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“It is, however, not to the museum, or the lecture-room, or the drawing-school, but to the library, that we must go for the completion of our humanity. It is books that bear from age to age the intellectual wealth of the world.”

~ Owen Meredith, from Inspirational Quotes About Libraries, Librarians and Book Collections

(Retrieved from http://www.useful-information.info/quotations/library_quotes.html#reading, accessed on 12/06/12)

What's New?

Since we last visited, the library has received several DVDs, two videos, and a number of books. These materials will serve to enhance the quality of classroom presentations and provide quality resources for those in training.

The new DVDs are:

Bath Salts: What Every Cop Needs to Know—In the Line of Duty, v.14, program 6 (**DVD 362.2 BAT**)

What to Say in a Job Interview: Interviewing Success is Building Rapport & Trust (**DVD 650.1 WHA**)

Pull 'em Over (**DVD 343.7 PUL**)

CDL Enforcement: the Full Circle (**DVD 343.7 CDL**)

Interview Pro: Unlock the Secrets to a Great Interview (**DVD 650.14 INT**).

One of our new books provides a wealth of material on the job interview process. Its title is

No-Nonsense Job Interviews: How to Impress Prospective Employers and Ace any Interview—edited by Boldt (**650.14 NON**). The other new resources focus on the history of prostitution and were purchased for a course being designed for Community Supervision by Kimary Hubble.

Feel free to stop in and take a look at these new materials.

It Just Takes a Minute

If you need to borrow a book from the library, whether it's one that can circulate for three weeks or a reference book that can only be used for one day in the building, it only takes a minute to leave me a note, send me an e-mail, or call. In that way, I can keep track of materials and be able to put my hands on a resource if someone needs it.

Be considerate of the rest of the staff and our trainees who might also need access to these resources.

Thanks for your attention to this.

What will They Think of Next?

Border Patrol: Cannon used to shoot drugs into US 85 pounds of marijuana found in cans had an estimated value of \$42,500

~Associated Press

YUMA, Ariz. — U.S. Border Patrol agents say smugglers have come up with yet another creative way to get drugs in the country — a cannon.

Authorities say 33 cans of marijuana were spotted Friday in a field near where the Colorado River crosses the U.S.-Mexico border. They believe the cans were launched about 500 feet into the U.S. using a pneumatic-powered cannon.

After searching the area, agents recovered a carbon dioxide tank.

Mexican authorities were also notified and searched their side of the border.

The 85 pounds of marijuana found in the cans had an estimated value of \$42,500.

Authorities say Border Patrol agents in the Yuma sector near the Arizona-California border are adapting and shifting resources as smugglers come up with new ways of transporting their contraband.

Did You Know...

- that there are 123,391 libraries in the United States? All types of libraries—public, school, academic, special—are included in this estimate.
- that libraries move more items than FedEx?
- that in 2009, there were 9,225 public libraries in the United States with a total of 816 million books and serial (periodical) volumes?

SOURCE: U.S Department of Education, National Center for Education Statistics. (2012). *Digest of Education Statistics, 2011* (NCES 2012-001), Chapter 7.

- that during his undergraduate years, J. Edgar Hoover supported himself by

working nights at the Library of Congress?

- that the world's "greatest lover," Giacomo Casanova, spent the latter part of his life as a librarian for Count Waldstein of Bohemia?



Wishing everyone a wonderful holiday season and a healthy, peaceful, and prosperous New Year!

