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South Carolina State Library Board

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SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY BOARD
PROGRESS REPORT, 1943-1950

The South Carolina State Library Board was created by the State Legislature in 1929. It began operation in 1943 when it received its first appropriation. It is administered by a Board of five citizens, appointed by the Governor upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Education. A staff of six members, three of them professional librarians, carry out the program of the Board in extending and improving public library service in South Carolina.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES 1943-1950

	1943-44	1944-45	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49	1949-50
Population	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804
With public library service	1,020,030	1,058,241	1,068,012	1,185,785	1,195,823	1,308,444	1,308,444
Without public library service ..	879,794	841,563	831,792	714,019	703,981	591,360	591,360
Bookstock of public libraries	620,500	702,107	742,364	821,378	907,766	952,984	1,057,127
Books per capita ..	.33	.37	.39	.43	.48	.50	.55
Circulation of public libraries ..	3,726,222	3,832,397	4,432,659	3,911,766	4,113,035	3,726,860	4,566,996
Circulation per capita	1.96	2.0	2.33	2.0	2.16	1.9	2.4
Total public library income	$274,373.89	$297,451.16	$321,510.75	$356,173.08	$526,186.66	$627,729.83	$691,189.28
Expenditure per capita	.14	.16	.17	.19	.28	.33	.36
Appropriation for State Board ...	$15,000	$15,000	$20,000	$25,485	$50,765	$75,000	$75,000

A measure of the State Library Board's program for the past seven years:

288,434 more South Carolinians now have public library service than in 1943.

The bookstock of all public libraries has increased from **620,500** volumes to **1,057,127** volumes.

Annual circulation of books has increased by **840,774.**

Annual public library income has increased **$416,815.**

Expenditure per capita for public library service has risen from **14c** to **36c.**

ALL BUT TEN COUNTIES NOW HAVE COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICE.

S. C. STATE LIBRARY

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY BOARD

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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL
from
THE SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY BOARD

November 30, 1950

To his Excellency, the Honorable J. Strom Thurmond, 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, 1950.

The objective of the State Library Board is a network of county and regional library sytems extending over the entire state, thus making books accessible to every person in South Carolina.

The state appropriation of 1949-50 has made it possible to continue state aid of $1,000 to each of the 32 county libraries operating as a separate unit, to continue state aid of $1,000 to each of the five counties already a part of a regional library, and to award each of the five a regional maintenance grant of $500, also to offer establishment grants of $5,000 to each new group of two or more counties which unite for regional library service.

There is an annual increase in the number of volumes in the libraries of South Carolina, in the total public library income and the per capita expenditure for books, in the total and per capita circulation of books, in the number of bookmobiles in operation, and in the reading interest of the public. There is a total of 37 counties with such service. In 14 counties negroes have book service. In 1929 when the State Library Board was established only Greenville County had county-wide library service.

Library progress in South Carolina since 1943 has been phenominal. It has been made possible through annual appropriations from the General Assembly, exceptionally efficient staff service and responsive county effort.

The foregoing is encouraging. But your attention is requested also for certain conditions needing remedial action. No library in the state has an adequate book stock. Some are understaffed, and 19 of the 37 libraries giving county service are without the leadership of a professional librarian. This, in a state whose recent industrial expansion and agricultural progress have received national comment, is short sighted. Such progress challenges local and state provision of books, the basic facilities for vocational, professional, and cultural education. The challenge is also for salaries which will attract professional librarians, and gifted college students to become librarians.

And there are still nine South Carolina counties without county-wide service. They want it. The nine are in the small population, low property value groups and in all but one, more than half the population is negro. The tax revenue of each of the nine is insufficient to establish and support a county library. How to extend and improve library service to these nine counties is a pressing problem. It could be done for a relatively small increase in the present State appropriation.

Your consideration of the needs and possibilities of South Carolina libraries is requested. It is given in the annual report which follows of Estellene P. Walker, Executive Secretary of the State Library Board.

Respectfully submitted,
MARY E. FRAYSER, Chairman

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SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY BOARD

July 1, 1949—June 30, 1950

The State Library Board is the governmental unit created to represent the State in all public library matters. The Board was created in 1929 and was charged with the duty 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".

WHAT THE BOARD DOES

The Library Board—

Stimulates interest and support for public library service in counties and municipalities.

Works with groups in planning for better local library service.

Aids areas without libraries in developing library programs.

Provides professional direction and advisory technical services to regional, county, and municipal libraries.

Administers State Aid to county libraries.

Aids new regional libraries with establishment grants.

Lends deposits of books to established libraries in the State to supplement and enrich their collections.

Lends collections of books to State institutions and to organized community groups in communities without public library service.

Provides reading materials for individuals upon request in areas not served by a public library.

Provides materials for club and other special groups.

Cooperates with other State agencies and organizations in service programs.

WHAT THE BOARD HAS ACCOMPLISHED

Today South Carolina has thirty-six counties with full rural library service. Five of these counties are served through regional libraries and thirty-one by county libraries. Ten counties are still without county library service. In nine of these, the Board maintains Book Deposit Service. The same Deposit Service is given to seven State institutions. Since the Board received its first annual appropriation in 1943, public library

service has been extended to 288,434 more South Carolinians than enjoyed this service previously; the income of public libraries has increased from $274,373 to $691,189; the bookstock from 620,500 volumes to 1,057,127 volumes; and the annual circulation of books has reached an all time high of 4,566,966 volumes. Figures mean little, but interpreted, 4,566,966 public library books read in 1949-50, points to the enrichment of the minds of the people and gives emphasis to the fact that the public library is the most generally available and *used* agency for adult education in the State.

