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THE SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY BOARD
December 10, 1953

To His Excellency, the Honorable James F. Byrnes, Governor of South Carolina, and to the Honorable members of the General Assembly of South Carolina:

Dear Sirs:

We have the honor to transmit the report of the South Carolina State Library Board for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1953.

Herein are contained a report of the State Library Board’s activities for the past year and the annual statistical report for each public library in the State.

Respectfully submitted,

JAMES A. ROGERS, Chairman
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It has long been the custom for institutions and organizations to pause at the end of certain significant periods to take stock of themselves, their programs, purpose, progress and failures. In this report, which is the tenth since the establishment of the State Library Board's office, an attempt will be made to evaluate the progress of the public library program in South Carolina during the past ten years and at the same time point out the problems which must be met if this progress is to continue during the next decade.

The South Carolina State Library Board was created by the Legislature in 1929 and charged with the responsibility to "create public libraries over the entire state ... and to devise and carry into effect methods by which libraries may be extended to the rural districts of the state." The Board received its first appropriation in 1943 and established its present office and program. The establishment of the Board was the direct result of a felt need on the part of the people for public library service and the realization on the part of the South Carolina Legislature that every South Carolina resident should have access to a public library capable of providing materials to meet the citizen's need for self education. In establishing the Board and charging it with responsibility for a program of public library extension, the Legislature did so to the end that children, young people, men and women should have opportunity and encouragement:

"To educate themselves continuously.
"To keep abreast of progress in the sciences and other fields of knowledge.
"To maintain the precious heritage of freedom of expression and a constructively critical attitude toward all public issues.
"To improve their ability to participate usefully in activities in which they are involved as citizens of the United States and of the world.
"To equip themselves, and to keep themselves equipped, for efficient activity in useful occupations and practical affairs.
"To improve their capacity for appreciation and production in cultural fields.
"To aid in the advancement of knowledge.

"To make such use of leisure time as will promote personal happiness and social well-being."*


THE BOARD'S PROGRAM

When the office of the State Library Board was established in 1943, a program of public library extension and improvement was immediately undertaken. Emphasis was put on the extension of service to unserved areas. Standards were adopted which would insure the wise use of State Aid funds and encourage libraries to improve their services to the people. Thirty-nine county libraries, which by July 1, 1953 will be serving the people in all but seven of the State's forty-six counties, indicate the success of this program of library extension. Library service has been extended to 526,425 more South Carolinians than enjoyed this service in 1943. The book stock of public libraries has grown from 620,500 in 1943 to 1,255,578 in 1953. The circulation of books from public libraries has grown from 3,726,222 in 1943 to 5,157,217 in 1953. Public library income has increased from $274,373.00 in 1943 to $922,622.00 in 1953. Per capita expenditure for public library service has increased from fourteen cents in 1943 to forty-four cents in 1953. Public libraries are better housed and better equipped than ever before. In the ten year period 28 new or renovated public library buildings have been opened; the county and regional libraries are operating forty-two modern and well designed bookmobiles to carry public library service into even the most remote rural areas.

Measured by the figures of ten years ago, the Board's program of public library improvement and extension is clearly seen to have been successful; but measured against the present standards of public library service as formulated by the American Library Association, the Board's program is without question still in a beginning stage with much remaining to be done before the public libraries of South Carolina can realize their full potential of service to the people of the State. Against the national standard of $1.50 per capita for minimum public library service, we have 44¢ per capita. This poor financial support results in sub-standard public library service throughout the State. No library
in South Carolina meets the "Standards." There are too few professionally trained librarians, too few books, and too little equipment to give good service to library patrons. The two mill tax limitation for public library support has resulted in libraries too poorly supported to employ the necessary professional librarians and to buy the books essential for good library service today. The fact that public libraries are not exempt from the State Sales Tax has cut the book budget of every public library in the State 3%. This together with the rapidly increasing cost of library operation is reducing the effectiveness of the public library in its community and is working a hardship on the people of the State who depend on the public library for self-education.

STATE AID

In 1943 when the first funds for State Aid were made available, the Board, in order to spread the benefits of State Aid to the greatest number of people, adopted a policy of granting State Aid only to those libraries which served an entire county with bookmobiles, branches and stations. This program has been instrumental in the development of the system of county and regional libraries which now serve all but seven of the State's forty-six counties. The objective of State Aid is to stimulate the development of large units of public library service with staff, equipment and books adequate to render modern public library service. Small, inadequate and poorly supported village, municipal and township libraries have joined together to form county or regional library systems with a basis of support wide enough to furnish financial support more adequate to meet the cost of public library service. Through such cooperative movements, better public library service is now available in more counties than ever before.

The present State Aid Allotment is $1,500.00 to each qualifying county library or member of a regional library. In order to qualify for State Aid, the county or regional library must meet certain minimum standards of service. A cash allotment is made directly to county libraries which are well established and are in charge of a professional librarian. Smaller county libraries in charge of non-professional personnel receive the same amount ($1,500.00) in books, and the additional service of having the
THEY GROW UP WITH BOOKS IN ANDERSON COUNTY—The Anderson County Library bookmobile brings good books within easy reach of rural residents. Forty-three similar bookmobiles serve the people in 39 counties of South Carolina.

State Library Board purchase and process the books which are shipped to the library completely ready for circulation. County libraries receiving State Aid by direct cash allotment, 1952-53:

- Aiken
- Charleston
- Cherokee
- Chester
- Colleton
- Darlington
- Dillon
- Greenville
- Greenwood
- Horry
- Lancaster
- Laurens
- Lexington
- Newberry-Saluda Regional Library
- Orangeburg
- Richland
- Spartanburg
- Sumter

County libraries receiving State Aid in books equivalent of cash allotment:
Abbeville Kershaw
Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Lee
Regional Library Lee
Anderson Marion
Berkeley Marlboro
Calhoun Oconee
Fairfield Pickens
Florence Union
Georgetown York

Regional maintenance grants of $500 per participating county were made to the Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library and to the Newberry-Saluda Regional Library.

COMMUNITY BOOK DEPOSITS

The Community Book Deposit Service of The State Library Board has been instrumental in the establishment of county library service in several counties which previously did not have this service. Deposits of books, varying in size from 100 to 1000 volumes depending on the size of the community and the use of the books, have been placed in communities in counties without countywide service and are exchanged every three months for new collections. This same service is given to State institutions with no library or inadequate library service. This service is under the personal supervision of a professional librarian from the staff of the State Library Board who visits the deposit station every three months, talks with the custodian, and makes every effort to see that the books fit the needs of the community or institution. Communities using this service:

Bamberg County—Bamberg
Barnwell County—Williston
Chesterfield County—Chesterfield, Cheraw, McBee, Pageland
Clarendon County—Manning, Paxville, Gable
Dorchester County—Harleyville, St. George, Summerville
Edgefield County—Edgefield, Johnston
McCormick County—McCormick
Williamsburg County—Kingstree
State Institutions using this service:
State Hospital
Industrial School for Boys
Summer Orthopedic Camp for Children
State Training School
School for Deaf and Blind
Book deposits were maintained in the following counties up to the time county or regional library service was established: Horry, Jasper, Lee, Lexington, Oconee, and Saluda.

