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Edward G. Holley, Dean of the School of Library Science, University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, has been elected Vice-President and President-Elect of the American Library Association. His election was announced today (Sunday, June 24) at the opening of the 1973 Annual Conference of the ALA in Las Vegas.

A member of the Association since 1949, Holley is currently chairman of the ALA Publishing Board. His book, Charles Evans, American Bibliographer, won the Association's Scarecrow Press Award for the "outstanding contribution to library literature" in 1964. His other publications include Raking the Historic Coals; The ALA Scrapbook of 1876 (1967) and, with Donald D. Hendricks, Resources of Texas Libraries (1968), as well as numerous articles in professional journals.

Holley has held a variety of positions in professional associations. In 1971, he was President of the Texas Library Association and from 1969 to 1972 Editor of the Association of College and Research Libraries' series, Publications in Librarianship. Appointed to the Advisory Council on College Library Resources of the U. S. Office of Education in 1968, he served as chairman of that group from 1969 to 1971.

In North Carolina he is a member of the State Library's Public Librarian Certification Board and the Library Services and Construction Act Advisory Committee.

Dean Holley received his B.A. degree from David Lipscomb College, his M.A. degree from George Peabody College, and his Ph.D. degree from the University of Illinois. In the spring, 1971, he was awarded a Council on Library Resources Fellowship to study

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the organization and administration of urban university libraries.

Prior to his appointment as Dean at the University of North Carolina in January 1972, Holley served as Director of Libraries at the University of Houston from 1962 through 1971, and as Education, Philosophy and Psychology Librarian at the University of Illinois from 1957 to 1962. He has also taught in summer sessions at the University of Wisconsin at Madison and North Texas State University and has lectured at LSU at Baton Rouge, Texas A & M University, and Texas Woman's University.