Much has been accomplished, but much remains to be done to bring the public libraries of the State up to National Standards of library service and to extend library service to every resident of the State. No public library in the State meets even minimum standards. 591,360 persons, slightly more than one-fourth of the residents of the State, have no public library service at all. These are largely rural Negroes and the residents of the ten counties still without countywide library service.

PUBLIC LIBRARY SERVICE FOR NEGROES

Public library service to Negroes continues to be improved and extended as more funds become available for books, personnel and equipment. Charleston, Horry and Orangeburg County Libraries operate bookmobiles to serve rural Negroes and maintain a headquarters library with deposit collections in schools and communities. A headquarters library with book deposits in rural schools is maintained by the county libraries of Aiken, Chester, Darlington, Greenville, Oconee, Richland and Spartanburg Counties. Central libraries are maintained in the county seat by Cherokee, Greenwood, Lancaster, Laurens and Sumter County Libraries. The public libraries in the towns of Anderson, Beaufort, Florence, Rock Hill, and Summerville maintain Negro branch libraries.

Several county libraries are planning to establish or increase their services to Negroes. Calhoun County Library has completed plans for opening a Negro branch library in St. Matthews and this will be supplemented by books in rural Negro schools. The Dillon County Library will open two branch libraries for Negroes, one in Dillon and the other in Latta. Pickens and Lexington County Libraries are planning Negro library service

A Real "Library on Wheels". Bookmobile of Greenville Public Library.

when funds permit. Plans have been completed and ground broken for the new Negro branch library building of the Kershaw County Library in Camden.

Books for Rural Negroes

Negro Home Demonstration Agents, in cooperation with the State Library Board, are working to build up library service for rural Negroes. The State Library Board supplies the books on loan either to the Agent or to an established library in the community. The books are carefully selected to meet the reading needs and interests of Negroes. The Agent circulates the books among rural club women with whom she works and is responsible for their return. A professional librarian from the staff of the State Board visits the Agent at regular intervals to advise with her and exchange "read-out" books for fresh titles. Negro book deposit collections are being used in the following counties: Allendale, Anderson, Bamberg, Beaufort, Berkeley, Greenwood, Hampton, Jasper, Lancaster, Marlboro, Newberry, Union, Williamsburg and York. Summerville has a similar deposit in the Carver Library.

STATE AID

Since the beginning of the program of library extension in South Carolina, State Aid has been granted only to county or regional libraries which meet certain standards of service. This program has resulted in the creation of larger units of service through the consolidation or affiliation of small local libraries into county or regional library systems which have provided more and better library service for the same expenditure of tax money. State Aid is in two forms: Regional Establishment Grants to encourage the voluntary combination of two or more counties for more effective library service; and Regional Maintenance Grants plus State Aid Grants to County Libraries for book purchase and salaries of professional personnel. State Aid has been fundamental in the development of the present system of county and regional libraries which now serve 36 of South Carolina's 46 counties.

County Libraries which qualify for State Aid may receive $1,000 in State Aid annually on a matching basis. A cash allotment is made directly to those county libraries which are well established and are in the charge of a trained librarian. The smaller county libraries in charge of non-professional personnel receive the same amount ($1,000) in books, and as an additional service, the State Library Board purchases and processes the books and ships them to the library completely ready for circulation.

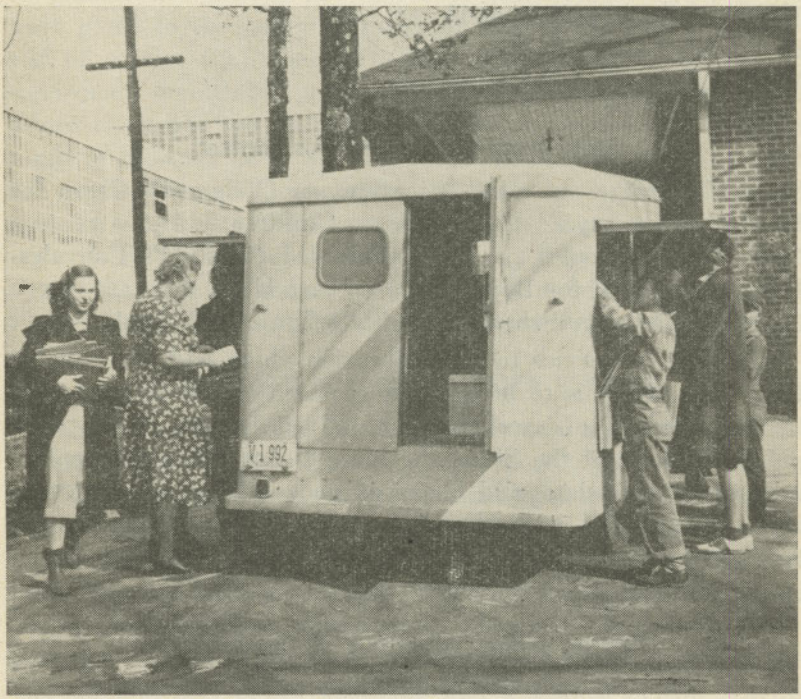
County libraries receiving State Aid by direct cash allotment, 1949-50:

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

County libraries receiving State Aid in Books equivalent of cash allotment:

Abbeville
Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library
Anderson
Berkeley
Calhoun
Fairfield
Florence
Georgetown
Kershaw
Lexington
Marion
Marlboro
Oconee
Pickens
Union
York

Regional Maintenance Grants of $500 per participating county were received by the Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library and by the Newberry-Saluda Regional Library.



Bookmobiles serve the people where they are. The Oconee County Library bookmobile serving a mill village.

