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SUMMARY OF EXPENDITURES, 1930 – 1950

TOTAL EXPENDITURES, 1930 - 1950

	FROM ANNUAL	FROM SPECIAL	FROM	FROM	
	CITY	CITY	INCOME OF	GIFTS FOR	
YEAR	APPROPRIATIONS	APPROPRIATIONS	TRUST FUNDS	IMMEDIATE USE	TOTAL
1930	\$1,132,520,06	\$237,962.11	\$22,796.21		\$1,393,278,38
1931	1.239.257.45	309,794.65	20,839,73		1,569,891.83
1932	1,147,579.89	126,345.78	22,801.04		1.296,726,71
1933	1,000,431.87	1.027.43	26,633,94		1,028,093,24
1934	1.065.367.44	41.049.17	19,083.82		1,125,500,43
1935	1,139,114,88	36,295,49	24,496.50		1,199,906.87
1936	1,116,657,14	74,434.97	58,826.03	\$6.83	1,249,924,97
1937	1,204,994.47	73,204.16	51,161.81	206.68	1,329,567,12
1938	1,231,278.52	66,243.11	86,338.96		1,383,860,59
1939	1,231,198.08	39,997.19	119,899.86	73.97	1,391,169,10
1940	1,232,633.01	52,930.24	128,403.69	88.80	1,414,055,74
1941	1,274,184.45	37,398.01	93,969.34	264.69	1,405,816.49
1942	1,272,554.07	92,356.86	50,625.70	270.20	1,415,806.83
1943	1,254,573.76	72,904.22	61,016.62	85.21	1,388,579.81
1944	1,280,646.51	11,913.99	40,839.88	1,086.50	1,334,486.88
1945	1,309,615.79		42,695.41	387.68	1,352,698.88
1946	1,379,562,24	1.211.26	45,199.61	1,178.92	1,427,152.03
1947	1,811,389.47	20,375.20	46,156.27	1,492.43	1,879,413.37
1948	2,132,297.40	7,815.88	56,808.38	30,821.98	2,227,743.64
1949	2,500,979.80	51,218.15	84,137.28	5,950.80	2,642,286.03
1950	2,573,781.32	66,786.08	61,030.37	2,706.48	2,704,304.25

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES FROM ANNUAL CITY APPROPRIATIONS, 1930-1950

	SALARIES	BOOKS AND OTHER	ALL OTHER	
YEAR	AND WAGES	LIBRARY MATERIALS	ACCOUNTS	TOTAL
1930	\$809,530.41	\$159,999.97	\$162,989.68	\$1,132,520.06
1931	852,987.17	190,636.12	195,634.16	1,239,257.45
1932	853,680.10	159,970.58	133,929.21	1,147,579.89
1933	788,603,37	87,323.50	124,505,00	1,000,431.87
1934	821,974.51	98,291.63	145,101.30	1,065,367,44
1935	912,339,26	99,233,95	127,541.67	1,139,114.88
1936	930,788.04	54,999.98	130,869,12	1,116,657,14
1937	975,751.61	81,522,49	147,720.37	1,204,994,47
1938	1,023,225.41	73,874.93	134,178.18	1,231,278.52
1939	1,032,696,19	54,999,97	143,501.92	1,231,198,08
1940	1,045,735.40	57,499.94	129,397.67	1,232,633.01
1941	1,043,754.52	74,999.47	155,430,46	1,274,184,45
1942	1,062,220.17	88,000.00	122,333.90	1,272,554.07
1943	1,036,381.35	75,000.00	143,192.41	1,254,573.76
1944	1,058,671.96	80,000.00	141,974.55	1,280,646,51
1945	1,064,343.72	81,701.74	163,570.33	1,309,615,79
1946	1,108,102.75	90,899.98	180,559.51	1,379,562,24
1947	1,453,087.76	118,533.62	239,768.09	1,811,389,47
1948	1,718,217.60	119,000,00	295,079.80	2,132,297,40
1949	2,029,465.96	150,019,35	321,494,49	2,500,979.80
1950	2,109,771.34	147,498.16	316,511.82	2,573,781.32

