Richland County's new public library building in Columbia, South Carolina. LaFaye, Fair, LaFaye & Associates, Architects.
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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL
from
THE SOUTH CAROLINA STATE LIBRARY BOARD
December 10, 1952

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, 1952. 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
WHAT THE STATE LIBRARY BOARD IS

The South Carolina State Library Board was created by the State 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 is composed 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.

THE BOARD’S PROGRAM

The Board’s program is based on an intelligent plan for economic and efficient public library service for all citizens of the State. This program comprises the following services:

- The advice, help and direction of its staff of public library experts to any public library in the State or to any group of citizens interested in establishing or reorganizing public library service.
- A program of State Aid to County and Regional Libraries which supplements but does not supplant local financial support.
- The development of standards of service for the guidance of public libraries.
- A Book Deposit Service to communities in counties without countywide library service and to State Institutions with no libraries or inadequate libraries.
- An interlibrary loan service through which any public library book is available to any public library patron in the State.
- Cooperation with other State agencies and organizations in carrying out programs for the benefit of the citizens of the State.
- Betterment of the State through the extension of good public library service into the most remote areas and the provision of books and materials to insure the State of an informed public able to deal intelligently with the problems of today.
County Councils of Farm Women believe in libraries and have helped establish them throughout the State. This club group in Colleton enjoy the service they helped establish.

WHAT THE BOARD HAS ACCOMPLISHED

The Board's program was initiated in 1943 when it received its first appropriation and established an office. Since that time public library service has been extended to 508,401 South Carolinians making a total of 1,528,431 to whom public library service is now available. The book stock of all public libraries has been greatly improved by the elimination of the out-of-date and the sub-standard and has increased from 620,500 in 1943 to 1,184,692 in 1952. More accurate methods of counting the use of books by the public have been instituted and the present circulation of books has reached an all time high of 4,955,544 in 1952. State Aid has increased from $200.00 in 1943 to $1,000 in 1952. At the same time local financial support of public library service has risen from $274,373.00 in 1943 to $824,948.00 in 1952. Public libraries are better housed and better equipped than ever before. Numerous new buildings have been built and 42 bookmobiles of the best modern design serve the rural areas. Thirty-
seven counties are now served either by county or regional libraries. The thirty-eighth has appropriated funds to establish this service. The Board’s program has gained national recognition and has served as a guide to other states establishing or reorganizing library extension service. Such fame is flattering, but the Board’s greatest satisfaction comes from the conviction that its program is bringing information, education, and recreation to the people of the State through a network of county and regional libraries whose branches, stations and bookmobiles make books and reading readily available to all the people whether they live in cities, towns, villages or rural areas.

STATE AID

State Aid to County and Regional Libraries has been instrumental in public library development and progress in South Carolina. Not granted to any except those public libraries which serve an entire county or region and which meet certain definite standards of service, State Aid has put a premium on local initiative and responsibility for library service. The first grant made in 1943 was $200 per qualifying county. In 1950-51 this grant was $1,000 per county and is to be increased to $1,500 in 1952-53.

By meeting the requirements for State Aid, public library service has been improved throughout the State. Service has been extended to all but 9 of the State’s 46 counties. Both the quality of service and of personnel has been improved. Perhaps the greatest and most notable improvement has been in the quality of the book stocks of all public libraries. Book stocks are modern and carefully chosen to meet the educational and recreational needs of a growing reading public. The sub-standard, out-of-date, and worn out books have been eliminated. In their place have been purchased authoritative recent books on a great variety of subjects—books for adults, children, and young people. The total book stock of all public libraries is now 1,184,692 or about one-half book per capita—far too few to supply South Carolina’s needs, but with the improvement in book selection policies and with the increase of local and state appropriations for public library service, eventually the needs of the library patrons of the State will be met. In order to qualify for State Aid in 1951-52, 37 counties agreed to the following requirements:
I. To work toward the consolidation of all public libraries in the county to form a strong county library system which will ensure better service for all.

II. To work for increased support of the library and toward eventual tax support or to union with the adjoining county or counties if a tax levy in a single county would not provide adequate support.

