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From Your (thankful) Editor:

It may not be Thanksgiving but I am happy to have my son Raymond back in the US (San Antonio) with his wife Lindsay. His time in Iraq is over, at least for a while. Now I just have to worry about my daughter who is on a medical mission in Romania.

Meanwhile, ATG continues thanks to all the wonderful editors who put it together. Who could believe that we would be 18 years old? Where has all the time gone? This issue is check full of some great information on pricing models for electronic resources. Tim Bucknall and Beth Bernhardt have put together articles from four experienced professionals, Christine Fischer, Rick Anderson, Kimberly Steinle, and Scott Rice, who will help us make sense of today's lengthy menu of pricing options by examining them from multiple perspectives. The Charleston Conference mentors, Susan Campbell and Pam Cenzer, took one of Larry Portzline's bookstore tours and wrote about it here in "Pam and Susan's Excellent Greenwich Village Bookstore Adventure." And while you're traveling, be sure to read Kris Ferguson's Technology Left Behind as she looks back in "An Ode to the Typewriter."

We have lots of special reports this issue, Anthony Watkinson talks about the "SUPERBOOK Research Project at UCL." Julie Flanders and Cynthia Gregory tell us about their "Leisure Cinema Collection." Kirstin Steele has more on collecting, while Norman Desmarais tells us in on "Colliding Technologies." Gene Waddell has submitted a review essay "Anthropology As Natural History," and last but not least, Bob Molyneux talks about "Predicting High-Circulating Titles for Public Libraries."

Our interviews for this issue are with Martha Sedgwick and Patrick Alexander, and our profiles include Tim Bucknall, Beth R. Bernhardt, Kimberly Steinle, and Peg Bradshaw. Plus there's much, much more. Read on!

Cheers, Yr. Ed.

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Thanks so much, Yr. Ed.

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