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LETTER OF TRANSMITTAL

To the State Board of Administration
Bismarck, North Dakota

Herewith is submitted the Fifteenth Biennial Report of the North Dakota State Library Commission, covering the period from July 1, 1934 to June 30, 1936.

LILLIAN E. COOK,
Secretary and Director.

REPORT OF THE SECRETARY AND DIRECTOR, 1934-36**State Library Commission**

Happily after a period generally designated as "Depression" the State Library Commission has some positive gains to record. These include a biennial gain in circulation; new juvenile book service to the small libraries of the state; the organization of a state wide book repair project; cooperation with the State Department of Public Instruction in the new ruling in regard to trained librarians in high schools; and the rearrangement of the State Library Commission office and working space and book stacks. The period reflects the unusual economic and social conditions which have affected established activities and progress, stimulating some, retarding some, and inaugurating others. The State Library Commission has been glad to continue to cooperate with state departments and to associate also with the new federal departments which have had so large a part in North Dakota's history the past two years.

Throughout the state there has been a great interest in local libraries, with the American Legion Auxiliary especially active. The federal recreational directors in the various counties have also been interested, and many new collections have been assembled and opened to the public. The Commission regrets that the introduction to community borrowing of books has had to come through untrained service, but is counting on the new readers to support more adequate library service when it is possible.

The completion of the new capitol building released space in the Liberty Memorial building which had been assigned to the State Library Commission when the building was planned but which for various reasons had never been available. In the distribution of space by the Board of Administration, the State Library Commission was given the rooms south of the stairway on the ground and first floors, and the stacks on the first floor and its mezzanine. A doorway was cut between the two first floor west rooms, both were redecorated, and they provide a much needed office for the secretary, a commodious room to house the files for the clippings and pamphlets, the play collection, a reading table, and shelving for professional books. The former office has the desks for the stenographer and reference librarian; the main floor stacks accommodate the clerks' desks; the office of the Traveling Library Department has been moved to the ground floor in a room adjacent to the storage room for the Traveling Library collections when they are not in the field. The Traveling Library suite contains a supply closet, a combined work and office room, and a small typewriting room.

This arrangement eased the hampering congestion in office and shelving space, and has made working conditions much better.

Staff changes caused by low wage scale were numerous and are outlined below.

Reference Librarian

July, 1934-October 15, 1935.....	Elizabeth Gieseler
November 23, 1935-March 19, 1936.....	Leona Christensen
May 15, 1936-date.....	Doris Hidde

Stenographer

July, 1934-April, 1935.....	Frances Heath
April, 1935-November, 1935.....	Chrissie Budge
December, 1935-date.....	Arlene Wagner

Clerk

July, 1934-January, 1936.....	Marion Jordan
February, 1936-date.....	Marian Morton

A comparison of the directories in this report and that of 1932-34 will show many changes in librarians, two association libraries no longer functioning, and service established in thirteen towns.

ADMINISTRATIVE DEPARTMENT

The Secretary-director has had to devote considerable time to other than Commission administrative duties. The organization of federal library projects required many hours while the program was getting started, and because of personnel changes much of the reference work of 1935-36 had to be done by the secretary and the head of the Traveling Library Department. Field work was reduced to a minimum partly because of press of office work and partly because of lack of travel funds. During 1934 three district library meetings were held, but none were scheduled in 1935. Attendance at two state library meetings, two North Dakota Educational Association meetings, one of the Federation of Women's Clubs, the organization of the Wahpeton Indian School Library, and conferences and board meetings at twelve towns completed the Secretary's field work.

We have always felt that the small public libraries of the state were entitled to more help than it has been possible to offer them. Unfortunately the things they need most, money for supplies and new popular books to supplement the local collection are just the things the Commission's small budget will not provide. This lack was partially supplied as far as juvenile books are concerned through the generous cooperation of book publishers who donated sample copies of their new publications. These books were sorted,

graded, and sent to the public libraries first as book week or special exhibits and later for circulation purposes. A collection of juvenile books was borrowed in the spring of 1936 from a lending agency in Philadelphia, and these have been sent in groups of about twenty-five to small libraries to help meet the summer demand.