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES FROM SPECIAL CITY APPROPRIATIONS, 1930 - 1950

TOTAL	\$237,962.11	309,794.65	126,345.78	1,027.43	41,049.17	36,295.49	74,434.97	73,204.16	66,243.11	39,997.19	52,930.24	37,398.01	92,356.86	72,904.22	11,913.99		1,211.26	20,375.20	7,815.88	51,218.15	80.786.08
CENTRAL LIBRARY BUILDING REMODELING	1		1	1			1	-	1	1				1			1	1	\$6,228.00	32,772.00	1
DEPARTMENTAL EQUIPMENT LOAN	1	1	1	-	1	1		1	1		1		did you though	1		1	\$1,093.82	16,790.52	1,562.88	61.20	
CIVIL DEFENSE ACTIVITIES	1	-	1	1	1	-	-	1	1		1		\$10,334.95	10,778.46	5,775.00	1	-	1	1	1	
RELIEF PROJECTS (WPA, ETC.)			1	1	\$41,042.37	25,722.79	64,840.23	62,072.41	53,991.39	39,997.19	38,187.00	37,398.01	23,415.38	9,637.51			1		1		1
BRANCH LIBRARIES NEW BUILDINGS	\$31,570.65	54,923.25	113,220.72	1,027.43	08'9	5,705.30	1,597.40	1	1			1	1	1	1					15,120.50	66,571.47
CENTRAL LIBRARY FOUNDATIONS ROOF CONSTRUCTION & IMPROVEMENTS	\$206,391.46	254,871.40	13,125.06		-	4,867.40	7,997.34	11,131.75	12.251.72		14,743.24		58,606.53	52,488.25	6,138.99		117.44	3,584.68	25.00	3,264.45	214.61
YEAR	1930	1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942	1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES FROM INCOME OF TRUST FUNDS, 1930 - 1950

	BOOKS AND OTHER			
YEAR	LIBRARY MATERIALS	SALARIES	OTHER	TOTAL
1930	\$22,466.21	\$180.00	\$150.00	\$22,796.21
1931	19,259,55	1,480.18	100,00	20,839.73
1932	20,045.62	2,755.42		22,801.04
1933	23,873.19	2,760.75		26,633.94
1934	16,996.57	2,087.25		19,083.82
1935	22,264.83	1,602.67	629.00	24,496.50
1936	56,909.96	1,274.07	642.00	58,826.03
1937	49,641.81	1,128.00	392.00	51,161.81
1938	82,756.96	3,126.00	456.00	86,338.96
1939	116,257.43	3,257.33	385.10	119,899.86
1940	124,618.89	2,070.00	1,714.80	128,403.69
1941	92,182.66	1,500.00	286.68	93,969.34
1942	48,447.64	1,500.00	678.06	50,625,70
1943	58,488.39	1,704.33	823.90	61,016.62
1944	39,735.05	625.00	479.83	40,839.88
1945	41.370.31	481.65	843.45	42,695.41
1946	43.140.12	189.45	1,870.04	45,199.61
1947	43,869.89	42.11	2,244.27	46,156.27
1948	53,621.35	342.00	2,845.03	56.808,38
1949	83,887.28	50.00	200.00	84,137.28
1950	60,530.37	100.00	400.00	61.030.37

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES FROM GIFTS FOR IMMEDIATE USE, 1930 - 1950

	BOOKS AND OTHER
YEAR	LIBRARY MATERIALS
1930	
1931	
1932	
1933	
1934	
1935	
1936	\$6.83
1937	206.68
1938	ACCOUNT OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR
1939	73.97
1940	88,80
1941	264.69
1942	270.20
1943	85.21
1944	1,086,50
1945	387.68
1946	1,178.92
1947	1,492.43
. 1948	30.821.98
1949	5,950.80
1950	2,706.48
1949	5.950.80

