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STATE LIBRARY

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Status as of August 31, 1934

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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

TEXAS STATE LIBRARY,
AUSTIN, TEXAS, September 1, 1934.

To Her Excellency, MIRIAM A. FERGUSON, Governor of Texas.

MADAM: Herewith is submitted the report of the Texas Library and Historical Commission, including the report of the Texas State Library, for the thirteenth biennium, ending August 31, 1934.

Respectfully submitted,

EMMA K. BURLESON, Chairman,
ABE GORDON,
GEORGE E. SHELLEY,
LAURA ALINE HOBBY,
R. L. IRVING.



SUMMARY OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE TEXAS LIBRARY AND HISTORICAL COMMISSION

On January 25, 1933, the Texas Library and Historical Commission met in annual session in the Railroad Commission hearing room. The matter of most importance to be considered was the recommendation of the Joint Legislative Committee on Organization and Economy that the Texas State Library be consolidated with the Library of the University of Texas. The Commission opposed this plan. The cooperation of the Texas Library Association in opposing the consolidation was asked. It was decided that, should a building be erected in Austin in connection with the Centennial, an effort be made to get it for a State Library. The Commission favored hanging the restored Battle Flag of San Jacinto in the hall of the House of Representatives.

On February 23, 1934, the Commission met in annual session in the Railroad Commission hearing room at 10:00 a. m. It was decided that, should a State Courts' Building be erected, the Commission would take definite steps to get the space in the capitol now occupied by the Supreme Court. The Library Commission will confer with the Centennial Commission in regard to getting for the Texas State Library any permanent building that might be erected in Austin. The library will cooperate with organizations desiring help in getting out historical material for the Centennial. The Chairman of the Commission and the library staff were re-elected.



REPORT OF THE STATE LIBRARIAN

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION

CHANGE IN COMMISSION. Miss Elizabeth R. Houston resigned from the Commission, and was succeeded by Mr. Abe Gordon, January, 1934. Miss Houston's resignation was regretted, as the Commission had profited by her aid and advice.

THE STAFF. The resignation of Mrs. Mildred Eldridge, Assistant Librarian and Cataloguer, became effective September 1, 1933, and she was succeeded by Miss Mary Goff.

The Library personnel consists of the State Librarian and a staff of eleven members. In addition to the regular assistants there are from four to six part-time assistants averaging eighteen hours a week each, except the part-time cleaner, who works from four to six hours a week.

ABSENCES. The report of absences from September 1, 1932, through August 31, 1934, as required by a rider on the Departmental Appropriation Bill of 1933 is as follows:

	Days Absent		
	Illness	Leave	Vacation
Doris H. Connerly.....	24
Mrs. Mildred H. Eldridge.....	12
Aurora Estrada	12
Hugh Foreman	12
Mary E. Goff.....	12
Edwin Sue Goree.....	24
Mrs. Margaret H. Kling.....	24
Adele Mitchell	3½*	24
W. A. Monts.....	24
Rebecca Royall	11	..	24
Mabel Smith	15	5½*	24
Harriet Smither	24
Fannie M. Wilcox.....	24
A. Wright	24

MADE-TO-ORDER COLLECTIONS. These collections are made up to meet the specific needs of the borrowers. They are lent to clubs and other organizations to be circulated within the groups. Especial effort has been made to meet the needs of the parent-teacher associations and preschool study groups. During the biennium 100 collections containing 1,419 books have been lent, 47 the first year and 53 the second. Following is a list of the subjects and the number of collections lent on each subject: Child study 50, Texas 6, history, travel and biography 10, lit-

*Death in family.

erature 11, domestic economy 2, art 2, vocational education 1, religion 1, miscellaneous 17. Included in the groups to whom miscellaneous collections have been sent is a transient camp and a group working on a CWA project. Collections were sent to the following places during the biennium: Adrian, Alvin, Armstrong, Austin, Ballinger, Big Spring, Childress, Clarendon, Claude, Cleburne, Collegeport, Crowell, Chillicothe, Crystal City, Del Valle, Fink, Garden City, Garwood, Glen Cove, Graham, Grand Saline, Florence, Friona, Fulbright, Haskell, Heidenheimer, Holland, Itasca, Jacksonville, Kemp, Kingsbury, Kyle, Lamesa, Lufkin, Lytell, McKinney, Matador, Milano, Minden, Mission, Nacogdoches, Novice, Perrin, Pioneer, Post Oak, Reagan, Robstown, Seguin, San Angelo, Sanger, San Marcos, Scurry, Sheffield, Slocum, Stinnett, Taylor, Texarkana, Twitty, Van Horn, Waco, Wayside, West, Winter.

BOOKS FOR THE BLIND. The Library has collections of books for the blind in Braille, New York Point, and Moon. The Braille collection contains books in grade one and one-half and the Standard English Braille. Any blind person in the State may borrow books since they are sent to readers free under Federal franking privilege. There are 1,089 titles and 3,675 volumes of Braille in the Library; 366 titles and 1,452 volumes of Moon; and 438 titles and 994 volumes of New York Point. Instructions for learning the Standard English Braille as well as for grade one and one-half and Moon are lent upon request. The Library has on file the names of 274 blind readers. The circulation for the biennium was 8,330, of which 3,718 circulated the first year and 4,612 the second. The Texas State Library is the distributing center of the middle Southwest for books which are provided by the \$100,000 annual appropriation of Congress to the Library of Congress. The Library expects to receive soon the first of the talking books which are to be provided from this fund. These books consist of a series of phonograph records which are reproduced on a certain type of machine. In April of this year, the Houston Public Library gave an interesting radio broadcast explaining the service of the Texas State Library to the blind of the State, which resulted in increased interest in this department.

BINDING. During the biennium 833 volumes of books and magazines, and 244 newspapers were permanently bound, as follows: The first year 558 books and magazines and 158 newspapers; the second year 275 books and magazines and 86 newspapers. Fifty-six rare and valuable books and 69 early Texas newspapers were restored—that is repaired and reseed, retaining their original covers and appearance as far as possible. In addition, approximately 350 volumes were pamphlet bound. In all, 1,552 volumes were bound.

OILING RARE BOOKS. Approximately 500 rare, leather-bound books were oiled with pure olive oil, and approximately 5,800 leather-bound Federal documents were oiled with petrolatum.

INDIVIDUAL LOANS. The statistics given herewith are for loans made directly from the Library to individuals and groups. It is impossible to get accurate circulation statistics for the large collections lent to communities and large groups for long periods of time, such as traveling libraries, school collections and demonstration libraries.

The total circulation of books from the main library for the biennium was 34,632; of this number, 18,934 circulated the first year and 15,698 the second. The circulation for the blind was 3,718 for the first year and 4,612 for the second, making a total of 8,330.

ADDITIONAL SPACE. During the biennium, the Library acquired two rooms and a temporarily enclosed space in the basement. The walls of the two rooms were painted, wooden shelves constructed and the Archives Division moved into them. Ten new metal filing cabinets were bought to help care for manuscript material. The location is lighter, roomier and much more convenient than where the archives formerly were, but is entirely inadequate to house all the archive material.

The temporary space was fitted up with shelves for books for the blind and about three-fourths of the collection was shelved there.

FEDERAL AID PROJECT. Soon after the organization of the Texas Relief Commission, the Texas State Library submitted a project for work to be done in the Library. This project had to go through the office of the Travis County Relief Administrator, and when approved was designated Project No. 4048-R-12. Under this, seven persons, three men and four women, were assigned for a period of three months, beginning in December, 1933, working thirty hours a week. The time was later reduced to twenty-four hours a week. There were also assigned two other persons for specific short-time work. The work accomplished by these persons was stenographic, filing, listing duplicate material, construction of wooden shelving, moving much of the collection of the books for the blind, arranging archive material, oiling leather books, repairing bound newspapers and books. The work accomplished was well worth while, as it could not have been done otherwise.

BOOK WORMS. Many of the books in the Library basement, particularly leather-bound state and Federal documents, have been damaged by book worms. Although the Library has been troubled with these pests for years, they have been particularly active the last year. A staff member of the Department of Agriculture made a thorough study of the situation, but, owing to the difficulty of using any fumigation process of eradication, nothing could be done. It was decided that the only effective way of handling the situation would be to fumigate or treat the entire basement of the capitol, as every department having storage space in the basement is probably housing these book worms and as the mature insect is a small

weevil it will travel or be carried from place to place. An appropriation sufficient for treating the entire basement should be made.

REDUCED BUDGET. The total appropriation for the Library was reduced more than 30% for the years ending August 31, 1934, and August 31, 1935. The salaries were reduced from 20% to 25% and the book appropriation was reduced 50%. This limited the services of the Library for the second year of the biennium.

STATE-WIDE ACTIVITIES

TEXAS LIBRARY PLANNING. At the request of the American Library Association, the President of the Texas Library Association and the State Librarian appointed a Texas Library Planning Committee to formulate plans for library development in Texas to fit in with the general program of the State Planning Board. At the organization meeting held June 15, 1934, an outline of a two-part plan was drawn up and adopted and an Advisory Board of twenty-five members to act with the Planning Committee was named. The plan as adopted follows:

1. *For Immediate Needs*
 - a. Provision of a budget for the Texas State Library as outlined and submitted to the State Board of Control by the Texas Library and Historical Commission, materially increasing the meagre expenditures of the present biennium.
 - b. A new municipal library law providing minimum support, certification of librarians, and appointment of trustees to insure continuity of policy and efficiency.
 - c. State supervision of school libraries.
2. *For Long-Time Program*
 - a. Expansion of the Texas Library and Historical Commission to provide for all phases of its work, archives, legislative reference, direct book service, and organization and supervision of regional units similar to system of Deputy State Superintendents under Department of Education.
 - b. Multiple county organization.
 - c. Closer integration of school and public library service.
 - d. Development of service to meet the needs of Texas' varied racial and social groups.
 - e. Resumption of the University of Texas Library School, with an appropriation by the State Legislature to meet the requirements of the A. L. A.
 - f. Program of well-planned publicity for the interpretation of library services.

This systematic planning for library development is the most important state-wide library movement undertaken in Texas

in recent years. The carrying out of the plan for immediate needs—increase in the appropriation of the Texas State Library, provision for a new municipal library law and State supervision of school libraries—is necessary to the success of the second part or long-time program.

HANDBOOK OF TEXAS LIBRARIES NO. 4. At the meeting of the Texas Library Association held in Wichita Falls, April 28-30, 1933, it was decided to publish *Handbook of Texas Libraries* No. 4, and that it "should be in the nature of an observance of the Texas Centennial. The aim is to present a picture of the libraries of Texas as they are today at the end of Texas' first hundred years." Miss Julia Ideson was made chairman of the Handbook Committee and editor of the Handbook. Work was begun at once and the Handbook will be published early in 1935. The Texas Library Association will defray the expense of publication.