Preliminary work has been done on a new edition of Bulletin No. 5 (the list of books for grade school libraries) but because the Department of Public Instruction could not finance its printing, its completion and distribution must wait a later date.

TRAVELING LIBRARY DEPARTMENT

The number of books purchased has been limited, and many have gone to replace worn-out copies in older libraries so that the actual number of new libraries is smaller than ever before—24 as against 27 during the previous biennium. And yet we have met an increase in circulation of 2,063 over the previous period. 1934-35 was the best year the Traveling Library Department has known. Always the circulation could have been larger if there had been more books to meet the peak of the winter demand.

It is gratifying to note that satisfied borrowers have returned to ask for more service, 321 of them in the second half of the period as against 286 in the first half. Some stations have been served continuously for nearly thirty years. The bank at Heaton began in 1908 under Mr. C. I. Turner, and since his death his son Howard Turner has continued this fine piece of community service.

The schools continue to be the heaviest borrowers. These lean years have seen many communities unable to supply books for the school libraries and they have been grateful for a central state agency to turn to. Superintendents of high schools increasingly ask for help in supplying the necessary outside reading for their English students. Both Traveling Library and Reference Departments have contributed to this.

Federal aid under FERA and WPA has made possible increased efficiency in Traveling Library service. Light wooden shipping cases were made by the carpenters for small collections of 20-25 books. These go by parcel post, and the durable cases, instead of pasteboard boxes, have been making the shipping more convenient and much safer. The average amount of postage has been thirty-five cents each way, and these small libraries have been very popular. Circulating for three months only they have doubled the turnover, in comparison with the heavy freight cases which go for six months.

Aid in book-mending under WPA has been another outstanding help. One woman has been kept busy through the year, and three during the summer when all the traveling libraries are gathered in to be renovated.

REFERENCE DEPARTMENT

The Reference Department is the branch of the Library Commission that serves directly the persons of the state and its employees in Bismarck. Of necessity about 90% of the requests for specific books, information, or collections of books is received by mail. By this means library service is made available to persons in isolated communities. The Library Commission also supplements from its collection material found in the small library units. Assistance is given to clubs throughout the State by means of program suggestions, outlines, and collections of material. Forty-five clubs were registered for regular service last year, and a number of others requested material for their programs from time to time. Schools are served by sending books for required reading, debate material and declamations at their request. Every effort is made to serve the inhabitants of this state with worthwhile up-to-date material for serious study and books in a lighter vein for recreational reading. For this purpose reading lists are compiled with a view to aid people in selecting their books, and bibliographies on special subjects are prepared upon request.

FEDERAL

The reports of many state departments for the past two years must include not only those activities financed by the regular state appropriation but also those carried out in cooperation with federal funds. The State Library Commission has worked with the federal agencies on various library projects which during this period have emphasized staff help rather than renovation of buildings.

FERA

The Federal Emergency Relief Administration succeeded the Civil Works Administration in the spring of 1935. Fortunately most of the librarians who had been employed under CWA were continued on FERA library projects, were transferred to other projects or secured private employment.

The largest project developed under FERA was a county wide plan for mending and cleaning the books in public and school libraries which was tried out in four counties. Workers were trained at the State Library Commission, supplies paid for by FERA funds were selected and bought by the Commission and sent to the various counties. Supervision and checking were not provided for, but the project was so successful that it was expanded and continued under WPA.

WPA

In the fall of 1935 projects were submitted providing for the cleaning and repairing of library and text books in rural and small town schools and the public libraries of the state, clerical help for

all libraries and a supervisory staff. Owing to various federal complications the work was not really started until January, 1936 after which it was established rapidly.

