

MnPALS Authorities Task Force Report
MnPALS User Group Meeting – Fall 2005
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*As of September 16, 2005

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MnPALS Authorities Task Force Charge

The MnPALS Cataloging User Group establishes the Authorities Task Force to examine Authorities functionality in the MnPALS implementation of the Aleph System, both in the current version 15.5.2 and in version 17.01. The task force shall look at linkages between bibliographic records and authority records, display of authority information, authority field tag terminology, and other issues related to authorities. It shall also review the database for authority records that were rejected during loading (SYS 19). The examination shall incorporate as appropriate the MnLINK acceptance testing scripts that already have been developed for authority issues.

The Task Force may co-opt members from other groups as appropriate to complete its work. It shall submit its final report to the Cataloging User Group no later than the Spring 2006 User Group meeting. Any recommendations in the final report that are adopted by the Cataloging User Group shall be forwarded to the MnPALS User Council.

Meetings

The Authority TF has met April 19, 2005, May 25, 2005, June 8, 2005, June 22, 2005, July 13, 2005, July 27, 2005, August 10, 2005, Sept. 16, 2005. Upcoming meetings are scheduled for the 1st and 3rd Fridays in October, November, and December.

Our minutes are posted to the Authorities Task Force WebBoard at
<http://ecomunity.mnscu.edu/WB/default.asp?boardid=22>

Topics discussed in meetings:

- Display issues for authority record information in OPAC and Gui Client
 - Missing subfields
 - Lack of spaces
 - Missing fields
- Contact with Stephen Hearn of the University of Minnesota
 - NAAUG authorities ad hoc work group (for vers. 18)
 - Authority issues/problems identified in MnPALS catalog and his response outlining those that could be fixed in the tables (mostly OPAC and display issues) versus those bigger issues that need to go to Ex Libris as enhancements or are already being worked on by ad hoc work group for vers. 18 (e.g. ambiguous headings).
- Contact with Janet Arth of the University of Minnesota regarding our display problems and the U of M table set up. Application of that information to MnPALS tables and the outcome of those changes.
- How to use the RFP Authorities acceptance testing scripts for review. Identifying priorities within RFP. What is an issue now, what isn't being used and thus lower priority, what is already being addressed by enhancements. Any plans to make local Authority records or perform local editing/add local info to LC records?

Work done:

**Following this report are screen shot examples of problems as seen in Harp. Changes noted below to Lute will be demonstrated at the UG meeting as time is available.*

- Table changes to *sys10/tab/edit_field.eng* affecting authority information as seen in Web OPAC LC Authority Record links and GUI client (*changes made to Lute, not yet implemented on Harp)
 - Personal names (seen from/400 field) now include \$c, d, and q
 - Personal names/Corporate names (name heading/100/110 field) now have spaces before subfields; Personal names (see also/510 field) now have space before \$b
 - Corporate names (seen from/410 field) now include \$b
 - Complex See Also reference (360 field) now has appropriate spaces
 - Subjects (seen from/450 field) now display the \$x
 - Subjects (150 and 550/brader term fields) now display \$z
- Table change to *sys01/tab/edit_doc_999-aut-sys10.eng* (*changes made to Lute, not yet implemented on Harp)
 - General Note (680) now displays with Authority record as seen in link in Web OPAC browse lists
- Table changes to *sys10/tab/tab01.eng* (*changes made before Authority TF formed under condition changes would be approved by Authority TF once formed; changes have been implemented on Harp though still need final approval)
 - Order of MARC tags in authority record as seen in MARC tags view in GUI client changed to reflect LC/MARC order with ALEPH special fields moved out of main body of authority record.
- Other changes

- Sort order in brief lists as seen in GUI – can now sort by ascending/descending
- Change to *sys10/tab/www_tab_short.eng* “PublicNote” – space added

To Do:

- Final approval and implementation of above changes on Harp
- Other display issues/problems, including:
 - Seen From/4XX terms with \$w nne don't display in OPAC
 - Improve field labels for Authority records as seen in Web OPAC (make changes to *sys01/tab/edit_doc_999-aut-sys10.eng*)
 - Hyphens between subfields in subject browse list
- Identify possible authorities enhancements for vers. 20
- Rejected authorities records in SYS 19. Report of records, review of each record, define what problems are causing rejects, resolutions for those problems.

Examples

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Cross-references - Subjects (All) - Sibley, Henry Hastings, 1811-1891.