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR PERSONNEL, 1930 - 1950

TOTAL APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR ALL PERSONNEL, 1930 - 1950

	AMOUNT	AMOUNT	UNEXPENDED
YEAR	APPROPRIATED	EXPENDED	BALANCE
1930	\$812,000.00	\$809,530.41	\$2,469.59
1931	858,903.00	852,987.17	5,915.83
1932	858,000,00	853,680,10	4,319.90
1933	800,000.00	788,603.37	11,396,63
1934	824,719.00	821,974,51	2,744.49
1935	915,000.00	912,339.26	2,660.74
1936	921,000.00	930,788,04*	
1937	985,000.00	975,751.61	9,248.39
1938	1.039,175.00	1,023,225.41	15,949.59
1939	1.039.859.34	1,032,696.19	7,163.15
1940	1,065,000,00	1,045,735.40	19,264.60**
1941	1,065,000.00	1,043,754.52	21,245.48***
1942	1,065,000.00	1,062,220.17	2,779.83
1943	1,065,000.00	1,036,381.35	28,618.65****
1944	1,065,000.00	1,058,671.96	6,328.04†
1945	1,065,000.00	1,064,343.72	656.28
1946	1,110,000.00	1,108,102.75	1,897.25††
1947	1,454,799.00	1,453,087.76	1,711.24†††
1948	1,720,905.84	1,718,217.60	2,688.24††††
1949	2,055,650,00	2,029,465.96	26,184.04§
1950	2,110,000.00	2,109,771.34	228.66

^{*} To take care of the commitments above the amount appropriated for 1936, the sum of \$9,788.04 was transferred from unexpended balances in other accounts of the Library.

** \$18,775.53 transferred to other accounts of the Library.

missioner of the City of Boston.

† \$5,587.13 transferred to other accounts of the Library.

†† \$1,897.25 transferred to other accounts of the Library.

††† \$1,711.24 transferred to other accounts of the Library.

†††† \$2,658.24 transferred to other accounts of the Library. \$ \$25,765.38 transferred to other accounts of the Library.

CHANGES YEAR BY YEAR IN TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR ALL PERSONNEL, 1930-1950

	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	% of	% OF
	FOR SALARIES & WAGES	CHANGE FROM	CHANGE
YEAR	FOR ALL PERSONNEL	PRECEDING YEAR	FROM 1929
1929	\$770,367.26	******	
1930	809,530.41	+5.1%	+5.1%
1931	852.987.17	+5.4%	+10.7%
1932	853,680,10	+0.1%	+10.8%
1933	788,603.37	-7.7%	+2.4%
1934	821.974.51	+4.2%	+6.7%
1935	912,339,26	+11.0%	+18.3%
1936	930,788.04	+2.0%	+20.8%
1937	975,751.61	+4.8%	+26.6%
1938	1,023,225,41	+4.8%	+32.7%
1939	1.032.696.19	-0.9%	+33.9%
1940	1.045.735.40	+1.2%	+35.7%
1941	1.043,754.52	-0.2%	+35.4%
1942	1.062,220.17	+1.7%	+37.8%
1943	1,036,381.35	-2.4%	+34.5%
1944	1,058,671.96	+2.2%	+37.4%
1945	1.064,343.72	+0.5%	+38.2%
1946	1,108,102.75	+4.1%	-43.8%
1947	1,453,087.76	+23.7%	+88.6%
1948	1,718,217.60	-18.2%	+123.0%
1949	2,029,465.96	+ 18.1%	+163.4%
1950	2,109,771,34	+4.0%	+164.5%

^{*** \$18,693.10} transferred to other accounts of the Library. **** \$16,055.83 transferred to other accounts of the Library, and \$5.844.33 transferred to other City of Boston Departments at the request of the Budget Com-

Changes Year By Year In Total Expenditures For Regular Service (Full-Time Personnel), 1930 - 1950

	FOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR SALARIES & WAGES	% OF CHANGE FROM	% OF CHANGE
YEAR	FOR SALARIES & WAGES FOR REGULAR SERVICE	PRECEDING YEAR	FROM 1929
TEAR	FOR REGULAR SERVICE	FRECEDING TEAR	I KOM 1727
1929	\$663,747.98		
1930	694,183.74	+4.6%	+4.6%
1931	734,150.50	+5.8%	+10.6%
1932	746,221.52	+1.6%	+12.4%
1933	683,618.01	-8.4%	+3.0%
1934	682,797.16	-0.1%	+2.9%
1935	799,271.34	+17.1%	+20.4%
1936	833,763.88	+4.3%	+25.8%
1937	875,957.34	+5.1%	+32.1%
1938	932,579.59	+6.5%	+40.7%
1939	945,123,21	+1.3%	+42.5%
1940	954,292.69	+1.1%	+43.8%
1941	941,707.31	-1.3%	+41.8%
1942	939,370.95	-0.2%	+41.5%
1943	918,763.36	-2.2%	+38.4%
1944	933.028.30	$\pm 1.6\%$	+40.6%
1945	940,227.10	+0.8%	+41.6%
1946	981,514.81	+4.4%	47.8%
1947	1,250,831.07	+21.5%	+88.4%
1948	1,487,537,16	+18.9%	+124.0%
1949	1.766,557.23	+18.8%	+166.0%
1950	1,838,560.39	+4.1%	+176.8%

Changes Year By Year In Total Expenditures For Extra Service (Part-Time Personnel, Etc.), 1930 – 1950

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	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	% OF	Ç OF
	FOR SALARIES & WAGES	CHANGE FROM	CHANGE
YEAR	FOR EXTRA SERVICE	PRECEDING YEAR	FROM 1929
1929	\$104,032.28		
1930	112,214.67	+7.8%	+7.8%
1931	115,888.67	+3.3%	+11.3%
1932	105,448,58	-9.0%	+1.4%
1933	102,982.11	-2.3%	-1.0%
1934	111,792.41	+8.6%	+7.4%
1935	96,330.61	-13.8%	-7.4%
1936	92,411.73	-4.1%	-11.1%
1937	97,706.13	+5.7%	-6.0%
1938	88,305.46	-9 .6 %	-15.1°c
1939	85,661.98	-3.0%	-17.6%
1940	89,517.71	+4.3%	-11.6%
1941	100,136.21	+11.8%	-3.7%
1942	120,983.22	+20.6%	+16.3%
1943	115,031.99	-4.9%	+10.6%
1944	122,061.66	+6.1€	+17.3%
1945	120,536.62	-1.1%	+15.8%
1946	122,983.94	+2.0%	+18.2%
1947	198,611,69	+38.0%	+91.0%
1948	230.680.44	+16.1%	+121.7%
1949	262,908.73	+14.0%	+152.7%
1950	271,210.95	+3.2%	+160.7%

ANALYSIS AND DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES FOR PERSONNEL, 1950