Clerical and staff help was given in most of the public libraries, some in combination with county wide book mending projects, but fifteen with one or more full time workers. Eighty-four other groups of relief women were trained and organized to clean and mend text and library books in public schools, special emphasis being placed on small town and rural schools. On these various projects 415 persons were employed, and up to June 30, 58,623 books were mended at an average cost of .033 cents a volume, exclusive of wages. Hospital work was continued at Bismarck and established at Williston. Back work was cleaned up in many libraries and much necessary mending done. Some professional organizing was done in public and school libraries.

STATISTICAL REPORT 1934-36

Books

Traveling Library:

Number of traveling libraries.....	388
Number of libraries added during period.....	24
Number of books added during period.....	787
Number of books in libraries.....	15,180

Reference Department:

Number of books.....	17,888
Number of books added during period.....	740
Number of pamphlets.....	18,200

Circulation

Traveling Library:

	1934-35	1935-36	Total
Number of libraries circulated.....	623	567	1,190
School	469	449	918
Community	154	118	272
Number of books shipped	23,177	20,701	43,878
Number of new stations.....	129	117	246

Reference Department:

Number of requests.....	11,348	9,104	20,452
Number of books circulated.....	53,068	42,901	95,969
Number of magazines and pamphlets.....	9,343	9,658	19,001
Total Reference circulation.....	62,411	52,559	114,970
Total Commission circulation.....	85,588	73,260	158,848

PLACE	1930 Population	RECEIPTS			
		TAX		TOTAL	
		1934-1935	1935-1936	1934-1935	1935-1936
Over 2,500					
1. Fargo	28,619	13,237	13,447	16,182	14,450
2. Grand Forks	17,112	4,600	6,000	5,701	7,166
3. Minot	16,099	4,834	6,396	5,490	7,132
4. Bismarck	11,090	7,400	8,200	8,403	9,170
5. Jamestown	8,187	2,500	4,200	4,200	5,834
6. Devils Lake	5,451	3,707	3,598	4,078	4,036
7. Valley City	5,268	3,577	2,089	3,824	2,285
8. Dickinson	5,025	4,000	4,000	4,272	4,262
9. Williston	5,106	1,698	4,147	1,995	8,147
10. Wahpeton	3,176	3,000	3,000	3,472	3,100
11. Grafton	3,136	1,100	1,084	1,662	1,640
Under 2,500					
12. Ashley	1,033	25	25	153	237
13. Bowman	888	389	393	623	670
14. Carrington	1,717	1,287	690	1,287	705
15. Casselton	1,253	300	300	300	...
16. Ellendale	1,264	350	350	611	590
17. Garrison	1,024	190	...	210	...
18. Hankinson	1,400	377	40	12	45
19. Lakota	860	377	360	444	400
20. LaMoure	889	500	500	546	500
21. Langdon	1,221	...	...	...	...
22. Lidgerwood	1,029	515	650	565	837
23. Lisbon	1,650	967	1,182	1,631	1,324
24. Mayville	1,199	584	...	714	...
25. Mott	1,036	360	360	379	381
26. Oakes	1,709	828	883	999	1,169
27. Park River	1,131	400	400	408	415
28. Rugby	1,512	100	100	161	164
29. Velva	870	50	50	67	95
30. Wishek	1,146	...	75	...	80

