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STATE LIBRARY

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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

TEXAS STATE LIBRARY,
AUSTIN, TEXAS, September 1, 1932.

To His Excellency, ROSS S. STERLING, Governor of Texas.

SIR: Herewith is submitted the report of the Texas Library and Historical Commission, including the report of the Texas State Library, for the twelfth biennium, ending August 31, 1932.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA K. BURLERSON, Chairman,
ELIZABETH R. HOUSTON,
GEORGE E. SHELLEY,
LAURA ALINE HOBBY,
R. L. IRVING.

SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE TEXAS LIBRARY AND HISTORICAL COMMISSION

On January 23, 1931, the Commission met in annual session in the Railroad Commission hearing room. Just preceding the meeting, the Commission made an inspection of the whole library in order to become better acquainted with its condition and needs. The heads of the library divisions met with the Commission and explained briefly their duties in order that the Commission might better understand the work in the Library. The Library budget was considered and it was decided to work for salary raises. A committee was appointed to meet with certain members of the Legislature to discuss the raise in the librarian's salary. The crowded and unfavorable condition of the Library was discussed and resolutions setting forth these conditions and declaring for a new building were passed.

On January 28, 1932, the Commission met in annual session in House Committee Room Number 5. The crowded condition of the Library was discussed and several suggestions made. It was decided that publicity of the need of a State Library building be given. The repairing of the Battle Flag of San Jacinto belonging to the State Library and for which an appropriation of \$500 for repairs had been made to the Daughters of the Republic of Texas was discussed and a decision was made to have a written agreement between the two parties that the title to the flag should remain with the Library. The Chairman of the Commission was re-elected, the acting librarian was elected librarian and the staff re-elected.

REPORT OF THE STATE LIBRARIAN

GENERAL

ORGANIZATION AND PURPOSE

The Texas State Library dates back to 1839 when an appropriation of \$10,000 for the purchase of a library was made. In the House Journal, Fourth Congress of the Republic of Texas, 1839-1840, there is a letter to Hon. Wm. H. Jack from D. G. Burnet, Acting Secretary of State, saying that the first purchase was the Edinburg Encyclopedia in 18 volumes purchased from Dr. Ashbel Smith for \$300. For many years the Library was a bureau in the office of the Secretary of State and later a part of the Department of Insurance, Statistics and History, afterward Agriculture, Insurance, Statistics and History. In 1909 a law was passed making it an independent department, the Texas Library and Historical Commission, State Library.

Texas is fortunate in having consolidated under the Texas Library and Historical Commission, State Library, a number of state-wide library functions which in many states are carried on by several departments. This consolidation includes commission work, the legislative reference division, archive division, traveling library service, book service to the blind, and "state library" service. There are eighteen states having both state libraries and library commissions and a number having separate legislative reference libraries and archive departments. In recent years a number of states have consolidated two or more of these departments. The Texas Library and Historical Commission, State Library, started as a separate department with this consolidation already made. Although there are a number of different functions performed by the Library, there are four main divisions of the work, namely: the archive division, the legislative reference division, the library extension and organization division and the state-wide lending service.

THE ARCHIVE DIVISION is mentioned first as it is the oldest part of the work. When the Library was a division of the State Department it was the repository of the reports and other documents of that department and also of the various documents transferred to the State Department from the other departments of the government. By a joint resolution of the Legislature in 1850 the Nacogdoches archives were transferred to the Library division of the State Department. Various other legislative enactments have been made for the transfer of archive material outside of Austin to the State Library. In 1876, a law was passed creating the Department of Insurance, Statistics and History and the State Library was transferred to this depart-

ment. The law further provided that the documents from the various state departments "as relate to the history of Texas" and not in current use by the departments, should be transferred to the Library. These transfers have gone toward making up much of the Archive Division. There are still hundreds of documents in the other state departments that should be transferred to the Library but for want of adequate housing space this cannot be done now. In addition to the transfers, this Division has built up a valuable and extensive Texas history collection by purchase and gift.

The work in the Archive Division consists in the classification and preservation of documents, rare books, maps, newspapers, and other material; the editing and publication of documents of the Republic of Texas and of the State of Texas; the preparation of an index to Confederate Muster rolls, the purpose of which is to expedite the finding of records for applicants for pensions and for membership in patriotic societies, and, ultimately to publish the list of Texas soldiers; translations from the Spanish (occasionally from the French and German) of letters, telegrams, etc., for the Governor's office and other departments; recommendations for purchases of books, documents, maps, etc., for the Archive Department; supervision of the mending of documents and old newspapers; service, verbal and by correspondence, to other departments, lawyers, authors, students, applicants for pension, and the public generally of Texas and of other states who seek information based on material in the Archive Department.

THE LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE DIVISION was provided for in the act of 1909. The act required that "The Commission shall maintain for the use and information of the members of the Legislature, the heads of the several State departments, and such other citizens as may desire to consult the same, a section of the State Library for legislative reference and information." This division has charge of the legislative reference collection, mostly pamphlet materials, of about 32,000 pieces, and in addition draws largely upon the resources of the main library; it answers the requests personally and by correspondence, for material and information on subjects of legislative interest; during the legislative sessions, keeps a detailed index of the history of each bill; has charge of the exchange of Texas state documents with other states; selects and orders and supervises the classification of current material on governmental and economic questions likely to be needed by the Legislature and departments; selects books for this division; and assists in general reference work.

THE LIBRARY EXTENSION AND ORGANIZATION work is another of the chief duties of the Library. In the law creating the Commission, one of the purposes set forth is to "aid and encourage libraries" and among its powers and duties "It shall give advice to such persons as contemplate the establishment of the public libraries, in regard to such matters as the maintenance of public

libraries, selection of books, cataloguing and library management." Library development has been slow in Texas. The enactment of the county library law in 1915 and its revision in 1917 opened the way to better library service, but owing to conditions during the World War and immediately following, the first county library was not established until 1920. There are now fourteen county libraries in operation. The next important step after the enactment of the county library law was the provision for a Library Organizer made by the Fortieth Legislature in 1927. Until this time the aid and advice in establishing libraries and arousing interest had been done mostly by correspondence with an occasional visit by the State Librarian. The Library Organizer devotes all of her time to this. Her work falls under two heads, office work and field work. The office duties are to answer letters requesting information about Texas library laws, establishment of city and county libraries, library administration, cataloguing, book selection, building plans, equipment and training for librarianship; to assemble and file data about size, support and operation of Texas libraries, both tax-supported and subscription, and to supply such information to national agencies, both professional and governmental; to write articles for the Texas press to keep local library conditions before the people of the State. The field duties are to visit existing libraries to give aid and advice, and to visit towns to aid in the establishment of libraries; to visit county libraries over which the law gives the State Library supervision (Texas Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, Article 1687); to make talks on library subjects at the state and district meetings of organizations interested in library development in Texas, explaining Texas laws and the national standards of library excellence in an effort to improve the present backward standing of Texas as a library State. The Organizer is occasionally consulted about school libraries since the Department of Education does not have a school library supervisor. She has made the official inspection of libraries in negro schools placed by the Rosenwald Foundation. This inspection is requested by the Foundation and is made in co-operation with the Department of Education member in charge of Rosenwald aid work.

THE STATE-WIDE LENDING SERVICE is for the benefit of those 4,000,000 citizens of Texas who are without public library service. This service is free to any citizen except for postage in sending and returning books, and is rendered in a number of different ways in order to meet the various needs of borrowers.

Any citizen in Texas may borrow books from the Library. With the exception of fiction and books for children, the Library has books on almost any desired subject. A number of book-lists on various subjects showing what the Library has to lend are sent to borrowers upon request. When a club or group of citizens wishes books on one or more subjects for study or recreational reading, a collection of books on the desired subject is lent for the length of time needed by the borrowing group,

varying from a few weeks to several months. The selection of books may be made by the borrowers or the Library.

The traveling library service is the oldest form of group service of the State Library. It was begun about 1915 for the purpose of stimulating interest in public library service in places where there was none so that permanent service would be the ultimate result. The school collections are lent to the rural and small town schools not having adequate school libraries.

In 1919 book service to the blind was begun and provision for this service has continued to be made. Owing to the crowded conditions, little growth has been made in this department in the last three years.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

CHANGE IN COMMISSION. Miss Decca Lamar West, whose term expired March 16, 1932, was succeeded by Miss Laura Aline Hobby. Grateful acknowledgment is hereby expressed of the interest and co-operation of Miss West during her services on the Commission.

THE STAFF. The resignation of the Library Organizer, Mrs. Helen L. Clutter, became effective September 1, 1930. Miss Marguerite L. Hester was appointed temporarily to the position until the permanent Library Organizer, Miss Edwin Sue Goree, could be released from her position as librarian of the Public Library, Santa Fé, New Mexico, and assume the position. Miss Goree began work January 1, 1931.

The staff consists of the librarian and ten assistants. In addition to the regular assistants there are from six to eight part-time assistants, the number varying with the amount of work to be done. These average eighteen hours a week except the part-time cleaner who works four to six hours a week.

ABSENCES. The report of absence of assistants from September 1, 1930, through August 31, 1932, as required by a rider on the Departmental Appropriation bill of 1931, is as follows:

	Days Absent		
	Illness	Leave	Vacation
Doris H. Connerly.....	..	..	24
Mrs. Mildred H. Eldridge.....	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	..	24
Edwin Sue Goree.....	4	..	24
Mary Margaret Harrison.....	16	2 ¹	24
Adele Mitchell.....	4	..	24
W. A. Monts.....	4	..	24
Rebecca Royall.....	..	6 ¹	24
Mabel Smith.....	..	..	24
Harriet Smither.....	..	..	24
Fannie M. Wilcox.....	5	..	24
Arvilla Wright.....	2	..	24

¹Serious illness in family.

MADE-TO-ORDER COLLECTION.—These collections of books are made up to meet the specific needs of the borrowers. The use of the group collections is steadily increasing. Through close co-operation with the Parent-Teacher Associations and Pre-school Circles over the State, the Library has furnished many groups of books for their study programs. During the biennium ninety-one collections containing 902 books were lent, 47 the first year and 44 the second. This is more than double that of the previous biennium which was 42. Following is a list of subjects and the number of collections lent: Child study 49, history, travels and biography 8, art 3, Texas 4, literature 4, nature 1, domestic economy 1, miscellaneous 77. The following places borrowed collections during the biennium: Abernathy, Abilene, Alto, Austin, Ballinger, Big Spring, Blum, Bonham, Brookshire, Cameron, Canton, Carrizo Springs, Castro, Celeste, College Station, Colorado, Corpus Christi, Daingerfield, DeKalb, Eastland, Edcouch, Elgin, El Paso, Fairview, Fiskville, Glen Cove, Graham, Henderson, Hooks, Hunt, Kemp, Ledbetter, Levelland, Liberty, Livingston, Llano, Lockhart, Matador, Midway, Miles, Ogiesby, Pampa, Presidio, Pleasanton, Reagan, Ringgold, Rio Hondo, Robstown, Rochelle, Sacul, Sanger, Seguin, Slaton, Snyder, Spade, Spur, Texline, Vealmoor, Wilson, Wink.

BOOKS FOR THE BLIND. The Library has collections of books for the blind in Braille grade one and one-half, New York Point and Moon types. Any blind person in the State can borrow books. There is no charge for borrowing nor for postage as the books are sent under frank by the post office department. The largest collection, 726 titles, is in Braille, the method adopted throughout the United States; the New York Point collection of 438 titles is used by many readers who have not learned Braille; while Moon is used mostly by those who have become blind in advanced years and find this system less difficult to learn. There are 312 titles in Moon. The Library lends instructions for learning the three methods and, also, Braille grade two which is beginning to be used. The Library has 251 blind readers. The circulation for the biennium was 5,862 of which 2,549 circulated the first year and 3,313 the second. Recently a simple catalogue for the books for the blind, author and title, was started. Eighty-four volumes have been catalogued.

