

## Preservation Committee Announces Purchase by Rian Farley

The Preservation and Digitization Committee, a sub group of the Durham Friends of the Library is pleased to announce the purchase of two ScanSnap SV600 one-button overhead scanning technology. The scanners, built by Fujitsu, have been purchased at cost of \$700 each. They are on order, and should be delivered within the week. These two much needed pieces of equipment owned by the DFOL will later be “public scanners” at the Durham Branch of Butte County Library. Scanning will commence soon on the first of multiple projects planned.

The machine, photograph shown accompanying this article can scan bound material and flat documents. It will scans an A3 size area in less than 3 seconds with CCD optic with fast LED illumination. It has book curve image-flattening technology and can erase fingers from image function. Additional features are auto crop, de-skew and rotation; auto page-turn detection sensor; Timed interval scanning mode. The USB 2.0 connectivity will provide the searchable PDF, PDF and JPEG creation, as well as allowing for single scan multiple documents cropping function.

