

In the past few weeks the DALNET has lost two of its members. Barbara Coe Johnson died on February 17<sup>th</sup>. Barbara was a founding member of DALNET and one of the signers of DALNET's articles of incorporation. She had a long career as the Director of Libraries at Harper Hospital, at the time one of the largest and most exemplary hospital libraries in Detroit. She was always known as an innovator, and was among the first hospital librarians to acquire access to Medline in Detroit. In the late 1970s she was recognized by her peers when she was the first hospital librarian elected president of the Medical Library Association. She continued blazing trails for medical librarians until her retirement in the late 1980s.

Just over a week ago, Jeannie Brennan lost her fight with ovarian cancer. Jeannie was a Ferndale native who resided in Ferndale for her entire life. After college Jeannie taught school for a while and then went to library school. Her first library position was at Saratoga Hospital. She moved on to Hutzel Hospital where she was the librarian for 14 years. Most recently she was the librarian at Harper Hospital. Jeannie prided herself on providing the highest quality service she was able to provide. In addition to her career, Jeannie was known to be one of those librarians who "had a life" outside of libraries. She was known as a gardener, a traveller, one who was interested in music and theater, and as Mom to Socks and Otter, her dogs.

DALNET will miss the contributions of both of our colleagues.