SERVICE TO NEGROES. *Wichita Falls.* The dedication exercises of the negro library, the Libbie Fair-Holland Branch of the Kemp Public Library and the Wichita Falls Colored Branch of the Young Men's Christian Association was held April 29, 1934. This marked the beginning of service to negroes in Wichita Falls. *Tom Green County.* The Dunbar Branch for negroes, of the Tom Green County Library, was opened July 14, 1933. This was the beginning of county library service to negroes of this county.

NEW LIBRARIES AND NEW BUILDINGS. Little has been done during the past two years in the way of establishing new tax-supported libraries or in erecting library buildings. Jefferson County Library has had two new branch libraries built by the Lions' Clubs, one at Nederland and the other at The Groves.

STATISTICS OF TEXAS LIBRARIES. The statistics of the various libraries of the State—municipal, college and university, and club and subscription—which have been collected and compiled by the Texas State Library, are given in the tables following.

TABLE II. COLLEGE AND UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

Name of School	City	County	Librarian	Volumes Added During Year	Total Number of Volumes	Total Amount Spent for Books and Periodicals	Year Ends
Agricultural and Mechanical College	College Station	Brazos	Thomas F. Mayo	2,352	52,728	\$ 2,900	Aug. 31, 1934
Austin College	Sherman	Grayson	Mary Walker	18			
Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary	Austin	Travis	Hubert H. Hopper	600	9,000	250	April 30, 1934
Baylor College for Women	Belton	Bell	Mary H. Clay ²	429	23,000	1,075	Jan. 1, 1934
Baylor University	Waco	McLennan	F. W. McDiarmid	744	65,216		1932/33
Baylor University College of Medicine	Dallas	Dallas	Mrs. Lemuel C. McGee		8,000		Jan. 1, 1934
Bishop College (Col.)	Marshall	Harrison	James E. Coby	3,903	14,500		May 31, 1934
College of Industrial Arts	Denton	Denton	Mary S. Buffum	2,581	50,500	6,749	Aug. 31, 1934
Daniel Baker College	Brownwood	Brown	Helen P. Wright	300	9,500		Aug. 31, 1934
East Texas State Teachers College	Commerce	Hunt	Opal Williams	4,792	36,260	5,671	Aug. 31, 1934
Howard Payne College	Brownwood	Brown	T. R. Havins ⁴	365	16,600		May 31, 1934
Incarnate Word College	San Antonio	Bexar					
McMurry College	Abilene	Taylor	Helen Laytham	256	9,673		
North Texas State Teachers College	Denton	Denton	Mrs. Pearl C. McCracken	3,885	10 45,678	10,725	Aug. 31, 1934
Our Lady of the Lake College	San Antonio	Bexar	Sister M. Incarnate	1,246	33,275	3,302	Aug. 31, 1934
Prairie View State Normal and Industrial College (Col.)	Prairie View	Waller	J. O. Baker	407	8,497	1,366	Aug. 31, 1934
Rice Institute	Houston	Harris	Alice C. Dean ⁵	9,900	118,700	18,500	June 30, 1934
Saint Edward's University	Austin	Travis	Rev. Paul J. Foik	769	19,284	1,500	June 1934
Saint Mary's University	San Antonio	Bexar	Lawrence T. Duffy	910	6 12,486	431	August 1935
Sam Houston State Teachers College	Huntsville	Walker	Mrs. Beatrice Craig	1,921	11 31,844	3,000	Aug. 31, 1934
Samuel Huston College (Col.)	Austin	Travis					
Simmons University	Abilene	Taylor	Thelma Andrews	1,338	21,808	939	June 1, 1934
Southern Methodist University	Dallas	Dallas	Dorothy Amann	7 3,500	86,000	6,300	Dec. 31, 1933
Southwest Texas State Teachers College	San Marcos	Hays	Ernest B. Jackson	1,176	34,873	3,580	Aug. 31, 1934
Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary	Seminary Hill	Tarrant	L. R. Elliott ⁶	225	20,000		Dec. 31, 1933
Southwestern University	Georgetown	Williamson	Mrs. Margaret McKennon	751	35,350	700	Mar. 1, 1934
Stephen F. Austin State Teachers College	Nacogdoches	Nacogdoches	Loulein Harris	1,219	17,135	3,479	Aug. 31, 1934
Sul Ross State Teachers College	Alpine	Brewster	Ida Fay Hamilton	500	20,000		Aug. 31, 1933
Texas Christian University	Fort Worth	Tarrant	Bertie H. Mothershead ⁸	1,112	39,103	960	1933
Texas College (Col.)	Tyler	Smith	Wilk S. Peters	329	5,296	1,838	May 31, 1934
Texas College of Arts and Industries	Kingsville	Kleberg	Ann L. Kirven	952	14,568	2,040	Aug. 31, 1934
Texas Technological College	Lubbock	Lubbock	Elizabeth Howard West	505	43,328	17 9,504	Aug. 31, 1934
Texas Woman's College	Fort Worth	Tarrant	Lena Grimmett	108	15,900	133	Aug. 31, 1934
Tillotson College (Col.)	Austin	Travis	Mrs. Fannie Ussery Lowe	850	9,000	117	May 1934
Trinity University	Ellis	Ellis	Mrs. Thomas B. Simms	145	12,992	530	Oct. 1, 1934
University of Texas	Austin	Travis	Donald Coney ¹⁶	20,158	473,837	69,932	Aug. 31, 1934
University of Texas Extension Loan Library	Austin	Travis	LeNoir Dimmitt	13			
College of Mines and Metallurgy	El Paso	El Paso	Mrs. Mary H. Snobarger	1,865	12,616	3,400	Aug. 31, 1934
School of Medicine	Galveston	Galveston	Elizabeth D. Rungc	562	27,000	4,750	Aug. 31, 1934

West Texas State Teachers College.....	Canyon.....	Randall.....	Tennessee Malone.....	22,989	¹²	June	1934
Wiley College (Col.).....	Marshall.....	Harrison.....	Mrs. Gertrude H. Mason..	200	12,835	2,000	June	1934

¹100 by purchase; 500 by gift.

²Succeeded Jessie Louise Kennedy, September 1, 1934.

³Acting Librarian.

⁴Succeeded Lora L. Hicks.

⁵Plus about 3,000 uncatalogued.

⁶Catalogued volumes only.

⁷Exclusive of Law Library.

⁸Plus 1,559 pamphlets, clippings, etc.

⁹To July 27, 1934.

¹⁰Plus 9,000 volumes Demonstration School Library.

¹¹Plus 32,500 bulletins in Agriculture Library.

¹²No appropriation for books, 1933/34.

¹³The resources of the library consist of 3,004 package libraries already assembled on 2,493 subjects most in demand; hundreds of thousands of classified pamphlets and clippings; files from 1918 to date of 100 periodicals indexed in Readers Guide; 4,949 plays with 2,295 titles; 3,916 club study outlines; and 2,488 books with 1,732 titles.

¹⁴Plus supplies.

¹⁵Succeeded E. W. Winkler, October, 1934.

¹⁶Library is being recatalogued, no report available.

¹⁷Including \$1,273 for binding.

TABLE III. JUNIOR COLLEGE LIBRARIES

Name of School	City	County	Librarian	Volumes Added During Year	Total Number of Volumes	Total Amount Spent for Books and Periodicals	Year Ends
Amarillo College	Amarillo	Potter	Effie Jewell Shekell	331	4,148	\$ 650	Sept. 1934
Bhna Memorial College	Brenham	Washington	Alice Clay Watson	92	4,697	25	Sept. 1934
Butler College (Col.)	Tyler	Smith					
Clarendon Junior College	Clarendon	Donley	Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr.	5	6,500	75	May 18, 1934
Clifton Junior College	Clifton	Bosque	Edith Sublette	67	3,200	99	Sept. 1, 1934
College of Marshall	Marshall	Harrison	Mrs. Franklin M. Armstrong	209	4,822	391	May 28, 1934
Decatur Baptist College	Decatur	Wise					
Edinburg College	Edinburg	Hidalgo	Frances Seaver	110	4,365	302	Sept. 1, 1934
Gainesville Junior College	Gainesville	Cooke	Mrs. Mamie Johnson	220	5,540	500	May 25, 1934
Guadalupe Junior College (Col.)	Seguin	Guadalupe	Euneida M. Goens	46	2,685	12	
Hillsboro Junior College	Hillsboro	Hill	Mrs. Harry Dudley	408	4,042	313	July 1, 1934
Houston Colored Junior College	Houston	Harris	Johnnie Mae E. Newton	205	5,509	162	June 30, 1934
Houston Junior College	Houston	Harris	Mrs. Ruth Slater Wilkoff	371	4,075		June 1, 1934
Jacksonville College	Jacksonville	Cherokee	Ina Beth Cavener	30	3,951	150	June 1934
Jarvis Christian College (Col.)	Hawkins	Wood	Mrs. J. B. Mosley	81	2,700	67	May 23, 1934
John Tardston Agricultural College	Stephenville	Erath	Margaret Bierschwale	1,000	1,700	2,000	Aug. 31, 1934
Kidd-Key College	Sherman	Grayson					
Lamar Junior College	Beaumont	Jefferson	Mrs. Ralph Barton	171	2,738	500	Sept. 1, 1934
Lon Morris College	Jacksonville	Cherokee	Mrs. V. L. Perry		4,972		May 25, 1934
Mary Allen Junior College (Col.)	Crockett	Houston	Helena Newby	166	3,325	455	May 30, 1934
North Texas Agricultural College	Arlington	Tarrant	Opal Humphreys	954	8,660	2,200	Aug. 1934
Paris Junior College	Paris	Lamar					
Paul Quinn Junior College (Col.)	Waco	McLennan	Miss M. C. Jones	100	4,500	217	May 31, 1934
Randolph College	Cisco	Easland	Rubye S. Russell	209	3,802	75	Sept. 1, 1934
Ranger Junior College	Ranger	Pastland	Irene M. Chadwick	560	3,236	600	June 1934
Saint Philips Junior College (Col.)	San Antonio	Bexar	Althea V. Howard	75	2,500		June 1934
San Angelo Junior College	San Angelo	Tom Green	Thelma Lynn		3,223		1934
San Antonio Junior College	San Antonio	Bexar	Alice Mayhugh	473	4,657	1,400	Aug. 13, 1934
Schreiner Institute	Kerrville	Kerr	Mrs. B. V. Hurt	250	4,250	500	June 1934
Temple Junior College	Temple	Bell	Mrs. Harold Lee	63	1,221	91	May 24, 1934
Texas Lutheran College	Seguin	Guadalupe	Adolph C. Streng	212	6,657	550	June 1, 1934
Texas Military College	Terrell	Kaufman	Mrs. A. L. Poggeman	101	3,408	400	June 1, 1934
Texarkana Junior College	Texarkana	Bowie	Glyde Peavy	88	3,905		June 1, 1934
Tyler Junior College	Tyler	Smith	Ina Roberts	1,624	10,000	1,200	1933/34
Victoria Junior College	Victoria	Victoria	Anne Elkowitz	325	6,100	800	June 1934
Wayland Baptist College	Plainview	Hale	Celeste Watson	12	4,170	10	Aug. 31, 1934
Weatherford College	Weatherford	Parks	Juanita Davis	375	4,861	600	June 30, 1934
Westley College	Greenville	Hunt	Mrs. A. M. Bumann	274	5,245		June 1, 1934

Westminster College.....	Tehuacana.....	Limestone.....	Mrs. Jessie Miller.....	50	4,880	500	May 30, 1934
Westmoorland College.....	San Antonio.....	Bezar.....	Mrs. Edith A. Pohlman...	100	8,347	200	June 1934
Wichita Falls Junior College.....	Wichita Falls.....	Wichita.....	Mrs. Roberta M. Ryan ...	317	6,200	425	June 1934

¹Exclusive of public documents.