III. To adopt a budget with correct proportions between salaries, books and maintenance.

IV. To employ as soon as possible a trained librarian to direct the work of the library.

V. To the systematic purchase of books from standard library lists.

VI. To maintain or contract for service from a central library from which the system is administered which must:
   a. Be kept open 72 hours a week (population of 75,000 or over); 54 hours a week (population 40,000-75,000); 36 hours a week (population 15,000-40,000); 24 hours a week (population under 15,000).
   c. Provide sufficient equipment and supplies.
   d. Maintain a basic reference collection and periodical subscriptions.

VII. To develop an accepted plan (Bookmobiles, branches, stations, etc.) for the distribution and use of books throughout the county.

VIII. To supply the State Library Board with such statistics and information as it may request.

County libraries receiving State Aid by direct cash allotment, 1951-52:

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

- Abbeville
- Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library
- Anderson
- Berkeley
- Calhoun
- Fairfield
- Florence
- Georgetown
- Kershaw
- Lee
- 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.

COMMUNITY BOOK DEPOSITS

Deposits of books, varying in size from 100 to 1,000 volumes, are placed in communities located in counties without county-wide library service and in State Institutions with none or inadequate library service. In these collections there is a great variety of reading material carefully selected to meet the needs of the individual community or institution. The library is under the personal supervision of a professional librarian on the staff of the State Library Board who visits the deposit stations, confers with the custodian, and sees to it that the books are properly cared for and used. As the use of the community book deposits increases the result is often the establishment of a county or regional library which can better serve the needs of the people. At present the following communities are taking advantage of the book deposit 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, Johnston
- Williamsburg County—Kingstree
State Institutions using this service:
State Hospital
State Penitentiary
Industrial School for Boys
Summer Orthopedic Camp for Children
Crippled Children's Convalescent Home
State Training School
School for Deaf and Blind

LOANS TO INDIVIDUALS

In the beginning of the State Library Board's program of public library extension, loans to individuals throughout the state in counties which did not have countywide service constituted a large part of the work of the State Board. As more and more counties have established county library service, direct loans to individuals have decreased. At present most loans to individuals are made by interlibrary loan to fill certain needs for materials not readily available from the local library.

Vacation Reading Clubs are conducted by many public libraries. These Anderson youngsters have successfully completed their club and are having a ride on the Anderson firetruck as a special treat.
INTERLIBRARY LOAN

In spite of the rapid industrialization of the state during recent years, South Carolina is still largely a rural state. There are few public libraries in the State which are able to fill all the requests of all borrowers. In the interest of efficiency and economy the State Library Board operates a system of interlibrary loans through which any book in any public library and in many of the college libraries in the State is available to the individual borrower in any county in the State. Through this system the unusual book, the expensive book on a subject of limited interest, and books for serious study are available to library patrons throughout the State. The system is of general benefit to libraries and to their patrons and is an effective method of improving library service.

INFORMATION AND ADVISORY SERVICES

To existing libraries: As the shortage of professional librarians becomes more acute and as more and more professional librarians leave South Carolina to accept better paying positions in other states, the smaller county and municipal libraries are coming to rely more and more upon the professional staff of 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. Carefully selected lists of books for purchase are prepared and distributed to all of the public libraries in the State. Advice is given on firms which allow the best discount to libraries and which give the best service. The Board assists librarians in reorganizing book collections and in streamlining library procedures. Library Boards consult the State Library Board on the making of budgets, policies of book selection, the employment of librarians, the reorganization of libraries, on staff regulations and on salary schedules. With newly established libraries the staff of the State Library Board works closely with the librarian and the Board during the period of organization and has been largely responsible for the organization and operational procedures of new public library systems in the State.

The staff of the State Library Board works closely with individuals and organizations in counties which do not have countywide library service and which are interested in establishing
this service. Information, advice, and numerous field visits are
given in the interest of extending library service. The profes-
sional staff of the State Library Board are available as consul-
tants on new library buildings, new equipment and new book-
mobiles. This consultant service is of great value to the libraries
and is constantly used.

CENTRALIZED SERVICES

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. Approxi-
mately 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 re-
ports 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.