COMMUNITY BOOK DEPOSITS

The State Library Board provides collections of books to communities in counties without countywide library service and to State institutions without adequate libraries. The collections vary in size from 100 to 1,000 books depending on the need of the community or institution. The service is supervised by a professional librarian from the staff who visits the deposit station every three months to confer with the custodian and to refresh the collection with new titles.

Communities taking advantage of this service:

Bamberg County—Bamberg.
Barnwell County—Williston.
Chesterfield County—Chesterfield, Cheraw, McBee, Pageland.
Clarendon County—Manning, Paxville, Sardinia, Summerton.
Dorchester County—Harleyville, St. George, Summerville.
Edgefield County—Edgefield.
Lee County—Bishopville.
Williamsburg County—Kingstree.

State Institutions using this service:

State Hospital
State Penitentiary
Opportunity School
Industrial School for Boys
Camp Opportunity School, Jr.
Summer Orthopedic Camp for Children
Crippled Children's Convalescent Home
State Training School

As a special service to some libraries which had been unable from lack of funds to bring their children's book collection up to the standard of excellence maintained by the majority of public libraries of the State, the State Board offered to replace worn-out, out-of-date, and books of poor literary quality with new and standard titles up to 500 volumes. These books are on long term loan and will remain in the library until they are no longer needed.

Libraries taking advantage of this service:

Timrod Library—Summerville
Tompkins Library—Edgefield
Pickens County Library—Easley
Lee County Library—Bishopville

LOANS TO INDIVIDUALS

A direct loan service to individuals living in counties without countywide library service is maintained by the State Board. Loans are made by mail and may consist of one book for an individual or a collection of books for a whole family.

INTERLIBRARY LOAN

One of the great needs of the State is for a central reference and research library properly staffed and with adequate collections both of books and reference materials to supply the ever increasing need for reference and research facilities by the people and industries of the State. The rapid industrialization of the State has made conspicuous the lack of research facilities and materials in the State. New industry coming into the State, changes in farm practice and the need for re-education of adults to become effective in new fields of employment opening up, have given to the public libraries of the State a greater potential of service than they have been able to realize because of inadequate financial support. No individual public library can afford to supply the materials and services required to meet the needs of industry or of the individual citizen. To partially meet the needs of the public libraries, the State Library Board maintains an interlibrary loan service, arranging and making loans of books to fill the special needs and requests from the public libraries of the State. This service is mutually beneficial to all public libraries and results in efficient service at low cost.

INFORMATION AND ADVISORY SERVICES

To existing libraries: The smaller county and municipal libraries, still in charge of untrained personnel, depend wholly on the State Library Board for professional guidance and assistance. The Board serves as a source of professional information on all phases of library procedure and practice. Selective lists of books for purchase are prepared and advice is given on firms which allow the best discounts to libraries. Assistance to libraries in reorganizing book collections and entire libraries, advice on new and better processes and guidance in the general improvement of library services, are all functions of the State Library Board. Assistance is constantly sought by local library boards on budget making, book purchase, employing librarians,

Bookmobiles Supplement the work of the schools. Horry County Library Bookmobile at a rural school.

library reorganization and staff regulations and procedures. The staff of the State Library Board works closely with the library boards and staffs of newly established libraries and is largely responsible for the organization and operational procedures of new county and regional libraries.

Information and help in organizing library service is given by the staff to individuals and organizations in counties which do not have county wide library service and which are interested in establishing it.

The professional staff of the State Library Board serves as consultant librarians for library boards which are planning new buildings, new equipment and new bookmobiles.

CENTRALIZED SERVICES

At the headquarters of the Board in Columbia, State Aid Books are ordered, processed and cataloged for 18 counties, for the Book Deposit Service and for interlibrary loan. An average

annual load of books ordered and made ready for circulation is 20,000 volumes. Book collections are made up, packed, and either shipped or delivered by the bookmobile. The financial records of the State Board are maintained and monthly and annual reports of the expenditures and activities are prepared. Publicity and public relations activities are planned and various printed and mimeographed materials are prepared for use. The office is open 54 hours a week for service to the public libraries of the State.

LIBRARY BUILDING PROGRAM

Two new library buildings were completed during the year. The new public library building in Clover has been completed and now serves as headquarters of the York County Library. The building is in the "modern" style and is planned for easy supervision. Good lighting, both natural and artificial, is a feature of this attractive building.

The Whitmire Library building has been completed. A great deal of glass was used in the construction of this building. The building is so located that one wing shades the other. Natural and artificial lighting are excellent. The building is being furnished attractively in "modern" lounge type furniture. The use of color both in the building and in its furnishings is an attractive feature of this library. This library is a branch of the Newberry-Saluda Regional Library.

Construction has been begun on the Chester County Library building.

Plans for the Richland County Library have been completed and construction will begin early in 1951.

Ground has been broken for the erection of the Colored Branch of the Kershaw County Library in Camden. Funds for the construction of this building were provided by public subscription and by an allotment of $5,000 from county funds.

AMERICAN LIBRARY ASSOCIATION

Federal Relations Committee

The Federal Relations Committee of the South Carolina Library Association has worked for five years in cooperation with the Federal Relations Office of the American Library Association

on local support for national legislative measures which affect libraries. The Public Library Demonstration Bill (HR 874; S. 130) introduced in the 81st Congress was defeated by only three votes in the House. A new Library Bill will be introduced in the 82nd Congress which will provide for strengthening state library agencies and the general improvement of public library service especially in rural areas.

SURVEYS

South Carolina Citizens Committee on Children and Youth: Survey of needs of children and youth.

As a part of the general survey of the needs of children and youth in South Carolina, library facilities and services in all 46 counties have been studied by local citizens' committees. The survey reveals the need for the improvement of library services for children and youth through the employment of more professionally trained children's librarians and through the provision of adequate space in the public libraries for service to children and youth.

