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Reference Books of 1975, the list of outstanding reference books published last year, has been announced by the Outstanding Reference Books Committee of the Reference and Adult Services Division of the American Library Association.

ALEXANDER, Shana. State by State Guide to Women's Legal Rights. 244p.
Price, Stern, Sloan. p. \$5.95 (Hardback Wollstonecraft. \$12.95)

AMERICAN Crafts Council, comp. Contemporary Crafts Market Place, 1975-1976
Edition. 500p. Bowker. pa. \$13.95

AMERICAN Writers, ed. by Leonard Unger. 4v. Scribner. 1974. \$160.

ARPAN, Jeffrey S. and David A. Ricks. Directory of Foreign Manufacturers
in the United States. 151p. Georgia State University. \$11.95;
pa. \$7.50

BERNSTEIN, Theodore M. Bernstein's Reverse Dictionary. 277p.
Quadrangle. \$10

THE BICENTENNIAL Almanac: 1776-1976; 200 Years of America. ed. by Calvin
D. Linton. 448p. Thomas Nelson. \$14.95

THE BOSTON Children's Medical Center and Richard I. Feinbloom.
Child Health Encyclopedia: The Complete Guide for Parents. 561p.
Delacorte. \$15

BOYCE, Bryl N. Real Estate Appraisal Terminology. 306p. Ballinger. \$12.50

BURKE'S Presidential Families of the United States of America. 673p.
Burke's Peerage. \$39.95

CASALE, Joan T. The Diet Food Finder. 304p. Bowker. \$19.95

CHAPMAN, Dorothy H. Index to Black Poetry. 541p. G.K. Hall. 1974. \$25

CLAPP, Jane. Professional Ethics and Insignia. 851p. Scarecrow. 1974.
\$27.50

THE DIAGRAM Group. The Way to Play: The Illustrated Encyclopedia of the
Games of the World. 320p. Paddington Press. \$15.95

DUPUY, Trevor Nevitt and Hammerman, Gay R. ed. People and Events of the
American Revolution. 473p. Bowker. 1974. \$10.95

THE ENCYCLOPEDIA of Golf. ed. by Donald L. Steel and Peter Ryde. 480p.
Viking Press. \$30

FISHER, Margery. Who's Who in Children's Books. 384p. Holt, Rinehart & Winston. \$22.95

GRUN, Bernard. The Timetables of History. 661p. Simon and Schuster.
\$24.95

GUIDE to Alternative Colleges and Universities, by Wayne Blaze. 141p.
Beacon Press. \$9.95

HANDBOOK of Major Soviet Nationalities, ed. by Kev Katz et al. 481p.
Free Press. \$25

HARRIS, Cyril M., ed. Dictionary of Architecture and Construction. 533p.
McGraw-Hill. \$35

HAVLICE, Patricia P. Index to Literary Biography. 2v. Scarecrow. \$39.50

HILLMAN, Howard and Karin Abarbarel. The Art of Winning Foundation Grants.
192p. Vanguard. \$6.96

HOW Things Work in Your Home, ed. by Time Life Books. 368p. Silver.
\$21.24

JOHNSTONE, W. D. For Good Measure. 336p. Holt, Rinehart & Winston.
\$9.95

KATZNER, Kenneth. The Languages of the World. 374p. Funk & Wagnalls.
1974. \$11.95

LEGGETT, Arnold and Pat Fagle. Complete Garden. 246p. Oliver Press.
pa. \$3.95

~~MARQUIS~~ Who's Who Publications Index to All Books - 1974. 488p. Marquis.
1974. \$19.95

MCGRAW-Hill Encyclopedia of Environmental Science. 754p. McGraw.
1974. \$24.50

MITCHELL, B. R. European Historical Statistics, 1750-1970. 827p.
Columbia Univ. Press. \$50

NORDBY, Vernon J., and Hall, Calvin S. A Guide to Psychologists and Their Concepts. 187p. W.H. Freeman. 1974. \$8; pa. \$3.50

THE OXFORD Companion to World Sports and Games, ed. by John Arlott. 143p.
Oxford Univ. Press. \$29.95

PORTER, Sylvia. Sylvia Porter's Money Book. 1105p. Doubleday. \$14.95

PRUSEK, Jaroslav. Dictionary of Oriental Literatures. 3v. Basic. \$40

RICE, F. Philip. Outdoor Life Gun Data Book. 570p. Times Mirror Mag.
\$10

RUOFF, James E. Crowell Handbook of Elizabethan and Stuart Literature.
576p. Crowell. \$13.95

RUSH, Theresa Gunnels and others. Black American Writers Past and Present:
A Biographical and Bibliographical Dictionary. 2v. Scarecrow. \$30

SCIENCE Fair Project Index, ed. by Janet Y. Stoffer. 728p. Scarecrow.
\$25

SMITH, Whitney. Flags Through the Ages and Across the World. 357p.
McGraw-Hill. \$39.95

THE TIMES Atlas of China, ed. by Dennis Twitchett and P.J. Geelan, 171p.
Quadrangle. 1974. \$75

WAKEMAN, John. World Authors: 1950-1970. 1594p. Wilson. \$60

WASHINGTON. Information Directory 1975-76. 829p. Congressional
Quarterly. \$18

WATSON, Allan and Paul E.W. Whalley. The Dictionary of Butterflies
and Moths in Color. 7p. McGraw-Hill. \$39.95

WHEELER, Alwyne C. Fishes of the World. 400p. Macmillan. \$27.50

WILSON, Wm. K. and Betty L. Directory of Research Grants, 1975. 390p.
Oryx Press. \$32.50

This list of notable reference books, primarily for use in small and medium-sized public or college libraries will be published in the Reference Issue (April 15) of the Library Journal. The committee members are: Carl T. Cox, Professor, Grad. Sch. of Library & Information Science, University of Tennessee, Knoxville; Daniel Hagelin; Helen Adele Jones; Wilbur McGill; Joyce Shields; Kathryn T. Ivey; Dale Montieth and Lynn Wishart.