LIBRARIES IN THE SAVANNAH RIVER AREA

The public libraries in the Savannah River Area are faced
with an insurmountable problem in trying to furnish library ser-
vice to the in-migrants who are crowding into the area in con-
nection with the H-Bomb Project. The three South Carolina
counties in the area, Aiken, Allendale and Barnwell, have a
total resident population of 83,675. By July of 1952 it is esti-
mated that the in-migrants will number 48,500—a 58 per cent
increase in the population of the area.

Public library service in the area has never been on a stand-
ard with that available in more wealthy areas, but it has been
supported to the limit set by the low tax income in the area.
Barnwell has not been able to establish any public library ser-
vice, but in Allendale and Aiken counties the people are served
through main libraries, branches and bookmobiles which carry books even into the remote sections of the counties.

Before the H-Bomb Project was announced, Allendale County had finished construction of a new county library headquarters and Aiken had drawn up plans and secured local appropriations to build an addition to their present building. Both buildings were based on the needs of existing population and were fully adequate to meet those needs—but neither are adequate to meet the needs of the phenomenal increase in population due to the H-Bomb Project. Book collections and equipment are equally inadequate to meet the present needs. Bookmobiles cannot meet their present schedules and serve trailer camps, new housing developments and men's dormitories in that area.

Local people are generous and hospitable and are making every effort to stretch their library service to take care of the new people, but there was never enough margin in the service to cover such an emergency as exists today. The result is unfortunate in that the local county libraries, built up over many years by the efforts of local people, are being bled to serve 58 per cent more people than they were ever designed to serve or received financial support sufficient to provide service for.

That the in-migrants need public library service is incontestable. There is a dearth of adult education and recreation facilities in the Savannah River Area. The new people crowd into the little towns of Aiken, Barnwell, Blackville and Allendale which are completely unprepared to take care of their recreational and educational needs. They come to the libraries for the books on technical subjects which the libraries are unprepared to supply and for books just to read "for fun". With no recreational facilities and with little or no library service, these new people—the workers and the families of the workers on the H-Bomb Project—are forced to while away their leisure time in dull and profitless activity. The libraries in the area are ready and anxious to supply books and library materials to all, but unless some form of Federal aid is forthcoming, they cannot give more than token service.

LIBRARY BUILDING PROGRAM

The Blacksburg Library, a branch of the Cherokee County Library, is occupying a new library building. The building is
of brick construction and cost approximately $8,500. It is furnished attractively with traditional library furniture.

The Greenville Public Library purchased a building which will be used to house the Negro branch library. The building has been completely renovated and provides adequate space for public library service and for the processing and storage of library materials.

The Georgetown County Library building is nearing completion. This building will cost approximately $75,000 and incorporates the historic old goal building, one of the colonial structures in Georgetown. The top floor of the old building was removed and the bricks used to face the outside walls of the wings and auditorium of the new part of the building so that the whole building will conform to the construction features of the colonial building. The new building is fireproof throughout. Both the children’s room and the adult reading room face garden areas. An auditorium which will seat 200 people provides accommodations for meetings of club groups. An area for two bookmobiles is included in the building adjacent to the stack area.

Construction has begun on the addition to the building which will house the Aiken County Library. In addition to the new wing, the old building is being completely renovated and rearranged. The new wing will provide shelving for around 40,000 books and includes a bookmobile area and work and storage space. A feature of the building is an automatic book lift between the stack levels.

The Calhoun County Library has secured a handsome old resident in St. Matthews, one of the oldest houses in the town, which will be completely restored and renovated to house the county library. This building will also house the Calhoun County Historical Commission which will occupy separate quarters. There will be a small auditorium which will seat around 100 people and will provide a meeting place for clubs and other groups. The building is planned for economy in administration. The children’s room, young people’s reading room, adult reading room, and reference room can all be easily supervised from a central desk. A bookmobile loading platform with immediate access to the book area is being provided to simplify the administration of the rural service. The interior of the building will
be finished in keeping with the period of the building and suitable furniture will be purchased.