**LOANS TO INDIVIDUALS**

People living in counties which do not yet have countywide service may borrow books directly from the State Library Board. With the establishment of county libraries, the number of these loans has decreased. The Board still offers this service to the six counties without countywide service. The loans are made by mail and may consist of one book for an individual or a small collection of books for a family or club group.

![Photo of children reading](image)

**SERVICE FOR ALL PEOPLE**—The Orangeburg County Library operates a bookmobile and branch library to serve Negro readers.

**INTERLIBRARY LOAN**

Since there is no one library in the State with an adequate collection of books and reference materials to meet the need for reference and research of the people and industries of the State, the State Library Board, in maintaining an active interlibrary
loan service, provides an invaluable service to the libraries and people of the State. In theory this service makes any book in any library of the State available to any reader in the State for study and research. Requests are sent in to the State Library Board which acts as a clearing house for the loan system. Loans are arranged and made between libraries to fill the requests of patrons. The service is of mutual benefit to libraries and their patrons and results in better service at a great saving.

INFORMATION AND ADVISORY SERVICE

Since the establishment of the program, the information and advisory services offered by the Board to public libraries through its staff of trained and experienced librarians has been constantly used. As the shortage of professional librarians remains acute, many county and municipal libraries which are unable to employ fully qualified personnel, are relying upon the staff of the State Board for professional guidance and help. The Board’s staff of professional librarians serve as consultants on all phases of library procedure and practice. To help insure the wise selection and economical purchase of books, carefully selected lists of books for purchase are prepared and distributed to all public libraries in the State. Advice is given on placing book orders to secure the best service at the best price. Assistance is given in reorganizing book collections and in streamlining library procedures. Local library boards consult the State Library Board on making of budgets, policies of book selections, employment of librarians, reorganization of libraries, on staff regulations and on salary schedules. With newly organized public libraries, the staff of the State Board works closely with the local librarian and her board during the period of organization. Help and advice on every phase of the organization and beginning operation of a new library is offered.

To individuals and organizations in counties which are interested in establishing countywide service, the staff of the State Library Board offers every assistance in their power. Numerous field visits are made; conferences held; and information, advice and help given in the steps preliminary to the establishment of countywide service. The professional staff of the State Board serve as consultants on new library buildings, new equipment and new bookmobiles. This consultant service is of great value
to the libraries and is constantly used by boards, librarians, architects and designers of library equipment.

**CENTRALIZED SERVICE**

In the headquarters of the State Library Board in Columbia, the State Aid Program, the interlibrary loan system and the book deposit service are planned and administered. Approximately 20,000 books a year are selected, ordered, and processed for State Aid, for the book deposit service, and for the Board's own collection of reference material. Book collections ranging from 100 to 500 volumes are gotten up and shipped out to the county libraries or to municipal libraries in answer to some special need. Interlibrary loan requests are filled and the books shipped to the individual libraries. Monthly and annual reports are made of the expenditures and activities of the Board. Various items of publicity including radio spot announcements are prepared and sent out to the public libraries. The office of the State Library Board is open six days a week for the service of the public libraries, librarians, and library trustees of the State.

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THE BARNWELL COUNTY LIBRARY—Established by Act of the Legislature in 1953, it will be organized and begin operations soon.
PROGRESS IN THE SAVANNAH RIVER AREA

The three South Carolina counties directly affected by the Savannah River Project have made creditable progress towards improving and extending public library service not only to their residents but also to the in-migrants. The Aiken County Library, consolidating with the old Dibble Library in Aiken, has been completely reorganized. A large addition to the present Dibble building is now under construction which will house the county library service and quadruple the present space for the library. A graduate librarian has been appointed as Head Librarian and many improvements are now being planned or are underway. The Allendale County Library, which is a part of the larger Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library, has improved its services through the purchase of a much larger and better equipped bookmobile. Impressive progress has been made in Barnwell County which up to this time has not had countywide library service. A public spirited resident of the community has given a handsome residence, well located and in good repair, for the headquarters of the new Barnwell County Library. The library was established by Act of the Legislature in 1953 and will begin operation the first of July 1953.

LIBRARY BUILDING PROGRAM

During the year two more handsome and well planned county library buildings were completed and opened to the public. The Richland County Library which serves Richland County and the city of Columbia was opened in October. This is the largest new public library building in the State and is one of the best planned. It is completely air-conditioned and is equipped in the most modern and attractive fashion. Its meeting room, which seats two hundred, is becoming a focal point for club activity in the county. The Georgetown county library which was completed in April is one of the most interesting public buildings in the State. It incorporates the old Georgetown County Gaol, a building dating from colonial times, in a new library building designed for modern library service. In keeping with the style of architecture of colonial Georgetown, the building is in the Georgian style and has been equipped with especially designed furniture in the style of that period. A special feature of this building is a small auditorium which seats two
hundred and provision of fire-proof quarters for the historic Winyah Indigo Society Library which was established prior to the Revolutionary War.

Calhoun County Library is completely restoring one of the early homes in St. Matthews to serve as its headquarters. Construction is underway and the building bids fair to be one of the most beautiful library buildings in the State.

The plans for the new Lee County Library have been completed and construction will begin early this summer. This building will be of very modern design and will be built on a corner lot in the very center of town. Building lot and the funds for construction were left to the Lee County Library by a public spirited citizen.

LIBRARY PROGRESS DURING THE YEAR

New county library buildings were completed in Richland County and in Georgetown County.

The Barnwell County Library was established by Act of the Legislature.

Preliminary plans were completed for the opening of the Dorchester County Library in July 1953.

The Colleton County Library Commission, replacing the old Colleton County Rural Library Board, was established by Act of the Legislature.

In cooperation with the Penn Community services, a library was established on St. Helena Island to serve St. Helena and Ladies Island.
## EXPENDITURES
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ARTICLE 1
General Provisions

42-101. Establishment by political subdivision.

Any county, township, municipal corporation or school district in the State may acquire, own or operate a public library or public libraries and a tax may be levied and collected for the support or acquisition of any such library as hereinafter provided.