²Library is being recatalogued; figures are approximately correct.

³3,000 volumes in high school available.

⁴Gifts this year.

⁵Between 75 and 100 volumes as gifts.

⁶Between 2,500 and 3,000.

⁷Including binding.

⁸High school and junior college.

⁹Periodicals only.

¹⁰Plus 750 lent from city library; plus 3,050 in high school.

TABLE IV. CLUB AND SUBSCRIPTION LIBRARIES

Those marked with an asterisk (*) are free to the public.

Town	County	Town	County
Alamo	Hidalgo	Kerens	Navarro
Alice	Jim Wells	*Kilgore	Gregg
Alpine	Brewster	*Kingsville	Kleberg
Alvin	Brazoria	*Lamca	Dawson
Angleton	Brazoria	Lampasas	Lampasas
*Anson	Jones	Laredo	Webb
Athens	Henderson	Littlefield	Lamb
Atlanta	Cass	*Livingston	Falls
Balmorhea	Reeves	Lockhart	Polk
Bandera	Bandera	Luling	Caldwell
Bastrop	Bastrop	McAllen	Caldwell
*Bay City	Matagorda	McKinney	Hidalgo
Big Spring	Howard	*Marlin	Collin
Blanco	Blanco	Marshall	Falls
Bonham	Panola	Menard	Harrison
Borger	Hutchinson	Mercedes	Menard
Bowie	Montague	*Meridian	Hidalgo
Brenham	Washington	Mineral Wells	Bosque
*Canadian	Hemphill	Navasota	Palo Pinto
Canyon	Randall	New Braunfels	Grimes
Childress	Childress	Orange	Comal
Cisco	Eastland	Orange	Orange
Clarendon	Donley	Paducah	Cottle
*Claude	Armstrong	Panhandle	Carson
Coleman	Coleman	*Pittsburg	Ochiltree
Colorado	Mitchell	Plainview	Camp
Crane	Crane	Richmond	Hale
Crowell	Foard	Rising Star	Fort Bend
Crystal City	Zavala	Robstown	Eastland
Cuero	DeWitt	Rosenberg	Nucess
Denison	Grayson	Rusk	Fort Bend
Denton	Denton	Sanger	Cherokee
Dimmitt	Castro	San Marcos	Denton
*Eagle Pass	Maverick	Santa Anna	Hays
Eastland	Eastland	Seguin	Coleman
*El Campo	Wharton	Seymour	Guadalupe
Elgin	Bastrop	Smithville	Baylor
Estelline	Hall	Stephenville	Bastrop
Floydada	Floyd	Stockdale	Frath
Follett	Lipscomb	Sweetwater	Wilson
Freeport	Brazoria	Taft	Nolan
Garland	Dallas	Tahoka	San Patricio
Giddings	Lee	Temple	Lynn
Gilmer	Upshar	Texarkana	Bell
Gonzales	Gonzales	Tioga	Bowie
Hamilton	Hamilton	Troup	Grayson
Harlingen	Cameron	Talia	Smith and
Henderson	Rusk	Uvalde	Cherokee
*Henrietta	Clay	Victoria	Swisher
Ilico	Hamilton	White Face	Uvalde
*Huntsville	Walker	Wortham	Victoria
Jacksboro	Jack	*Yoakum	Cochran
*Jacksonville	Cherokee		Freestone
*Jefferson	Marion		Lavaca and
Junction	Kimble		DeWitt
Kaufman	Kaufman		

BY DIVISION

ASSISTANT LIBRARIAN AND CATALOGUER

MARY E. GOFF*

TRAVELING LIBRARIES. Traveling libraries are fixed collections of fifty books each, selected to meet the needs and tastes of an entire community and lent to any community in the State not having access to a public library. The only cost is for transportation. During the biennium four new libraries have been added, making a total of 81 libraries containing 4,050 volumes. Many communities return the libraries without circulation records, but available statistics show that the 4,050 volumes circulated 42,556 times. During the first year of the biennium, 104 different communities were served, and the second year 134, forty of which were new stations. Owing to the much larger demand from high schools than from adult reading communities, during the summer of 1934 traveling libraries, numbers 2-40, were broken up and all books suitable for high school reading as based on the State list and Wilson High School Catalogue, with some new titles were put into traveling libraries 2-12. The remaining books, juvenile and adult fiction, were put into traveling libraries 22-39, making of these popular community collections. Numbers 13-21 were reserved for future high school collections. During the second year of the biennium, traveling libraries were sent to the following places: Afton, Amity, Austwell, Bangs, Bronte, Brownwood, Buffalo, Bullard, Chireno, Collegeport, Cost, Dickens County, Gladewater, Goldthwaite (Live Oak School), Goodrich School, Gordon, Harmony Grove, Hearne, Hempstead, Hillister, Jacksonville, Kilgore (Judson Grove School), Kingsville (Ricardo Community), League City, Leesburg, Llano (Sandy Mountain), Lone Grove, Lorenzo, McCamey, Mitchell, Monteola, Perryton (Lone Tree), Roaring Springs, Sadler, Saragosa, Stockdale, Van Aistyne, Whitesboro, Wills Point, Yoakum.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES. An inventory of school libraries taken in August, 1934, showed a total of 1,302 volumes. During the biennium, 240 collections totaling 4,933 volumes were sent to 203 stations. The records show a circulation of 22,942. Rural and small town schools of Texas have very inadequate library facilities. It is almost futile for this library to undertake the work with schools as the appeals for aid are far beyond its resources. However, the work in this direction has been increased within the past biennium. New schools sharing this library service are as follows: Anson, Austonio, Barstow, Blanco (Centerville), Borger, Breckenridge, Bronson (Henry Hill), Brookshire, Cedar

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Valley (Salem School), Chalk, Childress, Collegeport, Cuthbert (Fairview School), DeLeon, Dessau, Dickens, Edna, Eldorado, Ely, Emory, Fairdale, Fairfield (Trinity Chapel), Fairy, Falls City, Floresville, Fritch, Glen Flora, Granbury, Grulla, Hardin, Huntsville (Liberty Spring School), Ingraham, Kenedy (Pawnee School), Kilgore, Kingsville (San Fernando), Lamesa (Woody School), Lamkin, Lane City, Lasalle, League City, Leesburg, Lindale, Lorenzo, Lorenzo (Estacado), Louise, McNeil, Menard, Mexia (Fallon School), Missouri City, Newport, New Braunfels (Clear Springs), Pierce, Pinehill, Pottsboro (Preston School), Roaring Springs, Robstown (Oso), Sandia, San Augustine (Rosevine School), Scurry, Spur (Ellis School), Vidor, Vineyard (Peach Orchard), Waller, Weatherford, Weinert, Wells, Wheelock, White Bluff, Wizard, Yoakum.

CATALOGUING. The cataloguing staff consists of one full time cataloguer and two who give part of their time to the work. During the biennium, 14,174 books, pamphlets, magazines and documents were catalogued; 7,276 the first year and 6,898 the second.

RESHELVING. With the removal of the Archives Division to the basement, some shelving space was released on the main floor. The entire book collection was shifted, thus relieving the congestion to some extent.

GENERAL ASSISTANT. The report of the General Assistant records 9,573 books and pamphlets accessioned, 5,930 the first year and 3,643 the second. A check list record of miscellaneous state and foreign documents shows 1,338 books and pamphlets received from other states, 830 the first year and 508 the second, and 114 volumes received from foreign countries, 79 the first year and 35 the second. The Library also received 200 books and pamphlets as gifts from individuals, publishers and societies, 88 were received the first year and 112 the second.

DIVISION OF ARCHIVES AND HISTORY

HARRIET SMITHER, *Archivist*

The Division of Archives and History in its repair work has concentrated on newspapers during the biennium. The following papers have been mended preparatory to binding: *Austin Argus*, *Austin Daily Statesman*, *Austin Evening News*, *Colorado Citizen*, *Colorado Gazette and Advertiser*, *Daily Capital*, *Daily State Journal*, *Dallas Daily Herald*, *Die Wochentliche Texas Post*, *Eastern Texian*, *El Bejareno*, *Fayette County New Era*, *Ferguson Forum*, *Fort Worth Daily Gazette*, *Houston Daily Post*, *Houston Tri-Weekly Telegraph*, *Journal and Advertiser*, *La Grange Paper*, *La Grange Intelligencer*, *Lavaca Journal*, *Mississippi Free Trader*, *Neu-Braunfelser Zeitung*, *Red Lander*, *Red Land Express*, *Richmond Telescope and Register*, *San Antonio Daily Express*, *San Antonio Daily Herald*, *San Marcos Free Press*, *San Marcos Times*, *Southern Intelligencer*, *Southern*

Mercury, State Gazette, Texas State Times, The Far West, The Patriot, Waco Daily Examiner, Weekly Austin Capital, Weekly Austin Republican, Weekly Democratic Statesman, West Texas Free Press. The indexing of Confederate muster rolls has continued with about three-fourths completed. The index now consists of some seventy-five thousand cards. The Comptroller's Military Service Records, Court of Claims Papers, Public Debt Papers, Pension Papers and the Memorials and Petitions comprising about fifty thousand documents have been alphabetized.

Translations of current correspondence from the Spanish have been made during the biennium as follows: Governor's Office, one hundred fifty-eight; Board of Pardon Advisers, three; Board of Health, four; Comptroller's Department, one; Senate, one; miscellaneous, two. Total, one hundred seventy.

Thirty-seven certifications of manuscripts were made during the biennium. One complete set of the *Lamar Papers* (six volumes), one set with the exception of volume one, and one copy of volume six have been sold during the same period; also two sets of the *Journals of the Fourth Congress, Republic of Texas*, and one copy of the *Journal of the Secession Convention*. The first volume of the *Lamar Papers* is now out of print.

The editorial work on the Journals of the Sixth Congress of the Republic of Texas, 1841-1842, has continued. These journals with the departmental reports will make three or four volumes. The Senate Journal, Regular Session, the first volume of the series, will soon be in the hands of the printer.

Additions to the archives during the biennium have been by purchase, by gifts, and by transfer from the other departments. The following were purchased: a small collection of Confederate letters of Carl Bauer; a Journal of Woodville Baptist Church, 1851-1867; files of the *Texas Christian Advocate and Home and State*; stray issues of the *Telegraph and Texas Register, Galveston Civilian* and *Galveston News*.