Richland County's new library building is nearing completion. This will be the largest public library building in the State and will be one of the most modern and attractive. The building will be completely air-conditioned. An open plan, making for easy supervision, has been the rule throughout. Four levels of stacks provide housing for the present bookstock and will allow for a 20 year expansion. The building is in the modern style of architecture and will be furnished in Swedish modern with the greatest possible use made of color.

The Kershaw County Library has begun construction of the new branch library which will house Negro service for Camden and Kershaw County. This building is in the colonial style and is of brick construction. An open plan makes for easy supervision and for the greatest possible use of space.

The South Carolina State Library Board is occupying new quarters in a new state office building. A whole section of the building was set aside for the State Library Board and was planned to fit the service given by the Board. The bookmobile is housed within the building in a space immediately adjacent to the stack area. A large workroom area facilitates the processing of books. The two level stack section provides housing for approximately 40,000 books. A feature of this building is air-conditioning.

**LIBRARY PROGRESS DURING THE YEAR**

Plans were approved and construction begun on new library buildings in the following counties:

- Richland, Kershaw, Calhoun, Cherokee, Georgetown, and Aiken.

- The Allendale-Hampton-Jasper Regional Library opened a branch for Negroes in Allendale County.

- The State Library Board moved into new offices at 1001 Main Street, Columbia.
S. C. LIBRARY BOARD PUBLICATIONS


Radio “Spots” for county libraries. Issued quarterly: September, December, March and June. (Processed)

Basic reference collection. 1952 7 p. (Processed)

Suggested list of adult periodicals for small libraries scaled for buying. S. C. County Library manual. 1952. 1 p. (Processed)

Books to help build international understanding. 1952. Leaflet (Processed)

Widen your horizons through books. (Juvenile). 1952. Leaflet (Processed)

Books for recreational leaders, volunteer-professional. 1951. Leaflet. (Processed)

Good reading for home demonstration clubs. 1952. Leaflet. (Processed)

Help yourself to success ... 1951. Leaflet. (Processed)

“I’m building a better South Carolina ... I’m a good trustee.” 1951. Leaflet. (Processed)

Careers by the score in libraries. 1952. Leaflet. (S. C. Library Association. Recruiting Committee)
# EXPENDITURES

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**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:

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"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".

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Appropriation for State Board

- 1943-44: $15,000
- 1944-45: $15,000
- 1945-46: $20,000
- 1946-47: $25,485
- 1947-48: $50,765
- 1948-49: $75,000
- 1949-50: $75,000
- 1950-51: $71,400
- 1951-52: $79,917

A measure of the State Library Board's Program for the past nine years:
- 508,401 more South Carolinians now have public library service than in 1943.
- The Bookstock of all public libraries has increased from 620,500 volumes to 1,184,692 volumes.
- Annual circulation of books has increased by 1,529,322 volumes.
- Annual public library income has increased $550,575—an increase of 332%. Expenditure per capita for public library service has risen from 14c to 39c.
- All but nine counties now have county library service.

S. C. STATE LIBRARY BOARD
1001 Main Street
Columbia, S. C.
STATISTICS—SOUTH CAROLINA PUBLIC LIBRARIES
1951-52

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 14,934
Registered borrowers 562
Bookstock 6,056
Circulation 39,906
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—Miss Josephine Crouch:

Population served 37,446
Registered borrowers 4,864
Bookstock 19,410
Circulation 110,243
Income $7,846.79
Amount spent for salaries $4,860.00
Amount spent for books $2,000.00
Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,000

Allendale County—

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

Population served 16,001
Registered borrowers 3,211
Bookstock 25,832
Circulation 44,650
Income $9,465.82
Amount spent for salaries $4,712.00
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 ...................................................... 51,942
Bookstock ................................................................. 14,819
Circulation ............................................................... 100,654
Income ................................................................. $ 7,408.04
Amount spent for salaries ........................................... $ 3,600.00
Amount spent for books ............................................. $ 3,500.00
Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,000

Anderson Public Library, Anderson—Miss Jean Brabham:
Population served ...................................................... 19,770
Registered borrowers ............................................... 4,738
Bookstock ................................................................. 31,332
Circulation ............................................................... 78,449
Income ................................................................. $16,685.68
Source of support: 1½ mill tax