1942 Code Sec. 5502; 1932 Code Sec. 7347; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4480; Civ. C. '12 Sec. 3055; 1903 (24) 77; 1915 (29) 181; 1931 (37) 220; 1939 (41) 43.
42-102. Elections no more than once in twelve months; only qualified voters to vote.

No election provided for in any section of this chapter shall be held oftener than once in twelve months and in such elections none but qualified electors shall be allowed to vote.

1942 Code Sec. 5511; 1932 Code Sec. 7356; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4489; 1915 (29) 181.
42-103. School trustees not eligible.

No school trustee shall be appointed library trustee hereunder, but no person holding any other office in this State shall be thereby disqualified to serve as library trustee.

1942 Code Sec. 5512; 1932 Code Sec. 7357; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4490; 1915 (29) 181.

42-104. Location of library.

No library or libraries established, operated or maintained under the provisions of this chapter shall be located outside of the county, township, municipal corporation or school district, as the case may be, in which it has been authorized.

1942 Code Sec. 5510; 1932 Code Sec. 7355; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4488; 1915 (29) 181; 1931 (37) 220.

ARTICLE 2

County, Township and School District Libraries

42-111. Election in counties or subdivisions other than municipalities.

Whenever one fourth of the qualified electors of any county, township or school district shall file with the clerk of the circuit court of such county a petition praying for an election to be held in such county, township or school district on the question of acquiring or establishing a public library or libraries in such county, township or school district, as the case may be, and levying a tax not exceeding two mills for their acquisition or support, such clerk shall within ten days make an order thereon and serve it on the commissioners of election of the county requiring such commissioners to hold an election, after giving at least thirty days' notice thereof in the newspapers of such county, township or school district, as the case may be, upon the question stated in the petition not later than sixty days thereafter nor earlier than forty days thereafter. If there be no newspaper published in such county, township or school district, as the case may be, then notice may be given by posting it on the courthouse door of the county and in two other public places in the county, township or school district, as the case may be. Such petition shall be accompanied by a certificate of the board of supervisors of registration of the county that the names appearing on the petition constitute one fourth of the qualified registered electors of the county, township or school district, as the case may be. Each ballot shall have printed or written on it the proposition desired to be submitted by the petition and upon this question the electors shall vote "Yes" or "No."

1942 Code Sec. 5503; 1932 Code Sec. 7348; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4481; Civ. C. '12 Sec. 3056; 1903 (24) 77; 1915 (29) 181; 1931 (37) 220.

42-112. Library trustees.

In the event a majority of the qualified electors voting at the election provided for in Sec. 42-111 shall vote "yes" upon such question, the county
board of education shall, within ten days after such result may be determined, appoint five competent citizens of the county, township or school district, as the case may be, who shall be known as the county, township or school district library trustees. One of the trustees first appointed shall hold office for the term of two years, one for the term of four years, one for the term of six years, one for the term of eight years and one for the term of ten years and until their successors shall be duly appointed and qualified. At the time of the appointment of such five original trustees, they shall determine their respective terms of office by lot. Thereafter, as the terms of office of such trustees expire, their successors shall be appointed, in like manner, for terms of ten years each and until their successors are appointed and qualified.

1942 Code Sec. 5504; 1932 Code Sec. 7349; Civ. C '22 Sec. 4482; 1915 (29) 181; 1931 (37) 220.

42-113. Trustees may establish or take over public libraries; sources of support.

Any such county, township or school district library trustees, as the case may be, may accept or establish upon such terms as they deem right in the exercise of their discretion any public library or public libraries and, if accepted may support and maintain them from the funds arising from the taxes herein provided for or any other funds that may come into their hands from any other source and, having been accepted or established, such library or libraries shall be managed or controlled by such county, township or school district library trustees, as the case may be. Any library or libraries in the State supported in whole or in part by public taxation may be turned over and placed under the control of the library trustees provided for in Sec. 42-112.

1942 Code Sec. 5505; 1932 Code Sec. 7350; Civ. C '22 Sec. 4483; 1915 (29) 181; 1931 (37) 221.

42-114. Levy of taxes for library.

Such library trustees, after their appointment as aforesaid, shall furnish the county auditor with a statement of the amount of the tax not exceeding two mills, they consider necessary to be levied for the purposes provided in the election and the auditor shall enter such tax in the tax duplicate and he shall thereafter annually enter such amount in the tax duplicate until the same is increased, decreased or repealed by the qualified electors at an election called for the purpose and he is notified that it has been so increased, decreased or repealed. If so increased or decreased he shall annually enter it as before, according to such increase or decrease. Any such election upon increasing, decreasing or repealing such tax shall be called and notice given in the same way and manner as is provided for the election authorized in Sec. 42-111.

The county treasurer shall collect the tax as herein provided for as other county and State taxes. Such levy shall be a lien on the property in the county, township or school district, as the case may be, and such property shall be subject thereto in case of default of payment as in the
case of other taxes. Such taxes shall be paid out by the county treasurer upon warrant drawn by the library trustees of the county, township or school district, as the case may be.

1942 Code Sec. 5504; 1932 Code Sec. 7349; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4482; 1915 (29) 181; 1931 (37) 220.

ARTICLE 3

Municipal Libraries

42-121. Election in municipalities.

Whenever one-fourth of the freeholders of any municipal corporation in this State shall file with the town or city council of such municipal corporation a petition praying for an election to be held in such municipal corporation on the question of establishing or acquiring and operating a public library or public libraries in such municipal corporation and levying a tax not exceeding two mills for the support or acquisition thereof, such town or city council shall within ten days thereafter order an election, after first giving at least thirty days' notice thereof in some newspaper published in such municipal corporation, upon the question stated in the petition, not later than sixty days thereafter nor earlier than forty days thereafter. If no newspaper be published in such municipal corporation such notice may be given by posting it in three public places in such municipal corporation. Before ordering such election the town or city council shall ascertain to their satisfaction that the petition actually does contain the names of one-fourth of the freeholders of such municipal corporation. Each ballot shall have printed or written on it the proposition desired to be submitted by the petition and upon this question the electors shall vote "Yes" or "No".

1942 Code Sec. 5506; 1932 Code Sec. 7351; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4484; 1915 (29) 181; 1939 (41) 169.

42-122. Same; sections inapplicable to Clinton.

The provisions of Sec. 42-121 shall not apply to the town of Clinton, in Laurens County, and the town council of the town of Clinton may acquire, construct and establish a public library, by purchase or otherwise, and may provide for its management and operation.

1942 Code Sec. 5506; 1932 Code Sec. 7351; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4484; 1915 (29) 181; 1939 (41) 169.

42-123. Library trustees.