Many valuable gifts have been received. "The Diary of Ebenezer Hanna" was presented by Mrs. T. J. Holbrook of Galveston. A photostat of *The Rolling Stone* of October 27, 1894, was the gift of Mr. Chet McLaughlin with the original placed on deposit. Mr. Robert Lee Stayton presented a map showing the King's Highway. The Reed Family Papers consisting of original land grants and other papers were presented by Dr. V. H. Reed, of Austin, Texas. Major Frank S. Tillman of Fort Worth has donated a collection known as "Tillman World War Papers—Texas Troops." This collection, through his generosity, is rapidly growing. It now consists of the following items: *The Trail Log*, souvenir edition of official publication of the 121st (2nd Texas National Guard) Field Artillery, May 1, 1919; Roster of Officers and Organizations, 36th Division, after Blanc Mont-Champagne Battle as of November 1, 1918; The Battle at Blanc Mont; Final Report of Gen. John J. Pershing, Commander-in-Chief, American Expeditionary Forces; Unit Journal 142nd Infantry, August, 1930; The Thirty-sixth in the

Great War, Texas and Oklahoma National Guard; Blanc Mont (Meuse-Argonne-Champagne), Monograph No. 9, prepared in the Historical Branch, War Plans Division, General Staff, June, 1921; Stars and Stripes, account of semi-final football game in A. E. F. championship contest between the 36th Division (Texas-Oklahoma) and the 7th U. S. Division before the King and Queen of Belgium and General Pershing; Official Program for the 36th-7th Divisions game with lineups; clipping from Paris edition of the *Chicago Tribune* reporting initial appearance of the 36th Division show "Everything" in the Champs Elysees Theater in Paris and an account of the A. E. F. rifle matches at Le Mans, France, in which 36th Division entries were near the top; The Field Order for the review of the 36th Division at Tonnerre, France, by General Pershing, with march table; copy of "The Arrowhead," official publication of the 36th Division, giving report of the 36th Division's sweep of all events in the 1st Army Corps Military meet; also account of 36th Division's defeat of the Le Mans football team in the A. E. F. championships; Paris edition of the *Chicago Tribune* containing article on First Sergeant Sam Dreben, one of the most colorful soldiers of the A. E. F. and member of the 36th Division; copy of American Embarkation News of Le Mans, France, containing an article of marksmanship of Private Karl S. Kennedy, 141st Infantry, 36th Division; "The Hatchet," published aboard the S. S. George Washington, which transported the 144th Infantry to France; Paper prepared by the Public Relations Branch G-2 section, Eighth Corps Area Headquarters, giving an account of the heroic deeds of Daniel R. Edwards, Bruceville, Texas, private first class, Co. C, 3d Machine Gun Battalion, 1st U. S. Army Division; pictures (Battery "D," 15th U. S. Field Artillery, 2nd Division, camouflaged, Vaux, France, July 19, 1918; 42nd Division, Rainbow, march to attack near Bouvardes, France, July 24, 1918; 1st Division Artillery changing positions near Soissons, France, July 17, 1918; copy of original sketch made in action by French liaison officer of 38th Infantry on Marne River, France, July 15, 1918; Vaux, France, after its capture by 2nd Division, U. S. Army; Vente-Feuille Farm after American Artillery, 2nd Division, finished, Soissons front, France, July 19, 1918; Bridge at Chateau Thierry, crossing Marne River, France, blown up by French and Americans to prevent German advance on Paris; Men of First Company, 102nd Machine Gun Battalion, going into action, near Chateau Thierry, France, 26th Division, Yankee, July 19, 1918; Second Division troops, U. S. Army, moving forward, July 18, 1918); Brief History of the 36th Division (National Guard), prepared in the Historical Branch, War Plans Division, General Staff, where authorities for statements are on file; Thanksgiving Day with Battery "D," Camp Bowie, Texas, November 29, 1917; Record of Events, 36th Division; Commanders, 36th Division; Composition, 36th Division; Assignments, dates and locations, 36th Division; Military Record of Brigadier General John A. Hulén, commanding officer, 72nd Infantry Brigade,

36th Division; Units of 36th Division from Oklahoma; Unit Journal, 142nd Infantry, 36th Division; Gen. John A. Hulen reaches Fort Worth, *Dallas News*, August 27, 1917; series of photographs of officers and enlisted men of the 36th Division and how they look today; The Reconnaissance, an Army Paper, November 17, 1917, January 26, 1918; Fort Worth Record Magazine of War; miscellaneous clippings.

Many transcripts have been made. Through the courtesy of Dr. Rowlett of Denton, letters and papers pertaining to Andrew J. Hitchcock have been copied. Mrs. T. J. Holbrook of Galveston granted the privilege of copying the records of the Williams and Hanna families. Through the courtesy of Miss Emma Virginia Gowen a copy of the Civil War diary of her grandfather, W. B. Gowen, was made. Honorable M. L. Dowell of Luling granted the privilege of copying the autobiography and the Medical Journal of his grandfather, Dr. Greenville Dowell of Galveston. This latter is not yet completed. Through the courtesy of Mrs. Clayton L. Scott of San Antonio, a copy was made of Book 1 of the journals of her grandfather, Anson Jones. Transcripts of various newspaper articles on the removal of Southwestern University were given by Rev. E. L. Shettles. A complete transcript of his manuscript volume on "Dawson's Men" was presented by Mr. Houston Wade.

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 offices, relating to the history of Texas" (*Revised Civil Statutes of Texas*, 1925, Art. 5441, Sec. 4), the following manuscript records have been transferred from the State Department: Documents Under the Great Seal, Sam Houston, 1836; Proclamations, Treaties and Colony Contracts, 1842-3-4-5; Anson Jones, 1844-5; Executive Records, 1846; Administration of P. H. Bell, 1849-52; Administration of J. W. Throckmorton, 1866-67; Executive Record, 1870; Administration of E. J. Davis, No. 78A; Administration of R. B. Hubbard, No. 287; Governors' Messages, Coke and Hubbard, No. 93; County Records, 1863; Pardons and Remissions, December 2, 1874; Proclamations, Governor Richard Coke, 1876-77; Pardons and Remissions, May 11, 1876; Administration of O. M. Roberts, 1879-1882; Administration of John Ireland, 1883-86; Pardons and Remissions, No. 291; Administration of L. S. Ross, No. 293; Miscellaneous Governors' Papers; Miscellaneous Papers (Penitentiary Papers; Public Buildings and Grounds; Department, Asylum, and Normal School Reports; Contested Elections, 1847-1887; Irrigation Papers; Credentials and Resignations, Members of Legislature, 1853, 1857, 1873; Bank Statements; Correspondence with Mexico and United States, 1877-1880; Impeachment Judge T. C. Barden, 13th Legislature; Investigation of Bledsoe; Confederate Papers; Printing Board and Alamo Papers; Testimony Paker Legislature); Letter Books, 1861-63, 1871; Navy Regulations, 1836; Record Books, 1844-45, 1876-85; Letters Received, Vol. 1; Journal, 1867-8-9 and to Jan. 23,

1870, W. C. Phillips; Journal of the House of Representatives, Republic of Texas, No. 12; Senate Journals of the Republic of Texas, Nos. 4-10, 16; Appendix to Senate Journal of the Republic of Texas, No. 11; Journals of the House of Representatives, State of Texas, Nos. 18; 19, 26, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33; Appendix to Journal of the House of Representatives, State of Texas, No. 20; Senate Journals of the State of Texas, Nos. 14, 15, 17, 27; Appendix to Senate Journal of the State of Texas, No. 18; Journals of the Proceedings of the General Council, 2 vols.; Journal of Convention, 1835; Journal of Convention, 1845; Journal of Secession Convention, 1861; Journals of the Reconstruction Convention, 1868-69; Consular Records, 1836-45; Election Returns, 1835-1890; Congressional Papers, 1836-1845; Post Office Records, 1836-1845; Report of Indian Commissioners, 1842-43; Applications for office, 1870; Contracts, Republic of Texas, 1838-41; Account Book, 1838-1848; Invoice, No. 20; Texas Census, 1870, Vols. 25, 27, 28, 32; Record of Public Printing, 1888-96; Miscellaneous Provisional Government Papers; Pardons and Remissions, 1836-1890; 1168 Letter Files, 1860, 1862, 1864-5, 1870-1915; Adjutant General Letters Received, 1864; Cash Books, 1883, 1887, 1889, 1891, 1892, 1895, 1896, 1900, 1901, 1918; Committee—Judiciary, 1885; Committee Book, 1889; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 1873; Consignments, 1864; Contingent Expenses, 19th Legislature; Correspondence Agents, State of Texas, 1864; Day Book, 1849; Foreign Corporations, 1889; Fee Book, 1881; Letter Book, 1889; List of Voters, 1867; Military Board (Old Board—Blotter, 1862; Old Board Journal, 1862; Ledger Old Board, 1862; Letters Old Board, 1862; Foundry Day Book, 1863; Ledger New Board, 1864; Letters, New Board, 1864; Foundry Ledger, 1865); Old trade marks, 1895-1926; Printing (Public Printing, 1881; Book Bindery, 1889; State Printing, 1889; Legislative Printing, 1897); Railroad Contracts, 1913; Records of 1st to 21st Legislatures (Journals, bills, committee reports, messages); Text Book Record, 1898, 1901; Diary Department of State, February 5, 1845; Minutes Board of Investigation, 1865.

Under the same statute the following have been transferred from the Treasury Department: 8 Journals, 1836-1876; 14 Ledgers, 1836-1876; 4 Letter Books, 1836-1868; 4 Bond Registers, 1857-1880; 22 Miscellaneous Registers, 1837-1891; 17 Cash Books, 1837-1890; 2 Auditors' Reports, 1837-1855; 3 Treasury Reports, 1837-1873; 3 Day Books, 1838-1873; 2 Record Books, 1862-1890; 2 Account Books, 1857-1873; Import Duties, Direct Taxes, Licenses, Fines, Land Dues, 1837-1840; Letters to Collectors of Revenue, 1837-1841; Letters, Auditor's Office, 1838-1842; Transfer Book, Stock Commissioner, 1839-1856; Direct Tax, 1840; Statements, 1846-1854; New Auditorial Book, 1867-1879; Letters Public Works Board, 1867-1870; Asylum Journal, 1867-1870; Appropriation Available School Fund, 1871; School Fund Receipts, 1876-1877; University of Texas Land Sales, 1876-1882; Bonds, 1879; School Lands, 1880-1883; Asy-

lum Lands, 1880, 1885; Index to School Lands, 1881, 1883, 1887; Record of Land Sales, 1883, 1885; University Bonds, 1867; Record Board of Public Labor, 1867-1871; Appraisement School Lands, El Paso County, 1880; Revenue School and Special Warrants, 1882-1885; Hospital Lease, 1887; Record, Lands, San Antonio, 1898; Apportionment Certificates, 1889, 1890; 820 Letter Files, 1870-1919.

