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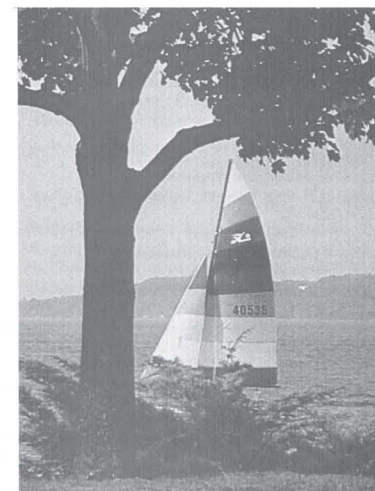
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Medline: A Comparison of Options Through the Major Vendors – Michigan 1

searcher with access to a database mounted on more than one vendor system must decide which system to use and information in the most effective and efficient manner. This discussion will focus on retrieving information from the MEDLINE database through MEDLARS, BRS and LOCKHEED (DIALOG) vendor systems. Coverage will include comparisons of searchable fields, system commands, flexibility, ease of changing and print options. Costs will not be addressed.

Speaker: Janet M. Everitt, *Senior Information Specialist*, Corporate Technical Library, The Upjohn Company, Kalamazoo, MI

Microcomputers in Libraries: Some Practical Applications – Morency C

Speaker will demonstrate microcomputer uses that ease the library staff workloads. Such microcomputer uses as circulation control, serials control, acquisitions programs, interlibrary loan and resource sharing between libraries will be reviewed. Discussion will also include distributed data processing with a comparison of approach to stand-alone systems and a limited "State of the Art" on available microcomputer software.

Speaker: Jewel H. Harris, *Regional Sales Manager – West/Southwest*, Gaylord Systems Division, Gaylord Systems, Inc., Syracuse, NY

Quality Assurance in Libraries – Star Court
Workshop leaders will offer an overview of quality assurance in libraries by presenting two quality assurance plans, one from a smaller hospital library and other from a larger institution. Examples will be provided of what areas were selected, criteria for selection, results obtained and changes made in the evaluation studies or library operations. Copies of plans will be provided to participants.

Speakers: Marge Kars, *Director*, Hospital Library, Grand Community Hospital, Holland, MI
Lillian Lynch, *Director*, Educational Resources, Joseph Mercy Hospital, Pontiac, MI

WORKSHOPS — 11 A.M. SESSION

The Library World in Michigan – Star Court
The presentation will deal with the present status of both libraries and librarians in Michigan. In discussing libraries, emphasis will be placed on finances and legislation. Coverage of associations and the possible changing role of librarians will also be discussed. The session will address information that will be of professional interest to health sciences librarians.

Speaker: Robert Gaylor, *Reference Services Coordinator*, Kresge Library, Oakland University, Rochester, MI

Medical Information: Ethical Considerations – Morency B

(See description for 9 a.m. session)

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Thursday Afternoon, October 13

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| 2:30 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. | Business Meeting – Convention Dome |
| 4:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. | Break – Refreshments in Exhibit Area, Michigan 2 |
| 4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m. | Michigan State Council Meeting – Star Court |
| 6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. | Cocktail Reception – Convention Dome |
| 7:00 p.m. | Banquet – Convention Dome |

ay Morning, October 14

a.m. - 9:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast in Exhibit Area – Michigan 2
a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Workshops – Concurrent Sessions

Information in The Library: Basic – Michigan 1
BASIC session will discuss the role of technology, system development methodology, distributed versus centralized system, system interrelationships and assessing market-place solutions to medical library information needs.

Speaker: Audrey N. Grosch, *Professor and Systems Librarian*, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

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noon - 2:00 p.m. Luncheon – Convention Dome
Guest Speaker: Helen Milliken, Former First Lady of Michigan

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Information in The Library: Advanced – Michigan 1
ADVANCED session builds on information presented in the BASIC session to address developing needs for proposal (RFP's), Librarian/data processing professional's interrelationships, using consultants and electronic systems as examples of solutions to medical library application needs.

Speaker: Audrey N. Grosch, *Professor and Systems Librarian*, University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, MN

Online Search Clinic for Nursing Literature – Morency C

Unique reference problems that nursing offers the online searcher will be presented. Guidelines will be given for selection of databases and the development of search strategies. Emphasis will be on MEDLARS but other databases will also be covered. Participants are encouraged to bring any specific searching problems or questions.

Speaker: Edna Jolliff, *Associate Librarian*, Harper-Grace Hospitals, Harper Division, Detroit, MI

Saturday, October 15

Morning on Your Own!
Information will be available at the Conference Registration Desk regarding ideas for personal side trips. The preliminary mailing didn't generate enough response to charter a bus/boat tour for just MHSLA membership.

1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

NLM Medline Update – Morency Room C

Speaker: Pat Pinkowski, *Region 3 Online Coordinator*

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