In the event that a majority of the qualified electors voting at the election provided for in Sec. 42-121 shall vote "Yes" upon such question, within ten days after the ascertainment of such result, the town or city council shall name five competent persons, citizens of the town or city, to be the town or city library trustees. The term of office of such trustees shall be the same and shall be determined in the same manner as is herein provided for county or township library trustees.

1942 Code Sec. 5507; 1932 Code Sec. 7352; Civ. C. '22 Sec. 4485; 1915 (29) 181.
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42-124. Trustees may establish or acquire libraries.

Such town or city library trustees provided for in Sec. 42-123 may accept or establish upon such terms as they deem right, in their discretion, any public library or public libraries and, if accepted, may support and maintain them from the tax provided for in Sec. 42-125 or any other funds which may come into their hands from any other source and, having been accepted or established, such library or libraries shall be maintained and controlled by such town or city library trustees. Any library or libraries in this State, supported in whole or in part by public taxation, may be turned over and placed under the control of the library trustees provided for in Sec. 42-123.

1942 Code Sec. 5508; 1932 Code Sec. 7353; Civ. C. ’22 Sec. 4486; 1915 (29) 181.

42-125. Levy, collection and disbursement of tax.

Within ten days after the appointment and qualification of such trustees they shall give notice to the town or city council of the amount of taxes, not exceeding two mills, they consider necessary to be levied for the purposes herein provided. And the town or city council shall annually each year thereafter have levied and collected such tax until the same is increased, decreased or repealed by the qualified electors at an election called for that purpose and, if increased or decreased, they shall annually thereafter levy and collect such increased or decreased tax in the same manner as the original tax. Any such election shall be called and notice given in the same way and manner as is provided for the election mentioned in Sec. 42-121.

Such tax shall be collected in the same manner as other town or city taxes and shall be a lien on property in the same manner as other town or city taxes and such property shall be subject thereto in case of default of payment as is the case with other town or city taxes.

Taxes so collected shall be paid out by the town or city treasurer or such other officer as may be thereto authorized by the town or city council upon warrants drawn by the town or city library trustees.

1942 Code Sec. 5507; 1932 Code Sec. 7352; Civ. C. ’22 Sec. 4485; 1915 (29) 181.

42-126. Same; exception for Clinton.

Notwithstanding the provisions of Sec. 42-125 the limitation therein provided upon the amount of tax that may be levied shall not apply to the town of Clinton, in Laurens County, when the tax is levied for the payment of principal and interest of bonds issued by said town to provide funds for the acquisition and establishment of a public library, said town being specifically authorized to levy without limitation as to rate or amount a tax sufficient to pay principal and interest of such bonds as the same respectively mature.

1942 Code Sec. 5502; 1932 Code Sec. 7347; Civ. C. ’22 Sec. 4480; Civ. C. ’12 Sec. 3055; 1903 (24) 77; 1915 (29) 181; 1931 (37) 220; 1939 (41) 43.
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42-151. Definitions.

As used herein the following words or terms shall have the following meanings:

(1) "Regional library" shall mean a library established primarily to serve the inhabitants of a given area; and

(2) "Area" shall mean territory proposed to be served by a regional library and may consist of one or more counties, municipalities, townships, school districts or any combination thereof.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.

42-152. Election to establish regional library.

Whenever not less than one-fourth of the qualified electors of (a) a county (b) one or more political subdivisions thereof or (c) any municipality therein shall file with the clerk of the circuit court of such county a petition asking for an election to be held in such county, in such political subdivision or subdivisions thereof or in such municipality therein, as the case may be, on the question of establishment of a regional library defining the territory to be included in the area thereof and levying a tax of not exceeding two mills on the property in such area for the establishment, maintenance and support of such library, such clerk shall, within ten days thereafter, make an order thereon and serve it on the commissioners of election of the county, requiring such commissioners to hold an election upon the question stated in the petition after giving at least thirty days' notice thereof in a newspaper published and circulated in such county, not earlier than forty days thereafter and not later than sixty days thereafter. The petition shall be accompanied by a certificate of the board of supervisors of registration of the county, that the names appearing on the petition constitute one-fourth of the qualified registered electors of the county, of the political subdivision or subdivisions or of the municipality named in the petition, as the case may be. Appropriate ballots shall be prepared for the use of the electors in such elections.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.
42-153. Library trustees.

In the event a majority of the qualified electors voting at any election provided for in Sec. 42-152 or, in the event the area of such proposed library comprises territory lying in more than one county, a majority of the qualified electors of each county or of the political subdivisions of each county included in such area, voting in such election, shall vote in favor of the establishment of a regional library, the county board of education, within ten days after the declaration of the result, shall appoint three competent citizens residents of the territory of the county comprised in the area of the regional library as trustees of such regional library who, together with the trustees appointed from any other county or counties under the provisions hereof, shall constitute the board of trustees of such regional library. No member of a board of school trustees shall be eligible for appointment as library trustee. The trustees first appointed from each county shall hold office for a term of one, two and three years and until their successors shall have been appointed and qualified. The first trustees from each county shall determine among themselves, by lot, the length of their respective terms. The regular terms of office shall be for three years and until their successors shall have been appointed and qualified and appointment thereto shall, in like manner, be made by the county board of education.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.

42-154. Trustees may accept or establish public libraries or contract for library services.

The trustees of any such regional library may accept or establish upon such terms as they deem best any public library and support and maintain it from the funds arising from the levy herein authorized and from any other funds that may come into their hands from any source. The governing body of any library in the State supported in whole or in part by public taxation may turn such library over to the management and control of the trustees of any regional library established under the terms hereof. And the trustees of any regional library may contract with any public library situate in the area, in lieu of establishing a regional library, and devote the tax levy herein authorized, or so much as may be necessary, to payment for such service.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.

42-155. Location, establishment and management of regional libraries; rules and regulations.

The location, establishment, operation and conduct of regional libraries provided for herein shall be as determined by a majority of the members of the board of trustees and such board shall prescribe rules and regulations for the management of such libraries.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.
42-156. State Association to act in advisory capacity.

The State Public Library Association shall act in an advisory capacity to the boards of trustees of regional libraries.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.

42-157. Tax for support of library.

The trustees of any such regional library shall furnish the county auditor or the respective county auditors, as the case may be, with a statement of the amount of taxes, not exceeding two mills, which they consider necessary to be levied for the purpose of establishing, maintaining and operating the regional library and the auditor shall enter such tax in the tax duplicate and he shall thereafter annually levy such amount and the treasurer shall collect such tax, unless and until it is increased, within the limitations hereof declared, or repealed by the majority of all of the qualified electors voting at an election called for that purpose. Such taxes shall be paid out by the county treasurer upon warrants drawn by the trustees of such regional library.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.

42-158. Trustees may borrow in anticipation of taxes.