The S. C. Committee on Children and Youth makes the following recommendations for library service based on the findings of the survey:

South Carolina public libraries need:

Better local financial support with increased State Aid and Federal Aid to realize full potential of service to the public.

More professionally trained librarians.

More books.

Special library rooms and services for children and young people.

Facilities for audiovisual programs.

Specifically, South Carolina needs:

Extension of public library service to the nine counties still without county wide library service.

Improvement of existing library service and extension of this service to the Negro population.

COMMUNITY UNDERSTANDING OF WHAT CONSTITUTES GOOD LIBRARY SERVICE AND HOW MUCH SUCH SERVICE COSTS.

LIBRARY PROGRESS DURING YEAR

New library buildings were completed in Clover and Whitmire.

Construction of the new Chester County Library building was begun and plans for the new Richland County Library building completed.

Laurens, Sumter and Kershaw County Libraries purchased new and modern bookmobiles to replace ones worn out in service.

Orangeburg County Library purchased and put into service duplicate bookmobiles to serve Negroes and whites.

By Act of the General Assembly, the Dibble Memorial Library in Aiken was consolidated with the Aiken County Library. Funds were appropriated to enlarge the Dibble Memorial building which will house the Aiken County Library.

EXPENDITURES

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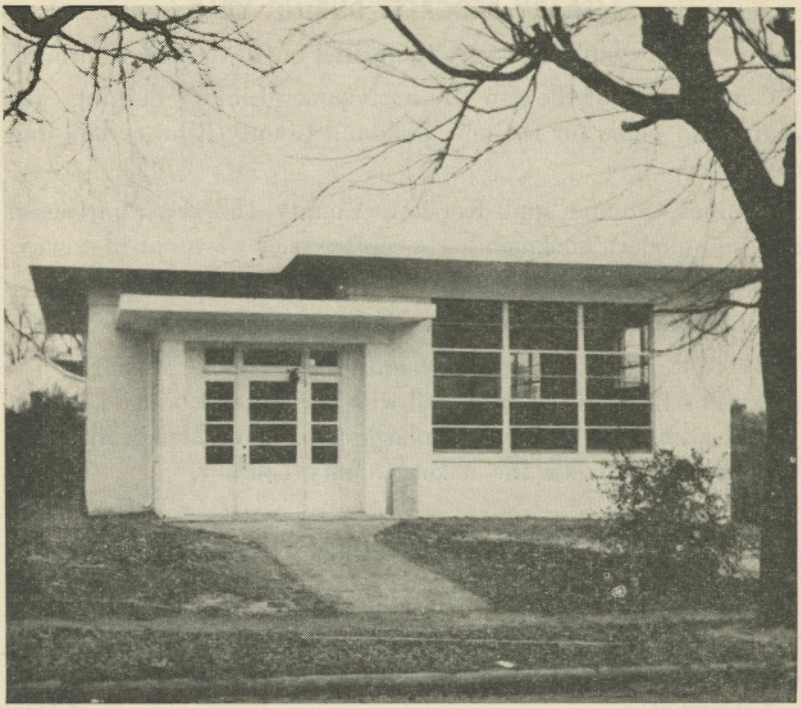
Salaries	$ 14,877.95
Special Payments (Travel and Per Diem of Board Members)	400.00
Freight, Express and Deliveries	149.49
Travel	1,450.00
Telegraph and Telephone	138.00
Printing and Advertising	298.72
Water, Heat, Light, Power	48.25
Office Supplies	539.98
Motor Vehicle Supplies	261.34
Rent	1,185.00
Insurance	172.84
Contributions (State Aid to Established County Libraries)	20,500.00
Office Equipment	432.61
Motor Vehicles and Equipment	101.01
Educational Equipment (Books for State Aid and Loans to Individuals and Communities)	34,437.69
TOTAL	$ 74,992.88



New Public Library Building of Clover. Headquarters of the York County Library.

STANDARDS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES*

"The essence of the many standards for public libraries may be compressed into three basic elements, all of which are necessary in a planned program of library development:

1. Complete public library coverage.
2. Library service of adequate quantity and dynamic quality.
3. Large units and cooperation in library service.

Registration

"Registration standards are affected by city size, age groups and the educational levels of adult population . . . The number of registered borrowers in public library units should meet the following minimum quantitative standards, based on a three-year registration period:

*Post-War Standards for Public Libraries, American Library Association, 1943.

For adult borrowers: 20 to 40 per cent of the population 15 years of age and over.

For juvenile borrowers: 37 to 75 per cent of the population from 5 through 14 years of age.

For both adult and juvenile borrowers the per cent of the population registered will tend to rise as the population of the unit served decreases.

Number of Books

"The total book stock of a public library should be sufficient to insure at all times an adequate collection for consultation and home use. The number of volumes per capita in a public library should meet the minimum standards shown in the following table:

Population of Library Area	Volumes per Capita
6,000- 10,000	3.0 up to 25,000 volumes
10,000- 35,000	2.5 up to 70,000 volumes
35,000- 100,000	2.0 up to 175,000 volumes
100,000- 200,000	1.75 up to 300,000 volumes
200,000-1,000,000	1.5 up to 1,000,000 volumes
Over 1,000,000	1.0 volumes

"The minimum size of the book stock of any public library as an independent unit, should be 6,000 volumes regardless of the population served. A smaller collection cannot be expected to achieve the objectives here set forth.

Circulation of Books

"The circulation of books for home use in public library units should meet the following minimum quantitative standards:

For adult books: 3 to 10 volumes per capita for the population of 15 years of age and over.

For children's books: 10 to 30 volumes per capita for the population from 5 through 14 years of age.

For both adult and children's books the circulation per capita will tend to rise as the population of the unit served decreases.