Under the same statute the following have been transferred from the Comptroller's Department: Ledgers, 1833-1900; Journal (Auditor), 1839; Journal, 1862-68; Journal (Texas Penitentiary), 1869-90; Letter Books, 1846-1851; Letters, 1880-1920; Record of Claims, 1871-73; Records, 1851-1888; Record of Harrison County, 1871; Record of Liquor Permits, 1913-14; Record of Licensed Permits, 1917-18; Record of Malt and Liquor Licenses, 1909-10; Record of Licenses Issued, 1901; Register of Letters from Teachers, 1879-1880; Register of Public Debt, 1838-40; Miscellaneous Register of Counties, 1881; Warrant Registers, 1848-1899; Special Warrants, 1852-83; Register Unorganized Counties, 1871-79, Runnels County, 1871-79; Day Book, 1885-6; Customs Receipts, 1843; Imports, 1842-46; Pensions, 1874-83; Requisition Books, 1861-62; Direct Taxes, 1837-38; Memorandum Tax Sales, 1881; Fees, 1856; Funded Debt, 1840-55; Public School Payment, 1871-77; School Coupons, 1889; Military Payments, 1836-38; Comptroller's Payments, 1875; Collectors' Remittances to Comptroller, 1886-92; Miscellaneous Remittances, 1881-83; Reports, 1838; Transfers, 1839-56; Railroad and Insurance Record, 1879-81; Old Papers and Letters, 1835-1887; Texas Money and Bonds; Treasury Warrants and other documents, 1837-42; Miscellaneous Military Documents; Public Debt Papers; Claims Papers; Pension Papers; Miscellaneous Tax Reports, and other papers, 1881-1894.

Under the same statute the following have been transferred from the Adjutant General's Department: Miscellaneous Muster Rolls, 1835-1848; Frontier Battalion Records (Muster Rolls, Monthly Reports, Certificates of Service, Oaths and Bonds, Abstracts and Vouchers, Rations, Letters and Miscellaneous Papers), 1874-1901; Ranger Records (Muster Rolls, Miscellaneous Ranging Companies, Rolls and Letters and Orders, 1860, Recommendations for raising Ranger companies and letters, 1851-52); Special State Troops (Muster Rolls, Letters, Reports), 1876-78; Civil War Papers (Muster Rolls, Reports, Correspondence, Quartermasters Records); Papers Major John B. Jones, 1874-78; Custom House Papers, Galveston, 1841-1845; Miscellaneous Letters and Papers, 1839-1882; Bonds for Arms and Ranger Reports, 1859; Amounts paid out by State for Frontier Protection, 1855-71; Commissions, 1860; Frontier Regiment (Muster Rolls, Letters, Reports, Contracts, Enlistment papers, Returns of Clothing, Orders, Quartermaster Returns and Receipts, Regimental Returns, Invoices, etc.), 1862-64; Tax in Kind by Counties, 1864; Adjutant General Letters, 1850-1910; Spanish-American War Records (Muster Rolls, Correspondence); Texas Volunteer Guard and Texas National Guard Records

(Rolls, Bonds, Returns, Miscellaneous Papers), 1880-1911; General Orders, 1870; Blotter Quarter Masters Settlements, 1840-1863; Roster of officers; Regimental Orders; Regimental Descriptive Book; Returned Ordnance and Ordnance Stores; Record Books, 2 vols.; Journals, 2 vols.; Muster Rolls and Papers relating to Reserve Militia, 1870-72; Military Orders, 1867-1879; State Guards, 1870-1; Muster Rolls, Letters and Papers, Frontier Forces, 1870-71; Muster Rolls, Letters and Papers, State Police, 1871-74; Reports of Public Free Schools, 1872; Limestone, Free-stone, and Walker County Troubles, 1871; Letter Books, 1870-1900; Frontier Cash Book, Companies C, D, F, and I, 1877-1878; Cash Book, Patrick King, 1862; Cash Book, James Davidson, 1872; Account Book of Public Property and Ordnance Stores, 1885-1898; Ordnance and Stores issued to Militia beginning 1870; Appropriations, 1870-1879; Rewards for Criminals, 1870-73; Report of Arrests, 1870-1876; Proceedings of Auditorial Board, 1883-4; Special Orders, A.G.O., 1870-1901; Day Book, 1864; Records of Letters, 1862-63; Returned Ordnance and Ordnance Stores, 1898-99; Letters, Q.M.D., 1901-1904; Ranger Force, 1905; Letters, Q.M.D., T.N.G., 1905; Hospital Department Medical Case Book, 1863; Permit Book, Louisiana, 1865-66, Supplies Issued by Confederacy to Plant Owners; Roster of Commissions and State Guard, 1875; Abstracts of Crimes, 1869-70; Ledger, F. F., 1883-84; Ledger, Frontier Battalion, 1893-97; Reports of the Adjutant General, 1899-1900; Q. M. Ledger, 1905-6.

LEGISLATIVE REFERENCE DIVISION

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The numerous sessions of the legislature held during the biennium naturally determined the sort of work done by this division. At the beginning of the period the Forty-second Legislature was holding its Third Called Session, which adjourned September 21, 1932. This was followed by the short Fourth Called Session which lasted from November 3 through November 12, 1932. In 1933 the Regular Session of the Forty-third convened on January 10 and adjourned on June 1, and the First Called Session lasted from September 14 to October 13. In 1934 the Second Called Session met from January 29 through February 27 and the Third Called Session met on August 27. During the biennium, therefore, there were 239 full legislative days. Each session, whether regular or special, requires preparation in advance, and for weeks after the close of a session there is almost as much work as during the meeting because of the many inquiries for copies of new laws or information concerning their passage. The longest period between sessions was from February 27 to August 27, 1934, and that interim was more than occupied with the hurried work incidental to election year. The activity connected with the biennial elections begins in the spring and lasts into September. Candidates wire and write in for information of all sorts, particularly official records of their adversaries. This sort of reference work must be done promptly

and under pressure. In view of the active daily routine there was no opportunity to accomplish anything in the field of research.

Twenty-seven legislative publications (laws, manuals, journals, and reports) were mailed out to sixty libraries—a total of 1,620 items; and 262 reports of departments (State documents) were sent to 150 libraries—a total of 39,300 items. The combined total of the two types of publications amounted to 40,920. Allowing for a wide variation we can at least state that over 40,000 Texas documents were distributed by the Texas State Library through the Legislative Reference Division. A complete list of these documents is contained in an appendix to this report.

The little Texas Bulletin, which was prepared primarily for use in answering inquiries of school children, continues to supply a need, and an average of forty a month are mailed out—mostly in reply to requests from without the State.

The small mimeographed directory of State officials has been so much in demand that the supply is at present exhausted. We are distributing about 300 a year. There was an edition dated June 15, 1933, and one dated April 15, 1934. It is expected that the next will be issued April 15, 1935. Experience has shown that to be the most satisfactory date. January 1 is too early in the odd years to show the appointments of a new administration.

The Division has cooperated with various departments and interim legislative committees on certain questions under consideration, especially tax matters. The Statesman's Year Book copy was checked again each year; summaries of educational legislation were prepared for the National Education Association. A start was made on a card index for the Texas House and Senate Journals to show special material such as investigations and the reports thereof. A valuable amount of information is contained in the journals but is not now readily accessible.

Perhaps the next biennium will contain more opportunity for research, but if the problems of the depression continue to be as urgent as at present there will probably still be special sessions.

As a final word from this division it is submitted that the field of legislative-reference work has hardly been touched in Texas. There is the field of research, the bill-drafting function, the possibility of issuing regular reports on legislative and political science problems of the State, close cooperation with the many organizations interested in governmental affairs. None of these are now accomplished in any real degree and cannot be so long as the staff of the division is so small. The division has intentionally refrained from any effort to generate even a slight additional demand for such service because it is believed better to do the daily work as well as possible instead of dissipating energy in an attempt to cover too much territory at the cost of the immediate practical needs of the legislative and executive departments, whose requirements on behalf of the State should be considered first.

REPORT OF LIBRARY ORGANIZER

EDWIN SUE GOREE

Field Work

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Extended visits were made for organization or reorganization work, the places being Jacksonville, Winnsboro, Brownwood.

Except in a few cases, the library organizer met with the trustees of the municipal libraries, or with county commissioners when visiting county libraries.

PROMOTIONAL WORK. Library promotional visits have been made to 20 places, on invitation of citizens. The county library law and plan of operation was explained and advice given on the establishment of public libraries. In two of these places, Yoakum and Jacksonville, free public libraries have since been established. In two counties, Brazoria and Hidalgo, active county library campaigns are now being waged. In three towns visited recently, Miami, Gatesville and Eagle Pass, conditions are favorable for the establishment of free public libraries in the future.

BOOK WAGON. It is difficult for rural people to understand county library distribution. To demonstrate book wagon service, the Jefferson County book auto which holds 1,400 volumes, has been loaned to the State Library twice through the courtesy of the Jefferson County Commissioners Court. On each trip, two librarians and the driver have accompanied the library organizer and given valuable assistance in explaining county library service. The first of these trips was made to McMahan's Chapel where the people of San Augustine and Sabine Counties hold an annual meeting. Several hundred people examined the books on the shelves and discussed ways and means of getting county library service. Senator Margie Neal gave an eloquent address on the Texas Centennial and the shelf of Texas books carried on the book wagon attracted much attention. *Two Centuries in East Texas* was handed around to many people who looked up with interest the book's account of their pioneer forefathers.

The second book wagon demonstration was made at Farmers' Short Course at A. and M., July, 1934. The book wagon stood in front of the College Library and nearly a thousand people visited it. The Texas State Library is deeply indebted to County Judge Johnson of Jefferson County; to Mrs. Lucy F. Gross, county librarian, and Miss Reta Duncan, assistant county

librarian, for their enthusiastic cooperation in making possible these demonstrations of book wagon service.

ADDRESSES ON LIBRARY SUBJECTS. The library organizer has been invited to give library addresses before the following groups or organizations: Library School, Texas State College for Women, Denton; City Federation of Women's Clubs, Waco; High School Assembly, Lefors; Student Assembly, Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio; Library School, Our Lady of the Lake College, San Antonio; Peabody College Library School, Nashville, Tennessee; State Department of Education, Supervisory District 16, meeting at Madisonville; Farmers' Short Course, A. and M. College—four talks to 4-H Clubs; County Superintendents' Section at Farmers' Short Course; Library Section, Texas State Teachers Association, Galveston; Colored librarians, Texas State Teachers Association, Galveston.

OTHER MEETINGS ATTENDED. Other Texas meetings attended during which many conferences on library matters were held were: Texas Agricultural Workers Association, Dallas; Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, 7th District, Hereford; Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, State Meetings, 1933 and 1934; Texas State Teachers Association, Austin, 1933. Library exhibits were arranged for two of these meetings, Texas State Teachers Association, 1933, and Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, 1933.

OUT OF STATE LIBRARIES VISITED. University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Public Library of Memphis, Tennessee, and three branches of the Shelby County Library; Public Library, Springfield, Illinois; City and County Library, Santa Fé, New Mexico; the five state library agencies of Illinois at Springfield, consisting of the General Division, the Extension Division, the Archives, the Historical Society, and the Legislative Reference Division.