If the trustees of any such regional library deem it necessary, they may borrow in anticipation of the collection of the taxes herein authorized a sum of money not exceeding the amount annually to be raised from the authorized levy and they may make their obligations therefor and retire them, together with interest, from the proceeds of the levy.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.

42-159. Chapter cumulative.

The provisions of this chapter are mandatory and are cumulative to existing provisions of law relating to the establishment and maintenance of public libraries.

1942 Code Sec. 5501; 1934 (38) 1480.

CHAPTER 5

State Public Library Association

Sec.

42-201. State Public Library Association; creation and directors.
42-203. General duty of association.
42-204. Powers and duties of board.
42-205. Public libraries to furnish information to board.
42-201. State Public Library Association; creation and directors.

There shall be an association known as the State Public Library Association. A board of directors of five members shall be appointed by the Governor, upon the recommendation of the State Superintendent of Education. The original members having been appointed one for the term of one year, one for the term of two years, one for the term of three
years, one for the term of four years and one for the term of five years
their successors have been and shall hereafter be appointed one each year
for a term of five years. The basis, conditions, classifications and qualifi-
cations for membership in the association shall be fixed by the board.

1942 Code Sec. 5500; 1932 Code Sec. 5472; 1929 (36) 261; 1935 (39) 220.

Cross reference.—As to county, township, school district and municipal
libraries, see Secs. 42-101 to 42-126.

The board of directors shall elect a chairman and secretary annually.
The secretary, if possible, shall be an experienced librarian of adminis-
trative ability and shall be chosen either from within or without the board.
Such other officers and agents as may be required may from time to time
be chosen by the board. No member of the board shall receive compensa-
tion for services.

1942 Code Sec. 5500; 1932 Code Sec. 5472; 1929 (36) 261; 1935 (39) 220.

42-203. General duty of association.
It shall be the duty of the State Public Library Association to create
public libraries over the entire State and, acting through the board of
directors, it may devise and carry into effect methods by which public
libraries may be extended to the rural districts of the State.

1942 Code Sec. 5500; 1932 Code Sec. 5472; 1929 (36) 261; 1935 (39) 220.

42-204. Powers and duties of board.
The board of directors may:

(1) Receive funds derived from gifts to the association, or membership
fees or from any private or public source and administer and disburse such
funds in such manner as may in its judgment best advance the objects
above stated;

(2) Create districts of the State, having such area as the board may
deem proper, for the purpose of facilitating the establishment and main-
tenance of public libraries;

(3) Allocate funds at its disposal between the districts so or otherwise
created;

(4) Set standards for the library service rendered therein;

(5) Issue certificates to librarians or those desiring to become librarians
in accordance with standards and under conditions prescribed by the
board; and

(6) Take such other action as may be deemed by it to be advisable or
necessary to foster and encourage the establishment and maintenance of
adequate public library service within the State.

1942 Code Sec. 5500; 1932 Code Sec. 5472; 1929 (36) 261; 1935 (39) 220.

42-205. Public libraries to furnish information to board.
All public libraries shall furnish the board with such statistics of con-
ditions and growth as the board shall from time to time request.

1942 Code Sec. 5500; 1932 Code Sec. 5472; 1929 (36) 261; 1935 (39) 220.
CHAPTER 7
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LIBRARY LEGISLATION PASSED 1953

(R13, S73)
An Act To Amend Section 42-562, Code Of Laws Of South Carolina, 1952, Relating To Oconee Public Library Commission So As To Further Provide For The Membership Of The Commission And Their Terms Of Office.

(R265, H1430)
An Act Designating The Territory To Be Served By The Rock Hill City Library, Providing For The Appointment Of Trustees, And Providing For The Levy Of A Tax For The Support Of The Library.

(R286, H1553)
An Act To Establish The Colleton County Library Commission, To Define Its Powers And Duties And To Abolish The Colleton County Rural Library Board.

(R290, H1568)
An Act To Amend Section 42-462, Code Of Laws Of South Carolina, 1952, Relating To The Terms Of Office Of Members Of And Vacancies In The Horry County Memorial Library Commission So As To Provide For The Creation Of Vacancies In The Commission In Certain Cases.

(R405, H1422)
An Act To Create A Board In Barnwell County To Operate A Public Library And To Maintain A Building As A Meeting Place For Organizations Devoted To The Advancement Of The Cultural And Civic Life Of The People Of The County.

(R370, S211)
An Act To Abolish The St. Helena Township Drainage Commission In Beaufort County; To Transfer Certain Funds To The St. Helena Township Library Association; And To Provide For The Disposition Of Proceeds Of A One-Quarter Mill Tax Levy.

(R515, H1702)
An Act To Create And Establish The Darlington Library District In Darlington County; To Create The Darlington Library District Commission And To Define Its Duties, And To Provide Necessary Taxes For Maintaining And Operating The Same.
STATISTICS — SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC LIBRARIES
1952-1953

State Aid: Granted on a matching basis up to $1,000 of funds locally
appropriated for the purchase of books; plus an additional $500.

Abbeville County—

Abbeville County Library, Due West—Mrs. Talitha
Van Gelder:

Population served ........................................... 14,934
Registered borrowers ........................................ 1,126
Bookstock ..................................................... 6,669
Circulation .................................................... 40,175
Income .......................................................... $ 3,400.00
Amount spent for salaries ................................ $ 1,560.00
Amount spent for books .................................... $ 1,500.00

Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,000

Aiken County—

Aiken County Public Library, Aiken—Josephine
Crouch:

Population served ........................................... 33,829
Registered borrowers ........................................ 6,019
Bookstock ..................................................... 30,618
Circulation .................................................... 67,407
Income .......................................................... $ 9,365.47
Amount spent for salaries ................................ $ 4,943.34
Amount spent for books .................................... $ 2,500.00

Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,500

Allendale County—

Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library,
Allendale—Mrs. Vernon Brunson:

Population served ........................................... 15,740
Registered borrowers ........................................ 3,811
Bookstock ..................................................... 27,765
Circulation .................................................... 44,078
Income .......................................................... $12,097.47
Amount spent for salaries ................................ $ 4,772.00
Amount spent for books .................................... $ 4,500.00

Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $3,000
Regional Maintenance Grant $1,500
Anderson County—

Anderson County Library, Anderson—Mrs. Emma S. Cole:

Population served ........................................ 51,942
Bookstock .................................................. 15,103
Circulation .................................................. 104,740
Income ...................................................... $ 8,852.71
Amount spent for salaries ................................ $ 4,035.25
Amount spent for books ................................... $ 2,132.15
Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,500

Anderson Public Library, Anderson—Jean Brabham:

Population served ........................................ 19,770
Registered borrowers ..................................... 4,665
Bookstock .................................................. 32,750
Circulation .................................................. 77,088
Income ...................................................... $19,162.91
Amount spent for salaries ................................ $ 9,930.00
Amount spent for books ................................... $ 5,325.00
Source of support: 1½ mill tax.