PLACE	EXPENDITURES							
	SALARIES		HEAT, RENT, LIGHT		BOOKS MAGAZINES		TOTAL	
	1934-35	1935-36	1934-35	1935-36	1934-35	1935-36	1934-35	1935-36
Over 2,500								
1. Fargo	7,279	7,199	709	779	2,591	2,766	13,513	14,392
2. Grand Forks	3,826	3,773	898	1,006	869	767	6,026	6,745
3. Minot	2,892	2,501	435	394	1,285	1,408	5,407	5,001
4. Bismarck	4,127	4,454	743	640	1,421	2,087	8,409	9,182
5. Jamestown	1,383	2,144	541	510	993	1,551	3,864	5,350
6. Devils Lake	1,492	1,440	390	344	501	710	2,758	4,134
7. Valley City	1,851	1,800	365	424	536	730	2,955	3,500
8. Dickinson	2,075	1,984	309	318	1,297	1,560	4,420	4,241
9. Williston	1,710	1,831	441	485	1,168	1,143	2,699	4,187
10. Wahpeton	1,530	1,585	484	548	417	634	2,099	3,323
11. Grafton	947	947	...	84	490	406	1,529	1,574
Under 2,500								
12. Ashley	120	120	...	...	62	104	182	224
13. Bowman	326	325	66	62	239	100	628	671
14. Carrington	600	600	22	18	442	223	973	1,062
15. Casselton	150	150	...	...	138	104	290	264
16. Ellendale	370	370	...	...	183	155	610	591
17. Garrison	60	...	10	...	44	...	177	...
18. Hankinson	...	40	...	...	8	5	15	45
19. Lakota	216	216	...	...	44	36	398	401
20. LaMoure	305	300	...	...	182	159	528	550
21. Langdon	150	150	...	...	186	218	...	268
22. Lidgerwood	342	374	57	175	87	96	587	773
23. Lisbon	482	475	142	180	174	189	1,105	1,332
24. Mayville	345	240	192	...	98	144	711	794
25. Mott	180	300	15	...	21	39	430	349
26. Oakes	636	608	...	...	160	392	855	1,077
27. Park River	180	180	...	...	88	74	268	320
28. Rugby	78	51	...	...	58	120	143	214
29. Velva	...	...	...	...	23	78	26	101
30. Wishek	52	52	...	...	10	5	120	71

REPORT OF STATE LIBRARY COMMISSION

PLACE	CIRCULATION			Volumes	Borrowers	Hours Open Per Week	Rural Borrowers
	1934-35	1935-36	Total				
Over 2,500							
1. Fargo	205,949	202,053	408,022	34,125	19,288	72	421
2. Grand Forks	76,862	75,423	152,285	14,350	5,948	42	93
3. Minot	185,046	148,151	333,197	17,680	7,178	72	...
4. Bismarck	151,031	162,241	313,272	13,752	7,088	54	...
5. Jamestown	69,315	74,259	143,574	13,017	6,004	36	807
6. Devils Lake	32,047	28,217	60,264	8,741	2,724	40	34
7. Valley City	37,985	38,179	76,174	13,290	2,806	36	203
8. Dickinson	52,571	50,351	102,922	12,185	3,857	51	239
9. Williston	28,492	30,222	58,714	10,772	3,801	42	26
10. Wahpeton	26,191	26,858	53,049	10,297	2,414	33	...
11. Grafton	27,050	25,868	52,918	5,316	1,458	24	6
Under 2,500							
12. Ashley	5,460	4,836	10,296	8,915	340	6	...
13. Bowman	6,333	6,021	12,354	6,706	704	14	...
14. Carrington	23,100	18,768	41,868	6,980	2,475	25	956
15. Casselton	5,200	4,420	9,620	900	150	4	...
16. Ellendale	15,538	15,300	30,838	4,005	1,076	15	350
17. Garrison	1,820	...	...	1,156	...	8	...
18. Hankinson	5,720	3,264	8,984	4,300	500	4	50
19. Lakota	7,386	12,020	19,406	4,733	...	9	...
20. LaMoure	11,870	9,530	21,400	3,215	1,092	9	459
21. Langdon	10,814	12,000	22,814	5,110	275	8	...
22. Lidgerwood	11,503	7,915	19,418	4,130	827	24	...
23. Lisbon	12,577	10,622	23,199	3,783	1,079	27	225
24. Mayville	3,515	4,732	8,247	4,003	567	8	8
25. Mott	2,914	3,715	6,629	2,881	1,090	9	...
26. Oakes	29,255	25,844	55,099	6,127	1,144	20	318
27. Park River	5,830	7,540	13,370	2,636	780	8	125
28. Rugby	7,280	13,000	20,280	2,257	1,114	8	300
29. Velva	9,100	9,880	18,900	5,715	425	6	...
30. Wishek	5,200	5,200	10,400	1,271	90	6	...