Hours of Service

"At least 40 man hours of public service should be provided annually for each 100 persons in the total population served by a public library. Not more than 60 per cent of this public service time should be devoted to circulation procedure."

LIBRARY INCOME*

"The following minimum per capita standards of support are recommended for varying stages of development of library service in areas with 25,000 population and over:

For limited or minimum service	$1.50 per capita
For reasonably good service	2.25 per capita
For superior service	3.00 per capita

At $1.50 per capita, 65% of income used for salaries, exclusive of maintenance; 17.5% for books, periodicals and binding.*

Minimum Income—$25,000

In libraries serving areas where $25,000 cannot be raised under the permissible tax levy, consideration should be given to one of two alternatives: enlarge the area of service and support by formation of a library district; or contract for library service from a larger unit."

NO LIBRARY IN SOUTH CAROLINA MEETS ALL ITEMS IN THE "STANDARDS".

*A.L.A. Bulletin, March, 1948. pp. 104-5.

PUBLIC LIBRARIES WHICH ARE PARTICIPATING IN THE SOUTH CAROLINA RETIREMENT SYSTEM

Aiken County Library
Anderson County Library
Anderson Public Library
Berkeley County Library
Calhoun County Library
Charleston County Library
Chester County Library
Colleton County Library
Walterboro Library Society
Darlington County Library
Darlington Public Library
Dillon County Library
Florence Public Library
Georgetown County Library
Greenville Public Library
Greenwood City and County Library
Horry County Memorial Library
Lancaster County Library
Laurens County Library
Lexington County Library
Marion County Library
Marion Public Library
Marlboro County Library
Oconee County Library
Orangeburg County Library
Richland County Library
Spartanburg County Library
Sumter County Library
Sumter Lincoln Library
Union Carnegie Library

SOUTH CAROLINA COUNTY LIBRARIES

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	Income per capita served	Income per capita	Circ. per capita served	Books per capita served	Annual circ. of each book
Abbeville	.22	.13	3.0	.45	6.6
Aiken	.31	.15	4.2	.79	5.4
Allendale-Hampton-Jasper	.61	.22	3.0	1.45	2.1
Anderson	.16	.07	2.0	.29	6.7
Berkeley	.59	.21	3.4	.92	3.7
Calhoun	.97	.26	11.5	2.8	4.1
Charleston	.57	.56	3.7	.82	4.5
Cherokee	.79	.64	3.8	.79	4.7
Chester	1.20	.71	4.0	.96	4.1
Colleton	.79	.30	5.7	.71	7.9
Darlington	.33	.33	2.3	.45	5.2
Dillon	.70	.35	15.9	1.01	15.7
Fairfield	.65	.25	3.0	.97	3.1
Florencce	.14	.06	2.8	.34	8.3
Georgetown	.52	.22	4.6	1.23	3.7
Greenville	.47	.47	3.6	.86	4.2
Greenwood	.55	.41	2.7	.78	3.4
Horry	.43	.43	1.7	.32	5.4
Kershaw	.69	.32	7.8	1.32	5.9
Lancaster	.56	.4	4.3	2.	2.2
Laurens	.38	.26	5.5	.58	9.4
Lexington	.61	.46	4.1	.51	8.
Marion	.28	.08	2.1	.61	3.5
Marlboro	.43	.2	2.6	.82	3.2
Newberry-Saluda	.52	.3	7.9	.48	16.4
Oconee	.30	.25	1.4	.23	6.3
Orangeburg	.23	.23	2.	.36	5.5
Pickens	.23	.20	1.1	.33	3.4
Richland	.53	.53	5.1	1.03	5.
Spartanburg	.33	.33	1,2	.35	3.4
Sumter	.95	.34	6.7	1.22	5.5
Union	.22	.1	4.4	.43	10.1
York	.18	.07	2.	.45	4.4

STATISTICS — SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC LIBRARIES
1949-50

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

Abbeville County—

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

Population served	13,190
Registered borrowers	506
Bookstock	5,885
Circulation	39,104
Income	$ 2,900.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 1,440.00
Amount spent for books	$ 1,000.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Aid: $500.

Aiken County—

Aiken County Public Library, Aiken—Mrs. Leon S. Holley:

Population served	24,357
Registered borrowers	3,734
Bookstock	19,182
Circulation	103,061
Income	$ 7,444.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 4,860.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,003.10

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

Allendale County—

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

Population served	14,955
Registered borrowers	2,793
Bookstock	21,644
Circulation	45,443
Income	$ 9,167.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 4,935.00
Amount spent for books	$ 3,000.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Aid: $1,500; Regional Maintenance Grant $1,500.

Anderson County—

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

Population served	41,285
Bookstock	12,036
Circulation	80,941
Income	$ 6,542.77
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,360.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,797.29

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

Anderson Public Library, Anderson—Mrs. Ella Sue Smith:

Population served	32,152
Registered borrowers	4,591
Bookstock	28,263
Circulation	77,086
Income	$ 19,253.06
Amount spent for salaries	$ 10,252.00
Amount spent for books	$ 6,938.48

Source of support: 1½ mill tax.

Belton Library, Belton—Miss Nell Payne:

Population served	1,600
Registered borrowers	724
Bookstock	6,160
Circulation	8,984
Income	$ 1,788.82
Amount spent for salaries	$ 930.00
Amount spent for books	$ 264.63

Source of support: 1 mill.

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

Population served	2,354
Bookstock	3,101
Circulation	5,640
Income	$ 575.00

Source of support: Appropriation.

Bamberg County—

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

Population served	1,818
Bookstock	7,249
Circulation	6,510
Income	$ 800.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 360.00
Amount spent for books	$ 400.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 403 Vols.