Belton Library, Belton—Nell Payne:

No report received.

Carnegie Library, Honea Path—Mrs. M. G. Shirley:

Population served ........................................ 2,470
Bookstock .................................................. 3,215
Circulation .................................................. 5,692
Income ...................................................... $ 579.00
Amount spent for salaries ................................ $ 305.00
Amount spent for books ................................... $ 115.00
Source of support: Appropriation

Bamberg County—

Bamberg County Library, Bamberg—Mrs. E. A. Hooton:

Population served ........................................ 2,033
Bookstock .................................................. 7,905
Circulation .................................................. 10,712
Income ...................................................... $1,127.50
Amount spent for salaries ................................ $ 600.00
Source of support: Appropriation
State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.
Barnwell County—
Barnwell County Library, Barnwell—Mrs. Hilda Stabowitz:
Established July 1, 1953.

Williston Public Library, Williston—Mrs. Alma W. Sanders:
Population served 896
Registered borrowers 36
Bookstock 2,363
Circulation 4,690
Income $400.00
Source of support: Book club.
State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.

Beaufort County—
Beaufort Township Library, Beaufort—Mabel Runnette:
Population served 14,400
Registered borrowers 6,026
Bookstock 14,669
Circulation 14,658
Income $5,006.53
Amount spent for salaries $1,859.50
Amount spent for books $799.59
Source of support: 1½ mill tax

Laura M. Towne Library, St. Helena Island—Mrs. Ethel G. Bailey:
Population served 4,861
Bookstock 2,373
Circulation 1,397
Income $2,408.04
Amount spent for salaries $600.00
Amount spent for books $129.60
Source of support: Penn Community Services, Inc.
State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.

Berkeley County—
Berkeley County Library, Moncks Corner—Julia M. Kirk:
Population served 11,169
Registered borrowers 1,236
Bookstock 12,158
Circulation 33,031
Income $7,351.36
Amount spent for salaries $4,485.00
Amount spent for books $2,200.00
Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,500
Calhoun County—
Calhoun County Public Library, St. Matthews—
  Mrs. Clara T. McCabe:
  Population served ........................................ 4,989
  Registered borrowers .................................. 4,845
  Bookstock ............................................. 13,849
  Circulation ........................................... 46,986
  Income .................................................. $ 5,240.00
  Amount spent for salaries ............................ $ 2,145.00
  Amount spent for books ............................... $ 2,500.00
  Source of support: Appropriation
  State Aid: $1,500

Charleston County—
Charleston Free Library of Charleston County, Charleston—
  Emily Sanders:
  Population served .................................... 164,856
  Registered borrowers ................................. 26,635
  Bookstock ............................................. 111,642
  Circulation ........................................... 518,881
  Income .................................................. $ 96,214.80
  Amount spent for salaries ............................ $ 51,741.49
  Amount spent for books ................................ $ 15,485.92
  Source of support: Appropriation
  State Aid: $1,500

Cherokee County—
Cherokee County Public Library, Gaffney—
  Nell Garrard:
  Population served .................................... 29,145
  Registered borrowers ................................ 2,781
  Bookstock ............................................. 29,889
  Circulation ........................................... 127,346
  Income .................................................. $ 33,575.87
  Amount spent for salaries ............................ $ 9,390.99
  Amount spent for books ................................ $ 6,489.69
  Source of support: 1 mill tax, plus appropriation
  State Aid: $1,500

Chester County—
Chester County Library, Chester—
  Mrs. Elizabeth C. Williams
  Population served .................................... 21,359
  Registered borrowers ................................ 5,364
  Bookstock ............................................. 23,056
  Circulation ........................................... 76,996
  Income .................................................. $ 28,511.87
  Amount spent for salaries ............................ $ 10,757.06
  Amount spent for books ................................ $ 5,601.43
  Source of support: 1½ mill tax
  State Aid: $1,500
Chesterfield County—
Cheraw Public Library, Cheraw—
Mrs. Austin Brewer:
Population served 2,614
Bookstock 5,375
Circulation 9,087
Income $1,022.00
Amount spent for salaries $660.00
Source of support: Appropriation
State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.

Clarendon County—
Manning Library, Manning—
Mrs. Tom Bagnal
Population served 1,427
Registered borrowers 221
Bookstock 2,138
Circulation 4,642
Income $782.45
Amount spent for salaries $220.00
Amount spent for books $90.30
Source of support: Appropriation
State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.

Colleton County—
Colleton County Library, Walterboro—
Mrs. Marguerite G. Thompson:
Population served 13,198
Registered borrowers 5,528
Bookstock 11,051
Circulation 73,935
Income $9,772.81
Amount spent for salaries $4,953.00
Amount spent for books $2,613.95
Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,500.

Walterboro Library Society Library, Walterboro—
Amelia S. Fraser:
Population served 2,684
Registered borrowers 2,720
Bookstock 7,707
Circulation 7,641
Income $1,931.25
Amount spent for salaries $1,314.00
Amount spent for books $444.00
Source of support: Appropriation
### Darlington County—

**Darlington County Library, Darlington—**  
Annie James, Acting Librarian  
- **Population served**: 37,739  
- **Registered borrowers**: 2,020  
- **Bookstock**: 23,007  
- **Circulation**: 124,277  
- **Income**: $15,209.63  
- **Amount spent for salaries**: $8,800.00  
- **Amount spent for books**: $4,250.00  
- **Source of support**: $1,500 mill tax  

### Darlington Public Library, Darlington—**  
**Mrs. Nell H. Metzger:**  
- **Population served**: 6,619  
- **Registered borrowers**: 2,188  
- **Bookstock**: 20,730  
- **Circulation**: 42,065  
- **Income**: $10,818.37  
- **Amount spent for salaries**: $6,335.81  
- **Amount spent for books**: $1,727.32  
- **Source of support**: $1,500 mill tax  

### Hartsville Township Memorial Library, Hartsville—**  
**Lucile White:**  
- **Population served**: 5,658  
- **Registered borrowers**: 3,477  
- **Bookstock**: 13,698  
- **Circulation**: 40,245  
- **Income**: $10,574.22  
- **Amount spent for salaries**: $4,560.00  
- **Amount spent for books**: $2,500.00  
- **Source of support**: $1,500 mill tax  

### Dillon County—**  
**Dillon County Library, Latta—**  
**Mrs. C. E. Bethea:**  
- **Population served**: 18,438  
- **Registered borrowers**: 8,798  
- **Bookstock**: 39,667  
- **Circulation**: 324,394  
- **Income**: $14,034.55  
- **Amount spent for salaries**: $7,154.75  
- **Amount spent for books**: $3,307.82  
- **Source of support**: $1,500 mill tax (county), $1 mill tax (school district)  

State Aid: $1,500
Dorchester County—

Dorchester County Library, St. George—

Mrs. Emily Reeves: Established July 1, 1953

St. George Public Library, St. George—

Mrs. H. M. Bryant:

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State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.