New Services

DEMONSTRATION LIBRARIES. A limited form of demonstration service was initiated by the Texas State Library late in 1932, consisting of the loan of a carefully selected collection of books to a community for a year's time. The collections are small, varying in size from 225 to 300 volumes. They have, however, resulted in stimulating better reading, better book buying, and a desire for local library facilities. Collections have been placed in the following places for one year: Livingston, Hemphill, Dimmitt, Atlanta, Goldthwaite; and collections are placed at present at Luling, Anderson, Bangs, Jacksonville, Miami, and Woodlake. Large loans were made to the Junior College Library at Ranger, and the County Superintendent's Library of Brazos County to aid in summer library projects. Many small collections, consisting of vocational and occupational books, and juveniles, have been loaned to Yoakum, Brownwood, Kilgore, Winnsboro, Pecos, Memphis, and to the libraries of Deaf Smith and Collingsworth Counties.

FEDERAL PROJECTS. Two Federal projects added greatly to the opportunities and duties of the library organizer. The employment of needy librarians was made possible under CWS and CWA. Many were eligible for employment and some were very needy. A number of them were given temporary employment. In a few cases the library or college was able to retain them as regular members of the staff. Two small public libraries, Jacksonville and Yoakum, were organized with the aid of CWS librarians, and the closed \$17,500.00 Carnegie Library at Ballinger reopened for four months with a trained and experienced county librarian in charge. Old books were repaired, additional books added by gift, and 250 new books loaned by the Texas State Library. In four months, more than 800 people were using the library and the small book stock had turned over five times.

Two counties attempted county library programs under CWA, and even with few books much good reading was done and requests continue to be received at the Texas State Library from rural people who enjoyed library privileges for the first time through CWA libraries. The most far-reaching county library work was probably in Angelina and Grayson Counties.

The Texas State Library has also bought books, principally occupational books and recreational fiction, for the use of men in CCC camps, but the supply was so limited it was not possible to offer collections to more than a half dozen camps.

DISTRICT CONFERENCES. For the first time in its history, the Texas State Library held district library conferences (called "institutes" in the law establishing the Commission). Conferences were held in Lufkin, Longview, Abilene, Marlin, Amarillo, Lubbock and San Angelo. The program for each of these meetings followed a carefully thought-out pattern. The morning was devoted to a discovery session, at which the county library law of Texas, the place of the small public library, and the integration of public and school libraries, were discussed. With the library picture of the State before the audience, the afternoon was devoted to development and recovery plans. Through these seven meetings, the Texas State Library established some contact with 120 librarians, 63 trustees, 54 teachers and school administrators, and 126 library-minded citizens. Included in the latter group were city, county and state officials, workers in the agricultural experiment service, and representatives of a number of organizations interested in library development. In no other way could the small traveling fund have been used to reach so many people interested in libraries. At two of these conferences, Miss Tommie Dora Barker, the regional field agent for the South, stationed at Atlanta, Georgia, was present, and not only guided and directed the discussion of the two conferences but later made a number of library visits with the library organizer.

PLACEMENT. A definite need has existed for some time for a centralized registration bureau for Texas librarians. The

library organizer has attempted to assemble data about all available unemployed librarians. There were 46 in Texas in 1934, most of whom had library school training. It has been possible in a few cases to place people in permanent positions, or to recommend trained people for temporary places. The information on file is constantly being requested by professional organizations and there have been several inquiries from the Federal government. It is unfortunate that without office help it is impossible to do this job thoroughly.

PUBLICATIONS. In January, 1934, a new folder, entitled *Better Books for Texas*, and answering many of the questions about book selection which were constantly being asked by letter, was prepared for distribution. The folder may be added to a letter without additional postage and has been very helpful. More than 3,000 copies have been distributed. Fifteen hundred copies of *Better Libraries for Texas*, the bulletin which contains the text of the county library law, have been distributed, and 2,000 additional copies were printed in May, 1934.

Advisory Assistance by Mail

Letters are answered daily on questions pertaining to the county library law; municipal library establishment; book and periodical selection; purchasing routines; methods of keeping financial, order, and circulation records; and school library service. Some of these services mean a money saving to citizens.

Professional Meetings Attended

Professional meetings attended have been: The Conference of Southern Leaders, University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill; Texas Library Association, Wichita Falls, 1933; American Library Association, Montreal, Canada, 1934.

Needs

The Extension Division needs: (1) office assistance; (2) additional field workers; (3) an adequate traveling fund; (4) a book auto with which to demonstrate county library distribution; (5) a larger fund for books for long-time loans; (6) suitable materials for visual publicity.

The traveling fund for this Department should include the refund of money spent in attendance at national and regional library meetings. The American Library Association is not a drinking and eating association. A week spent at its annual meeting is hard work; meetings are attended all day and four evenings. Much experimental work is being done to find methods of better book distribution at a reasonable cost. If Texas is to have the benefit of the findings, it is necessary for the library organizer to be present at these meetings. At the present salary, the trips mean a heavy personal sacrifice. Three of the four listed were made at the library organizer's own expense. This is certainly sufficient evidence that she feels

attendance an obligation due the work and the State. Improved library service raises the intelligence level of the people. Is the Commissioner of Agriculture, for instance, expected to make trips out of the State at his own expense, when such trips enable him to improve agricultural methods and increase the value of our live stock? Or, are cattle and horses more important in Texas than the people?

RECOMMENDATIONS

TEXAS STATE LIBRARY BE MAINTAINED AS A SEPARATE DEPARTMENT. In the bill on reorganization of State Government introduced at the Regular Session of the Forty-third Legislature, provision was made for the consolidation of the Texas State Library with the Library of the University of Texas. The Texas Library and Historical Commission, which is the governing body of the Texas State Library, and the Texas Library Association passed resolutions opposing this consolidation. There are many reasons why the two libraries should not be consolidated. The Texas State Library now has consolidated under it the major library functions of a State-wide nature—legislative reference, archive, and library extension and organization. The two libraries differ widely in their functions and purposes. The Texas State Library is maintained for the 6,000,000 people of Texas, a large majority of whom live in rural districts and are without library service; for the use of the State Departments and Legislature; as a depository for the official archives of Texas; for the purpose of developing public library service throughout the State; and with free State-wide lending service. The University of Texas Library is maintained mainly for the 6,000 students and the faculty; its material is selected to serve this special group; its archives are mainly private collections; it does no work in public library development; a \$5.00 fee is required of all borrowers. The work done by the Texas State Library does not duplicate or overlap the work done by the University Library. The service which the Texas State Library renders cannot be carried on more economically or efficiently under the consolidation. The specific services rendered by the Texas State Library are brought out in the reports on the various divisions of the library.

ADDITIONAL ROOM. The crowded condition of the library becomes more acute each year. There should be provided a fire-proof State Library building to protect the invaluable material of the library. Until such a building is erected additional space in the Capitol building should be assigned to it.

ADDITIONAL ASSISTANTS. *An assistant to the Library Organizer* is much needed. The interest in library development is increasing so rapidly that it is physically impossible for one person to cover the entire State and carry on the necessary office work. *Library Supervisor of Eleemosynary and Penal Institutions.* An important work hitherto entirely neglected is the developing of

libraries in State eleemosynary and penal institutions. Doctors and psychologists agree that books can do much toward preventing and curing crime and sickness. There should be an assistant whose duty it is to organize and supervise libraries in these institutions. A *Second Assistant* to do the typing of catalogue cards, some of the correspondence and general work of the library is much needed.

STATE AID TO PUBLIC LIBRARIES. The Texas Legislature appropriated for the support of free schools for the year ending August 31, 1933, \$28,848,767; for higher education, \$11,374,824. The free school system is for the education of the child from the first grade through high school; higher education refers to such education as is given above the high school. For that large portion of tax paying Texas citizens who never go beyond grammar or high school, no provision has been made for further education or acquisition of information necessary to successful living. Public libraries must provide for these. Just as the State gives aid to its public schools, so must it give aid to its public libraries. A substantial appropriation for state aid to public libraries should be made.

REPAIRING HISTORIC PAINTINGS AND FLAGS. The Texas State Library has several historic oil paintings which are badly in need of expert restoration work. One of these, a portrait of Robert Eden Handy, a hero of the Battle of San Jacinto, is an exceedingly fine painting and is in serious condition. The Library also has a collection of Confederate battle flags that were carried by Texas troops in the War Between the States, all of which need to be repaired by an expert. An appropriation sufficient to do these two pieces of work should be made as these historic treasures are deteriorating daily.

Respectfully submitted,

FANNIE M. WILCOX,
State Librarian.

Austin, Texas, September 1, 1934.

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:

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, 1939
Mrs. Maud D. Sullivan, Librarian, El Paso Public Library . .
. July 24, 1935

Since the Rules and Regulations of the State Board of Library Examiners were amended raising the requirements of applicants for county librarian's certificates and limiting the holding of examinations to two regular dates a year, there have been fewer candidates for certificates.

During the biennium seven applicants for county librarian's certificates took the examination. Six of these were issued certificates—two second grade and four first grade.

The following certificates are valid August 31, 1934:

Katherine Boverie, Grade 2, expires June 22, 1935.
Mrs. Rutillia Eubank Branch, Grade 1, expires October 3, 1936.
Mrs. Ruth E. Delzell, Grade 2, expires November 30, 1934.
Emma Jean Donald, Grade 2, expires December 15, 1934.
Reta Duncan, Grade 1, expires June 22, 1935.
Elnora Edgar, Grade 1, expires December 27, 1934.
Francis Hoyt Ford, Permanent.
Marguerite L. Hester, Grade 1, expires June 30, 1936.
Lillie Hostetler, Grade 1, expires November 17, 1934.
Joyce Johnson, Grade 2, expires June 22, 1935.
Fannie O. Jones, Grade 2, expires May 29, 1936.
Mrs. Earl McIlroy, Grade 2, expires August 31, 1936.
Wayne Martin, Grade 1, expires June 30, 1936.
Kathleen D. Munn, Grade 1, expires June 22, 1935.
Lillian Newton, Grade 2, expires August 31, 1934.
Mrs. Ruth Underwood Pooley, Permanent.
Lola Mae Rozzell, Grade 2, expires December 27, 1934.
Evangel Tynes, Grade 1, expires February 14, 1935.
Margaret K. Wagner, Grade 1, expires December 27, 1934.
Doris Wood, Grade 1, expires December 31, 1934.

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

*Succeeded by Donald Concy, October, 1934.

APPENDIX B

DOCUMENTS DISTRIBUTED

September 1, 1932-August 31, 1934

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ADJUTANT GENERAL'S DEPARTMENT:

General Orders:

No. 4, November 15, 1932.

No. 2, January 19, 1933.

No. 9, Roster of the Texas National Guard, June 30, 1933.

Militia Bureau Circulars and Training Circulars for 1932.

AGRICULTURAL EXPERIMENT STATION:

Bulletins:

451, July, 1932, The comparative value of cottonseed hulls and hay as roughage for growing dairy heifers.