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Sys. no.	001207170
Name Heading	Sibley, Henry Hastings, 1811-1891.
Seen from	Walker in the pines,
Seen from	Sibley, H. H.
Seen from	Hal,
See also	Minnesota Governor (1858-1860 : Sibley)

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Sys. no.	002398293
Name Heading	Bovey, Kate Koon, 1874-1964.
Seen from	Bovey, Kate Estelle Koon,
Seen from	Bovey, Charles Cranston,
Seen from	Bovey, C. C.,

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Cross-references - Subjects (All) - United States. Army. Minnesota Cavalry Regiment, 2nd (1864-1866)

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Sys. no.	005374918
Corporate Heading	<u>United States.Army.Minnesota Cavalry Regiment, 2nd (1864-1866)</u>
Seen from	Minnesota Cavalry, 2nd Regiment (1864-1866)


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Cross-references - Subjects (All) - Tweed Gallery.

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Sys. no.	000989792
Corporate Heading	<u>Tweed Gallery.</u>
Seen from	University of Minnesota, Duluth.
Seen from	University of Minnesota, Duluth.
L.term	<u>Tweed Museum of Art</u>
Bio./Hist. Data	opened 1950

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Cross-references - Subjects (All) - Education Curricula

Click on an underlined tag to see a Browse List.

Sys. no.	000069984
Topical Heading	Education -- Curricula
Sub. CSAR	subdivisionCurriculaunder names of individual educational institutions, and under types of education and educational institutions, for works on courses offered at those institutions or in those fields, e.g.Harvard University--Curricula; Technical education--Curricula; Universities and colleges--Curricula
Seen from	Core curriculum
Seen from	Courses of study
Seen from	Curricula (Courses of study)
Seen from	Curriculums (Courses of study)
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Cross-references - Subjects (All) - Iron ranges Minnesota

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Sys. no.	000267310
Topical Heading	Iron ranges

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Cross-references - Subjects (All) - Lake of the Woods

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Sys. no.	000190496
Geographic Heading	<u>Lake of the Woods</u>
Seen from	Woods, Lake of the
Broader term	<u>Lakes</u>
Broader term	<u>Lakes</u>
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MHS Library Catalog - Browse an Alphabetical Index

Select index to browse: Subjects

Type word or phrase:

Browse List: Subjects (All)

No. of Recs	Brief Recs	Entry
		Striker family - [LC Authority Record] See: Stryker family
27		Strikes and lockouts - [LC Authority Record] Public Note: Here are entered works on strikes and lockouts in general. Works on strikes in a particular industry are entered under the heading Strikes and lockouts subdivided by the industry or occupation and further subdivided by place if local, e.g. Strikes and lockouts--Police; Strikes and lockouts--Railroads--France. Works on individual strikes are entered under the heading for the name of the strike, e.g. Coal Miners' Strike, U.S., 1949-1950.
1		Strikes and lockouts Agricultural workers Bibliography.
1		Strikes and lockouts Airlines - [LC Authority Record]
1		Strikes and lockouts Airlines Minnesota.
2		Strikes and lockouts Airlines United States - [LC Authority Record]
1		Strikes and lockouts Automobile drivers Minnesota Minneapolis.
2		Strikes and lockouts Bank employees Minnesota Willmar.

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Cross-references - Subjects (All) - Strikes and lockouts

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Sys. no.	000154400
Topical Heading	<u>Strikes and lockouts</u>
Sub. CSAR	names of individual strikes, e.g. Coal Miners' Strike, U.S., 1949-1950
Seen from	Combinations of labor
Seen from	Lockouts
Seen from	Work stoppages
Broader term	<u>Labor disputes</u>
See also	Insurance, Strike
See also	<u>Strikebreakers</u>

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Record No. 1 out of 1

1.Full+Link 2. MARC Tags 3. Name Tags

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Taylor, L
1960-20
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SAT 200
AIS-ADM
ACNS 2
Jump to:
Enter CCL Q
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List of Sets

FMT	AU
LDR	00525nz 2200157n 4500
001	nb2005009279
003	DLC
005	20050712051544.0
008	050711n acannaabn n aaa
010	a nb2005009279
035	a (Uk)006227705
040	a Uk b eng c Uk d Uk
1001	a Taylor, Linda, d 1960-2005
667	a Formerly on undifferentiated name record n84011240
670	a From vision to reality, 2004: b t.p. (Linda Taylor) BL AL sent 27 May 2005
670	a BL AL recd. 11 July 2005 b (Linda Taylor, born 9 Dec. 1960, died 2005)
UPD	a N

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1.Full+Link 2. MARC Tags 3. Name Tags

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049	a LCNA
10010	a Taylor, Linda, d 1943-
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UPD	a N
CAT	c 20040731 SYS10 h 1527
LDR	00426nz 2200145n 45 0
002	n 93021602
005	19930308154707.1
008	930308n acannaab n aaa
010	a n 93021602
040	a DLC c DLC
670	a Her The lettuce leaf birthday letter, c1994: b CIP t.p. (Linda Taylor)
670	a Phone call to pub., 03-08-93 b (Linda Taylor; b. 1943)
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SYS	003512655

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