Timrod Library, Summerville—

Mrs. Edwin Stuart:

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State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.

Edgefield County—

D. A. Tompkins Memorial Library, Edgefield—

Mrs. M. H. Mims:

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State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly.
Fairfield County—

Fairfield County Library, Winnsboro—

Alice McDonald:
Population served ........................................... 8,861
Registered borrowers ........................................ 1,856
Bookstock ...................................................... 11,828
Circulation ....................................................... 22,807
Income ................................................................ $10,268.50
Amount spent for salaries .................................. $3,331.50
Amount spent for books ...................................... $2,157.00
Source of support: 1 mill tax
State Aid: $1,500

Florence County—

Florence County Circulating Library, Florence—

Mrs. Cullie W. Jenkins:
Population served ........................................... 57,197
Bookstock ...................................................... 14,886
Circulation ....................................................... 99,089
Income ................................................................ $8,190.00
Amount spent for salaries .................................. $4,690.00
Amount spent for books ...................................... $2,000.00
Source of support: Appropriation.
State Aid: $1,500

Florence Public Library, Florence—

Martha G. Smith:
Population served ........................................... 22,513
Registered borrowers ........................................ 3,748
Bookstock ...................................................... 20,855
Circulation ....................................................... 33,446
Income ................................................................ $23,850.00
Amount spent for salaries .................................. $13,814.00
Amount spent for books ...................................... $7,592.00
Source of support: 2 Mill tax

Georgetown County—

Georgetown County Library, Georgetown—

Genevieve Chandler
Population served ........................................... 14,906
Registered borrowers ........................................ 3,160
Bookstock ...................................................... 12,931
Circulation ....................................................... 56,900
Income ................................................................ $7,924.70
Amount spent for salaries .................................. $4,200.00
Amount spent for books ...................................... $2,500.00
Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,500
Greenville County—

Greenville Public Library, Greenville (serves Greenville County)—

Charles E. Stow:

Population served .............................................. 168,152
Registered borrowers ....................................... 21,829
Bookstock ..................................................... 127,713
Circulation .................................................... 566,947
Income ......................................................... $ 81,344.82
Amount spent for salaries .................................... $ 41,671.88
Amount spent for books ....................................... $ 10,138.84
Source of support: 2 mill tax (city), 1 mill tax (County)
State Aid: $1,500

Greenwood County—

Greenwood City and County Public Library, Greenwood—

Elizabeth L. Porcher:

Population served ............................................ 33,665
Registered borrowers ........................................ 14,791
Bookstock ..................................................... 27,851
Circulation .................................................... 92,234
Income ......................................................... $ 21,160.00
Amount spent for salaries .................................... $ 11,262.28
Amount spent for books ....................................... $ 3,362.04
Source of support: 1¼ mill tax
State Aid: $1,500

Hampton County—(See Allendale-Hampton-Jasper)

Horry County—

Horry County Memorial Library, Conway—

Dorothy Smith:

Population served ............................................ 59,829
Registered borrowers ....................................... 6,887
Bookstock ..................................................... 26,998
Circulation .................................................... 137,144
Income ......................................................... $ 34,220.67
Amount spent for salaries .................................... $ 12,503.14
Amount spent for books ....................................... $ 8,159.17
Source of support: 1 mill tax plus appropriation
State Aid: $1,500
Chapin Memorial Library, Myrtle Beach—
Mrs. Martha J. Norment: An affiliate of the Horry County Library

| Population served | 3,053 |
| Registered borrowers | 1,730 |
| Bookstock | 5,713 |
| Circulation | 10,586 |
| Income | $5,300.00 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $2,400.00 |
| Amount spent for books | $1,750.00 |
| Source of support: Endowment and city appropriation |

Jasper County—(See Allendale-Hampton-Jasper)

Kershaw County—
Kershaw County Library, Camden—
Mrs. Jessie J. Baker:

| Population served | 16,549 |
| Registered borrowers | 8,013 |
| Bookstock | 23,449 |
| Circulation | 88,076 |
| Income | $12,312.00 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $8,100.00 |
| Amount spent for books | $3,000.00 |
| Source of support: Appropriation |
| State Aid: $1,500 |

Lancaster County—
Lancaster County Library, Lancaster—
Robbie Horton:

| Population served | 23,638 |
| Registered borrowers | 5,030 |
| Bookstock | 45,887 |
| Circulation | 134,212 |
| Income | $16,746.38 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $6,290.12 |
| Amount spent for books | $5,244.12 |
| Source of support: Appropriation |
| State Aid: $1,000 |

Laurens County—
Laurens County Library, Laurens—
Mrs. Phil D. Huff:

| Population served | 36,786 |
| Registered borrowers | 6,921 |
| Bookstock | 21,172 |
| Circulation | 125,853 |
| Income | $11,958.74 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $8,540.00 |
| Amount spent for books | $3,000.00 |
| Source of support: Appropriation |
| State Aid: $1,000 |
Lee County—

Lee County Public Library, Bishopville—

Mrs. John S. Baskin:

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Lexington County—

Lexington County Circulating Library, Batesburg—

Lorena Miller:

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Marion County—

Marion County Library, Marion—

Mrs. Virginia D. Brunson:

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Marion Public Library, Marion—

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Mullins Public Library, Mullins—

Mrs. Mary M. Yarboro:

| Population served | 2,450 |
| Registered borrowers | 330 |
| Bookstock | 7,514 |
| Circulation | 13,723 |
| Income | $4,245.02 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $900.00 |
| Amount spent for books | $1,267.72 |

Source of support: Appropriation from city and county

Marlboro County—

Marlboro County Public Library, Bennettsville—

Mrs. Dorothy Morrell

| Population served | 15,257 |
| Bookstock | 15,359 |
| Circulation | 44,768 |
| Income | $8,806.87 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $4,860.00 |
| Amount spent for books | $2,500.00 |

Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,500

Newberry County—

Newberry-Saluda Regional Library, Newberry—

Mrs. Joella S. Neel

| Population served | 29,080 |
| Registered borrowers | 2,399 |
| Bookstock | 20,103 |
| Circulation | 66,884 |
| Income | $14,767.07 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $7,650.00 |
| Amount spent for books | $5,000.00 |