SUMMARY BY DIVISIONS

Administrative Offices			
Regular Service		\$102,958.24	
Extra Service Part-time Service	\$6,135.03		
Sunday Service	1,638.31	7,773.34	
Total Expenditures for Administrative	e Offices		\$110,731.58
Division of Home Reading and Commi Regular Service	UNITY SERVICE	\$ \$828,262.41	
Extra Service Part-time Service	\$106,522.55		
Janitorial and Cleaning Service By the Hour Evening and Holiday Service Sunday Service	6,993.22 7,873.82 6,613.28	128,002.87	
Total Expenditures for Division of Reading and Community Services			956,265.28
Division of Reference and Research Regular Service Extra Service	Services	\$502,486.16	
Part-time Service	\$59,624.71		
Janitorial and Cleaning Service Evening and Holiday Service Sunday Service	640.51	93,026.12	
Total Expenditures for Division of Reference and Research Services			595,512.28
Division or Business Operations Regular Service Extra Service		\$404,853.58	
Part-time Service Evening and Holiday Service	\$2,817.01 245.03		
Janitorial and Cleaning Service Evening and Holiday Service Sunday Service	22,837.95 11,790.63	37,690.62	
Total Expenditures for Division of Business Operations			442,544.20
Miscellaneous Services Storytelling Stereopticon Operator		\$4,363.00 355.00	
Total Expenditures for Miscellaneous	Services		4,718.00
TOTAL EXPENDITURE FOR ALI	. PERSONNI	EL	\$2,109,771.34
EXPENDITURES FOR PERSONN	EL IN ADN 1950	IINISTRATIV	E OFFICES,
REGULAR	PART-TIME	SUNDAY	TOTAL
UNIT SERVICE	SERVICE	SERVICE	SERVICE
Director's Office \$50,192.54	+205.00		\$50,192.54
Personnel Office 23,211.83 Information Office 18,223.31	\$305.03 5,830.00	\$1,638.31	23,516.86 25,691.62
Office of Records, Files, Statistics 11,330.56		Ψ1,020.21	
			11,330.56
Total Expenditures for Administrative Offices \$102,958.24	\$6,135.03	\$1.638.31	\$110,731.58

EXPENDITURES FOR PERSONNEL IN DIVISION OF HOME READING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES, 1950

			JANITORIAL AND CLEANING:		
			BY THE HOUR,		
	REGULAR	PART-TIME	AND EVENING	SUNDAY	TOTAL
Unit	SERVICE	SERVICE	AND HOLIDAY	SERVICE	SERVICE
Executive Staff	\$51,254.97	\$1,442.40			\$52,697.37
Book Selection Department	9,442.27	276.64			9,718.91
Cataolging and Classification Dept.	22,234,29	1,869.70			24,102.99
Branch Issue Department	30,048.29	4,325.10			34,373.39
Open Shelf Department	24,697.80	8,508.50		\$3,053.65	36,259.95
Registration Department	26,664.75			1,574.91	28,239.66
Young Peoples Room	15,252.54	2,289.63		1,984,72	19,526,89
School Issue Department	23,297.19	4,423.21			27,720.40
Branch Libraries	625,370.31	83,388.37	14,867.04		723,625.72
Total Expenditures for Division of	Home				
Reading and Community Services	\$828,262.41	\$106,522.55	\$14,867.04	\$6,613.28	\$956,265.28
Branch Libraries					
Allston	\$24,258.91	\$1,812.29			\$26,071.20
Brighton	23,027.91	2,475.04	\$1,055.04		26,557.99
Charlestown	24,809.16	3,595.42	630.53		29,035.11
City Point	16,146.31	3,369,57			19,515.88
Codman Square	27,145.31	5,284.50			32,429.81
Connolly	24,317.90	3,560.27	924.19		28,802.36
Dorchester	22,929.48	2,338.47	721.17		25,267.95
East Boston	25,618.58	2,503.37	390.94		28,512.89
Faneuil	20,376.50	2,285.67	560.98		23,223.15
Hyde Park	20,191,08	1,966.16	614.66		22,771.90
Jamaica Plain	22,450.77	2,927.21			25,377.98
Jeffries Point	12,900.11	2,031.86	3.93		14,935.90
Lower Mills	13,799.59	1,289.65			15,089.24
Mattapan	27,586.33	2,659.97	1,053.78		31,300.08
Memorial	27,279.51	2,607.86	377.28		30,264.65
Mt. Bowdoin	19,755.25	2,076.29			21,831.54
Mt. Pleasant	14,560.10	1,769.87			16,329.97
Neponset	14,252.28	3,296.28	1,892.70		19,441.26
North End	26,311.93	3,364.46	653.42		30,329.81
Orient Heights	13,687.39	1,868.97	2,048.84		17,605.20
Parker Hill	22,814.85	2,098.07	756.99		25,669.91
Phillips Brooks	10,745.84	1,396.76	2,127.44		14,270.04
Roslindale	24,366.59	3,870.13	546.96		28,783.68
South Boston	14,205.05	2,513.51	5.90		16,724.46
South End	18,149.56	2,338.03			20,487.59
Uphanis Corner	23,666.53	5,839.39			29,505.92
Washington Village	21,372.84	2,878.48	672.20		24,251.32
West End	31,135.98	5,344.23	672.29		37,152.50
West Roxbury	27,658.04	2,460.81	551.17		30,670.02
*Bookmobile	9,850.63	1,565.78			11,416.41
Total Expenditures for Branch Libraries	\$625,370,31	\$83,388.37	\$14,867.04	\$6,613.28	\$723,625.72
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^{*} Service began February 20, 1950

