL

9 - 14 June SLA's 81st Annual Conference 'The information professional: an unparalleled resource'. Location Pittsburgh, PA, USA. Conact: Special Libraries Association, 202/234-4700. 8-12 July 1990. 19th Annual International Association of School Librarianship Conference. Theme: 'Bridging the Difference'. to be held in Umea, Sweden. Registration fee: \$235. Contact: Gunilla Janlert, Umea Skobibliotekscentral, Box 1007, S-901 20 Umea, Sweden.

2 - 7 September 1990. 22nd IBBY Biennial Conference 1990. 'Literacy through Literature: Children's Books make a difference'. Williamsburg, Virginia USA. Contact: Ena Noel (02) 32 5075.

24-28 September 6th International Congress on Medical Librarianship and Pre-Congress Seminar, New Delhi, India. Conference information: Mr S K Anand, Secretary General, National Organising Committee, 6ICML, c/ World Health Organisation, I P Estate, Ring Road, New Delhi 110 002, India. Fax: 91 11 331 8607. Registration forms now available.

EVENTS

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