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Miss Catherine Maybury, Secretary-Treasurer
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Dear Catherine:

I have not heard from you for a long time. I am wondering whether the change-over to a two year term will keep you in office through June 1961. If so, I would like to make a suggestion:

I shall be president of the Louisiana Library Association for 1960-61 as a member of a special library. Our annual meeting will be held in New Orleans from March 16-18, 1961. One of our speakers will be Marian Gallagher. I have in mind to invite some of the law librarians in our neighborhood. It would seem very much worth while to take advantage of a larger group's assembly of speakers. The Supreme Court Library in New Orleans is a new building. We could have quite a good Southeastern Chapter meeting on Saturday and Sunday, March 18 and 19. The Louisiana Chapter of the Special Libraries has its annual meeting on the 18th. We might even be able to induce Helen Snook to come from Detroit. Airplane connections from New Orleans are good to all points.

If Southeastern members could get away before the 18th, the Louisiana Library Association would be glad to have them participate in their program. Think it over, talk it over and let me know what you think of it.

Peggy Harper will serve as president of the Louisiana Chapter Special Library Association. The poor law school will have to put up with two pre-occupied law librarians. Hope everything is going well with you.

More definite plans for our program should be available by June. My hope is to center on a theme like "librarians are human beings". We also want to bring in some concepts of world trade (New Orleans is quite a trade and diplomatic center) and librarians as assistants to legislators and business men. The strictly legal end would have to be reserved for Southeastern Chapter and/or Special. It would be most timely for Louisiana's new appellate court system.

Let me know soon what you think of this scheme.

Sincerely yours,

Kate

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