BUILDING IMPROVEMENTS

The University Library has seen several building projects developed this year.

BROWNLESS BIOMEDICAL LIBRARY
A brand new basement extension (right) was added to the Brownless Biomedical Library, providing the first step in the creation of an integrated life sciences library. The basement now holds the collections of Dental Science and Zoology and Genetics.

BAILLIEU LIBRARY
Public and staff areas of the Baillieu Library’s lower ground floor were extensively refurbished (right). The public area has been transformed into the Ian Potter Foundation Information and Technology Centre, with spacious, light reading areas and a computer centre featuring Buddy, the Library’s electronic access system.

ARCHIVES
The University of Melbourne Archives has acquired a new repository in Brunswick (above). Renovation and fit out began in June. Sometime in 1999 the Archives will move 11 kilometres of archival records into this new facility. A reference service will continue to be maintained on the Parkville campus.

ENGINEERING LIBRARY
A modest, mid-year redevelopment program (right) delivered an excellent refurbishment of the entrance, reference, loans and staff areas of the Engineering Library, with improved facilities for patrons and staff.