

Janet H. Johnson

Janet H. Johnson spent much of her time during the past year working on the Demotic Dictionary Project (see separate report) and on the Middle Egyptian Text Editions for On-line Research (METEOR) project (see separate report), of which she gave a demonstration during the Humanities Division Open House in October. She attended the annual meeting of the American Research Center in Egypt (for which she serves on the Board of Governors) held in Baltimore, Maryland, in April 2002, where she was invited to give a talk entitled “Late Period Grammar, Lexicography, and Related ‘Stuff,’ Including Some References to Abnormal Hieratic, Late ‘Regular’ Hieratic, Aramaic, Carian, ‘Ptolemaic’ Hieroglyphs, Demotic, Coptic, and ‘Meroitic’” in a panel on Late Period Egypt. She also gave a lecture to the Anthropology class at Kenwood High School on “Ancient Texts, What They Tell Us, How We Use Them” as part of a program organized through the Oriental Institute Museum Office. She served as chairman of the “Technology Oversight Committee” of the Division of the Humanities, which helps keep the Oriental Institute tuned in to what is going on technologically in the most closely related part of the University. She also continued her three-year term as a member of the Council of the University Senate.