TOWN	Population	EXPENDITURES			Volumes	Borrowers	Total Circulation	Hours Open Per Week	Free to Grades
		Books & Magazines	Total						
1. *Barney	...	...	120	...	...	...	2	Free
2. Bathgate	292	42	64	1,000	250	3,060	1	Free	
3. Beulah	913	24	41	1,237	22	4,263	2	Free	
4. Bowbells	695	...	10	773	340	2,700	4	Free	
5. Cando	1,164	50	126	3,485	70	5,460	2	Free	
6. Carson	356	2	...	519	167	...	4	Free	
7. Cavalier	850	43	50	1,534	346	8,112	3 1/2	Free	
8. *Cogswell	426	15	20	857	126	...	3	Free	
9. Courtenay	350	2	7	826	108	1,352	1 1/2	Free	
10. Crosby	1,271	...	...	1,535	714	10,140	11	Free
11. Dawson	306	6	8	700	87	5,924	2	Free	
12. Drake	644	64	88	1,195	685	5,230	3	Free	
13. Enderlin	1,839	124	135	2,944	1,125	21,424	13	Free	
14. Fessenden	738	54	60	3,256	...	9,708	4	Free	
15. *Finley	587	...	...	194	...	...	12	Free
16. *Flaxton	423	12	12	481	62	...	5	Free	
17. *Gackle	493	17	34	156	86	583	4	Free	
18. Hamilton	151	18	18	862	...	2,808	2	Free	
19. Hansboro	176	6	...	355	40	6,136	2	Free	
20. Heaton	...	9	10	520	120	3,920	44	Free	
21. Hettinger	1,292	17	60	762	280	12,427	3	Free	
22. *Hillsboro	1,317	...	...	151	...	...	3	Free
23. Hope	535	45	45	1,423	100	4,836	15	Free	
24. Leeds	704	50	...	...	...	13,676	6	Free
25. Leonard	...	...	14	1,950	...	5,752	6	Free
26. *Linton	1,192	175	320	341	105	3,848	4	Free	
27. *McHenry	219	...	...	120	50	...	3	Free
28. Mandan	5,037	...	...	7,214	...	13,354	7	Free
29. New England	911	19	...	1,156	375	5,040	3	Free	
30. New Rockford	2,195	35	...	3,000	400	...	7	Free	
31. Pembina	551	35	35	1,800	105	...	4	Free	
32. *Portal	512	10	...	1,132	248	2,116	6	Free	
33. *Regent	308	20	60	625	90	2,860	3	Free	
34. Rolla	852	50	89	1,270	1,324	2,860	2	Free	
35. St. John	372	10	15	521	500	2,641	3	Free	
36. St. Thomas	595	142	185	2,185	...	11,180	3	Free	
37. Sanish	463	20	23	445	570	1,976	1	Free	
38. Tioga	435	...	...	763	48	2,247	42	Free
39. Towner	622	32	72	654	217	5,556	15	Free	
40. Turtle Lake	579	16	...	1,228	10	2,236	2	Free	
41. Velva	870	77	101	5,715	425	11,980	6	Free	
42. *Verona	222	...	...	77	47	1,560	2	Free
43. Wimbledon	421	10	...	800	60	...	1	Free	

The following Libraries are functioning but have not sent in reports for either year of the Biennial period: Beach, Edgeley, Goodrich, Lansford, Milton, Mohall, Neche, New Salem, Tolna.

*Libraries open less than two years.

