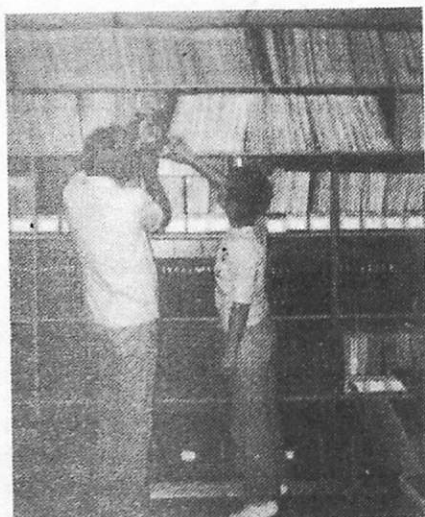


50 YEARS OF HISTORY

RESEARCH AND PRESERVATION AT THE AMERICAN NUDIST RESEARCH LIBRARY

The American Nudist Research Library has been established to preserve the history of social nudism. The library's basic function is to be a depository of nudist history, rather than a circulating library. Its appeal is primarily to those individuals and groups who treasure on-going nudist activities and who wish to participate in a sincere effort to preserve this record.

Since events rarely occur of their own genesis, the library is a record of individuals, clubs, associations, and movements who have carried the nudist torch and have left more than just footprints in the sand of time.



A vast array of nudist publications are carefully catalogued.

Therefore, we earnestly solicit participation in this grass roots, non-profit, nudist enterprise while enthusiasms, records, and memories are still fresh.

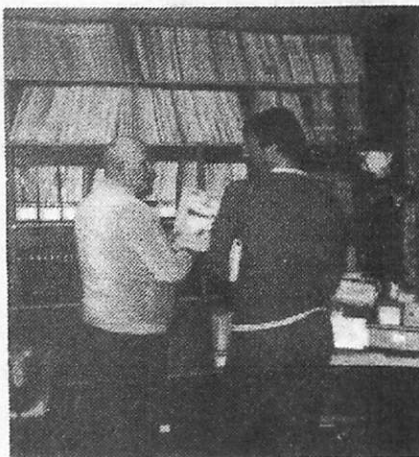
In keeping with the nudist philosophy, the library is housed on the grounds of a bona-fide nudist park in a setting which provides any visitor, scholar, or library member a vivid reminder of our nudist identity with sunlight, fresh air, relaxation, and a oneness with nature.



Volunteers man the library throughout the year.

MAGAZINES

In the late 1920's, nudists pioneered in the publishing field to bring a new level of respectability to the unadorned human form. This era was a record of not only publishing achievement, but embraced landmark decisions legally and socially. Without a doubt, the American Constitution was strengthened because of nudist publishing efforts. Censorship is less and responsibility for uncoerced standards is resultantly higher. The library houses a great volume of social nudist magazines.



Guests are welcome!

VERTICAL FILES

Vertical files are maintained dealing with each individual nudist club, association, and movement. Brochures, printed programs of special events, club histories, as well as newsletters and media releases will be filed in the library's vertical files. Contributions of new and updated materials will be welcomed by the library. Biographical data on nudist leaders, writers, publishers, or other personalities of noteworthy achievement are appreciatively received. A special effort is underway to procure legal briefs of court decisions affecting nudism.



'T' Latimer, President ANRL and Dean Hadley, Vice President.

ORAL HISTORY

An on-going effort of the library is to secure cassette tape interviews of individuals knowledgeable about many aspects of nudist history. Nudist pioneers, club owners, organizational officers, publishers, writers, photographers, and in many cases rank and file individuals whose memories serve to add both detail and color in reconstructing nudist activities in past decades are representative of the oral histories sought.

The library maintains both recording and playback equipment to facilitate this project.