452, August, 1932, The mechanical harvesting of cotton.

453, September, 1932, An economic study of farm organization in the piney woods farming area of Texas.

454, September, 1932, Digestibility and production of coefficients of hog feeds.

455, September, 1932, California red scale and its control in the lower Rio Grande Valley of Texas.

456, September, 1932, Locoism in domestic animals.

457, September, 1932, Soremouth (contagious ecthyma) in sheep and goats.

458, September, 1932, Inequalities in taxation of farm lands and city property due to scope and methods of assessment.

459, September, 1932, Grain sorghum varieties in Texas.

460, October, 1932, Commercial fertilizers in 1931-32 and their uses.

467, December, 1932, Commercial feeding stuffs.

468, December, 1932, The quantities of vitamin A required by pullets for maintenance and for egg production.

469, December, 1932, Fertilizer experiments with cotton.

470, December, 1932, Creep-feeding range calves.

471, December, 1932, The relation of body shape of feeder steers to rate of gain, to dressing per cent, and to value of dressed carcass.

472, December, 1932, Alfalfa production under irrigation in Western Texas.

473, December, 1932, Sorghum silage as a source of vitamin A for dairy cows.

474, February, 1933, The effect of sunlight and other factors on the strength and color of cotton fabrics.

475, July, 1933, Ingestion of poison by the boll weevil.

- 476, August, 1933, Feeding for efficient growth and prevention of slipped tendons in chickens.
- 477, July, 1933, Vitamin A content of foods and feeds.
- 478, August, 1933, The storage and seasoning of pecan bud wood.
- 479, October, 1933, The common sheep-scab mite and its control.
- 480, August, 1933, Wheat versus milo for dairy cows.
- 481, October, 1933, Poisoning of cattle by species of groundsel.
- 482, October, 1933, Soils of Henderson, Hidalgo, Milam, Nacogdoches, Navarro, Wichita, Willacy, and Victoria Counties.
- 483, December, 1933, Improved methods of utilizing the magnolia fig.
- 484, November, 1933, Rate of water evaporation in Texas.
- 485, November, 1933, Varieties of rice for Texas.
- 486, November, 1933, New developments in hog houses and equipment.
- 487, December, 1933, Commercial fertilizers in 1932-33.
- 488, December, 1933, Commercial feeding stuffs.
- 490, March, 1934, The effect and rate of application of nitrate of soda on the yield of cotton.

Circulars:

- 63, May, 1932, Approved formulas for special-purpose mixed feeds.
- 64, September, 1932, Biennial report of apiary inspection, 1929-1931.
- 65, November, 1932, Bermuda onion culture in Texas.
- 66, November, 1932, Spinach under irrigation in Texas.
- 67, March, 1933, Citrus orchard management in the lower Rio Grande Valley.
- 68, December, 1932, Abstracts of Bulletins 442-473, Circulars Nos. 61-66, and other publications of 1932.
- 69, February, 1934, Growing sweet corn in Texas.
- 70, January, 1934, The home garden and orchard in Wichita Valley.

Reports:

Forty-fifth annual report, 1932.

AGRICULTURE, DEPARTMENT OF:

Bulletins:

- 110, June, 1932, Germination and weed seed law.
 - 112, October, 1932, Sweet potato certification program.
- Twenty-fourth annual report of Commissioner of Agriculture, November, 1932.

ATTORNEY GENERAL:

Biennial report, from September 1, 1930, to August 31, 1932.

AUDITOR AND EFFICIENCY EXPERT:

Second Biennial Report, 1932.

- Vol. 1, General report to the Legislature.
- 2, Increase in cost of State Government.
 - 3, Taxes and indebtedness of local units of government for 1931.
 - 4, Survey of the Department of State.
 - 5, Comment on annual fee report forms.
 - 6, Report on survey of accounting system of the Texas prison system and suggested procedure.
 - 7, Report on the Confederate pension fund, fiscal years ending August 31, 1932, 1933, 1934, and 1935.
 - 8, Index of constitutional and statutory provisions relating to compensation of county, district and state officials and employees.
 - 9, Report on general revenue fund, fiscal years ending August 31, 1932, 1933, 1934, 1935.
 - 10, Audit of State Highway Department. General comment and recommendations.
 - 11, Audit of State Highway Department. Report on investigations of purchase requisitions issued by State Highway Department.
 - 12, Audit of State Highway Department. Questions regarding purchases submitted to the equipment engineer of the State Highway Department and his answers.
 - 13, Report on the available school fund, fiscal years ending August 31, 1932, 1933, 1934, and 1935.
 - 14, Audit of State Highway Department. Financial statements and report on accounting system.
 - 15, Report on survey and investigation of Board of Insurance Commissioners. Taxation of insurance companies.
 - 16, Report on survey and investigation of Board of Insurance Commissioners. Audit of revenues, appropriations, expenditures, fees, securities, etc.
 - 17, Schedules to accompany Vol. 16. Report on survey and investigation of Board of Insurance Commissioners.
 - 18, Report on the Department of Agriculture.
 - 19, Report on the Game, Fish, and Oyster Commission, fiscal years ending August 31, 1930, 1931, and 1932.
 - 20, Report on Galveston State Psychopathic Hospital.
 - 21, Report on the State Board of Pharmacy.
 - 22, Reports on the revision of the accounting system of the State Treasury Department. Investigation of method of handling incoming mail and cash receipts, Comptroller of Public Ac-

- counts, purchasing and accounting procedure of the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas.
- 23, Preliminary report of bonuses and rentals accrued, paid, and unpaid on sold public school lands of Texas, October 21, 1919, to August 31, 1932.
 - 24, Report on the State Board of Barber Examiners.
 - 25, Report on survey and investigation of the Board of Insurance Commissioners, organization, personnel, system and functions.
 - 26, Report on taxes and indebtedness of local units of government in Texas for 1932.
 - 27, Report on all funds in the State Treasury.
 - 28, Report on State Juvenile Training School.
 - 29, A study of the administration of Texas tax laws.
 - 30, Report on taxation of interstate commerce and State Tax Board.
 - 31, Report on ad valorem taxes and poll taxes.
 - 32, Report on franchise tax, inheritance tax, taxation of insurance companies and motor vehicle license tax.
 - 33, Report on occupation taxes, miscellaneous, car companies, and cement.
 - 34, Report on cigarette tax.
 - 35, Report on occupation taxes—gasoline.
 - 36, Report on occupation taxes, oil production and natural gas.
 - 37, Comptroller of Public Accounts, summary of recommendations for changes in organization and methods.
 - 38, Report on state-owned automobiles.
 - 39, Report on the administration of the escheat laws.

BOARD OF CONTROL:

- Sixth biennial report, biennium ended August 31, 1932.
The county child welfare board, 1932.
Division of Child Welfare. Laws of Texas relating to children, August, 1932.
Seventh biennial appropriation budget, September 1, 1933, to August 31, 1935.
Supplemental report to the seventh biennial appropriation budget.

COLLEGE OF ARTS AND INDUSTRIES:

- Catalog of 1931-32 with announcements for 1932-33.
Catalog of 1932-33 with announcements for 1933-34. Vol. 4.
No. 3.

COLLEGE OF INDUSTRIAL ARTS:

- Bulletins:
106, October, 1923 (reprint), Menus and recipes.

- 165, August, 1932, A constructive study of interior decoration. A syllabus and a viewpoint.
166, October, 1932, Extension service announcements, 1932-33.
169, February, 1933, Catalogue.
174, July, 1933, Some principles of psychology and mental hygiene of value to teachers.
176, October, 1933, Extension service announcement, 1933-34.

Bulletin for the summer session, 1934.

COLLEGE OF MINES AND METALLURGY (University of Texas):

Bulletins:

- 3207, August, 1932, Catalogue for 1931-1932 with announcements for 1932-33 and 1933-34.
3407, January, 1934, Catalogue for 1933-34 with announcements for 1934-35.
3424, March, 1934, Catalogue of summer session, 1934.

COMPTROLLER'S DEPARTMENT:

- Instructions to tax assessors (1933).
Annual report to the Governor, 1932.
Motor fuel tax law, 1933, providing for refund of the tax.
Motor fuel tax law, 1933.
Cigarette tax law, May 18, 1933.
Inheritance tax law, 1933.
Occupation tax law, September 1, 1933.
Instructions for preparation of county budget reports and index to laws relating to county finances.
Supplement to excerpts from cigarette tax law.

DEAF AND DUMB AND BLIND INSTITUTE FOR COLORED YOUTHS:

Catalogue and announcements, 1928-32.

DEMOCRATIC NATIONAL CAMPAIGN COMMITTEE:

The speaker of the house—life history of John N. Garner (distributed as a gift of the Texas Democratic National Campaign Committee).

EAST TEXAS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

- Vol. XVI, No. 2, Announcements for long session, 1933-34.
Vol. XVII, No. 1, March, 1934, announcing summer school, 1934.

EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF:

Bulletins:

- 288, November, 1933, Concerning state aid for training in agriculture, farm mechanics and home economics in rural schools.
302, May, 1932, The teaching of homemaking.

- 304, July, 1932, State plans for vocational education in Texas, July 1, 1932-July 1, 1937.
- 305, July, 1932, Directory of accredited and classified high schools.
- 306, August, 1932, Instructors' manual for training public school janitors and janitor engineers.
- 307, August, 1932, The teaching of commercial subjects.
- 308, September, 1932, Teaching of history and other social subjects.
- 309, October, 1932, The teaching of modern foreign languages.
- 310, October, 1932, Course of study in home economics for Texas rural schools.
- 311, November, 1932, Public school directory.
- 312, December, 1932, The teaching of high school English.
- 314, (See Twenty-seventh biennial report.)
- 315, January, 1933, Free textbooks in Texas, 1930-32.
- 316, January, 1933, Manual of instructions in financial accounts.
- 317, February, 1933, Laws, rules, and regulations governing state teachers' certificates.
- 318, March, 1933, The teaching of music in Texas public schools.
- 320, May, 1933, The teaching of science.
- 321, June, 1933, Public school laws of the State of Texas.
- 322, July, 1933, Directory of classified and accredited high schools.
- 323, August, 1933, Approved library books for elementary grades.
- 324, September, 1933, Suggestive outline for studies in elementary grades.
- 325, October, 1933, The teaching of mathematics.
- 326, November, 1933, Public school directory.
- 327, December, 1933, Laws, rules, and regulations governing state teachers' certificates.
- 328, January, 1934, Physical restoration service for crippled children.
- 330, March, 1934, Schoolman's calendar and guide.
- The Twenty-seventh biennial report, 1930-1932. Bulletin No. 314.
- Vocational Rehabilitation Division, bulletin, September, 1933. A physical restoration service for crippled children.

State Board of Education:

Biennial report of board, 1930-1932, December, 1932.

GAME, FISH, AND OYSTER COMMISSION:

Bulletin No. 5, August, 1932—Fishes of Texas.

Bulletin No. 6, August, 1933—Studies in oyster culture.

Annual report for the fiscal year 1931-1932.