On March 3, 1931, Congress passed the Pratt-Smoot bill, appropriating \$100,000 annually to the Library of Congress to provide books for the adult blind. The Texas State Library has been made the distributing center for these books for the middle southwestern region.

BINDING. During the biennium, 1,065 books, periodicals and pamphlets, and 367 volumes of newspapers were sent to the bindery from the regular collection. In addition to these 209 volumes of newspapers and 83 magazines from the files given to the State Library by the Rosenberg Library, Galveston, were bound. Five hundred and ninety-four volumes of material from

the main library were put in pamphlet binders. In all 2,317 volumes were bound.

CIRCULATION. There has been a marked increase in the use of the State Library in the last two years, owing to the economic situation. This is true of libraries throughout the United States as the unemployed are turning to libraries for instruction and recreation. Every effort is being made to take care of this unprecedented increase in the use of libraries.

The total circulation of books from the main library for the biennium was 33,895; of this number 16,261 circulated the first year and 17,634 the second. The out of town circulation was 3,148 for the first year and 3,070 the second, making a total of 6,218. These figures do not include circulation of traveling libraries and school libraries, statistics for which are given in the report of the Assistant Librarian. The State Library cannot be judged fairly by its circulation statistics, however. Its other service and especially the quantity and quality of its reference work, much of which is true research work, must be of first consideration in judging the value and service of the Library.

COLLECTION OF DAUGHTERS OF 1812. The collection of books and records of the Texas Society of United Daughters of 1812, Oliver Hazard Perry Chapter, which had been kept in the State Library, was removed by the Society to the Austin Woman's Club where the Society now holds its meetings.

LIBRARY ASSOCIATION MEETINGS. The Southwestern Library Association met in Dallas, October 29-November 1, 1930. The Librarian and two assistants attended the meeting which was particularly interesting and inspiring. The meeting of the Texas Library Association, which alternates with the Southwestern, was held in San Antonio, October 28-31, 1931. The Librarian, Assistant Librarian and Library Organizer attended the meeting. The Library Organizer read a paper on "The Outlook for Library Organization in Texas." A resolution favoring a movement for a State Library building was adopted.

PUBLICATIONS. During the biennium, the Archivist has published Departmental Reports and Relief Laws, which is volume three of the Journals of the Fourth Congress, Republic of Texas, 1839-40. These journals and laws had never been published. There was also published Bulletin No. 5, Table Showing Acts Affecting Articles of the Revised Statutes, 1925, and of General Laws, passed by the Thirty-ninth, Fortieth and Forty-first Legislatures. A booklet, Directory of Texas State Officials, was mimeographed. A number of the old mimeographed book lists were revised and the following new ones issued: "Art, Architecture and Music," "Books for the Modern Homemaker," "Politics and Government," "History," "Drama," and "Poetry."

SAN JACINTO BATTLE FLAG. An appropriation of \$500 for mending the San Jacinto Battle Flag was made by the Forty-second Legislature. The flag is the property of the Texas State Li-

brary but is temporarily in the custody of the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. The bill was worded so that the appropriation was to be expended by the Daughters of the Republic of Texas. The State Library and the Daughters of the Republic of Texas have worked together in arranging for the mending and preservation of the flag, and an agreement has been made whereby the State Library's ownership is not affected. The flag was shipped June 27, 1932, to an expert flag mender of national reputation in California.

REPAIRING DOCUMENTS. The Forty-first Legislature appropriated \$1,000 annually for the biennium, for the repair of valuable documents. This library has many invaluable manuscripts and other documents badly in need of repairs. An expert mender is now doing this work.

REPORT. The State Library, along with all other State departments and institutions, was called upon to make a detailed report of information on its work for the Joint Legislative Committee on Organization and Economy.

LIBRARY TAX CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT. Under the leadership of Mrs. Charles Scheuber, Librarian of the Fort Worth Public Library and Chairman of the County Library Law Amendment Committee of the Texas Library Association, a joint resolution was introduced in both houses of the Forty-second Legislature proposing to amend the Constitution of Texas so as to provide that counties, cities, towns and school districts should be empowered to levy a tax, not exceeding two mills on the dollar, for establishing and maintaining free public libraries in their respective civil subdivisions. The resolution passed the Senate, but owing to the crowded calendar did not reach the floor of the House. Until cities and counties can levy a special tax for libraries just as they do for school purposes, progress in library development in Texas will be very slow.

MISS JULIA WRIGHT MERRILL, Executive Secretary of the American Library Association, made a visit to Texas in March, 1930, and with the Library Organizer visited several libraries in the State.

MISS JULIA IDESON, Librarian, Houston Public Library, was elected first vice-president of the American Library Association for the year 1932-33.

FLOOR SPACE OF LIBRARY. Recently an estimate of the floor and shelving space was made and it was found that the main floor contains 5,028 square feet, of which 3,358 square feet are occupied by shelving. In the basement the floor space occupies 5,529 square feet, 4,929 square feet of which are occupied by shelving. This estimate shows that there is very little floor space for reading room, office, desk and general working space. The shelving on the main floor contains 7,274 linear feet of shelf space; that in the basement contains 13,185 linear feet.

ROBERT E. LEE EXHIBIT. In commemoration of the birthday of General Robert E. Lee, an exhibit of letters, documents and interesting Confederate items was held in the Archive Department for several days in February, 1931.

NUMBER OF VOLUMES. An estimate of the number of volumes and pamphlets in the State Library was made in March, 1932. It is as follows:

Classified books and pamphlets.....	35,861
Books for the Blind:	
Braille	titles 633.....volumes 1,983
Moon	titles 295.....volumes 1,120
New York Point.....	titles 438.....volumes 994
Legislative reference material.....	31,364
Unclassified archives	3,066
State documents	52,387
United States documents.....	39,702
United States, state and foreign state laws.....	5,059
Newspapers (bound).....	3,737
Newspapers (unbound and wrapped in packages number about 1,154 packages).	

175,669

LIBRARY EXTENSION

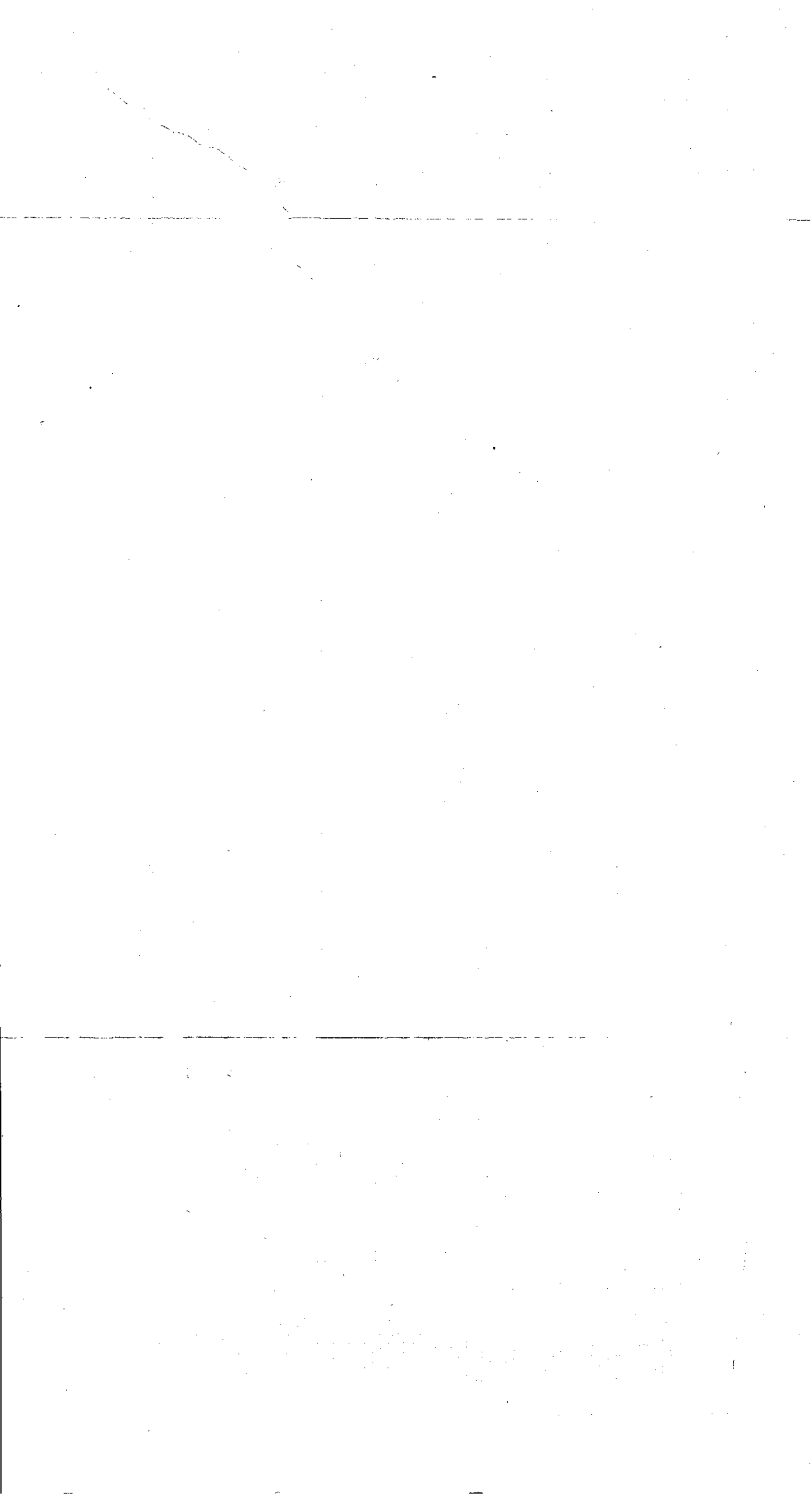
ADVICE IN LIBRARY MATTERS. One of the duties of the Commission as stated in the law governing this body is that "It shall give advice to such persons as contemplate the establishment of public libraries, in regard to such matters as the maintenance of public libraries, selection of books, cataloguing and library management."

Each year more calls are made upon the Library for advice and aid in library development and the Library is now better prepared to meet these requests than before. The requests are from counties interested in the county library project, towns wishing to establish public library service, clubs wishing to organize libraries or broaden the scope of their already existing libraries, struggling libraries that need advice and school libraries.

