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Welcome to the following new ECO CanadianaPlus subscribers

City of Kawartha Lakes Public Library, Lindsay, ON
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Microfiche Sales

University of Maine
- Post-1900 Monographs, Unit 6.

Bibliothèque et Archives nationales du Québec
- 450 titles from the Post 1900 Monographs collection that were published in Quebec or related to Quebec issues.



New MARC Records Available

There are four new files on our FTP site <http://www.collectionscanada.ca/cihm/ftp/>

Two contain the last MARC records for the Government Publications project completed in 2006.

ecogov20070131.mrc -- contains MARC records for monographs and serials

ecogov20070131_bills.mrc -- contains the MARC records for the majority of the pre-1867 Province of Canada bills

There are also two text files

ecogov20070131_francais_info.txt -- provides information on the contents of the MARC files in French

ecogov20070131_English_info.txt -- provides information on the contents of the MARC files in English

There are still a few government publications that need to be located and digitized. Any remaining MARC records for the Government Publications project will be added to the MARC records for the Early Canadian Periodicals project as they become available.

Members are invited to download these records for addition to their OPACs. These records will allow members to link directly to the ECO titles. If you have questions or require assistance, please contact Cataloguing Coordinator Judi McNeil at: judi.mcneil@canadiana.org.



Events

The Morrin Centre invited Christine Veilleux, historian and one of Canadiana.org's regional researchers, to speak about John Howard's concepts of prison reform at the turn of the 19th century and how they were applied in the construction and management of Quebec's first jail which used to be located in the same building as the Literary and Historical Society of Quebec where the talk was held 21 January. Entitled "*Daily life in the Common Gaol of Quebec, 1813-1867*", the talk was followed by a rare and much appreciated guided tour of the prison cells that still exist in the basement of the Society and which will soon be opened to the public following restoration.

Executive Director Magdalene Albert participated in a CIDL (Canadian Initiative on Digital Libraries) Steering Committee Teleconference 25 January.

Background documents about the discussions between CIDL and AlouetteCanada are now available on the CIDL website at:

<http://www.collectionscanada.ca/cidl/040021-406-e.html>

CIDL News #13 is also available:

<http://www.collectionscanada.ca/cidl/040021-200-2006-12-e.html>

Bibliographic Research Coordinator Beth Stover and researchers Jeff Connolly and Tamar Shostakovsky attended the CASLIS (Canadian Association of Special Libraries and Information Services) session on *Making the Business Case* by Maggie Weaver, 21 February at Library and Archives Canada.



CRKN awarded CFI grant

Ottawa, February 8, 2007 – The [Canada Foundation for Innovation](http://www.cfi.ca) (CFI) today announced a \$19.1 million investment to support the development of a new infrastructure for social sciences and humanities research. The funds were awarded to the Canadian Research Knowledge Network (CRKN) — a consortium of Canadian universities that provides its members with desktop access to a wide range of research content through licensing and

purchase agreements with Canadian and international publishers. [The University of Ottawa](#) will be the host institution for this new national infrastructure.

[Source: <http://www.researchknowledge.ca/en/news/index.jsp>]

45 CRKN libraries provide about 90% of Canadiana.org's subscription revenue.



People

Brian Bell, Virtual Services, Oakville Public Library, and Canadiana.org Board Member, has been named Public Librarian of the year by the Ontario Library Association. The award was presented at the annual conference in Toronto.



Pam Bjornson, former Executive Director of Canadiana.org, has been appointed to the position of Director General of the Canada Institute for Scientific and Technical Information (NRC-CISTI). CISTI is the largest scientific, technical and medical (STM) library in North America, and the NRC Research Press is the foremost scientific and engineering publisher in Canada. More information is available at: http://cisti-icist.nrc-cnrc.gc.ca/media/press/guard_e.html



With Louise Boucher away on medical leave, we are pleased to welcome the following temporary staff members: Jeff Connolly, recent Bachelor of Arts General Graduate-Film Studies, Minor in Mass Communications, Carleton University; Tamar Shostakovsky, recent Bachelor of Social Science graduate (Political Science and History), University of Ottawa, who both started in January and Tobi Baker, a Bachelor of Arts (Honours Psychology) student at the University of Ottawa, who joined us in February.

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