Source of support: 1 mill tax
State Aid: $3,000
Regional Maintenance Grant $1,000

Oconee County—

Oconee County Library, Walhalla—

Mrs. Elizabeth B. Green:

| Population served | 34,594 |
| Registered borrowers | 2,848 |
| Bookstock | 14,026 |
| Circulation | 80,423 |
| Income | $9,441.00 |
| Amount spent for salaries | $4,971.20 |
| Amount spent for books | $3,466.80 |

Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,500
Orangeburg County—

Orangeburg County Free Library, Orangeburg—

Mrs. Georgie Adams:

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Pickens County—

Pickens County Library, Easley—

Mrs. O. K. Higgins:

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Richland County—

Richland County Public Library, Columbia—

Mrs. Hagood Bostick:

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Source of support: 1 mill tax plus appropriation
State Aid: $1,500

Saluda County—(See Newberry-Saluda)
### Spartanburg County—
**Spartanburg Public Library, Spartanburg** (serves Spartanburg County)—Nancy C. Blair:
- Population served: 128,946
- Registered borrowers: 7,991
- Bookstock: 56,824
- Circulation: 236,561
- Income: $48,487.75
- Amount spent for salaries: $23,320.00
- Amount spent for books: $12,200.00
- Source of support: 1 mill tax
- State Aid: $1,500

### Sumter County—
**Carnegie Public Library, Sumter** (serves Sumter County)—James Watts:
- Population served: 24,630
- Registered borrowers: 5,144
- Bookstock: 26,632
- Circulation: 153,828
- Income: $28,988.86
- Amount spent for salaries: $12,689.44
- Amount spent for books: $3,421.31
- Source of support: 2 mill tax; City appropriation
- State Aid: $1,500

**Lincoln Public Library, Sumter**—Evelyn R. Cuthbert:
- Population served: 6,856
- Registered borrowers: 1,526
- Bookstock: 2,489
- *Circulation: 101,423
- Income: $1,647.89
- Amount spent for salaries: $410.00
- Amount spent for books: $745.72
- Source of support: Tax
- *Includes Negro school circulation.

### Union County—
**Union County Free Library, Union**—Mrs. Nita Sinclair:
- Population served: 14,259
- Registered borrowers: 2,005
- Bookstock: 6,606
- Circulation: 67,986
- Income: $5,000.00
- Amount spent for salaries: $3,300.00
- Amount spent for books: $1,500.00
- Source of support: Appropriation
- State Aid: $1,000
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| Williamsburg County                         |                                                   |         |
| Kingstree Public Library                    | Mrs. Jimmye B. Watson                            |         |
| Population served                           | 2,022                                            |         |
| Registered borrowers                        | 668                                              |         |
| Bookstock                                   | 6,347                                            |         |
| Circulation                                 | 10,119                                           |         |
| Income                                      | $2,300.00                                        |         |
| Amount spent for salaries                   | $1,229.40                                        |         |
| Amount spent for books                      | $271.66                                          |         |
| State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly. |                                   |         |

| York County                                 |                                                   |         |
| York County Library, Clover                 | Mrs. Paul Blanks                                  |         |
| Population served                           | 27,395                                           |         |
| Registered borrowers                        | 5,525                                            |         |
| Bookstock                                   | 12,766                                           |         |
| Circulation                                 | 47,109                                           |         |
| Income                                      | $4,799.75                                        |         |
| Amount spent for salaries                   | $1,964.00                                        |         |
| Amount spent for books                      | $2,500.00                                        |         |
| Source of support:                          | ¾ mill tax                                       |         |
| State Aid: $1,500                           |                                                   |         |

| Rock Hill Public Library, Rock Hill          | Mrs. Nan W. Carson                                |         |
| Population served                           | 24,502                                           |         |
| Registered borrowers                        | 11,137                                           |         |
| Bookstock                                   | 28,415                                           |         |
| Circulation                                 | 77,790                                           |         |
| Income                                      | $20,000.00                                       |         |
| Amount spent for salaries                   | $10,409.43                                       |         |
| Amount spent for books                      | $3,131.61                                        |         |
| Source of support:                          | 2 mill tax                                       |         |
York Township Free Library, York—

Mrs. Helen L. Ervin:

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Source of support: ½ mill tax
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LIBRARY BOARDS

Abbeville County Library—Mr. W. M. Agnew, Donalds.
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endale.
Anderson County Library—Mr. P. M. Washington, Honea Path.
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Greenville Public Library—Mr. T. M. Verdin, Jr., County Board, Mauldin;
Mr. Fred W. Symmes, City Board, Greenville.
Greenwood City and County Library—Mr. J. Perrin Anderson, Green-
wood.
Hartsville Township Library—Mr. J. L. Wiggins, Hartsville.
Honea Path Public Library—Mr. J. P. Dugan, Honea Path.
Horry County Memorial Library—Mr. R. O. Brown, Wampee.
Kingstree Carnegie Library—Mr. H. L. Wilson, Kingstree.
Lancaster County Library—Mr. Joe C. Plyler, Lancaster.
Laura M. Towne Library—Mrs. Agnes C. Sherman, Frogmore, St. Helena
Island.
Laurens County Library—Mrs. M. L. Copeland, Laurens.
Lee County Library—Mrs. T. H. Clyburn, R. F. D., Bethune.
Lexington County Library—Miss Kate Cullum, Batesburg.
Manning Public Library—Mrs. Tom Bagnal, Manning.
Marion County Library—Mr. Iverson Graham, Marion.
Marion Public Library—Mr. C. W. Derrick, Marion.
Marlboro County Library—Miss Alexina W. Evans, Bennettsville.
Newberry-Saluda Regional Library—Mr. J. W. Hipp, Whitmire.
Oconee County Library—Mr. T. V. Derrick, Walhalla.
Orangeburg County Free Library—Mrs. Arnette H. Williams, Orangeburg.
Pickens County Library—Miss Aileen Wyatt, Easley.
Richland County Library—Mr. Clark Brockman, McMaster School, Columbia.
Rock Hill Public Library—Mr. E. R. Jeter, Rock Hill.
Spartanburg Public Library—Mrs. Elford Morgan, Spartanburg.
Sumter Carnegie Library—Mr. H. G. Osteen, Sr., Sumter.
Timrod Library—Mr. Robert R. Hall, Summerville.
Union Carnegie Library—Dr. A. P. McElroy, Union.
Union County Library—Mr. Harry Farr, Union.
Walterboro Library Society—Mrs. A. W. Skardon, Walterboro.
York County Library—Mr. Lee M. Sherer, York.
York Township Library—Mr. John M. Spratt, York.
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Brown, Mrs. Harriet B.—Assistant—Orangeburg County Free Library, Orangeburg.

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