Belton Library, Belton—Miss Nell Payne:
Population served ...................................................... 2,713
Registered borrowers ............................................... 942
Bookstock ................................................................. 6,751
Circulation ............................................................... 9,211
Income ................................................................. $ 2,385.54
Amount spent for salaries ........................................... $ 1,080.00
Amount spent for books ............................................. $ 520.91
Source of support: 1 mill tax

Carnegie Library, Honea Path—Mrs. M. G. Shirley:
Population served ...................................................... 2,470
Bookstock ................................................................. 3,184
Circulation ............................................................... 5,285
Income ................................................................. $ 577.77
Source of support: Appropriation

Bamberg County—

Bamberg County Library, Bamberg—Mrs. E. A. Hooton:
Population served ...................................................... 2,033
Bookstock ................................................................. 7,606
Circulation ............................................................... 7,223
Income ................................................................. $1,126.00
Amount spent for salaries ........................................... $ 600.00
Amount spent for books ............................................. $ 526.00
Source of support: Appropriation
State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly
### Barnwell County—
Williston Public Library, Williston—Mrs. Alma W. Sanders:
- Population served: 896
- Bookstock: 2,378
- Circulation: 5,290
- Income: $280.00

Source of support: Book club
State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly

### Beaufort County—
Beaufort Township Library, Beaufort—Miss Mabel Runnette:
- Population served: 14,400
- Registered borrowers: 5,770
- Bookstock: 14,179
- Circulation: 14,387
- Income: $4,454.92
- Amount spent for salaries: $1,859.50
- Amount spent for books: $586.69

Source of support: 1½ mill tax

### Berkeley County—
Berkeley County Library, Moncks Corner—Miss Julia M. Kirk:
- Population served: 11,169
- Registered borrowers: 1,200
- Bookstock: 10,750
- Circulation: 35,700
- Income: $6,870.19
- Amount spent for salaries: $4,485.00
- 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: 4,989
- Registered borrowers: 4,765
- Bookstock: 9,211
- Circulation: 51,144
- Income: $4,364.50
- Amount spent for salaries: $1,880.00
- 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: 164,856
- Registered borrowers: 25,868
- Bookstock: 108,503
- Circulation: 518,562
- Income: $75,810.71
- Amount spent for salaries: $47,568.25
- Amount spent for books: $14,810.82
- Source of support: Appropriation
- State Aid: $1,000

Cherokee County—

Cherokee County Public Library, Gaffney—Miss Nell Garrard:

- Population served: 29,145
- Registered borrowers: 2,741
- Bookstock: 27,367
- Circulation: 117,240
- Income: $19,931.17
- Amount spent for salaries: $9,500.00
- Amount spent for books: $6,500.00
- Source of support: 1 mill tax, plus appropriation
- State Aid: $1,000

Chester County—

Chester County Library, Chester—Mrs. Elizabeth C. Williams

- Population served: 21,359
- Registered borrowers: 6,751
- Bookstock: 21,047
- Circulation: 105,542
- Income: $22,945.56
- Amount spent for salaries: $12,060.00
- Amount spent for books: $6,500.00
- Source of support: 1¼ mill tax
- State Aid: $1,000

Chesterfield County—

Cheraw Public Library, Cheraw—Mrs. Austin Brewer:

- Population served: 2,614
- Registered borrowers: 2,471
- Bookstock: 5,375
- Circulation: 8,897
- Income: $965.71
- Amount spent for salaries: $660.00
- Source of support: Appropriation
- State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly
Clarendon County—
Manning Library, Manning—Mrs. R. A. Chandler:
Population served 1,427
Registered borrowers 335
Bookstock 1,836
Circulation 4,840
Income $542.00
Amount spent for salaries $180.00
Amount spent for books $50.00
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 4,886
Bookstock 10,010
Circulation 77,277
Income $9,774.59
Amount spent for salaries $4,739.30
Amount spent for books $2,195.17
Source of support: Appropriation
State Aid: $1,000

