The Friends of the University Libraries will present their second annual Chautauqua April 21, 22, and 23, 1994. Entitled “In Celebration of the Book: From Author to Reader,” this three day festival begins at 3:30 on Thursday, April 21, in the North Lobby of the Main Library with a discussion by author Patricia Hampl, illustrator Steve Sorman, publisher Scott Walker, and reader Doug Brown. David Hamilton of the University’s English Department will serve as moderator as they address the questions of collaboration in producing a literary work. A reception signifying the opening of the exhibition “Good Books: Authors, Books, and Readers” will follow at 5:00 p.m.

On Friday, April 22, the thirtieth anniversary dinner of the Friends of the University of Iowa Libraries will be held in the Triangle Ballroom of the Iowa Memorial Union. To begin with a social hour at 5:30 and dinner at 6:00 this will be followed by a public presentation in the Main Lounge at 8:00 p.m. by former Iowa English professor and author David Morrell.

A Literary Fair will open festivities on Saturday, April 23, to run from 10:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. in the North Lobby. “Aspects of Creating a Literary Work” will feature artists and book conservators focusing on the art of creating a book. Janice Frey, printing specialist, will demonstrate letter press printing; Tim Barrett of the University Center for the Book will present his techniques for papermaking; Pam Spitzmueler, University Conservator, will lead her staff in demonstrating the craft of hand book binding and reveal various steps in book conservation. Glen Epstein, associate professor in the Division of Continuing Education, will demonstrate the art of calligraphy and David Schoonover, Curator of Rare Books, will offer a multi-media presentation entitled “Rare Books: Old and New Approaches” in the Information Arcade.

The Literary Fair will also feature an exhibition of books created and published by Iowa City school children. In recent years many of the elementary schools have developed publi-
cation centers which guide each child in creating a book from story idea to final binding. There will also be a book sale of children’s and young adult literature.

Friends will operate the Chautauqua Cafe throughout the morning selling beverages, pastries, quiche, and muffins to enable “fair” goers to pause between their perusals of the presentations.

The Iowa City Community Band will present their first concert of the season as the culminating event of this celebration at 12:00 noon in the North Lobby. They will feature music reminiscent of Chautauquas of the past.

All events except the dinner are free; contact Margaret Richardson, Friends Coordinator, (319) 335-5626 if you wish to register for the dinner or receive further information.

Friends of the University of Iowa Libraries present

CHAUTAUQUA 94: “IN CELEBRATION OF THE BOOK: FROM AUTHOR TO READER”
Program Events — Open to the Public

Thursday, April 21, 1994
3:30 - 5:00 p.m.
Main Library, North Lobby
Creating a Literary Work: A Discussion

Author Patricia Hampl, Professor of English
University of Minnesota
Author of Spillville

Illustrator Steve Sorman, Minneapolis, Minn.
Illustrator of Spillville

Publisher Scott Walker, formerly of
Graywolf Press, St. Paul, Minnesota

Reader Doug Brown, Staff, WOI Radio Station
Iowa State University, Ames, Iowa
Narrator, The Book Club radio program

Moderator David Hamilton, Professor of English
University of Iowa, Iowa City, Iowa
Editor, Iowa Review

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Thursday, April 21, 1994, continued

5:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Reception opening the Exhibition
“Good Books: Authors, Books, and Readers”

Friday, April 22, 1994

5:30 p.m.
Social Hour

6:00 p.m.
Dinner/Friends of the University Libraries
Triangle Ballroom, Iowa Memorial Union (IMU)
(For Reservation information call 335-5871)

8:00 p.m.
Talk by David Morrell
“Fear and Fiction”
Main Lounge, IMU
CHAUTAUQUA 94 EVENTS CONTINUED

Saturday, April 23, 1994
A Literary Fair

10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.
Aspects of Creating a Literary Work
Main Library

Printing demonstration Janice Frey, Printer
Owner, Magpie Press

Papermaking Tim Barrett
Associate Research Scientist
Center for the Book
University of Iowa

Book Binding Pam Spitzmueller
University Conservator
University of Iowa Libraries

Calligraphy Glen Epstein, Associate Professor
Continuing Education
University of Iowa

Multi-media—“Rare Books: Old and New” David Schoonover
Curator of Rare Books
University of Iowa Libraries

Young Authors An exhibition of books created by
Iowa City elementary students

10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
Children and Young Adult Literature Sale
2,000 Used Books

12:00 Noon
Band Concert
Iowa City Community Band
North Lobby
Main Library

Chautauqua Cafe
10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.