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Digest of game, fish, and oyster laws, September 1, 1933.
Game, fish, and oyster laws, September, 1933.
Commercial fishing bill (explanation of law).
An act, House Bill No. 81. (Text of the law.)

HEALTH, DEPARTMENT OF:

Biennial report, 1931-1932.
Vital statistics law (1932).
List of local registrars (1932).
Vol. II, No. 3, Health education, 1932.
Chemical analysis of Texas well waters, August, 1932.
Tuberculosis—as it should be understood by all citizens in the state of Texas.
Malaria—lessons on its cause and prevention for use in schools.

HIGHWAY COMMISSION (with the Bureau of Engineering Research of the University of Texas):

Study of Portland cement concrete aggregates (Parts I-IV, inclusive).

INSURANCE DEPARTMENT:

Fire prevention handbook for Texas public schools, 1932.
Digest of 1932—Insurance laws.
List of life insurance companies authorized to transact business in Texas as of August 1, 1932.
Fifty-seventh annual report, year ending August 31, 1932.
Protected cities and towns of Texas, 1933.
Protected cities and towns of Texas, 1934.
Annual report of the local mutual aid associations in Texas, 1932.
List of companies under the supervision of the Board of Insurance Commissioners, local mutual aid associations not included, August 31, 1933.
Supplement to the insurance laws (Laws, Forty-third Legislature, Regular Session), 1933.
Fifty-eighth annual report, for the year ending August 31, 1933.

JOHN TARLETON AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

Vol. XVI, No. 9, Catalogue, 1932-1933 and announcements for 1933-1934.
Purple Book, September, 1932.
Annual report, 1931-1932.
A memorial to the founder of Tarleton College, May, 1933.

JUDICIAL COUNCIL:

Fourth annual report of the Texas Civil Judicial Council, December, 1932.
Fifth annual report of the Texas Civil Judicial Council, December, 1933.

LABOR STATISTICS BUREAU:

Twelfth biennial report, 1931-32.

Laws of Texas relating to labor, 1933.

LAND OFFICE:

Biennial report of Commissioner of Land Office, 1930-32.

LEGISLATURE:

Forty-second:

General and Special Laws of Texas, Third Called Session, Forty-second Legislature, 1932.

General and Special Laws of Texas, Fourth Called Session, Forty-second Legislature, 1932.

House Journal, Third and Fourth Called Sessions, Forty-second Legislature, 1932.

Senate Journal, Third Called Session, Forty-second Legislature, 1932.

Senate Journal, Fourth Called Session, Forty-second Legislature, 1932.

Final report and recommendations of the Senate Fee Investigating Committee, Forty-second Legislature, 1931-32.

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- I. Organization and general administration.
 - II. Financial administration: the fiscal agencies.
 - III. General executive and administrative agencies; and the militia, Texas Rangers, highway patrol, and examining boards.
 - IV. The judiciary and law officers.
 - V. Commerce, industry, agriculture, conservation and parks; the agencies involved.
 - VI. Highways and motor vehicle registration; the State Highway Department.
 - VII. Public welfare; eleemosynary institutions and social service agencies.
 - VIII. Corrections; the prison system of Texas and the Board of Pardons and Paroles.
 - IX. Public health; the State Department of Health.
 - X. Education; Teachers Colleges.
 - XI. Education; the Agricultural and Mechanical College of Texas and its affiliates.
 - XII. Education; the University of Texas and its branches, the College of Industrial Arts, the Texas College of Arts and Industries, and the Texas Technological College.
 - XIII. Education; the Board of Education, the Superintendent of Public Instruction, other agencies of general control and libraries.

Forty-third:

- General Laws of Texas, Regular Session, 1933.
- Special Laws of Texas, Regular Session, 1933.
- House Journal, Vol. I, Regular Session, 1933.
- House Journal, Vol. II, Regular Session, 1933.
- House Journal, First Called Session, 1933.
- General and Special Laws of Texas, First Called Session, 1933.
- Texas legislative manual, Forty-third Legislature, 1933.

LIBRARY AND HISTORICAL COMMISSION:

Bulletins:

- No. 6, October, 1932, Better libraries for Texas.
- No. 6, September, 1933 (reprinted), Better libraries for Texas.
- Twelfth biennial report, 1930-1932.
- Directory, Texas state officials, June, 1933 (mim.).
- Directory, Texas state officials, April, 1934 (mim.).

LIVE STOCK SANITARY COMMISSION:

- Rules and regulations and sanitary laws, 1932.

NORTH TEXAS AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

- No. 4, Vol. XV, Announcements for 1932.
- No. 2, Vol. XVI, March, 1933, Summer school announcements.
- No. 3, Vol. XVI, Seventeenth annual catalogue, 1933-34.
- No. 4, Vol. XVI, Announcements for 1933.
- No. 1, Vol. XVII, September, 1933, Annual report of the North Texas Agricultural College for the fiscal year 1932-33.
- College regulations, 7th edition, school year 1933-34.

PRISON BOARD:

- Annual report of the Texas Prison Board, fiscal year ending December 31, 1932.
- Annual report of Texas Prison Board, fiscal year ending December 31, 1933.

RACING COMMISSION:

- Rules of racing, 1934.

RAILROAD COMMISSION:

- Fortieth annual report, 1931, covering railroad and express statistics.
- Forty-first annual report for the year 1932.
- Fortieth annual report, Gas Utilities Division, 1931.
- Motor carrier law, July, 1933.
- Motor bus rules and regulations, July, 1933.
- Opinion and order in the matter of an investigation of city gate rate charged by the Lone Star Gas Company, Gas Utilities Division, September, 1933.

Motor freight, class and commodity tariff No. 1-A.
Consolidated tariff No. 1, Embodying class and commodity tariffs, rates and regulations.

RECLAMATION DEPARTMENT:

Latitude, longitude and sea level elevation of bench marks in Texas, Bulletin No. 21, August, 1932.
Biennial report, August, 1932.

SAM HOUSTON STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE:

Report of the dean of the college, September, 1931-September, 1932.
Bulletin No. 1, Vol. XXIII, May, 1933, Fifty-fourth annual catalogue, 1932-1933.

STATE DEPARTMENT:

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Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending February 15, 1932.
Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending August 15, 1932.
Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending November 15, 1932.
Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending February 15, 1933.
Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending May 15, 1933.
Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending August 15, 1933.
Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending November 16, 1933.
Blue Sky Bulletin, quarter ending February 15, 1934.
Act creating farmers' co-operative societies with forms governing incorporation, 1930.

STEPHEN F. AUSTIN STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE:

Bulletin No. 44, Catalogue number, announcements for 1933-34.

SUL ROSS STATE TEACHERS COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

No. 43, September, 1932, General information and announcement of correspondence courses and summer session.
No. 44, December, 1932, West Texas Historical and Scientific Society publications, No. 4.
No. 46, Fourteenth annual catalogue and announcements, 1933-34.

TAX COMMISSIONER:

Twenty-second and twenty-third annual reports, 1931-32.
Intangible tax laws, January, 1934.

TEXAS TECHNOLOGICAL COLLEGE:

Bulletins:

3, Vol. VIII, March, 1932, Summer catalogue.
3, Vol. IX, July, 1933, Announcements for 1933-34.
4, Vol. IX, December, 1933, Spring semester and the summer session.

Catalogue number, 1931-32, with announcements for 1932-33.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT:

Annual report, August, 1932.

TUBERCULOSIS SANATORIUM:

- The Chaser—Volume XI, No. 8, August, 1932.
- The Chaser—Volume XI, No. 9, September, 1932.
- The Chaser—Volume XI, No. 10, October, 1932.
- The Chaser—Volume XI, No. 11, November, 1932.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 1, January, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 2, February, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 3, March, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 4, April, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 5, May, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 6, June, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 7, July, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 8, August, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 10, October, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 11, November, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XII, No. 12, December, 1933.
- The Chaser—Volume XIII, No. 1, January, 1934.
- The Chaser—Volume XIII, No. 2, February, 1934.
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APPENDIX C.

Expenditures for Biennium, 1932-1934, and Budget Estimates Submitted to the State Board of Control, 1934.

ITEMS	Appropriations for Years Ending			Expended Years Ending		Requested Years Ending	
	Aug. 31, 1932	Aug. 31, 1933	Aug. 31, 1934	Aug. 31, 1932	Aug. 31, 1933	Aug. 31, 1936	Aug. 31, 1937
Salaries of:							
State Librarian.....	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 1,600.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 2,000.00	\$ 3,600.00	\$ 3,600.00
Assistant Librarian and Cataloguer.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,420.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Legislative Reference Librarian.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,420.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Archivist.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,420.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Library Organizer.....	1,800.00	1,800.00	1,420.00	1,800.00	1,800.00	2,500.00	2,500.00
Loan Assistant and Cataloguer.....	1,650.00	1,650.00	1,320.00	1,650.00	1,650.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Assistant Cataloguer.....	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,300.00	1,600.00	1,600.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
General Assistant.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,200.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,650.00	1,650.00
Stenographer and Bookkeeper.....	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,200.00	1,500.00	1,500.00	1,800.00	1,800.00
Night Librarian.....	960.00	960.00	780.00	960.00	960.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Mailing and General Utility Clerk.....	720.00	720.00	540.00	720.00	720.00	720.00	720.00
Collector of Historical Data.....	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,080.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,400.00	1,400.00
Additional assistants as needed.....	600.00	600.00	500.00	599.47	600.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Maintenance and Increase:							
Binding, repair, preparation for binding.....	\$ 1,500.00	\$ *2,500.00	\$ *1,300.00	\$ 1,494.84	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00	\$ 2,500.00
Binding, repair, preparation for binding newspapers and periodicals given by Rosenberg Library, Galveston.....	1,000.00		2,500.00	5,000.00	5,000.00	6,000.00	6,000.00
Books for library, including books for blind.....	5,000.00	5,000.00	600.00	750.00	750.00	1,000.00	1,000.00
Conducting legislative reference division.....	750.00	750.00	200.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Contingent.....	500.00	500.00	200.00	500.00	500.00	500.00	500.00
Furniture and fixtures.....	400.00	400.00	200.00	400.00	400.00	500.00	500.00
Typewriters.....						200.00	200.00
Gathering historical data.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	2,000.00	2,000.00
Preparing for press and printing Texas archives and historical manuscripts.....	1,200.00	1,200.00	700.00	1,200.00	1,200.00	1,500.00	1,500.00
Printing bulletins, book lists and biennial report.....	250.00	250.00	200.00	250.00	250.00	250.00	250.00
Stationery, supplies, postage, express, freight, drayage.....	2,100.00	2,100.00	1,200.00	2,100.00	2,100.00	2,250.00	2,250.00
Subscriptions.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	900.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,300.00	1,300.00
Telephones.....	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00	200.00
Traveling expenses.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	2,100.00	2,100.00
Repairing documents, including purchase of materials.....	1,000.00	1,000.00	500.00	1,000.00	1,000.00	1,300.00	1,300.00

*Includes binding of newspapers given by Rosenberg Library, Galveston.