THREE COUNTY LIBRARY BUDGETS DURING DEPRESSION. At this time when expenses in every department of the government are being cut and libraries have come in for their share of reductions, it is encouraging to hear what happened to three county libraries in Texas. On August 30, 1932, the County Commissioners' Court of Jefferson County had a public hearing before finally adopting the budget for 1933. The County Library budget was placed at \$5,000, a reduction of \$8,000 from the preceding year. Sincere brief talks were made by citizens from almost every point in the county. All emphasized the need of the county library and asked that the budget be retained at its present status, \$13,000. The County Librarian explained that

TABLE I.—TAX SUPPORTED MUNICIPAL AND COUNTY LIBRARIES AND ENDOWED PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

No.	Place	County	Library	Librarian	Year Ending	Number agencies	Number of staff	Books added	Total books	Books lent	Number of borrowers registered		Local taxation (including interest)	Endowment fund, net. Other sources	Total	Books and periodicals	Binding	Salaries, library service	Salaries, janitors, insurance, heat and others	Total	No.
											During year	Total									
1	Abilene	Taylor	Carnegie L.																		
2	Amarillo	Potter	Potter County Free L.	Mrs. Ruth E. Dezell	July 31, 1932	14	4	4,161	26,820	302,143	4,010	10,560	\$ 13,000.00	\$ 450.97	\$ 13,450.97	\$ 4,250.00	\$ 330.00	\$ 5,760.00	\$ 2,530.00	\$ 12,870.00	1
3	Austin	Travis	Austin Public L.	Mrs. Brownie R. Cooke	Dec. 31, 1931	1	3	1,488	11,546	60,148	780	4,155	4,000.00	1,536.17	5,536.17	1,467.95		2,820.00	518.03	4,805.98	2
4	Bay City	Matagorda	Bay City Public L.																		3
5	Beaumont	Jefferson	Tyrell Public L.	Mrs. Lucy Fuller Gross	June 30, 1932	15	24	10,437	53,519	551,529	6,320	21,140	48,085.34	3,613.55	51,698.89	12,460.92	3,135.51	24,200.70	8,116.14	47,913.27	4
6	Beaumont	Jefferson	Jefferson County L.	Mrs. Lucy Fuller Gross	June 30, 1932	18	5	3,441	8,761	134,630	1,719	5,064	7,111.54	5,858.46	13,000.00	5,785.62	1,284.57	4,572.25	1,358.69	13,001.13	5
7	Belton	Bell	Carnegie Public L.	Miss L. C. Meyer	Dec. 31, 1931	1	1	465	6,430	18,871	214	4,305	900.00	647.25	1,547.25	393.21	600.00	418.75	1,427.96	6	
8	Brady	McCulloch	McCulloch County L.	Fannie O. Jones	Aug. 31, 1931	18	21	534	3,171	697	697	2,960	1,035.53	250.39	1,288.92	193.72	125.81	875.00	238.32	1,250.42	7
9	Brownwood	Brown	Carnegie L.	Mrs. Ira Hall	Dec. 31, 1931	1	1	1,026	12,027	18,238	105	3,949	691.41	21.00	712.41	90.00	1,170.00	238.32	1,498.32	8	
10	Bryan	Brazos	Carnegie L.	Willie Rogers	June 30, 1932	1	1	956	5,367		105	3,949	2,186.11	25.00	2,211.11	508.69		1,170.00	238.32	2,186.11	9
11	Cleburne	Johnson	Coleman Public L.	Mrs. V. M. Fulton	Dec. 31, 1931	1	2	995	19,161	70,657	821	10,228	3,727.65	714.95	4,442.60	1,178.11	139.95	2,264.50	942.87	4,525.43	10
12	Coleman	Coleman	Coleman Public L.																		11
13	Corpus Christi	Nueces	La Retama Public L.	Iona Agnes Johnson	June 30, 1932			549	6,550				1,916.69	888.47	2,805.16			2,805.16		2,805.16	12
14	Corpus Christi	Navarro	Public L.	Mrs. Mattie C. Houston	Dec. 31, 1931	1	3	683	23,589	114,266	1,217	10,653	5,969.34	1,475.33	7,444.67	1,212.96	129.40	2,820.00	1,519.00	5,681.36	13
15	Dalhart	Dallam	Dallam County Free L.	Mrs. Earl McIlroy	Aug. 31, 1932	3	24	211	6,010	41,690	321	3,046	1,590.16	86.51	1,676.67	301.34	74.30	1,200.00	101.03	1,676.67	14
16	Dallas	Dallas	Dallas Public L.	Cleora Clanton	Sept. 30, 1932	5	26	8,531	102,422	935,512	16,082	116,829	66,875.00	18,600.00	85,475.00	22,985.34	6,213.47	36,802.85	13,785.43	79,787.09	15
17	Electra	Wichita	Electra Public L.	Mrs. E. J. Torvise	April 1, 1932	1	1	102	4,919	27,323	319	3,776	1,700.00	844.99	2,544.99	193.49	8.00	1,806.25	278.80	2,286.54	16
18	El Paso	El Paso	El Paso Public L.	Mrs. Maud D. Sullivan	Feb. 29, 1932	5	15	4,774	44,991	286,264	6,670	14,747	41,716.15	1,696.06	43,412.21	8,009.99	1,276.23	23,592.00	3,059.78	43,086.13	17
19	Fort Worth	Tarrant	Carnegie Public L. and Tarrant County Free L.	Mrs. Charles Scheuber	Jan. 1, 1932	27	18	10,108	98,530	328,843	16,264	39,909	49,628.11	35,903.68	85,531.79	21,675.09	3,430.42	22,001.45	10,294.38	57,401.34	18
20	Gainesville	Cooke	Cooke County Free L.	Wayne Martin	Aug. 31, 1932	81	18	824	18,480	90,585	1,014	9,690	4,200.00	176.17	4,376.17	1,030.43		2,188.50	878.45	4,097.38	19
21	Galveston	Galveston	Rosenberg L.	Frank C. Patten	Dec. 31, 1931	8	13	3,941	85,397	99,760	1,985	17,093		34,246.87	34,246.87	2,831.27	994.16	21,941.00	8,481.58	34,248.01	20
22	Graham	Young	Graham Public L.	Mrs. M. Dowdie	Mar. 31, 1932	1	2	674	6,037	27,656	100	2,000	1,589.16	53.92	1,643.08	324.00	779.00	540.08	1,643.08	22	
23	Greenville	Hunt	Carnegie L.	Ida Pennington	April 10, 1932	1	11	1,200	24,225	66,730	846	5,000	4,000.00	149.35	4,149.35	1,328.50	32.00	2,250.00	334.98	3,945.48	21
24	Harlingen	Cameron	Harlingen Public L.	Mrs. C. A. Macy	Dec. 1931	1	2	519	3,941	26,521	830	3,830	1,200.00	557.13	1,757.13			1,995.00	175.00	3,670.00	22
25	Hereford	Deaf Smith	Deaf Smith County L.	Lillie Hostetler	Aug. 31, 1932	18	22	1,155	5,952	51,076	586	3,087	2,500.00	738.10	3,238.10	958.69	95.94	2,176.25	220.60	3,451.48	23
26	Highland Park	Dallas	Highland Park L.	Louise Childress	July 31, 1932	1	7	1,031	4,094	50,476	1,312	3,249	3,670.00	None	3,670.00	1,300.00	200.00	1,995.00	175.00	3,670.00	24
27	Houston	Harris	Houston Public L.	Julia Ideson	Dec. 31, 1931	53	45	14,390	141,446	807,942	17,891	68,214	81,742.19	12,228.81	93,971.00	18,439.02	5,138.49	43,989.80	25,546.78	93,114.09	25
28	Houston	Harris	Harris County Public L.	Mrs. Ruth Underwood Pooley	Dec. 31, 1931	75	8	4,823	39,591	274,602	No record	26,000.00	None	26,000.00	5,221.29		12,772.47	4,022.14	22,015.90	22,015.90	26
29	Italy	Ellis	S. M. Dunlap L.	Mrs. Fred Harvey	Dec. 31, 1931	1	2	326	2,633	18,474	549	1,845	Endowed	2,811.96	2,811.96			150.00		2,811.96	27
30	Jefferson	Marion	Carnegie L.																		28
31	Lockhart	Caldwell	Dr. Eugene Clark L.	May Camp	Dec. 31, 1932	1	1	76	4,076	116,295	2,336	9,742	Endowed	10	10			150.00		150.00	29
32	Lubbock	Lubbock	Lubbock County Free L.	Mrs. Rutillia Eubank Branch*	Mar. 31, 1932	16	6	785	9,680	116,295	2,336	9,742	5,606.82	4,932.06	10,538.88	852.05	54.60	4,976.00	475.14	6,357.79	30
33	Memphis	Hall	Memphis Carnegie L.	Bird Presler	Dec. 31, 1931	1	1	418	3,813	31,393	365	1,865	935.30	39.53	974.83	186.04		455.00	333.79	974.83	31
34	Mexia	Limestone	Mexia Public L.	Mrs. Charles Alderman	Mar. 1, 1932	1	2	547	5,411	40,692	501	3,067	2,400.00	505.54	2,905.54	528.76	25.15	1,507.75	591.22	2,652.88	32
35	Midland	Midland	Midland County L.	Marguerite L. Hester	Mar. 31, 1932	13	7	844	4,807	54,801	638	3,354	3,921.87	485.27	4,407.14	1,038.32	241.83	2,727.00	392.24	4,399.39	33
36	Palestine	Anderson	Carnegie L.	Georgie McMeans	Aug. 31, 1932	1	1	577	8,666	37,988	200	6,350	1,755.00	714.28	2,469.28	923.21		1,080.00	457.54	2,469.28	34
37	Pampa	Gray	Pampa City L.	Mrs. James Todd	Dec. 31, 1931	1	1	576	8,666	37,988	200	6,350	1,755.00	714.28	2,469.28	923.21		1,080.00	457.54	2,469.28	35
38	Paris	Lamar	J. J. Culbertson L.	Mrs. T. M. Scott	Dec. 31, 1931	1	1	576	8,666	37,988	200	6,350	1,755.00	714.28	2,469.28	923.21		1,080.00	457.54	2,469.28	36
39	Pecos	Reeves	Gates Memorial L.	Mrs. Lewis W. Thomas	June 1, 1932	1	1	558	4,824	32,032	392	1,240	1,100.00	338.59	1,438.59	546.03	59.78	720.00	18.15	1,343.96	37
40	Port Arthur	Jefferson	Bucal Floy Bledsoe	Bucal Floy Bledsoe	Mar. 31, 1932	15	5	2,664	39,199	331,477	1,870	13,958	5,940.00	4,918.42	10,858.42	2,389.37	424.92	6,571.66	1,574.05	10,960.00	38
41	San Angelo	Tom Green	San Antonio Public L.	Doris Wood	Aug. 31, 1932	7	22	1,170	7,824	123,969	2,379	8,985	6,200.00	2,004.03	8,204.03	1,410.53		3,588.75	534.84	5,956.85	39
42	San Antonio	Bexar	San Antonio Public L.	Mrs. Frances R. Humphrey	May 31, 1932	10	29	14,745	115,157	699,369	16,972	47,425	86,660.00	3,832.30	90,492.30	19,479.67	2,951.63	38,148.49	29,909.97	90,489.76	40
43	Sherman	Grayson	Sherman Public L.	Mrs. Louise Caraway	Mar. 31, 1932	1	3	1,367	12,736	85,893	814	7,373	4,150.00	426.55	4,576.55	1,458.17		1,980.00	544.27	4,242.94	41
44	Stamford	Jones	Stamford Carnegie L.																		42
45	Sulphur Springs	Hopkins	Carnegie Public L.	Mrs. Devoc F. Carter	April 1, 1932	1	2	395	3,721	11,539	392	3,620	969.21	1,395.90	2,365.11	240.00		685.00	329.06	1,254.06	43
46	Temple	Bell	Temple Public L.	Mrs. Vernon West	Jan. 1, 1932	1	1	1,279	7,048				1,600.00	None	1,600.00				1,600.00		44
47	Terrell	Kaufman	Carnegie Public L.	Mrs. Thos. P. Armfield	Mar. 31, 1932	1	23	487	9,367	31,286	306	745	740.00	4,327.80	5,067.80	1,007.95		2,425.00	1,566.77	4,999.72	45
48	Texarkana	Bowie	Texarkana Public L.	Georgia Clark	Dec. 31, 1931	1	1	202	2,530	10,799	203	1,427	740.00	392.47	1,132.47	47.30			45.92	268.50	46
49	Texas City	Galveston	Texas City Public L.	Mrs. Mildred Kennedy	Aug. 31, 1932	1	2	202	2,530	10,799	203	1,427	740.00	392.47	1,132.47	47.30			45.92	268.50	47
50	Tyler	Smith	Carnegie Public L.	Mrs. Elizabeth H. Haynes	Dec. 31, 1931	1	5	1,635	15,740	102,413	2,660	6,322	6,800.00	267.97	7,067.97	1,722.84	457.48	3,521.25	978.31	6,679.88	48
51	Uvalde	Uvalde	El Progreso Public L.	Florence Anthon	Sept. 30, 1932	1	24	415	4,218	15,156	454	3,975	540.00	158.29	698.29	244.31		300.60	124.37	669.28	49
52	Vernon	Wilbarger	Wilbarger County L.	Lillian Newton	July 31, 1932	18	7	1,265	9,6												



unless the county adopted a budget of at least \$13,000, the Rosenwald Fund of \$2,500, given for county library demonstration to a few counties in each southern state, would be withdrawn from Jefferson County. After listening to the talks against reduction, there were none favoring it, the court voted to restore the budget to its former appropriation.