Walterboro Library Society Library, Walterboro—Miss Amelia S. Fraser:
Population served 2,684
Registered borrowers 2,625
Bookstock 7,238
Circulation 3,413
Income $1,896.57
Amount spent for salaries $1,320.00
Amount spent for books $440.00
Source of support: Appropriation

Darlington County—
Darlington County Library, Darlington—Miss Annie James, Acting Librarian:
Population served 37,739
Registered borrowers 2,164
Bookstock 21,961
Circulation 137,636
Income $14,463.83
Amount spent for salaries $7,980.00
Amount spent for books $3,750.00
Source of support: 1½ mill tax
State Aid: $1,000
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Florence Public Library, Florence—Miss Martha G. Smith:
- Population served: 22,513
- Registered borrowers: 3,186
- Bookstock: 23,246
- Circulation: 31,306
- Income: $15,903.13
- Amount spent for salaries: $11,235.00
- Amount spent for books: $4,164.13
- Source of support: 3 mill tax

Georgetown County—
Georgetown County Library, Georgetown—City:
- Mrs. Effie B. Thatcher; County: Mrs. Mary S. Bonds:
- Population served: 14,906
- Registered borrowers: 2,640
- Bookstock: 14,059
- Circulation: 53,090
- Income: $6,145.00
- Amount spent for salaries: $4,099.00
- Amount spent for books: $1,000.00
- Source of support: Appropriation
- State Aid: $500

Greenville County—
Greenville Public Library, Greenville (serves Greenville County)—Mr. Charles E. Stow:
- Population served: 168,152
- Registered borrowers: 21,233
- Bookstock: 125,646
- Circulation: 519,834
- Income: $68,994.97
- Amount spent for salaries: $39,521.99
- Amount spent for books: $11,866.98
- Source of support: $1,000

Greenwood County—
Greenwood City and County Public Library, Greenwood—Miss Elizabeth L. Porcher:
- Population served: 33,665
- Registered borrowers: 4,552
- Bookstock: 26,363
- Circulation: 94,500
- Income: $20,400.00
- Amount spent for salaries: $11,132.00
- Amount spent for books: $3,500.00
- Source of support: 1½ mill tax
- State Aid: $1,000

Hampton County—(See Allendale-Hampton-Jasper)
Horry County—

**Horry County Memorial Library, Conway—Miss Dorothy Smith:**

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Chapin Memorial Library, Myrtle Beach—Mrs. Martha J. Norment: An affiliate of the Horry County Library:

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Jasper County—(See Allendale-Hampton-Jasper)

**Kershaw County—**

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

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

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Laurens County—

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

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Lee County—

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

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Lexington County—

Lexington County Circulating Library, Batesburg—Miss Lorena Miller:

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Marion County—

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Marlboro County—

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Newberry County—

Newberry-Saluda Regional Library, Newberry—Mrs. Joella S. Neel:

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### Oconee County—

Oconee County Library, Walhalla—Mrs. Elizabeth B. Greene:

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### 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:
- Population served: 142,565
- Registered borrowers: 21,035
- Bookstock: 115,694
- Circulation: 540,484
- Income: $70,199.61
- Amount spent for salaries: $40,860.55
- Amount spent for books: $12,149.56
- Source of support: 1 mill tax
- State Aid: $1,000

Saluda County—(See Newberry-Saluda)

Spartanburg County—

Spartanburg Public Library, Spartanburg (serves Spartanburg County)—Miss Nancy C. Blair:
- Population served: 128,946
- Registered borrowers: 7,753
- Bookstock: 55,339
- Circulation: 202,358
- Income: $42,659.82
- Amount spent for salaries: $24,509.00
- Amount spent for books: $12,200.00
- Source of support: 1 mill tax
- State Aid: $1,000

Sumter County—

Carnegie Public Library, Sumter (serves Sumter County)—Mr. James Pickering:
- Population served: 24,630
- Registered borrowers: 4,743
- Bookstock: 25,096
- Circulation: 144,567
- Income: $23,507.59
- Amount spent for salaries: $10,090.40
- Amount spent for books: $4,004.00
- Source of support: 2 mill tax; City appropriation
- State Aid: $1,000

