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The **Centennial Library CedarLINK E-News**, published 4 times during the academic year, is provided to assist its readers in becoming more knowledgeable about Library resources and services at Cedarville University. Comments and questions are encouraged.

LIBRARY NEWS

Staff and Service Highlights

WEB-BASED BIBLIOGRAPHIC MANAGEMENT SERVICE NOW AVAILABLE

The Centennial Library has obtained an institutional subscription to **RefWorks**, an on-line bibliographic management system ideal for students and faculty involved in research. Its purpose is to assist the user in importing data, organizing and managing data, formatting bibliographies and manuscripts in different styles, and exporting data. **RefWorks** accomplishes this by providing an electronic method for keeping citations and resources well organized, allowing users to create their own personal databases of references by importing references from on-line databases. As a paper is written, the **RefWorks** software allows the writer to pull citations from the personal database directly into the paper. **RefWorks** then automatically formats the research paper to include those citations and properly formats the bibliography for printing.



RefWorks workshops for Faculty and Students have been scheduled for January and February. Already 14 faculty members have attended a two hour workshop to set up their own **RefWorks** account, import records, manipulate their records and create a bibliography from their own **RefWorks** database. On Friday, January 30, from 12:00 to 2:00 p.m., another Faculty workshop will be held in the Library Computer Classroom. Registration is available at http://www.cedarville.edu/dept/lis/refworks_fac.htm.

Student workshops have been scheduled for January 22, 29 and February 3. The first workshop is already full and closed. Additional workshops will be scheduled to meet the needs of both faculty and students. Feel free to encourage your Juniors and Seniors who will be preparing major research projects or papers to get a **RefWorks** account to help them manage their research.

WHAT'S NEW
Library Resource and Service Updates

CLASSICAL.COM MUSIC RECORDING LIBRARY ADDED TO CENTENNIAL LIBRARY SERVICES

The Classical Music Library is the world's first recorded classical music collection provided on-line for listening on computers. With close to 15,000 tracks now available, a large and growing collection of classical music recordings for listening, browsing and searching are provided, benchmarked against the Music Library Association listing of essential sound recordings. Classical.com has licensed recordings from some of the most respected classical music labels in the United States, the United Kingdom, and Europe, and legally compensates artists and labels. Thousands of program notes, composer biographies, and images are cross-referenced to the recordings, and the latest classical music news and information are provided by the Classical editorial team. Advanced searching functionalities are available to aid research in a range of ways suited to user levels of knowledge. Methods are provided to organize, create, and save music selections.

NEW RESOURCES AVAILABLE THROUGH OHIOLINK AGREEMENTS

As a result of recent group purchases through OhioLINK, several exciting new on-line resources will soon be available at the Centennial Library.

SAGE PUBLICATIONS TO BE ADDED TO THE ELECTRONIC JOURNAL CENTER

Soon the full-text of all 127 of the Sage journal publications will be available on-line through the OhioLINK Electronic Journal Center. The extent of coverage of many of the journals will allow access back into the late 1980's and early 1990's. The Centennial Library currently subscribes to only 12 of the 127 journals, but the cost of our participation in gaining access to all 127 will be less than what we are currently paying to subscribe to the 12 print journals. Sage journals cover the disciplines of communications studies, criminology, politics and international relations, education, and psychology.

INSTITUTE OF PHYSICS JOURNAL ARCHIVES WILL BE ACCESSIBLE THROUGH THE ELECTRONIC JOURNAL CENTER

The Institute of Physics (IOP) is a leading international and professional body and learned society of over 37,000 members, which promotes the advancement and dissemination of a knowledge of and

education in the science of physics, pure and applied. The IOP archives of 37 Journals in physics and related disciplines will soon be available at the Centennial Library in electronic full-text format. The archives includes many journals from their initial year of publication (some as far back as 1874) through 1996. The cost to add this resource has been generously underwritten by the Department of Science and Mathematics.

EARLY AMERICAN PERIODICALS AVAILABLE ON-LINE FROM THE PROQUEST AMERICAN PERIODICALS SERIES

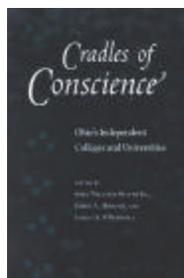
The American Periodical Series is a full-text image collection of over 1,100 magazines, journals, and newspapers from the 18th and 19th centuries or which began in the 19th century and continued into the 20th century. The earliest images are from Benjamin Franklin's General Magazine first published in 1741. This new database can be accessed on *CedarLINK* under "Research Databases" by Title.

TELEVISION NEWS ARCHIVE COMING TO THE CENTENNIAL LIBRARY

The Vanderbilt Television News Archive covers more than 30,000 individual evening news broadcasts dating from 1968 and 9,000 hours of special news-related programming like political campaign coverage and presidential press conferences. Broadcasts from ABC, CBS, NBC, and CNN are included. So the subjects can be searched on-line, broadcasts are broken down by news topics or segments with individual citation records for each. Video tapes of segments can be requested for a fee. In 2004, CNN will be the first network to begin mounting, for on-line streaming, the actual video of the news segments in the Archive. CNN will start with the most recent footage and eventually include video back to 1995.

UNIVERSITY FACULTY IN PRINT

Recognizing Faculty Scholarship



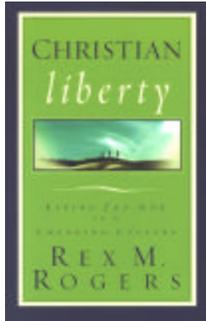
J. Murray Murdoch, *Professor of History*

ACedarville University: Keeping the Faith. *in* John W. Oliver, James A. Hodges, and James H. O'Donnell, editors. Cradles of Conscience: Ohio's Independent Colleges and Universities. Kent, OH: Kent State University Press, 2003, pp.109-119.

Cradles of Conscience is a collection of essays that recounts the circumstances surrounding the founding of 40 institutions in the state of Ohio that have served their student populace admirably over the decades. Each essay relates the history of the institution since its inception and discusses how each has coped with modernization and how the pressures of the past 25 years have forced some of them to evaluate and reassess their identities and missions. For this collection of

institutional histories, Dr. Murdoch condenses and updates his work in writing the 1987 centennial history of Cedarville University.

ALUMNI IN PRINT
Carrying the Torch to Their World



Rex M. Rogers (*Class of 1974*)
Christian Liberty : Living for God in a Changing Culture.
Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Books, 2003. 191 pages.

According to Dr. Rogers, despite the call to be salt and light in this world, many Christians are hiding out in their churches, afraid to face the problems that our ever-changing culture presents. Since we don't like what we see in our culture, we are uncertain about its future and ours in it. Rex Rogers, president of Cornerstone University and Grand Rapids Baptist Seminary, demonstrates that to overcome this crisis of confidence, Christians must develop a biblical worldview, which means applying our faith to an understanding of the times and the world in which we live. We must grant fellow Christians the liberty to choose differing positions on what are essentially non-moral issues. Only then can we move beyond isolationism, judgmentalism, and petty bickering and have an effective witness in the world.®

LIBRARY POLICY BEAT
Reviewing Library Policies and Operational Issues

LIBRARY SPRING BREAK HOURS

The following are the public hours for the Centennial Library for the Spring break. Please plan your schedules accordingly.

Spring Break:

March 5	Close at 5:00 p.m.
March 6	Closed
March 8-11	8:00 a.m.-5:00 p.m.
March 12-13	Closed
March 15	Resume regular hours

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