Place	Name of Library	Librarian
Ashley	Public Library	Mrs. H. L. Woll
Barney	Public Library	Mrs. James Little
Bathgate	Public Library	Mrs. Herbert C. Thomson
Beach	Public Library	Marian Wallace
Beulah	Public Library	Mrs. F. C. Worch
Bismarck	Public Library	Ellen B. Lawin
Bismarck	State Historical Library	Mrs. Florence Davis
Bismarck	State Library Commission	Lillian E. Cook
Bismarck	State Law Library	Mr. E. J. Taylor
Bottineau	Forestry School	L. Naomi Aplund
Bowbells	Study Club Library	Claire Buskrude
Bowman	Public Library	Mrs. Mertie Pond
Cando	Public Library	Mrs. Mai Riggs
Carrington	Public Library	Mrs. Ella Mae Hargrave
Carson	Public Library	Mrs. C. N. Harmon
Casselton	Public Library	Mrs. Emir D. Scott
Cavalier	Public Library	Mrs. Fred Harris
Cogswell	Public Library	Mrs. Paul G. Hample
Courtenay	Public Library	Mrs. A. A. Hoffman
Crosby	Public Library	Mrs. H. Covell
Dawson	Public Library	Mrs. C. A. Cross
Devils Lake	Carnegie Library	Marie E. O'Brien
Devils Lake	State Deaf School	Burton W. Driggs
Dickinson	Public Library	Gertrude Voldal
Dickinson	State Teachers College	Matilda Stoxen
Drake	Public Library	Mrs. E. Van Horn
Edgeley	Public Library	Mrs. J. E. Kipp
Ellendale	Public Library	Mrs. V. D. Coleman
Ellendale	Normal & Industrial School	Dorothy Aronsson
Enderlin	Public Library	Mabel I. Smith
Fargo	Public Library	Inga Rynning
Fargo	Masonic Library	Clara Richards
Fargo	Agricultural College	Mrs. Ethel McVeety
Fessenden	Public Library	Mrs. W. W. Barr
Finley	Public Library	Thelma Sund
Flaxton	Public Library	Mrs. Kenneth A. Nicolson
Gackle	Public Library	Mrs. N. S. Johnson
Garrison	Public Library	Arlena Youngberg
Goodrich	Public Library	Mrs. J. R. Doering
Grafton	Public Library	Mrs. Emma Cobb
Grand Forks	Public Library	Ruth O. Brown
Grand Forks	University Library	William H. Carlson
Hamilton	Public Library	Mrs. Andrew Knutson
Hankinson	Public Library	Mrs. Corrine Stack
Hansboro	Public Library	Mrs. O. R. Anderson
Heaton	Public Library	Howard I. Turner
Hettinger	Public Library	Mrs. Milo C. Richardson
Hillsboro	Public Library	Mrs. Clara Sarles
Hope	Public Library	Mrs. D. J. Gumb

Place	Name of Library	Librarian
Jamestown.....	Alfred Dickey Library.....	Mercedes Muenz
Jamestown.....	Jamestown College Library.....	Pearl Carlson
Jamestown.....	Insane Hospital.....	Dr. J. D. Carr
Kulm.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. C. O. Fergusson
Lakota.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. Helman Hullett
LaMoure.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. Carl Neverman
Langdon.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. E. J. Donovan
Lansford.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. Anne Olrich
Leeds.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. Albert Johnson
Leonard.....	Watts Free Library.....	Mrs. S. Qualley
Lidgerwood.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. Elizabeth Kings
Linton.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. L. E. Koeppen
Lisbon.....	Public Library.....	Berniece Johnson
Mandan.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. John A. Biggs
McHenry.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. R. J. Leahy
Mayville.....	Public Library.....	Cora Ames
Mayville.....	State Teachers College.....	Mrs. Hazel W. Byrnes
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Rugby.....	Public Library.....	Frances Frydenlund
St. John.....	Public Library.....	Carolyn Wells
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Tioga.....	Masonic Library.....	Marian Koolmo
Tolna.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. C. S. Hawkins
Towner.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. J. H. Van Deusen
Turtle Lake.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. W. N. Harris
Valley City.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. Helen Tracy
Valley City.....	State Teachers College.....	Loretta Swift
Velva.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. Blanche Crawford
Verona.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. W. J. Tiedeman
Wahpeton.....	Beach Library.....	Dorothy Hohler
Wahpeton.....	State Science School.....	Lillian Mirick
Westerheim.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. A. H. Allen
Williston.....	James Memorial Library.....	Mrs. Ethel Kuenning
Wimbledon.....	Public Library.....	Jessie Watne
Wishek.....	Public Library.....	Mrs. E. D. Lowers

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