Barnwell County—

Williston Public Library, Williston—Mrs. Alma W. Sanders:

Population served	709
Bookstock	2,321
Circulation	2,100
Income	$ 255.00

Source of support: Book club.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 527 Vols.

Beaufort County—

Beaufort Township Library, Beaufort—Miss Mabel Runnette:

Population served	9,748
Registered borrowers	4,275
Bookstock	13,780
Circulation	12,849
Income	$ 4,700.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 1,815.00
Amount spent for books	$ 1,000.00

Source of support: 1¼ mill tax.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 136 Vols.

Berkeley County—

Berkeley County Library, Moncks Corner—Miss Julia M. Kirk:

Population served	9,548
Registered borrowers	1,085
Bookstock	8,758
Circulation	32,749
Income	$ 5,651.46
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,300.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,200.00

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

Calhoun County—

Calhoun County Public Library, St. Matthews—Mrs. Clara T. McCabe:

Population served	4,351
Registered borrowers	4,600
Bookstock	12,164
Circulation	50,189
Income	$ 4,240.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 1,680.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,000.00

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

Charleston County—

Charleston Free Library of Charleston County, Charleston—Miss Emily Sanders:

Population served	121,105
Registered borrowers	24,362
Bookstock	99,256
Circulation	447,188
Income	$ 68,669.54
Amount spent for salaries	$ 42,416.62
Amount spent for books	$ 12,419.66

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

Cherokee County—

Cherokee County Public Library, Gaffney—Miss Nell Garrard:

Population served	27,198
Registered borrowers	3,072
Bookstock	21,543
Circulation	101,934
Income	$ 21,375.77
Amount spent for salaries	$ 8,500.00
Amount spent for books	$ 5,000.00

Source of support: 1 mill tax, plus appropriation.
State Aid: $1,000.

Chester County—

Chester County Library, Chester—Mrs. Maude Q. Kelsey:

Population served	19,405
Registered borrowers	5,466
Bookstock	18,558
Circulation	77,710
Income	$ 23,272.25
Amount spent for salaries	$ 7,481.97
Amount spent for books	$ 1,886.14

Source of support: 1½ mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Chesterfield County—

Cheraw Public Library, Cheraw—Mrs. F. W. Pegues, Sr.:

Population served	2,291
Registered borrowers	2,227
Bookstock	4,937
Circulation	8,633
Income	$ 937.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 540.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 317 Vols.

Clarendon County—

Manning Library, Manning—Mrs. R. A. Chandler:

Population served	1,225
Registered borrowers	235
Bookstock	2,244
Circulation	4,999
Income	$ 236.54
Amount spent for salaries	$ 180.00
Amount spent for books	$ 20.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 833 Vols.

Colleton County—

Colleton County Library, Walterboro—Mrs. Marguerite G. Thompson:

Population served	10,087
Registered borrowers	2,625
Bookstock	7,198
Circulation	57,072
Income	$ 7,941.28
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,909.00
Amount spent for books	$ 1,747.37

Source of support: 1¼ mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Walterboro Library Society Library, Walterboro—Miss Amelia S. Fraser:

Population served	2,190
Registered borrowers	2,458
Bookstock	6,841
Circulation	5,683
Income	$ 1,814.70
Amount spent for salaries	$ 1,260.00
Amount spent for books	$ 440.00

Source of support: Appropriation.

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Darlington County—

Darlington County Circulating Library, Darlington—Miss Annie James, Acting Librarian:

Population served	45,198
Registered borrowers	1,972
Bookstock	20,308
Circulation	105,877
Income	$ 15,037.90
Amount spent for salaries	$ 8,102.00
Amount spent for books	$ 4,105.00

Source of support: 1½ mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Darlington Public Library, Darlington—Mrs. Nell H. Metzger:

Population served	9,212
Registered borrowers	1,792
Bookstock	19,224
Circulation	46,777
Income	$ 9,800.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 4,725.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,000.00

Source of support: 3½ mill tax.

Hartsville Township Memorial Library, Hartsville—Miss Lucile White:

Population served	6,851
Registered borrowers	2,492
Bookstock	10,259
Circulation	30,216
Income	$ 8,408.85
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,292.50
Amount spent for books	$ 2,247.20

Source of Support: 2 mill tax.

Dillon County—

Dillon County Library, Latta—Mrs. C. E. Bethea:

Population served	14,910
Registered borrowers	7,151
Bookstock	15,108
Circulation	237,281
Income	$ 10,509.28
Amount spent for salaries	$ 6,158.30
Amount spent for books	$ 2,101.89

Source of support: 2 mill tax (county), 1 mill tax (school district).
State Aid: $1,000.

Dorchester County—

St. George Public Library, St. George—Mrs. H. M. Bryant:

Population served	1,021
Registered borrowers	175
Bookstock	5,305
Circulation	8,000
Income	$ 770.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 300.00
Amount spent for books	$ 320.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 304 Vols.

Timrod Library, Summerville—Mrs. Edwin Stuart:

Population served	3,023
Registered borrowers	2,928
Bookstock	14,791
Circulation	11,200
Income	$ 3,825.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 1,025.00
Amount spent for books	$ 500.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 656 Vols.

Edgefield County—

D. A. Tompkins Memorial Library—Edgefield—Mrs. M. H. Mims:

Population served	1,325
Registered borrowers	228
Bookstock	13,470
Circulation	6,732
Income	$ 375.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 120.00
Amount spent for books	$ 60.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 1,000 Vols.