Lincoln Public Library, Sumter—Miss Evelyn R. Cuthbert:
- Population served: 6,856
- Registered borrowers: 873
- Bookstock: 2,032
- Circulation: 47,938
- Income: $650.00
- Amount spent for salaries: $394.00
- Amount spent for books: $148.70
- Source of support: Tax
### Union County

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

| Description                  | Value          |
|------------------------------|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Population served            | 14,259         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Registered borrowers         | 1,780          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Bookstock                    | 6,578          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Circulation                  | 68,788         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Income                       | $4,285.00      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for salaries    | $3,060.00      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for books       | $1,000         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Source of support:           | Appropriation  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| State Aid                    | $500           |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

#### Carnegie Library, Union—Miss Neeley Sartor:

| Description                  | Value          |
|------------------------------|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Population served            | 7,021          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Registered borrowers         | 2,186          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Bookstock                    | 11,162         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Circulation                  | 8,542          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Income                       | $3,313.57      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for salaries    | $720.00        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for books       | $432.06        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Source of support:           | Appropriation  |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

#### Williamsburg County

#### Kingstree Public Library, Kingstree—Mrs. Jimmye B. Watson:

| Description                  | Value          |
|------------------------------|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Population served            | 2,022          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Registered borrowers         | 385            |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Bookstock                    | 5,992          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Circulation                  | 3,955          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Income                       | $2,129.33      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for salaries    | $1,134.00      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for books       | $237.56        |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| State Assistance: Book Deposit. Exchanged quarterly |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |

#### York County

#### York County Library, Clover—Mrs. Paul Blanks:

<p>| Description                  | Value          |
|------------------------------|----------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Population served            | 27,395         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Registered borrowers         | 5,541          |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Bookstock                    | 11,781         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Circulation                  | 48,205         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Income                       | $4,214.20      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for salaries    | $1,964.00      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Amount spent for books       | $2,000.00      |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| Source of support:           | ¼ mill tax     |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |
| State Aid                    | $1,000         |   |   |   |   |   |   |   |</p>
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Horton, Robbie Jackson—Librarian—Lancaster County Library, Lancaster.
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Hunter, Mrs. Sarah—Branch Assistant—Greenville Public Library, Greenville.
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Johnson, Mrs. Ruby—Bookmobile Assistant—Newberry-Saluda Regional Library, Newberry.
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Jordan, Mrs. Floride H.—Bookmobile Assistant—Kershaw County Library, Camden.
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Koster, Desmond—Librarian—Medical College of S. C., Charleston.
Lander, Sarah S.—Government Documents Librarian—Clemson College Library, Clemson.
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Latimer, Clara G.—Librarian—Sanders Negro Branch, Laurens County Library, Laurens.
Lawrence, Mrs. Maude—Librarian—Dunbar Memorial Library, Dillon County Library, Dillon.
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McFadden, Mrs. Ethel M.—Reference Librarian—Chester County Library, Chester.
McGregor, Jane Ann—Children's Librarian—Spartanburg Public Library, Spartanburg.
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Mahon, Margaret—Children's Librarian—Greenville Public Library, Greenville.
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Wingfield, Mrs. R. C.—Assistant Librarian—Wofford College Library, Spartanburg.
Witherspoon, Mrs. Frances—Custodian, Westminster Branch—Oconee County Library, Westminster.
Wood, Shirley—Librarian—Columbia Bible College Library, Columbia.
Woodham, Martha—Assistant, Children’s Room—Richland County Library, Columbia.
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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 1943-52

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A measure of the State Library Board's Program for the past nine years:
508,401 more South Carolinians now have public library service than in 1943.
The Bookstock of all public libraries has increased from 620,500 volumes to 1,184,692 volumes.
Annual circulation of books has increased by 1,128,531 volumes.
Annual public library income has increased $550,575—an increase of 332%.
Expenditure per capita for public library service has risen from 14c to 39c.
ALL BUT NINE COUNTIES NOW HAVE COUNTY LIBRARY SERVICE.