In Wilbarger County the County Commissioners had cut the County Library appropriation last January from \$1,800 to \$1,200 and had placed it at \$1,000 in next year's budget. When this item was brought up for consideration by the Commissioners, the friends of the Library came to its aid in such a way that the appropriation was placed at \$1,500 for next year, an increase of \$300.

In Cooke County the County Commissioners' Court increased the appropriation for the Cooke County Free Library \$500, making the county's part \$3,500 for next year. This is proof that Cooke County appreciates the work of the library. In addition to this appropriation Gainesville appropriates \$1,500 toward the County Library's support.

SUBSCRIPTION AND CLUB LIBRARIES. The following places reported subscription and club libraries open to the public: Alice, Jim Wells County; Alvin, Brazoria County; Angleton, Brazoria County; Athens, Henderson County; Balmorhea, Reeves County; Bandera, Bandera County; Borger, Hutchinson County; Breckenridge, Stephens County; Brenham, Washington County; Brownfield, Terry County; Canadian, Hemphill County; Cisco, Eastland County; Clarendon, Donley County; Colorado, Mitchell County; Crockett, Houston County; Crowell, Foard County; Dimmitt, Castro County; Eastland, Eastland County; Edinburg, Hidalgo County; El Campo, Wharton County; Fairfield, Freestone County; Floydada, Floyd County; Freeport, Brazoria County; Giddings, Lee County; Hamilton, Hamilton County; Hamlin, Jones County; Haskell, Haskell County; Jacksboro, Jack County; Kerens, Navarro County; Lampasas, Lampasas County; Luling, Caldwell County; Lyford, Willacy County; McKinney, Collin County; Marlin, Falls County; Marshall, Harrison County; Meridian, Bosque County; Mission, Hidalgo County; Odessa, Ector County; Panhandle, Carson County; Robstown, Nueces County; Sanger, Denton County; San Marcos, Hays County; Seguin, Guadalupe County; Seymour, Baylor County; Smithville, Bastrop County; Stanton, Martin County; Sweetwater, Nolan County; Taft, San Patricio County; Taylor, Williamson County; Tulia, Swisher County.

NEW COUNTY LIBRARY. Collingsworth County Library was established when the Commissioners' Court took over the City Federation Club Library and voted support. It was recognized as a legal county library June 23, 1932, when the librarian qualified under the State law as county librarian.

TABLE II.—COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES.

Name of School	City	County	Librarian	Number of volumes	Year ends
Agricultural and Mechanical College	College Station	Brazos	Thomas F. Mayo	48,354	Aug. 31, 1932
Austin College	Sherman	Grayson	Mrs. R. R. Harwell	22,184	Aug. 20, 1932
Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary	Austin	Travis	Lynn Brown	8,000	May 10, 1932
Baylor College for Women	Belton	Bell	Jessie Louise Kennedy	32,630	Aug. 31, 1932
Baylor University	Waco	McLennan	John K. Strecker	58,566	Sept. 1, 1932
Baylor University College of Medicine	Dallas	Dallas	Mary Virginia Provence	7,202	Sept. 1, 1932
Bishop College (Col.)	Marshall	Harrison			
College of Industrial Arts	Denton	Denton	Mary S. Butum	45,800	Aug. 31, 1932
Daniel Baker College	Brownwood	Brown			
East Texas State Teachers College	Commerce	Hunt	O. B. Bradford	23,740	Aug. 31, 1932
Howard Payne College	Brownwood	Brown	Beatrice Paddock	25,035	Sept. 1, 1932
Incarnate Word College	San Antonio	Bexar	Helen Latham	8,916	Aug. 27, 1932
McMurry College	Abilene	Taylor	Mrs. Pearl C. McCracken	44,227	Aug. 31, 1932
North Texas State Teachers College	Denton	Denton	Sister M. Incarnate	29,860	July 15, 1932
Our Lady of the Lake College	San Antonio	Bexar	O. J. Baker	6,800	Aug. 31, 1932
Prairie View State College (Col.)	Prairie View	Waller	Alice C. Dean	93,500	June 30, 1932
Rice Institute	Houston	Harris	Rev. Paul J. Foik	17,500	June 1, 1932
Saint Edward's University	Austin	Travis	Lawrence T. Duffy	11,802	June 30, 1932
Saint Mary's University of San Antonio	San Antonio	Bexar	Mrs. Beatrice Craig	28,748	Aug. 31, 1932
Sam Houston State Teachers College	Huntsville	Walker			
Samuel Huston College (Col.)	Austin	Travis	Elizabeth D. Runge	26,000	Aug. 31, 1932
School of Medicine, University of Texas	Galveston	Galveston	Thelma Andrews	19,846	June 1, 1932
Simmons University	Abilene	Taylor	Dorothy Amann		
Southern Methodist University	Dallas	Dallas	Ernest B. Jackson	33,500	Aug. 31, 1932
Southwest Texas State Teachers College	San Marcos	Bays	L. R. Elliott	14,764	Dec. 31, 1931
Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary	Seminary Hill	Tarrant	Mrs. Margaret McKennon	33,255	May 1, 1932
Southwestern University	Georgetown	Williamson	Loulein Harris	15,261	Aug. 31, 1932
Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College	Nacogdoches	Nacogdoches	Ida Fay Hamilton	15,000	Aug. 31, 1932
Sul Ross State Teachers College	Alpine	Brewster	Arthur R. Curry		
Texas Christian University	Fort Worth	Tarrant	Bessie M. Davis	3,926	Aug. 6, 1932
Texas College (Col.)	Tyler	Smith	Ann L. Kirven	13,604	Sept. 1, 1932
Texas College of Arts and Industries	Kingsville	Kleberg	Mrs. Mary Holt Snobarger	8,225	Aug. 31, 1932
Texas College of Mines and Metallurgy	El Paso	El Paso	Elizabeth Howard West	33,370	Aug. 31, 1932
Texas Technological College	Lubbock	Lubbock	Lena Grimmett	15,711	Aug. 6, 1932
Texas Woman's College	Fort Worth	Tarrant	Fannie M. Ussery	7,300	Aug. 31, 1932
Tillotson College (Col.)	Austin	Travis	Mrs. Thomas B. Simms	12,253	Oct. 1, 1932
Trinity University	Waxahachie	Ellis	E. W. Winkler		
University of Texas	Austin	Travis	LeNoir Dimmitt	8	Aug. 31, 1932
University of Texas Extension Loan Library	Austin	Travis	Tennessee Malone	21,000	Aug. 15, 1932
West Texas State Teachers College	Canyon	Randall			
Wiley College (Col.)	Marshall	Harrison			

¹Plus 11,117 bound documents.

²Emma L. Main was Acting Librarian during Miss West's absence, 1930-1932.

³The material in the Extension Loan Library consists of 3,705 permanent package libraries containing about 44,450 articles; about 863,000 magazine clippings and pamphlets not in permanent package libraries; 97 files of periodicals, most of which date from 1918; 2,492 books; 2,549 plays; 3,821 club study outlines.

The material added during the year is as follows: 597 package libraries; 120,000 magazine clippings and pamphlets; 118 books; 531 club study outlines.

TABLE III.—JUNIOR COLLEGE LIBRARIES.

Name of School	City	County	Librarian	Number of volumes	Year ends
Amarillo College	Amarillo	Potter		4,605	
Blinn Memorial College	Brenham	Washington		4,623	
Brownsville College	Brownsville	Cameron			
Butler College (Col.)	Tyler	Smith			
Clarendon College	Clarendon	Donley		7,458	
Clifton Junior College	Clifton	Bosque	Alice Sweuson	3,278	Aug. 31, 1932
College of Marshall	Marshall	Harrison		3,949	
Decatur Baptist College	Decatur	Wise		3,984	
Edinburg College	Edinburg	Hidalgo	Zona Peek	4,260	June 30, 1932
Gainesville Junior College	Gainesville	Cooke	Mrs. Mamie Johnson	5,100	May 30, 1932
Guadalupe Junior College (Col.)	Seguin	Guadalupe			
Hillsboro Junior College	Hillsboro	Hill	Miss Harry Dudley	3,812	June 1, 1932
Houston Colored Junior College	Houston	Harris	Johnnie Mae Elaine Newton	4,100	July 15, 1932
Houston Junior College	Houston	Harris	Mrs. H. H. Shearcr	*6,414	June 1, 1932
Jacksonville College	Jacksonville	Cherokee		3,900	
Jarvis Christian College (Col.)	Hawkins	Wood			
John Tarleton Agricultural College	Stephenville	Erath	Margaret Bierschwale	**15,500	Aug. 31, 1932
Kidd-Key College	Sherman	Grayson		4,000	
Lon Morris College	Jacksonville	Cherokee		4,000	
Lutheran College	Seguin	Guadalupe	Mrs. H. F. Ander	6,500	June 1932
Mary Allen Junior College (Col.)	Crockett	Houston	Alice Marie Holtzclaw	2,920	June 30, 1932
North Texas Agricultural College	Arlington	Tarrant	Opal Humphreys	6,946	Aug. 1932
Paris Junior College	Paris	Lamar	Mrs. W. B. Kendall	4,300	Sept. 1932
Paul Quinn Junior College (Col.)	Waco	McLennan			
Randolph College	Cisco	Eastland		4,732	
Ranger Junior College	Hanger	Eastland		6,000	
Saint Philips Junior College (Col.)	San Antonio	Bexar	Artimesia Cornelia Stilwell	2,000	
San Angelo Junior College	San Angelo	Tom Green		2,965	
San Antonio Junior College	San Antonio	Bexar	Alice Mayhugh	3,796	Aug. 13, 1932
Schreiner Institute	Kerrville	Kerr		3,800	
South Park Junior College	Beaumont	Jefferson	Florence Whitfield Barton	5,651	June 1, 1932
Temple Junior College	Temple	Bell	Mrs. Jen Etis Lee	1,035	July 31, 1932
Texas Military College	Terrell	Kaufman		3,360	
Texarkana Junior College	Texarkana	Bowie			
Tyler Junior College	Tyler	Smith	Ina Roberts	6,573	1932
Victoria Junior College	Victoria	Victoria	Anne Elkowitz	5,285	May 27, 1932
Wayland Baptist College	Plainview	Hale	Mrs. W. T. Lavendar	4,000	May 25, 1932
Weatherford College	Weatherford	Parker	Juanita Davis	4,969	June 30, 1932
Wesley College	Greenville	Hunt	Mrs. Kate A. Bumann	6,000	Aug. 13, 1932
Westminster College	Tehuacana	Limestone		4,283	
Westmoorland College	San Antonio	Bexar	Mrs. Edith A. Pohlman	6,142	June 1932
Wichita Falls Junior College	Wichita Falls	Wichita	Mrs. Roberta M. Ryan	5,653	June 1932

*Includes 2,522 high school volumes available.