EXPENDITURES FOR PERSONNEL IN DIVISION OF REFERENCE AND RESEARCH SERVICES, 1950

Unit	REGULAR SERVICE	PART-TIME SERVICE	JANITORIAL AND CLEANING: EVENING AND HOLIDAY	SUNDAY SERVICE	TOTAL SERVICE
Executive Staff Book Selection Department Book Stack Service Cataloging and Classification Dept. Fine Arts Department General Reference Department History Department Music Department Periodical and Newspaper Dept. Print Department Rare Book Department Science and Technology Dept Statistical Department Teachers Department	\$24,042.94 7,980.94 111,279.71 83,906.95 31,237.95 33,023.78 15,560.02 13,228.74 29,868.83 14,995.32 32,227.13 29,029.58 17,149.07 13,678.54	\$20,016.33 5,456.29 4,853.25 7,592.31 1,944.96 3,827.62 4,161.77 1,048.95 1,225.32 4,615.20 2,424.88 1,370.93		\$1,118.33 11,109.92 	\$25,161.27 7,980.94 142,405.96 89,363.24 39,084.22 45,330.37 18,473.04 18,266.14 38,111.28 16,044.27 35,352.15 35,868.51 20,826.54 16,240.28
Kirstein Business Branch 45,276.66 Total Expenditures for Division of Reference and Research Services \$502,486.16		1,086.90 \$59,624.71	\$640.51 \$640.51	\$32,760.90	\$595,512.28

EXPENDITURES FOR PERSONNEL IN DIVISION OF BUSINESS OPERATIONS, 1950

			EVENING AND						
			HOLIDAY;						
	JANITORIAL AND								
			CLEANING:						
	REGULAR	PART-TIME	EVENING AND	SUNDAY	TOTAL				
Unit	SERVICE	SERVICE	HOLIDAY	SERVICE	SERVICE				
Business Office	\$17,769.22				\$17,769,22				
Accounting Department	19,982.88		\$245.03		20,227.91				
Binding Department	83,231.68		21.86		83,253,54				
Book Preparation Department	28,529.66	\$280.94			28,810.60				
Book Purchasing Department	49,344.00	2,536.07			51,880.07				
Buildings Department					,				
Mechanical Service	138,987.91		13,921.03	\$7,773.87	160.682.81				
Cleaning Service	31,871.93		8,873.38	4,016.76	44,762,07				
Printing Department	21,694.57		21.68		21.716.25				
Shipping Department	9,131.58				9,131.58				
Supply Room	4,310.15				4,310.15				
Total Expenditures for Division									
of Business Operations	\$404,853.58	\$2,817.01	\$23,082.98	\$11,790.63	\$442,544.20				

EXPENDITURES FOR MISCELLANEOUS SERVICES, 1950

Storytelling	\$4,363.00
Stereopticon Operator	355.00
Total Expenditures for Miscellaneous Services	\$4,718.00

RECAPITULATION, 1950

REGULAR SERVICE

Full-time Members of the Staff		\$1,838,560.39
Extra Service		
Part-time	\$175,099.30	
Evening and Holiday Service Janitorial and Cleaning Service	245.03	
By the Hour	6,993.22	
Evening and Holiday Service	31,352.28	
Sunday Service	52,803.12	266,492.95
Miscellaneous Strvices		
Storytelling	\$4,363.00	
Stereopticon Operator	355.00	4,718.00
Total Expenditures for All Personnel		\$2,109,771.34

