The RASS executive board met on November 6th at the home of Ted Labosky in Winston-Salem. The first order of new business was to appoint a vice-chair to serve out my interim period as chair. Ted Labosky was nominated and accepted. Ted’s former position as community college rep will remain vacant until a new person is elected. The Board also agreed to donate $500 to the NCLA Endowment in memory of Paula Pearce Hinton and Janie Neely asked that the board consider amending RASS policy and procedure to designate a board member as treasurer, separate from the office of secretary. The rest of the meeting was spent discussing ideas for the upcoming conference. Two possible topics are training and mentoring new reference librarians as well as marketing reference and adult services.