**Includes 1,000 Government publications.

NEW MUNICIPAL LIBRARIES. During the biennium five club or subscription libraries have been converted into municipal libraries. They are as follows: La Retama Public Library, Corpus Christi; Pampa City Library; J. J. Culbertson Public Library, Paris; Temple Public Library and Victoria Public Library.

GIFTS. Last year was particularly favorable for gifts to libraries in Texas; these amounted to more than \$100,000. There are probably many smaller gifts that have not been reported to the State Library or brought to its attention through the press. Following is a list of the larger gifts:

Houston. The Houston Public Library summarizes its gifts in its annual report as follows: "During the year, the Library was the recipient of splendid gifts from public-spirited citizens aggregating in value more than \$12,000.00. Particular attention should be called to the gift of Miss Annette Finnigan, the gift of Miss Mary B. Hill of \$1,000.00, the gift of the Houston Geological Society of \$1,275.00, and the Meldrum gift of \$1,000.00. Miss Finnigan's gift consisted of ten volumes of manuscripts, seventeen volumes of Oriental works, six volumes of incunabula, and eight volumes of reproductions of great masterpieces of printing, and sixteen volumes of books of fine printing gathered in the great centers of Europe and the Orient."

Longview and Gregg County have received a gift of \$25,000 from Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Nicholson with which a memorial library to their son, Ronald, is being erected.

Lufkin. Through the will of the late J. H. Kurth, Sr., Lufkin received \$10,000 for a library building. The building site was given to the city by the Lufkin Historical and Literary Club. The library now nearing completion will be known as the Kurth Memorial Library and will be maintained by the city.

Paris. The J. J. Culbertson Public Library was formally opened July 11, 1932. The building was a gift to the city by Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Culbertson. It is a handsome brick and stone building, the construction of which cost \$50,000. In accepting the building the city promised adequate support to the library.

Port Arthur. "In Port Arthur, George Johnson, an employee of the Gulf Refining Company, left his savings of \$2,500 to the Gates Memorial Library. This tribute of a workingman to the pleasure and benefit he had drawn from the library is more impressive than the larger gifts made by great foundations."

NEW LIBRARY BUILDINGS. New library buildings other than the three gift libraries, Kurth Memorial Library, Ronald Nicholson Memorial Library and J. J. Culbertson Library mentioned previously, are:

Austin. The public library building for which bonds were voted several years ago is now under construction. It is a one-

story building constructed of Cordova stone at the cost of \$126,369.

Cisco. The new Public Library of Cisco was formally opened July 8, 1932. The building was erected by the Twentieth Century Club of Cisco at the cost of \$3,925 on a lot owned by the club. It is an attractive one-story building of two-toned cream brick and contains a club room in addition to the library rooms.

Dallas. Dallas Public Library has added two new branches to its library system. The first to be completed was the Paul Laurence Dunbar branch for negroes, formally opened July 6, 1931. It is a one-story building constructed at the cost of \$30,000. The second, the South Dallas branch named in honor of the late Alexander Sanger, was formally opened April 2, 1932. It is a beautiful brick building, an adaptation of French style of architecture, the cost of which was \$31,000. The total cost, including equipment, was nearly \$51,000.

Port Neches. Harris County Library Branch. When the branch was outgrown the Lions Club built a library. Materials were donated and members of the club did the work. Furniture was made locally and the women supplied the draperies. The library is a credit to the town.

BY DIVISION

ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN AND CATALOGUER

MRS. MILDRED H. ELDRIDGE

There are many and varied details connected with the duties of the Assistant Librarian and Cataloguer of which little account can be made and the following report covers only the more important phases of the work.

TRAVELING LIBRARIES. Traveling Libraries are collections of fifty books sent to rural schools and communities not having access to a public library. The libraries are made up of the best popular books in English for adults and children and are circulated free of all charges except the cost of transportation.

Traveling Library service has continued to grow during the eighteen years it has been maintained. Twelve new libraries were added during the biennium. One library was entirely destroyed when the schoolhouse at Minden burned and books to replace it have been ordered. Our records show that the 77 libraries in the collection circulated 242 times and were sent to 124 different stations. This makes a total of 12,000 volumes lent through traveling libraries. The actual circulation statistics would be much larger than this as they average more than one circulation each.

During the biennium, Traveling Libraries were sent to the following places: Adamsville, Agua Dulce, Alamo, Alice, Allens Chapel, Baird, Bardwell, Barstow, Basin Springs, Bay City, Beasley, Bend, Bellview, Big Spring, Blanco, Bloomington, Brownfield, Browning, Burkett, Carrizo Springs, Carthage, Christine, Claude, College Station, Collinsville, Comfort, Copperas Cove, Corrigan, Dale, Dawson, Dayton, Del Valle, Dimmitt, Douglass, Dreyer, Dreyfoos, Driscoll, Dumont, Edcouch, Elkhart, Elysian Fields, Emhouse, Espuela, Fentress, Flatonía, Freyburg, Frost, Garwood, Gatesville, George West, Goldthwaite, Grandfalls, Gruver, Haskell, Henderson, Iatan, Ingleside, Jarrell, Kilgore, Kingsland, Knox City, Liberty Hill, Livingston, Locker, Lodi, Lometa, Lower Red Mud, Lueders, Luling, Lund Valley, McNeil, Magnolia, Manor, Marietta, Marlin, Maxwell, Megargel, Mercedes, Mikeska, Minden, Mixville, Monahans, Muldoon, Mullin, Naples, Newport, Oso, Paint Rock, Papalote, Penelope, Petrolia, Pettit, Pottsville, Presidio, Pride, Rio Grande City, Rio Hondo, Riverside, Robstown, Rosenberg, Runge, Salmon, Sanger, Seguin, Sells, Shive, Springdale, Sterling City, Stranger, Stubbs, Sulphur Springs, Sweetwater, Talpa, Tanglewood, Three Rivers, Tuleta, Union, Van Horn, Verdi, Votaw, Washington, West Point, Westbrook, Zuehl.

It is gratifying to note that quite a number of the above named places have appeared in the biennial reports for the past

few years showing that communities finding the libraries enjoyable have continued to borrow them. It is equally gratifying to find many new places listed in proof that the work is growing and new communities are being reached each year.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES. The School Libraries were started in 1929 when the State Department of Education gave to the library two collections comprising 798 books which had been submitted to that department by various publishers for examination. These books constitute the School Libraries and contain books ranging from the first grade through high school. The collection has been enlarged during the biennium through the further gift of 123 books by the Department of Education and the purchase of 225 volumes. Most of the latter include the titles on the Reading Certificate list issued by the State Department of Education. The circulation of the School Libraries has greatly increased during the past two years. During this time 184 libraries of 3,435 books were sent to 112 different stations.

When a part of the State Department of Education moved recently, it gave to the Library a great many old text books. A few of these were put in the School Libraries, some on the shelves of the main library and the rest, with the permission of the Education Department, were given to the State Deaf, Dumb and Blind Institute for Colored Youths.

CATALOGUING. The cataloguing of a library includes the accessioning and classifying of the books and the typing and filing of the cards for the dictionary catalog. The catalog is the most useful record in the library since through its use the full resources of the library on any given subject or any given author may be quickly and easily known. The catalog is of importance alike to the public and the librarian and the cataloguing of a library is one of the most essential parts of its work. The cataloguing is done by one full-time cataloguer and two persons who give only a part of their time to the work. During the biennium 9,526 books, pamphlets and magazines were catalogued, 4,294 the first year and 5,232 the second. Of this number 6,399 pieces were prepared by the full-time cataloguer, 2,823 the first year and 3,576 the second year. In addition to this, she checked and numbered 158 serials, 89 the first year and 69 the second; carded 770 books for the blind, 112 the first year and 658 the second; and catalogued 345 maps, 93 the first year and 252 the second.

GENERAL ASSISTANT. The report of the General Assistant records 7,227 books and pamphlets accessioned, 3,370 the first year and 3,857 the second. A checklist record of miscellaneous state and foreign documents shows 2,041 books and pamphlets received from other states, 1,278 the first year and 763 the second, and 447 volumes received from foreign countries, 399 the first year and 48 the second. The Library also received 373 books and pamphlets as gifts from individuals, publishers and societies, and a record was made of the titles of the volumes and

the names of the donors of these gifts—157 were received the first year and 216 the second.

DIVISION OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY

HARRIET SMITHER, *Archivist*

The Department of Archives and History has continued the chifon-lining of documents and papers for their preservation begun in 1929. The repairing of the Confederate muster rolls by this process has been completed and a large number of the Nacogdoches archives and miscellaneous documents have also been repaired. Files of the *Texas State Gazette*, *The Colorado Citizen*, and the *Galveston News* have been mended preparatory to binding. The indexing of the Confederate muster rolls has been half completed, some thirty thousand cards having been added to the index in the biennium. The work is again checked for lack of funds. It is hoped that a special appropriation may be secured for the completion of this work.

Translations of current correspondence from the Spanish have been made during the biennium as follows: Governor's Office, seventy-six; Secretary of State, four; Board of Pardon Advisers, four; Industrial Accident Board, four. Three English letters have been translated into Spanish for the Governor's office and a few translations have also been made from the French and German.

Fifty certifications of manuscripts were made during the biennium. Eight sets of the *Lamar Papers* (six volumes), one copy of the *Journal of the Secession Convention*, two copies of *Governors' Messages*, and fifteen sets of the *Journals of the Fourth Congress of the Republic of Texas, 1839-1840* (three volumes) have been sold during the same period.

Reports and Relief Laws, volume three of the *Journals of the Fourth Congress*, has been published. The preliminary work on the "Journals of the Sixth Congress of the Republic of Texas, 1841-1842" has been completed and the editorial work begun. The bases of this work are manuscript records in the archives of the State Department, of the General Land Office, and of the Texas State Library and rare printed documents.

The additions to the archives by purchase during the biennium are as follows: Diary of John Hancock, Diaries of Ellen Porter Phelps and Mary E. Phelps, Diary of my Life by R. H. Hunter, a San Jacinto veteran, Papers of John Wheeler of Matagorda, small collection of Nacogdoches Papers, all in manuscript. A small collection of letters and pamphlets relating to the Aransas Pass railroad was also purchased.

The following valuable gifts have been received: Manuscript records of the Over-Seventy Club of Georgetown, Texas, from Mr. George Irvine of Georgetown; Scrapbook of Texas history containing photostats of documents from Mr. R. L. Cartwright of Waco, Journal of George C. Rives, Post Quarter Master, 2nd Congressional District, Texas, 1863-1864, from Mr. C. F. Green-

wood of Galveston; Our Grand Hunt, an original article, from Mr. Stark Washington of Austin; Echoes from the Civil War, also an original article, from Mr. J. N. Madden of Crockett; K. G. C., a rare pamphlet, from Mr. B. Baker of Austin; papers of the Old Landmarks Association, from Mr. N. M. Wilcox of Austin; knife made from an old file that was picked up in the ruins of the old store of Jesse Chisholm near Asher, Oklahoma, links of a log chain owned by Jesse Chisholm, and gun used by Joe Davis in killing Cullen M. Baker, all from Dean T. U. Taylor of the Engineering School, University of Texas; violin made by Henry Journey of Galveston, when a prisoner at Perote, from his son Mr. James Journey of Houston; an ox yoke fifty years old was presented by Mr. J. B. Robinson of Austin, who made it with the help of Ben McKenzie, an ex-slave who had belonged to Mr. Robinson's grandfather.

