

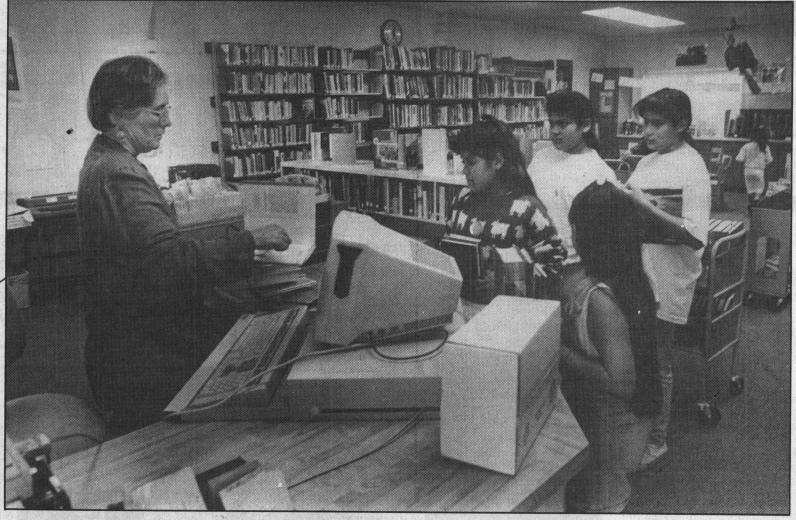
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FREEDOM — A simple dedication ceremony turned into the surprise of a lifetime Saturday for Florence Wyckoff, president of the Friends of the Freedom Public Library.

Wyckoff, who has spent more than 15 years fighting for library services in her community, learned the new branch at 25 Holly Drive would be named in her honor.

Her reaction? Delighted, of course.

"They fooled me completely," Wyckoff said.



Librarian Catherine Steele checks out books Saturday at new branch named for Florence Wyckoff, above left.