

Most of JANET H. JOHNSON's personal research time has been spent on either the Demotic Dictionary Project or the Quseir Project (see separate reports). However, two of her articles on the "Demotic Chronicle," a Ptolemaic period text predicting the rise of a native Egyptian king, have appeared during the past year. In addition, she has prepared a study of the ancient Egyptians' understanding of the work-

ings of their language (i.e., the ancient Egyptians' knowledge of linguistics) as part of a volume on the history of linguistics. She was invited to give the 5th Annual G. G. Cameron lecture in Ann Arbor, Michigan, in March, where she spoke on "Exploration Beyond the Nile: Egyptians and the Eastern Desert." She has been elected to the Executive Committee of the American Research Center in Egypt and has been selected as the U.S. representative to the International Association of Egyptologists.