Many photostats and transcripts have been acquired. Mr. B. Baker permitted photostats made of papers of his grandfather, William R. Baker. Through the courtesy of Mr. C. E. Greenwood, the following photostats were made: Burlson, Lampasas County in 1856, map of Lockhart; map of the town of Sabine Pass in 1851, map of the Plan of Corporation and City of Nacogdoches by John Forbes in 1846, map of Lavaca, of Cairo, of the town of La Bahia, of Hansford County, 1888, and of Indianola. Mr. W. O. Meiners of San Marcos, permitted a photostat to be made of the Constitution and By-Laws of the San Marcos Greys, organized in 1876. A transcript of the Company Order Book of Captain R. T. Cooper, 1862, was made through the courtesy of his son, Mr. J. E. Cooper, of Georgetown. Mrs. Buck Harrison of Waco, Texas, permitted transcripts made of the Civil War letters of her brother, Willis Field Buck.

Under the statute which provides for the transfer of "all books, maps, papers, manuscripts, documents, memoranda and data not connected with or necessary to the current duties of said officers," relating to Texas history (*Revised Civil Statutes of Texas*, 1925, Art. 5441, Sec. 4), the following manuscript volumes were transferred from the State Department: Charters and Library Loans, 1850-1870; Military Orders, District of Texas, 1867; A. Houston's Order Book, 1836; Record of Murder and Assaults with Intent to Kill, 1867 and 1868; Roster 2nd Regt. Texas Cavalry, U. S. A. stationed at Brownsville, 1863; also papers relating to applications of Amarillo, Dublin, Stamford, and Snyder for the West Texas Normal; also the following rare pamphlets: *Memorial of Moran Brothers to the Texas Legislature, 1879*; Morgan, Abel, *An Account of the Battle of Goliad and Fanning's Massacre, 1847*; *Statement Concerning a Bill to be entitled "An Act Supplementary to the Act to Incorporate the Buffalo Bayou, Brazos, and Colorado Railway Company, and to the Other Special Acts Relating to Said Company"*; *Address of General Leslie Combs, Delivered before the Public Debt Committee of the Legislature of Texas, January 12, 1854*; *Memorial of Thomas Green, and Documents Concerning the First Texian Loan, May, 1838*; *Charter of the Texas Western Railroad Com-*

pany, 1855; Argument of Appellant's Attorney, in the Case of the Republic of Texas, vs. Abraham Skidmore, 1843; Petition of the Heirs of Thomas Toby, Deceased, to the Governor and Legislature of the State of Texas.

The following manuscript volumes have been transferred from the Treasury Department: Letters to the Treasury Department, Book No. 2; School Journal, November, 1854-June, 1875, No. 0.; Quarterly Accounts, 1862-68; Letters, Common Schools, May, 1854-August, 1867, No. 9; Scholastic Census, 1854-1873; Journal and Special Deposits, 1854-1871; School Ledger A, November, 1854-January, 1867, No. 8; School Ledger B, May, 1852-February, 1870, No. 2; Statement of Deposit Disbursements, December, 1854-August, 1862, No. 6; Appropriation Ledger, November, 1851-February, 1863, No. 2; Letters, April, 1853-August, 1870, No. 10; Deposit Register, January 25, 1879-February 28, 1883, No. 6; Register of Taxes rec'd. by Treasurer, November, 1858, to January, 1865; Appropriation Ledger, May 19, 1871, to March 5, 1874, No. 7.

The following manuscript volumes were transferred from the Comptroller's Department: Transfers Funded Debt, 1838-1839; Internal Revenue Licenses, 4th District, 1908; Funded Debt Prior to 1859; State Revenue Agent, 1903; Sheriff's Claims, October 28, 1918, to March 21, 1919; Direct Tax back to Civil War; Public Debt Certificates, 1866; Tax Assessors' Certificates, 1910; Statements, November 27, 1872, to November 13, 1873; Minutes of the State Water and Light Board, Books 1 and 2; Deposit Warrant Stubs, 1859-1860; Audited Certificates, James M. Adams and others; Register of Assessors' Fees, 1851 to 1858; Appropriations, 1868-1870; Assessment Book, 1863-1865; Register of Certificates, 1843-1846; Internal Revenue List, 3rd Dist., July, 1908; Letter Book State Revenue Agent, 1902; Stock Commissioners' Certificates, 1839; W. P. Lane Liquor Letters, 1914; W. P. Lane Pension Letters, 1914; Letters to Auditorial Board, 1867-1873; Auditing Clerk, 1882-1886; Opinions of Attorney General, 1879-1910; Miscellaneous Comptroller's Letters.

The following manuscripts were transferred from the Governor's Office: Letters of James Stephen Hogg, 1891-95, 66 files; Letters of Charles A. Culberson, 1895-99, 28 files; Letters of Joseph D. Sayers, 1899-1903, 68 files; Letters of S. W. T. Lanham, 1903-07, 32 files; Letters of Thomas M. Campbell, 1907-11, 41 files; Letters of Oscar Branch Colquitt, 1911-15, 166 files.

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE DIVISION

DORIS H. CONNERLY

The biennium covered by this report has been a particularly active period for the Legislative Reference Division. Under the constitutional amendment adopted in 1930 the length of the Regular Session of the Texas Legislature was doubled, being increased from sixty to one hundred twenty days. The session does not automatically end at the expiration of the specified

period, but may continue indefinitely, the only limitation being that the per diem drops from a maximum of \$10.00 to a maximum of \$5.00. The Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature lasted one hundred thirty-one days, convening on January 13, and adjourning on May 23, 1931. A few weeks later the First Called Session met for a thirty-day session (July 14-August 12, 1931), to consider conservation of natural resources, particularly oil and gas. This was followed by the Second Called Session of twenty-six days (September 8-October 3, 1931), which was called to pass on the question of cotton acreage reduction. In addition to these sessions the House met for several additional days after the First Called Session to consider charges against Judge Price and, after impeachment was voted by the House, the Senate tried the charges for several days after the end of the Second Called Session. Judge Price was acquitted by the Senate.

Six months of comparative quiet followed during which rehabilitation of legislative reference material was pushed as rapidly as possible. Beginning in May and June, 1932, requests began to come in from candidates in the various races over the State. This work, as usual, made the summer a very busy one. In addition, preparation had to be made for the special session that Governor Sterling called for August 30, 1932.

Three special legislative investigating committees were created in 1931 to make surveys and report to the Legislature in 1933. They are: Tax Survey Committee of House and Senate, Committee of House and Senate on Reorganization of State Government, and the Senate Fee Investigating Committee. All three have functioned actively and the Reorganization Committee has employed Griffenhagen & Associates to make a survey as experts. We have given what assistance we could to these special staffs. In addition we have made special efforts to obtain for the Library all available material on tax surveys and plans of reorganization of other states so that the Forty-third Legislature, when it meets in 1933 to consider such comprehensible problems, will have access to the experience of other states.

During the sessions the card index and the history of bills were kept up daily and weekly shipments of daily journals and bills were made to interested libraries.

The Division has recently revised the mailing list of Texas State documents and clarified the exchange basis of the shipments. We now have a list of approximately one hundred fifty libraries to which documents are mailed. During the biennium 38,950 state documents were mailed out on regular exchange list. We also have made an arrangement with the Texas Civil Judicial Council whereby the Council furnished us with some two hundred copies of the annual report and we handle the distribution of it to various libraries. It is mutually satisfactory.

Among the usual routine items we revised the copy for the Statesman's Yearbook on the section relating to Texas. During the biennium, 996 files were opened, each requiring a minimum of at least one answer containing information of a special sort. In addition to these, many requests for the little Texas bulletin

and other publications were received. Five hundred and ten copies of the Texas bulletin were mailed out.

Very little time was left over from the unusually heavy daily work of the period to allow us to give satisfactory attention to any sort of research. But in spite of handicaps some progress has been made.

The reclassification of the pamphlet files, started in the previous biennium, has been practically completed, although all had to be done by piecemeal.

A good start has been made on an index to the session laws of Texas since 1907. This will supplement earlier indexes and will save an enormous amount of time and effort in running down laws. At present it is necessary to look through all the indexes of every session since 1905.

A small, mimeographed directory of state officials was issued in January, 1932, and has been very popular. It is hoped that this can be reissued annually as the cost is slight.

In December, 1930, another experiment was tried. Bulletin 5 of the State Library was printed. It is a table showing how the 1925 Revised Statutes have been amended or affected since their adoption. If enough money is available in December, 1932, it may be reissued with the inclusion of the laws of the Forty-second Legislature.

REPORT OF LIBRARY ORGANIZER¹

EDWIN SUE GOREE

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Because of the depression, it has been impossible for the Organizer to work aggressively for county library establishment.

¹This Report from January 1, 1931, through August 31, 1932, covers the period of service of the present incumbent.

Her efforts have been devoted instead to trying to help existing libraries to maintain standards of excellence, or to improve them.

All county libraries have been visited once and return visits have been made to the libraries of Lubbock, Tom Green, McCulloch and McLennan Counties. In Lubbock, the Organizer spent a week helping the librarian change to a simplified charging system; in each of the other places she conferred with the librarian, advisory committee and commissioners' court on matters concerning the welfare of the Library.

The subscription library of Collingsworth County has received an appropriation from the Commissioners' Court and the librarian, Miss Katherine Boverie, has qualified as a county librarian.

In an effort to raise the standards and improve the service of small libraries in the State, a scoring sheet was sent to fifty outstanding libraries and all the tax-supported libraries of less than 25,000 volumes. Forty-three libraries filled out the scoring sheet with care and returned it to the State Library. The replies were interesting and indicative of library standards and practices in Texas, and the written returns show some very progressive small libraries in the State. It was found, however, that the scoring sheets would have to be followed by personal visits from members of the State Library staff if the final grades were to be fair and accurate. It is hoped that a classified list of Texas libraries can be made available in the next Biennial Report.

The State Library has assembled a "demonstration" library of 476 new and carefully selected books, with special emphasis on juveniles, and loaned it to the town of Lamesa for one year. The books are in charge of the Men's Luncheon Club, are housed in the courthouse and loaned to any citizen of Dawson County. Books for a second "demonstration" library are being ordered.

The library emphasis in Texas has unfortunately been placed upon buildings rather than upon books, and many of the small communities trying to fix library values by offering tattered and unsuitable books to the public are frequently doing more harm than good. It is believed that these carefully selected book collections will set better standards of community library service and will result in definite library activity in the communities to which they are loaned.

Through the Organizer, the State Library has co-operated with three other State institutions during the past twenty months: with the Department of Education, by allowing her to make the inspection visits to negro school libraries requested by the Rosenwald Fund; with the University of Texas, by releasing her from duty for three months in order to teach public library administration in summer school; with the Agricultural Extension Service of A. and M. College, by allowing her to give the book talks to girls of the 4-H Clubs attending the Farmers' Short Course.

Library interest in Texas is general, but club women and com-

munities are trying to build libraries by the standards and methods of 1857. Much more publicity is needed, especially written and visual publicity. The spoken word is of slight value. If a skilled publicity writer could be added to the staff; if the State, or some wealthy citizen, could supply a book auto for demonstration purposes; and if more small "demonstration" book collections could be loaned for a year in various bookless deserts over the State, the returns would be far greater than the money invested.

RECOMMENDATIONS

Owing to the prevailing economic conditions which make it necessary to economize in State as well as private business, the Texas Library and Historical Commission did not ask for any increase in the appropriation of the State Library although it is needed. Nevertheless, there are several matters of such vital importance to the Library that they cannot be overlooked. Namely, more room, additional assistance, indexing of the Confederate muster rolls, repairing paintings and flags.

