

CLINTON-ESSEX COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICE SYSTEM
NEWSLETTER

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There will be a Librarians' Meeting on Thursday, October 11th, at 10:30 A. M. at the Headquarters. Through the courtesy of the Jean Karr Company of Washington, D. C., there will be a large exhibit of juvenile books. This exhibit is being arranged by Mr. Kelly, who will be present at the meeting.

In addition to the book display, Mrs. Frederick B. Tuttle of the Headquarters Staff will conduct a very important discussion of the techniques of ordering and processing books for member libraries and the Book Pool. She will demonstrate, step by step, what happens from the time an order is received at the Headquarters until the books are shipped to the member libraries, cataloged and ready for circulation.

More than one hundred and fifty people attended the Open House held at the Headquarters on Sunday afternoon, September 23rd. Members of the Board of Trustees and the Staff acted as hosts and hostesses for the occasion.

In accordance with the System's policy of wide public service, Miss Walter has sent letters to all school principals in the area, calling their attention to the many advantages offered their schools by the System. She pointed out that while it is not possible to serve every school child by child, the System is more than ready to serve the children through their teachers. Any teacher may write, call or visit the Headquarters to borrow a classroom collection for her students. Also, any teacher needing special material to supplement lesson plans is urged to call on the System for assistance. Teachers in communities visited by the Bookmobile may also use its resources.

We are again making an appeal to librarians and trustees to send all news items concerning their libraries to Miss Ingalls for the Newsletter. She is also anxious to receive clippings of all newspaper and other publicity for the System Scrapbook.

Westport: Mrs. Raymond Clark has recently accepted the position of Librarian of the Westport Library Association.

Plattsburgh: The Plattsburgh Public Library will begin its seventh Story Hour season on Saturday, September 29. The pre-school group will be in charge of Miss Joyce Trudeau. Miss June Moran, will conduct the program for primary children. Miss Trudeau and Miss Moran are members of the library's clerical staff. The Story Hour programs are supervised by Miss Walter and Miss Ingalls.