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APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES FOR BOOKS

CITY Appropriations for the Purchase of Books and Other Library Materials 1919 – 1950

1919-20							\$50,000
1920-21							60,000
1921-22							100,000
1922-23							100,000
1923-24							90,000
1924-25	· ·		Ĭ		Ĭ.	Ť	100,000
1925*		Ċ					100,000*
1926				·		Ţ.	125,000
1927	•	•			·		125,000
1928	•	•		•	•	•	125,000
1929	•	•	•	•	•	•	140,000
1930	•	•	•	•	•	•	160,000
1931	•	•	•	•	•	•	175,000
1932	•	•	•	•	•	•	160,000
1933	*	•	•	•	•	•	75,000
1934	•	•	•	•	•	•	100,000
1935	•	•	•	•	•	•	100,000
1936	•	•	•	•	•	•	55,000
1937	•	۰	•	٠	•	•	75,000
1938	•	•		*	•	•	73,875
1939	•	•	,	•	•	•	55,000
1940	•	•	•	•	•	•	57,000
1941	•	•	•	•	•	•	57,500
1942	•	•	•	•		•	75,000 88,000
	•	•	•	•	•	•	75,000
1943 1944	•	•	•	•	•	•	75,000
		•	•	•	•	•	80,000
1945	•	•		•	•	•	85,000
1946	•	•	•	•	•	•	90,000
1947	•	•		•	•	•	125,000
1948	•	•	•		•	٠	125,000
1949	•	٠		•			125,000
1950				•			150,000

^{*} February 1 - December 31, 1925 only.

TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR BOOKS AND OTHER LIBRARY MATERIALS, 1930 - 1950

	FROM	FROM INCOME	
YEAR	CITY FUNDS	OF TRUST FUNDS	TOTAL
1930	\$159,999.97	\$22,466.21	\$182,466.18
1931	190,636,12	19,259.55	209,895.67
1932	159,970.58	20,045.62	180,016.20
1933	87,323.50	23,873.19	111,196,69
1934	98,291.63	16,996,57	115.288.20
1935	99,233,95	22,264.83	121,498,78
1936	54,999,98	56,909,96	111,909,94
1937	81,522,49	49,641.81	131,164,30
1938	73.874.93	82,756,96	156,631.89
1939	54,999,97	116,257,43	171,257,40
1940	57,499.94	124,618.89	182,118.83
1941	74,999.47	92,182.66	167,182.13
1942	88,000.00	48,447.64	136,447,64
1943	75,000.00	58,488.39	133,488,39
1944	80,000.00	39.735.05	119,735,05
1945	81,701.74	41,370.31	123,072,05
1946	90,899,98	43,140.12	134,040,10
1947	118,533.62	43,869.89	162,403.51
1948	119,000,00	53,621,35	172,621,35
1949	150,019,35	83,887.28	233,906.63
1950	147.498.16	60,530,37	208,028,53