STATE LIBRARY BUILDING. The Commission wishes to stress the need of a State Library building and urges that the Legislature make an appropriation for such a building at the earliest possible time. With this need in mind, the Commission passed the following resolutions:

"WHEREAS, The condition of the State Library at this time is such that the books, relics, and documents, many of them of priceless value to the State, are subject to hazard of fire, especially those which are required to be kept in the basement of the capitol, and that there is no room for the enlargement of the collection of books for the blind; no room for the maintenance of a museum collection, and no room for transfers from other departments, from county or other officials; and the congestion existing in the Library generally is of such nature as to severely handicap the proper conduct of the business of said Library so as to obtain the best results for the people of Texas who make use of said Library; and

WHEREAS, Such conditions should be remedied at the earliest possible moment in the interest of the people of Texas; and

WHEREAS, The members of the State Library and Historical Commission are gravely concerned because of the conditions herein named; be it

Resolved, That the attitude of said Commission concerning said conditions be made a matter of record on the minutes of this Board, and that every effort practicable be exerted by the Board to induce the Legislature to provide means for remedying such conditions and to place said Library upon a basis commensurate with the value of its books, records and relics and in keeping with the dignity of the State of Texas."

At the meeting of the Texas Library Association in San Antonio, October 28-31, 1931, the following resolutions were passed:

"WHEREAS, The State Library is the head of public library

development in Texas, and as such should have suitable and ample quarters for conducting and enlarging its work; and

WHEREAS, The present crowded condition of the State Library is a serious hinderance to its present and future development; and

WHEREAS, The State Library should have a separate building large enough to properly house its present collection and allow for future growth and development; be it

Resolved, That the Texas Library Association, in biennial session assembled, endorse a movement for a State Library building and use its influence in securing an appropriation from the next Legislature sufficient for erecting a building that will be in keeping with the dignity and importance of the State Library."

Librarians of the State have long realized the need of a building for the State Library and there is a growing consciousness among laymen of this need. The State Library which is now housed in the capitol building has long since outgrown the crowded quarters assigned to it and as the capitol is full to overflowing, there is no hope of additional space. There are various imperative reasons why a State Library building is needed now. The present crowded condition hinders the growth and development of the Library. The problem of caring for the constantly increasing accumulation of books, newspapers and government documents is becoming more and more acute. For more than two years, it has been necessary to discontinue buying books for the blind readers of the State owing to lack of space to shelve the books. This is regretted as this is the only library in the State which furnishes books to blind readers and reading is one of their chief pleasures. This library has been selected by the Library of Congress as one of the distributing points for books for the blind which it is furnishing. The books are used by Texas and several of the neighboring states. It is difficult to care for these extra books.

The State Library is the head of public library development in Texas, just as the State Department of Education is the head of public school development. It was for the purpose of carrying on this development that the Texas Library and Historical Commission was created in 1909. This purpose cannot be fully carried out until more room for expansion is provided.

The most deplorable condition, however, exists in the Archive Division. It is here that the valuable manuscript papers and records of the Republic and early Statehood of Texas are kept. It is here that the wonderful treaties between the Republic of Texas and foreign countries are, and no other State in the Union has such as these. Here, too, is Travis' letter written from the Alamo just before the siege, called by the late Dr. Garrison "the most heroic document on the American continent." Here are the papers of President Lamar, the Nacogdoches archives, many collections of private papers, besides an excellent collection of early Texas newspapers and invaluable historical works many

of them the rarest items of Texas history. Practically all of these are without protection from fire. One shudders to think of the irreparable loss to Texas history should a fire occur. Then, too, there are quantities of state documents in other departments not in current use, but invaluable legally and historically that under the law should be transferred to the State Library. The Library needs these and should have them but has no room.

Within the last few years more than half of the institutions of higher learning of this State have received appropriations for library buildings ranging from \$150,000 to \$300,000 as follows: College of Industrial Arts, Denton; North Texas State Teachers College, Denton; Sam Houston State Teachers College, Huntsville; A. and M. College, College Station; East Texas State Teachers College, Commerce; Sul Ross State Teachers College, Alpine. The University of Texas now has under construction its \$1,000,000 library building. Let us see what other states have done toward suitably housing their State Libraries. Indiana is the latest, having a new \$1,000,000 State Library building; California has a separate building; Wisconsin has a State Historical Society building costing \$782,000 when built in 1900 and added to in 1914; Oklahoma's State Library and its Historical Society occupy a new \$500,000 Historical Building; Iowa has an Historical Building which houses the General Library, the Library Commission and the Historical Department built about fifteen years ago at a cost of \$400,000; Illinois' State Library, State Historical Library, State Museum and other related groups occupy the \$2,000,000 Centennial Building; in North Carolina the State Library, the Historical Commission and the Supreme Court Library occupy the same building; New York has a separate building for the State Library and Education Department; Connecticut has a State Library and Supreme Court Building; New Hampshire has a separate library building, used also by the Supreme Court; Kentucky has one building devoted to the Library Commission and the State Historical Society.

Does Texas want her citizens to rank with the best in educational advantages? Does she want her citizens to have those advantages and privileges that come only with public library service? Does Texas love her past history? Does she want to preserve it for future generations? Does she want to preserve the history now in the making? Is she as proud of her heritage as some of her sister states are of theirs? If she is, she should see to it that it is properly housed. The State Library should have a building in keeping with its dignity and importance.

ADDITIONAL ASSISTANTS. A Head Cataloguer has been needed for years. It is impossible for the present cataloguers to keep up with more than the new material. There is one full-time cataloguer and two who spend a part of their time cataloguing. The duties of the latter two are growing so that it is difficult to give this needed time to cataloguing. There are hundreds of

books and manuscripts that should be catalogued but which the present staff will never be able to reach.

An assistant in the Archive Division is much needed to do the clerical and routine work that must now be done by the Archivist. This would allow the Archivist time to do that work which only a trained and experienced person can do, such as archive reference work, editing of archive material for publication, gathering of historical data, translating of documents in foreign languages.

CONFEDERATE MUSTER ROLLS. An appropriation for indexing the Confederate muster rolls on file in the Library should be made in order that the complete service record of each Confederate soldier in a Texas company would be on file. This index has been begun but other work necessarily crowds it into the background. As it is, it is necessary to look through numerous rolls in order to find the service record of these soldiers when applications for pensions are made or information needed for joining patriotic societies, placing stones at soldiers' graves, and for purposes of identification in suits at law.

REPAIRING HISTORIC PAINTINGS AND FLAGS. The State Library has a collection of six historic oil paintings which are badly in need of expert restoration work. One of these, a portrait of Robert Eden Handy, hero of the Battle of San Jacinto, an exceedingly fine painting, is in a serious condition. The Library also has ten Confederate Battle flags that were carried during the Civil War all of which need expert repairing. An appropriation sufficient to do these two pieces of work should be made at once, as these historic pieces are daily becoming more damaged.

Respectfully submitted,

FANNIE M. WILCOX,
State Librarian.

Austin, Texas, September 1, 1932.

THE TEXAS LIBRARY AND HISTORICAL COMMISSION.

APPENDIX A

STATE BOARD OF LIBRARY EXAMINERS

In compliance with the rules and regulations of the State Board of Library Examiners, a report of the work of said Board is incorporated herein.

The members of the Board are as follows:

	Term Expires.
Fannie M. Wilcox, State Library.....	Ex officio Chairman
E. W. Winkler, Librarian, University of Texas.	Ex officio member
Julia Ideson, Librarian, Houston Public Library...	July 24, 1937
Ethel Simmons, Librarian, Waco Public Library...	July 24, 1933
Mrs. Maud D. Sullivan, Librarian, El Paso Public Library	
.....	July 24, 1935

In December, 1931, the State Board of Library Examiners amended its Rules and Regulations in regard to prerequisites for certification and time for holding examinations. The rule for certification now requires six months' county library experience and is as follows:

No persons shall be eligible for certificate except those presenting as prerequisites actual successful library experience or knowledge of library technique, six months' or more experience in a county library approved by the Board, a good general education, and the personal qualities requisite to successful work in an administrative library position.

The time for holding the examination is as follows:

Examination shall be held twice each year, once in October at the time and place of meeting of the Texas Library Association in those years in which it meets, and once six months later in April.

During the biennium nine applicants for county library certificates were given the examination. Of these, six were issued certificates; two first grade and four second grade.

The following certificates were in force August 31, 1932:

Lillian J. Aschenbeck, Grade 2, expires August 27, 1933.

Janet Bogardus, Grade 1, expires October 3, 1932.

Katherine Boverie, Grade 2, expires June 22, 1934.

Mrs. Ruth E. Delzell, Grade 2, expires November 30, 1932.

Emma Jean Donald, Grade 2, expires December 15, 1932.

Rutillia Eubank, Grade 1, expires October 3, 1932.

Frances Hoyt Ford, Permanent.

Marguerite L. Hester, Grade 2, expires November 30, 1933.

Mrs. J. W. C. Hicks, Grade 2, expires August 27, 1933.

Lillie Hostetler, Grade 1, expires November 18, 1932.

Fannie O. Jones, Grade 2, expires May 29, 1934.

Mrs. B. B. McClanahan, Grade 2, expires September 27, 1932.

Mrs. Earl McIlroy, Grade 2, expires August 31, 1932.

Wayne Martin, Grade 2, expires September 14, 1932.

Vera L. Moyer, Grade 1, expires August 27, 1933.

Lillian Newton, Grade 2, expires August 31, 1932.

Mrs. Ruth Underwood Pooley, Permanent.

Emily B. Smith, Grade 1, expires December 9, 1932.

Evangel Tynes, Grade 1, expires February 14, 1933.

Doris Wood, Grade 1, expires December 31, 1932.

The requisites for a certificate and the kind of certificates are described in State Library Bulletin No. 6, "Better Libraries for Texas."

APPENDIX B

DOCUMENTS DISTRIBUTED

September 1, 1930-August 31, 1932

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT:

General Orders:

- No. 3, February 14, 1930.
- No. 4, February 28, 1930.
- No. 10, September 15, 1930.
- No. 14, December 30, 1930.
- No. 1, January 15, 1931.
- No. 2, January 22, 1931.
- No. 3, February 2, 1931.
- No. 4, May 1, 1931.
- No. 8, June 17, 1931.
- No. 9, July 15, 1931.
- No. 1, February 1, 1932.

Military Bureau Circulars and Training Circulars for the year 1931.

Reports, September 1, 1928, to August 31, 1930 (bound together).

AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION:

Bulletins:

- 412, July, 1930, Occurrence of nitrites in soils.
- 413, July, 1930, Planning the ranch for greater profit.
- 414, August, 1930, Possibilities of sulphur as a soil amendment.
- 415, September, 1930, Commercial fertilizers in 1929-1930 and their uses.
- 416, November, 1930, Methods of ginning in relation to the grade and staple of cotton.
- 417, November, 1930, Varieties of cotton for North Texas.
- 418, November, 1930, Digestibility by sheep of the constituents of the nitrogen-free extract of feeds.
- 419, December, 1930, Citrus production in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.
- 420, December, 1930, Commercial feeding stuffs.
- 421, January, 1931, A chemical and microbiological study of Lufkin fine sandy loam in relation to productivity.
- 422, March, 1931, Variations in vitamin A and chemical composition of corn.
- 423, April, 1931, Cotton root rot and its control.
- 424, April, 1931, Grain sorghum, date of planting and spacing experiments.
- 425, May, 1931, The estimation of salt and molasses in mixed feeds.