Fairfield County—

Fairfield County Library, Winnsboro—Miss Alice McDonald:

Population served	9,214
Registered borrowers	1,742
Bookstock	8,963
Circulation	27,416
Income	$ 6,000.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,575.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,000.14

Source of support: 1 mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Florence County—

Florence County Circulating Library, Florence—Mrs. Cullie W. Jenkins:

Population served	29,284
Bookstock	9,969
Circulation	82,701
Income	$ 4,054.98
Amount spent for salaries	$ 2,000.00
Amount spent for books	$ 1,254.98

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Aid: $700.

Florence Public Library, Florence—Mrs. P. A. Wilcox:

Population served	9,345
Registered borrowers	559
Bookstock	19,324
Circulation	45,545
Income	$ 36,689.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 8,794.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,115.00

Source of support: 3 mill tax.

Georgetown County—

Georgetown County Library, Georgetown—City: Mrs. Effie Bruns; County: Mrs. Mary Bonds:

Population served	10,976
Registered borrowers	2,190
Bookstock	13,457
Circulation	50,416
Income	$ 5,753.65
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,600.00
Amount spent for books	$ 1,000.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Aid: $500.

Greenville County—

Greenville Public Library, Greenville (serves Greenville County)—Miss Ellen Perry:

Population served	136,580
Registered borrowers	20,384
Bookstock	117,747
Circulation	492,147
Income	$ 63,630.48
Amount spent for salaries	$ 36,000.00
Amount spent for books	$ 13,500.00

Source of support: 2 mill tax (city), 1 mill tax (county).
State Aid: $1,000.

Greenwood County—

Greenwood City and County Public Library, Greenwood—Miss Elizabeth L. Porcher:

Population served	29,384
Registered borrowers	4,405
Bookstock	23,051
Circulation	78,938
Income	$ 16,283.34
Amount spent for salaries	$ 7,483.14
Amount spent for books	$ 1,651.74

Source of support: 1¼ mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Hampton County—(See Allendale-Hampton-Jasper)

Horry County—

Horry County Memorial Library, Conway—Miss Mary Parham:

Population served	51,951
Registered borrowers	3,721
Bookstock	16,420
Circulation	88,668
Income	$ 22,239.98
Amount spent for salaries	$ 9,355.00
Amount spent for books	$ 7,860.00

Source of support: 1 mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Jasper County—(See Allendale-Hampton-Jasper)

Kershaw County—

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

Population served	15,311
Registered borrowers	5,796
Bookstock	20,166
Circulation	119,886
Income	$ 10,615.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 4,260.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,000.00

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

Lancaster County—

Lancaster County Library, Lancaster—Miss Robbie Horton:

Population served	23,765
Bookstock	47,343
Circulation	102,788
Income	$ 13,267.52
Amount spent for salaries	$ 5,255.00
Amount spent for books	$ 4,823.89

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

Laurens County—

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

Population served	30,270
Registered borrowers	6,735
Bookstock	17,538
Circulation	165,489
Income	$ 11,458.72
Amount spent for salaries	$ 6,840.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,550.00

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

Lee County—

Lee County Public Library, Bishopville—Mrs. John S. Baskin:

Population served	1,592
Registered borrowers	287
Bookstock	3,825
Circulation	9,093
Income	$ 2,457.60
Amount spent for salaries	$ 1,425.00
Amount spent for books	$ 620.72

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 1,105 Vols.

Lexington County—

Lexington County Circulating Library, Batesburg —Miss Lorena Miller:

Population served	27,067
Registered borrowers	3,136
Bookstock	13,689
Circulation	109,823
Income	$ 16,420.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 5,980.00
Amount spent for books	$ 9,344.00

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

Marion County—

Marion County Library, Marion—Mrs. Virginia D. Brunson:

Population served	8,345
Registered borrowers	3,045
Bookstock	5,115
Circulation	17,653
Income	$ 2,322.54
Amount spent for salaries	$ 870.00
Amount spent for books	$ 1,323.45

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Aid: $661.27.

Marion Public Library, Marion—Mrs. C. D. Joyner:

Population served	2,739
Registered borrowers	2,650
Bookstock	16,398
Circulation	25,027
Income	$ 7,685.74
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,328.25
Amount spent for books	$ 1,121.05

Source of support: 2¼ mill tax.

Mullins Public Library, Mullins—Mrs. Mary M. Yarboro:

Population served	2,213
Registered borrowers	310
Bookstock	6,255
Circulation	12,816
Income	$ 2,986.95
Amount spent for salaries	$ 720.00
Amount spent for books	$ 678.87

Source of support: Appropriation.

Marlboro County—

Marlboro County Public Library, Bennettsville—Mrs. Blanche G. Hamer:

Population served	15,052
Registered borrowers	7,856
Bookstock	12,327
Circulation	39,870
Income	$ 6,518.59
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,300.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,000.00

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

Newberry County—

Newberry-Saluda Regional Library, Newberry—Mrs. Marjorie C. Fretwell:

Population served	28,883
Registered borrowers	1,907
Bookstock	13,909
Circulation	227,635
Income	$ 15,014.43
Amount spent for salaries	$ 6,877.50
Amount spent for books	$ 4,000.00

Source of support: 1 mill tax.

State Aid: $2,000. Regional Maintenance Grant $1,000.

Oconee County—

Oconee County Library, Walhalla—Mrs. Elizabeth Greene:

Population served	31,014
Registered borrowers	297
Bookstock	7,063
Circulation	44,711
Income	$ 9,208.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,336.00
Amount spent for books	$ 5,264.00

Source of support: Appropriation.

State Aid: $1,000.

Orangeburg County—

Orangeburg County Free Library, Orangeburg—Mrs. Georgie Adams:

Population served	63,707
Registered borrowers	13,808
Bookstock	22,778
Circulation	129,545
Income	$ 14,659.77
Amount spent for salaries	$ 9,714.33
Amount spent for books	$ 2,970.58

Source of support: Appropriation.

