

It was a pleasant surprise when a special bonus arrived in the late fall of 1994. The contents of the BDC Library (177 microfilms) had been added to the the approximately 40,000 rolls of the BDC biographic collection.

The filming of the library materials had been arranged by the outgoing BDC administration under the last director, Dr. David Marwell, on his own initiative, since the initial agreement did not include the BDC Library. When he came to the BDC in 1989 he realized that the BDC library had been inaccessible to the public and recognizing its importance, had the material brought above ground.