ACADIAN VILLAGE DISPLAY — A model of the Acadian Village, located in the Allman Center for Retarded Citizens, is on display in Dupre Library at the University of Southwestern Louisiana through the month of October. The model was put on exhibit in honor of National Employ the Handicapped Week. Pictured at left is Charles Hamza, USL’s assistant professor of library science and president of the Lafayette Association for Retarded Citizens, and Norman Heard, acting director of USL’s Dupre Library and a past president of the association. The display also includes ceramic pieces from the New Hope Work Activity Center and the New Hope Sheltered Workshop.

A display exhibited in Dupre Library at the University of Southwestern Louisiana during National Employ the Handicapped Week, will be continued through the month of October.

On display is a model of the Acadian Village located in the Allman Center for Retarded Citizens. Operated by the Lafayette Association for Retarded Citizens, the center’s instructional programs come under the supervision of the State Department of Education, Division of Vocational Rehabilitation. Participants are given the opportunity to learn work in the horticulture field, including farm vehicle and tool operation and maintenance.

There are also displays of products and services provided by the New Hope Work Activity Center and the New Hope Sheltered Workshop, both of which are devoted to helping handicapped citizens become useful.

Dupre Library is open Monday through Thursday from 7:30 a.m. to 11 p.m. Friday from 7:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Saturday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., and Sunday from 2 p.m. to 10 p.m. The public is invited to view the displays at no charge.