State Aid: $1,000.

Pickens County—

Pickens County Library, Easley—Mrs. O. K. Higgins:

Population served	32,220
Registered borrowers	9,176
Bookstock	10,662
Circulation	35,857
Income	$ 7,478.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 3,765.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,000.00

Source of support: Appropriation.

State Aid: $1,000.

Richland County—

Richland County Public Library, Columbia—Mrs. Hagood Bostick:

Population served	104,843
Registered borrowers	25,998
Bookstock	107,492
Circulation	534,274
Income	$ 55,214.38
Amount spent for salaries	$ 39,001.78
Amount spent for books	$ 11,143.75

Source of support: 1 mill tax plus appropriation.
State Aid: $1,000.

Saluda County—(See Newberry-Saluda)

Spartanburg County—

Spartanburg Public Library, Spartanburg (serves Spartanburg County)—Miss Nancy C. Blair:

Population served	127,733
Registered borrowers	10,501
Bookstock	44,661
Circulation	153,202
Income	$ 42,056.16
Amount spent for salaries	$ 19,580.00
Amount spent for books	$ 8,215.00

Source of support: 1 mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Sumter County—

Carnegie Public Library, Sumter (serves Sumter County)—Mrs. Frances C. Stuart:

Population served	18,692
Registered borrowers	3,796
Bookstock	22,658
Circulation	124,973
Income	$ 17,685.72
Amount spent for salaries	$ 8,655.00
Amount spent for books	$ 4,000.00

Source of support: 2 mill tax; City appropriation.
State Aid: $1,000.

Lincoln Public Library, Sumter—Miss Evelyn R. Cuthbert:

Population served	6,756
Registered borrowers	535
Bookstock	1,967
Circulation	28,213
Income	$ 450.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 336.00
Amount spent for books	$ 50.21

Source of support: Tax.

Union County—

Union County Free Library, Union—Mrs. Nita Sinclair:

Population served	14,063
Registered borrowers	1,675
Bookstock	6,126
Circulation	62,090
Income	$ 3,025.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 2,340.00
Amount spent for books	$ 1,000.00

Source of support: Appropriation.
State Aid: $500.

Carnegie Library, Union—Miss Neeley Sartor:

Population served	6,051
Registered borrowers	2,145
Bookstock	10,750
Circulation	9,407
Income	$ 1,831.59
Amount spent for salaries	$ 720.00
Amount spent for books	$ 421.12

Source of support: Appropriation.

Williamsburg County—

Kingstree Public Library—Miss Annie Tolly:

Population served	1,587
Registered borrowers	452
Bookstock	6,604
Circulation	5,512
Income	$ 1,074.00
Amount spent for salaries	$ 792.00
Amount spent for books	$ 600.00

Source of support: 1 mill tax.
State Assistance: Book Deposit 216 Vols.

York County—

York County Library, Clover—Mrs. Paul Blanks:

Population served	23,148
Bookstock	10,400
Circulation	45,307
Income	$ 4,213.50
Amount spent for salaries	$ 1,940.00
Amount spent for books	$ 2,000.00

Source of support: ¼ mill tax.
State Aid: $1,000.

Rock Hill Public Library, Rock Hill—Mrs. Nan W. Carson:

Population served	15,009
Registered borrowers	10,825
Bookstock	24,545
Circulation	84,830
Income	$ 13,921.23
Amount spent for salaries	$ 7,152.25
Amount spent for books	$ 2,917.46

Source of support: 2 mill tax.

York Township Free Library, York—Mrs. Helen L. Ervin:

Population served	2,497
Registered borrowers	304
Bookstock	3,708
Circulation	4,200
Income	$ 1,618.46
Amount spent for salaries	$ 600.00
Amount spent for books	$ 387.20

Source of support: 1 mill tax.

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S. C. STATE LIBRARY

SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY BOARD
PROGRESS REPORT, 1943-1950

The South Carolina State Library Board was created by the State Legislature in 1929. It began operation in 1943 when it received its first appropriation. It is administered by a Board of five citizens, appointed by the Governor upon the recommendation of the Superintendent of Education. A staff of six members, three of them professional librarians, carry out the program of the Board in extending and improving public library service in South Carolina.

SUMMARY OF STATISTICS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES 1943-1950

	1943-44	1944-45	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49	1949-50
Population	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804	1,899,804
With public library service	1,020,030	1,058,241	1,068,012	1,185,785	1,195,823	1,308,444	1,308,444
Without public library service ..	879,794	841,563	831,792	714,019	703,981	591,360	591,360
Bookstock of public libraries	620,500	702,107	742,364	821,378	907,766	952,984	1,057,127
Books per capita ..	.33	.37	.39	.43	.48	.50	.55
Circulation of public libraries ..	3,726,222	3,832,397	4,432,659	3,911,766	4,113,035	3,726,860	4,566,996
Circulation per capita	1.96	2.0	2.33	2.0	2.16	1.9	2.4
Total public library income	$274,373.89	$297,451.16	$321,510.75	$356,173.08	$526,186.66	$627,729.83	$691,189.28
Expenditure per capita	.14	.16	.17	.19	.28	.33	.36
Appropriation for State Board ...	$15,000	$15,000	$20,000	$25,485	$50,765	$75,000	$75,000

A measure of the State Library Board's program for the past seven years:

288,434 more South Carolinians now have public library service than in 1943.

The bookstock of all public libraries has increased from **620,500** volumes to **1,057,127** volumes.

Annual circulation of books has increased by **840,774.**

Annual public library income has increased **$416,815.**

Expenditure per capita for public library service has risen from **14c** to **36c.**

ALL BUT TEN COUNTIES NOW HAVE COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICE.