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This 259-item bibliography is a compilation of books, articles, technical reports, and conference proceedings which deal with the preservation of books and paper materials through mass deacidification. Materials of historical interest from scientific, library science, and "popular" works have been included. The material is arranged in chronological blocks since specific users may wish to consult the most recent literature. The citations in the first section are basic works on deacidification and are included because of their historical importance. Subsequent sections, beginning with works up to 1969, are arranged in chronological order by 5-year periods through 1984, and yearly, thereafter, to 1990. Concluding the bibliography is an author index for those seeking specific works. It is expected that this bibliography will be updated as new material becomes available. (MAB)

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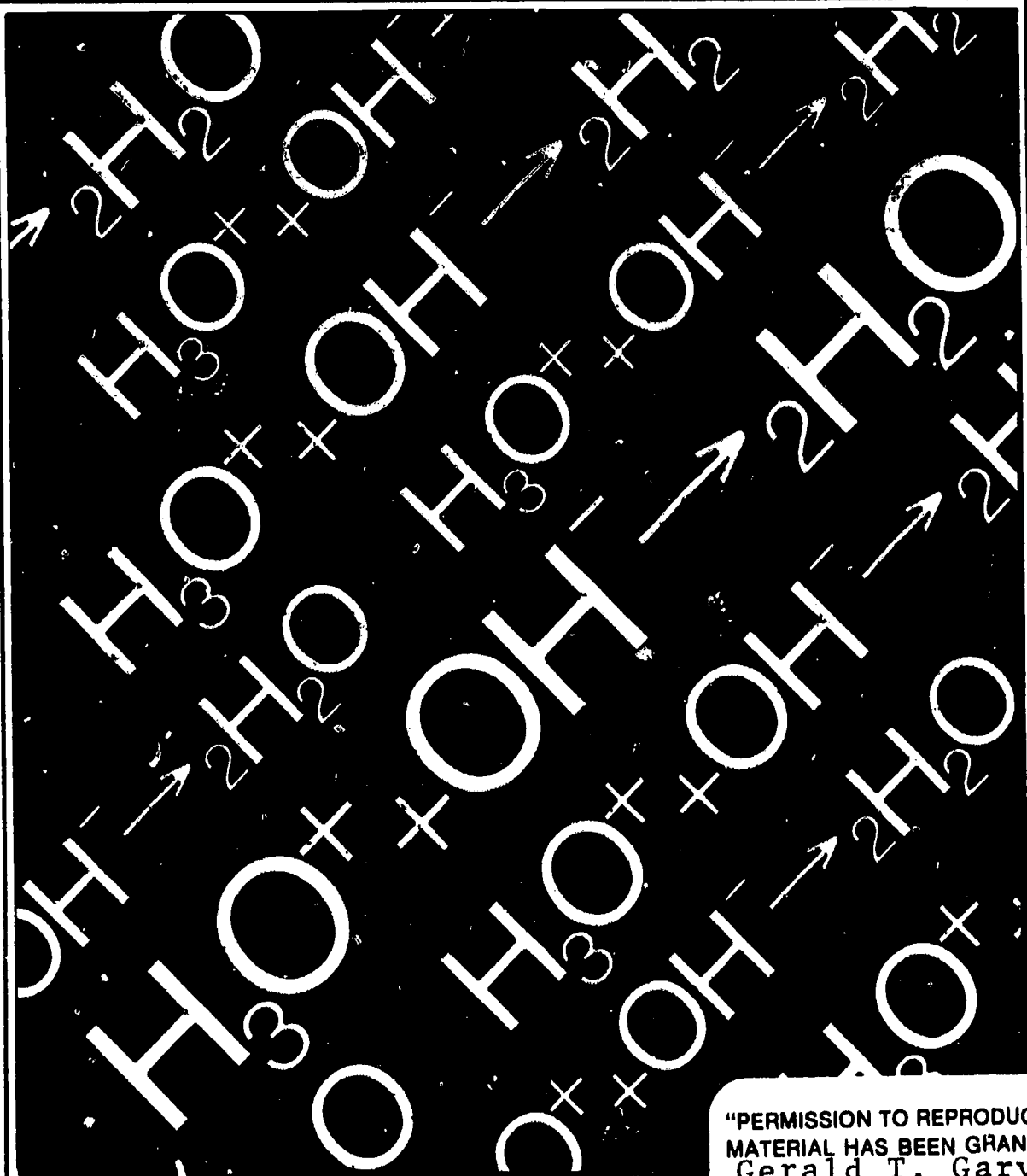
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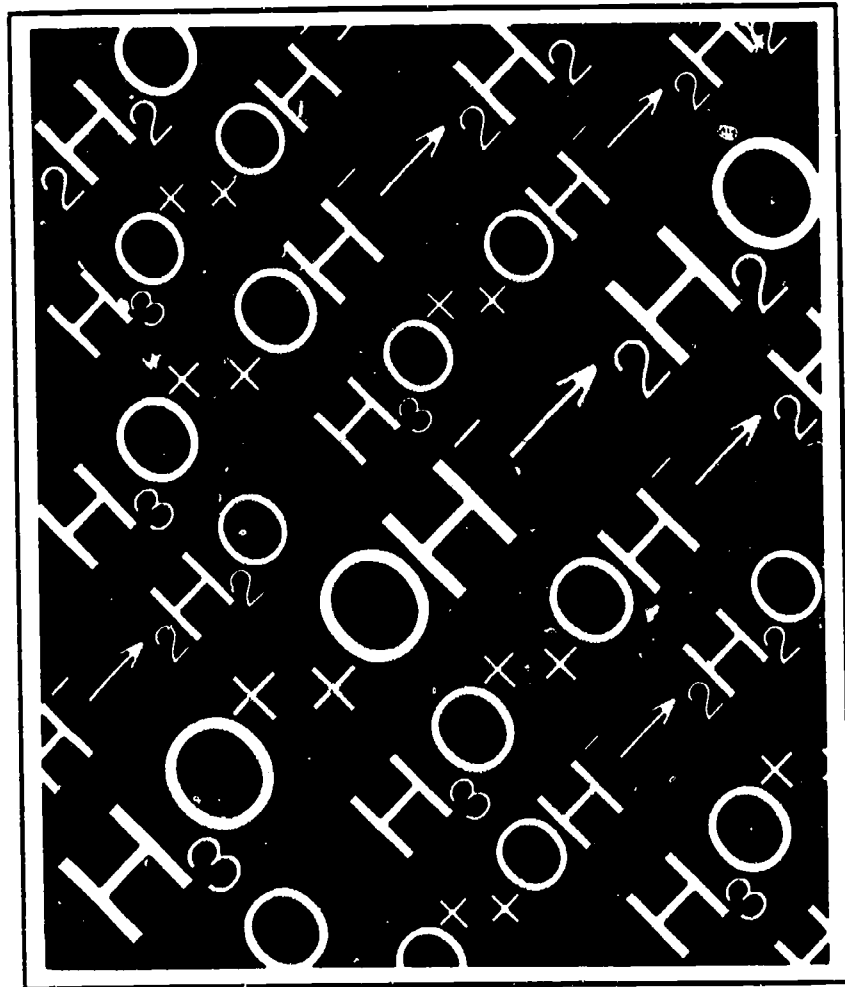
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## FOREWORD

Mass deacidification of paper was not too long ago only a wishful concept. Much to the advantage of libraries and archives, this budding technology continues to advance with a fresh infusion of ideas and resources. The hectic pace of progress over the past few years has justifiably translated into an increasing proliferation of literature. It is hoped that this bibliography, which we expect to update periodically, will serve to keep us informed about recent developments in the field. Carole Zimmermann has made a sincere effort to compile a bibliography that is as comprehensive as possible. Yet, given the high degree of interest in mass deacidification in the popular and the professional press, a first attempt is likely to suffer from some omissions. We welcome response from our readers to help us redress any oversights in future issues of this bibliography.

Kenneth E. Harris  
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## PREFACE

This bibliography is intended to reach all audiences interested in the preservation of book and paper materials through mass deacidification. For this reason, I have tried to offer a broad presentation of the literature available by including materials from scientific, library science, and "popular" works. I subsequently plan to update this bibliography as new material becomes available.

The material in this bibliography is arranged in chronological blocks due to our belief that specific users may wish to consult the most recent literature. An author index has been included for those seeking specific works.

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