- 426, April, 1931, Determination of soil moisture by the method of multiple electrodes.
 - 427, May, 1931, Type of farming areas in Texas.
 - 428, June, 1931, The fertilizing value of greensand.
 - 429, July, 1931, The effect of cottonseed meal and other feeds on storage quality of eggs.
 - 430, July, 1931, Chemical composition of soils of Cameron, Coleman, Dallas, Erath, Harris, Reeves, Rockwall and Tarrant Counties.
 - 431, July, 1931, The soils of Texas.
 - 432, August, 1931, Manganese in Texas soils and its relation to crops.
 - 433, August, 1931, Bitterweed poisoning in sheep.
 - 434, September, 1931, Commercial fertilizers in 1930-31 and their uses.
 - 435, November, 1931, Control of fire ants in the Lower Rio Grande Valley.
 - 436, November, 1931, Productive energy of feeds calculated from feeding experiments with sheep.
 - 437, November, 1931, Digestibility of chickens and the constituents of the nitrogen-free extract of feeds.
 - 438, November, 1931, Tomato varieties and fertilizers for the Lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas.
 - 439, November, 1931, Estimation of nitric and nitrous nitrogen in soils.
 - 440, August 31, 1931, Commercial feeding stuffs.
 - 441, December, 1931, Relation of lime and phosphorous acid to the growth and bone development of white rats.
 - 442, March, 1932, Relations of buffer capacity for acids to basicity and exchangeable bases of the soil.
 - 443, March, 1932, Chemical composition of soils of Northwest and West Central Texas.
 - 444, March, 1932, Economic phases of the mohair industry in Texas.
 - 445, April, 1932, The composition and fertilizing value of sewage sludge.
 - 446, April, 1932, Storage experiments with Texas citrus fruits.
 - 447, April, 1932, Trees and shrubs in Northwest Texas.
 - 448, April, 1932, Stomach worms in sheep and goats.
 - 449, April, 1932, Availability to plants of potash in polyhalite.
 - 450, May, 1932, Economic efficiency of Texas country banks.
- Circulars:
- 56, December, 1929, Abstracts of Bulletins 393-404 and Circulars 53-54.
 - 57, August, 1930, Black-rot of cabbage and its control.
 - 58, August, 1930, Texas Feed Law, revised regulations.
 - 59, December, 1930, Abstracts of Bulletins 405-420 and Circulars 55-58.
 - 60, July, 1931, Late blight of tomatoes and potatoes.

61, Abstract of Bulletins 421-441 and Circulars 59-60 and other publications during 1931.

62, June, 1932, The Winter Garden Region of Texas.

Reports:

Forty-second Annual Report, 1929.

Forty-third Annual Report, 1930.

Forty-fourth Annual Report, 1931.

AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF:

Bulletins:

102, May-June, 1930, Sweet potato certification program.

104, September and October, 1930, State registered plant breeders and state certified seed growers.

105, November-December, 1930, Varietal purity certification of agricultural field seed.

106, March-April, 1931, List of nurserymen, florists and dealers licensed to do business in Texas and the Texas orchard and nursery inspection laws with rules and regulations.

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The fourteenth biennial report of the board of regents, fiscal years ending August 31, 1929, and August 31, 1930.

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- Occupation tax law—Interpretations, September 1, 1930.
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Gross receipt tax laws—September, 1930.
Gasoline tax law, Texas, 1931.
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- 250, November, 1928, Twenty-fifth biennial report of the State Department of Education. (Abridged.)
265, November, 1929, County and city Superintendents, 1929-1930.
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273, August, 1930, Health and physical education.

- 274, September, 1930, Outline course of study for elementary schools.
 - 275, October, 1930, The teaching of Spanish, German and French.
 - 276, Public school directory, 1930-1931.
 - 277, December, 1930, The teaching of commercial subjects.
 - 278, January, 1931, Revised textbook regulations.
 - 279, February, 1931, The teaching of citizenship, Texas high schools.
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 - 281, November, 1930, Twenty-sixth biennial report of the State Department of Education.
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 - 287, May, 1931, County superintendents and county boards of trustees, Texas.
 - 287a, May, 1931, Handbook for common school district trustees and rules and regulations governing boards of trustees of independent, common, consolidated, and rural high school districts of Texas.
 - 288, June, 1931, Concerning State aid for training in agriculture, farm mechanics, and home economics in rural schools.
 - 289, Physical education program and suggestions.
 - 290, July, 1931, Directory of classified and accredited high schools.
 - 291, August, 1931, The teaching of Latin.
 - 292, September, 1931, The teaching of science.
 - 293, September, 1931, Teaching of mathematics.
 - 294, September, 1931, Negro education in Texas.
 - 295, October, 1931, Approved library books for elementary grades.
 - 295a, October, 1931, Approved library books for unaffiliated high schools.
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 - 300, January, 1932, Suggestions on school housekeeping.
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Yearbook on Texas conservation of wild life, 1929-30.

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Chemical analyses of Texas well waters.

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- Annual report of the local mutual aid associations in Texas for the year ending December 31, 1929.
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- Fifty-sixth annual report, August 31, 1931.
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- Protected cities and towns of Texas, 1931.

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- Vol. XIV, No. 2, October 15, 1930—A bulletin of the school of engineering.
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- Vol. XIV, No. 5, January 15, 1931, announcement.
- Vol. XIV, No. 6, February 15, 1931, announcement.
- Vol. XIV, No. 7, April 15, 1931—Catalogue, 1930-31.
- Vol. XIV, No. 8, May 15, 1931, long session courses, 1931-1932.
- Vol. XIV (XV), No. 1, September 1, 1931, Purple book.
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- Vol. XV, No. 3, November 15, 1931, announcement.
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- Catalogue number, 1931-1932, with announcements for 1932-1933.

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- First annual report to the Governor and Supreme Court, December 1, 1929.
- Second annual report to the Governor and Supreme Court, December 1, 1930.
- Third annual report, December, 1931.

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- Eleventh biennial report, 1929-1930.
- Report of committee on resolutions of the joint conference of the legislative and Governor's committees for unemployment relief, October, 1931.

LAND OFFICE:

- Biennial report of Commissioner of Land Office, 1928-1930.
- List of school lands coming on the market, September 1, 1930.

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1931 (together).

LIBRARY AND HISTORICAL COMMISSION:

Bulletins:

No. 1, Revised June, 1931, How to secure a county library.

No. 5, December 1, 1930, Table showing changes in 1925
statutes and subsequent laws.

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Commission, September 1, 1926-August 31, 1928.

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cattle.

NORTH TEXAS AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

No. 4, Vol. XIV, June, 1931, Fifteenth annual catalogue.

No. 1, Vol. XV, Annual report, September, 1931.

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Annual report of the Texas Prison Board for fiscal year
ending December 31, 1930.

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RAILROAD COMMISSION :

- Thirty-eighth annual report, 1929, covering railroad and express transportation.
- Thirty-eighth annual report, 1929, gas utilities division.
- Thirty-ninth annual report, 1930.
- Annual report, gas utilities division, 1930.
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- Oil and gas conservation law, Circular 15, rules and regulations, June 15, 1932.
- Motor carrier law (as amended through the regular session, forty-second legislature).
- Motor carrier law, 1931.
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- Motor freight, general rules, Circular No. 1, February, 1930.

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- Bulletin No. 20, August, 1931, Latitude, longitude and sea level elevation of bench marks in Texas.
- Biennial report of the State reclamation engineer, August 31, 1930.

SOUTHWEST TEXAS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE :

Catalogue for 1930-1931.

STATE DEPARTMENT :

Bulletins :

- Blue Sky Bulletin, for the quarter ending August 15, 1930.
- Blue Sky Bulletin, for the two months ending October 15, 1930.
- Blue Sky Bulletin, for the month ending November 15, 1930.
- Blue Sky Bulletin, for the two months ending January 15, 1931.
- Blue Sky Bulletin, for the month ending February 15, 1931.
- Blue Sky Bulletin, for month ending March 15, 1931.
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- Blue Sky Bulletin, for three months ending August 15, 1931.
- Blue Sky Bulletin, for three months ending November 15, 1931.
- Blue Sky Bulletin, for May 15, 1932 (previous quarter).
- Biennial report of the Secretary of State, 1928-1930.
- Act creating farmers co-operative societies with forms governing incorporation, 1930.

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STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

- 35, April, 1931, Summer school, 1931.
- 36, June, 1931, Catalogue announcements for 1931-1932.
- 4, Summer session, 1932.

SUL ROSS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

- 33, December, 1930, West Texas Historical and Scientific Society; publications.
- 35, Eleventh annual catalogue and announcements, session of 1930-31.
- 36, A booklet of views, 1930-31.
- 37, General information and announcement of correspondence courses.
- 38, The summer session, 1931, and announcements for the fall term, 1931.
- 39, Twelfth annual catalogue and announcements, session 1931-32.
- 40, September, 1931, announcement of correspondence courses and summer session.
- 41, March, 1932, Summer session, 1932.
- 42, Thirteenth annual catalogue and announcements for 1932-33.

TAX COMMISSIONER:

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Bulletins:

- 7, Vol. VI, July, 1930, Preparing for the profession of engineering.
- 1, Vol. VII, January, 1931, Pictorial and informational bulletin.
- 3, Vol. VII, Summer session, 1931.
- 5, Vol. VII, May, 1931, Sixth annual catalogue number, 1930-31.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT:

Report of the State Treasurer, September 1, 1929, to August 31, 1930.

TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM:

- The Chaser—Volume IX, No. 6, June, 1930.
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 - The Chaser—Volume IX, No. 8, August, 1930.
 - The Chaser—Volume IX, No. 12, December, 1930.
 - The Chaser—Volume X, No. 1, January, 1931.
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WEST TEXAS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

- 57, May, 1930, Catalogue, 1929-1930.
- 60, Announcement for summer school, 1931.
- 61, Catalogue, 1930-31, and announcements, 1931-32.
- 62, Bureau of public service, correspondence instruction.

APPENDIX C.

Expenditures for Biennium, 1930-1932, and Budget Estimates Submitted to the State Board of Control, 1932.

ITEMS	Appropriations for Years Ending			Expended Years Ending		Requested Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1930	Aug. 31, 1931	Aug. 31, 1932	Aug. 31, 1930	Aug. 31, 1931	Aug. 31, 1934	Aug. 31, 1935
Salaries of:							
State Librarian.....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00
Assistant Librarian and Cataloguer.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Legislative Reference Librarian.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Archivist.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Library Organizer.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Loan Assistant and Cataloguer.....	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,650.00
Assistant Cataloguer.....	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,600.00
General Assistant.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Stenographer and Bookkeeper.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Night Librarian.....	960.00	960.00	960.00	960.00	960.00	960.00	960.00
Janitor.....	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00
Additional assistants as needed.....	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00	600.00
Maintenance and Increase:							
Binding, repair, preparation for binding.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,438.51	1,500.00	1,500.00
Binding, repair, preparation for binding newspapers and periodicals given by Rosenberg Library, Galveston.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	500.00	500.00
Books for library, including books for the blind.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	4,999.63	4,398.77	5,000.00	5,000.00
Conducting legislative reference division.....	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00	750.00
Contingent.....	1,800.00	500.00	500.00	1,800.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	400.00	400.00	400.00	400.00	400.00	400.00	400.00
Typewriters.....	200.00			200.00			
Gathering historical data.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	999.93	1,000.00	1,000.00
Preparing for press and printing Texas archives and historical manuscripts.....	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,200.00
Printing bulletins, book lists and biennial report.....	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00
Stationery, supplies, postage, express, freight (including drayage).....	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,099.14	2,100.00	2,100.00
Subscriptions.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	993.64	1,000.00	1,000.00
Telephones.....	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
Traveling expenses of librarian, assistants, library examining board and commissioners on official business.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Repairing documents, including purchase of materials.....			1,000.00			1,000.00	1,000.00