EXPENDITURES FOR BOOKS AND OTHER LIBRARY MATERIALS BY DIVISIONS, 1939-1950

	DIVISION OF	DIVISION OF REFERENCE AND	ENTIRE
	HOME READING AND COMMUNITY	RESEARCH	LIBRARY
YEAR	SERVICES	SERVICES	SYSTEM
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$42,667.54 1,898.52	\$12,332.43 114,358.91	\$54,999.97 116,257.43
Total	\$44,566.06	\$126,691.34	\$171,257.40
1940 From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$56,100.44 9,305.14	\$1,399.50 115,31 3 .75	\$57,499.94 124,618.89
Total	\$65,405.58	\$116,713.25	\$182,118.83
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$74,992.27 3,340.50	\$7.20 88,842.16	\$74,999.47 92,182.66
Total 1942	\$78,332.77	\$88,849.36	\$167,182.13
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$8 7 ,991.81 1,917.04	\$8.19 46,530.60	\$88,000.00 48,447.64
Total	\$89,908.85	\$46,538.79	\$136,447.64
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$75,000.00 1,174.83	\$57,313.56	\$75,000.00 58,488.39
Total	\$76,174.83	\$57,313.56	\$133,488.39
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$74,950.20 720.79	\$5,049.80 39,014.26	\$80,000.00 39,735.05
Total	\$75,670.99	\$44,064.06	\$119,735.05
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$78,211.92 1,553.76	\$3,489.82 39,816.55	\$81,701.74 41,370.31
Total 1946	\$79,765.68	\$43,306.37	\$123,072.05
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$85,146.82 1,250.41	\$5,753.16 41,889.71	\$90,899.98 43,140.12
Total 1947	\$86,397.23	\$47,642.87	\$134,040.10
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$111,541.08 828.59	\$6,992.54 43,041.30	\$118,533.62 43,869.89
Total 1948	\$112,369.67	\$50,033.84	\$162,403.51
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$111,999.95 1,212.50	\$7, 000.05 52,408.85	\$119,000.00 53,621.35
Total	\$113,212.45	\$59,408.90	\$172,621.35
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$138,360.14 1,960.81	\$11,659.21 81,926.47	\$150,019.35 83,887.28
Total 1950	\$140,320.95	\$93,585.68	\$233,906.63
From City Funds From Trust Funds	\$140,501.56 724.25	\$6,996.60 59,806.12	\$147,498.16 60,530.37
Total	\$141,225.81	\$66,802.72	\$208,028.53

Percentages of Annual Expenditures for Books and Other Library Materials in Relation to Total Annual Expenditures from City Funds

1930 – 1950

		TOTAL EXPENDITURES	
	TOTAL	FOR BOOKS AND OTHER	PERCENTAGES
	EXPENDITURES	LIBRARY MATERIALS	OF EXPENDITURES
YEAR	FROM CITY FUNDS	FROM CITY FUNDS	FOR BOOKS
1930	\$1,132,520.06	\$159,999.97	14.12%
1931	1,239,257.45	190, 6 36.12	15.38%
1932	1,147,579.89	159,970.58	13.94%
1933	1,000,431.87	87,323.50	8.73%
1934	1,065,367,44	98,291.63	9.23%
1935	1,139,114.88	99,233,95	8.11%
1936	1,116,657.14	54,999.98	4.93%
1937	1,204,994.47	81,522.49	6.77%
1938	1,231,278.52	73,874.9 3	6.00%
1939	1,231,198.08	54,99 9.97	4.47%
1940	1,232,633,01	57,499,94	4.66%
1941	1,274,184,45	74,999.47	5.88%
1942	1,272,554.07	88,000,00	6.91%
1943	1,254,573.76	75,000.00	5.98%
1944	1,280,646.51	80,000.00	6.25%
1945	1,309,615.79	81,701.74	6.24%
1946	1,379,562.24	90,899.98	6.59%
1947	1,811,389.47	118,533.62	6.54%
1948	2,132,297.40	119,000.00	5.58%
1949	2,500,979.80	150,019.35	6.00%
1950	2,573,781.32	147,498.16	5.73%

Percentages of Annual Expenditures for Books and Other Library Materials in Relation to Total Annual Expenditures 1930 – 1950

		TOTAL EXPENDITURES FOR BOOKS AND OTHER	
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	LIBRARY MATERIALS	PERCENTAGES
	FROM CITY FUNDS	FROM CITY FUNDS	OF EXPENDITURES
YEAR	& TRUST FUNDS	& TRUST FUNDS	FOR BOOKS
1930	\$1,155,316.27	\$182,466.18	15.79%
1931	1,260,097.18	209,895.67	16.65%
1932	1,170,380.93	180,016.20	15.38%
1933	1,027,065.81	111,196.69	10.82%
1934	1,084,451.26	115,288.20	10.63%
1935	1,163,611.38	121,498.78	10.44%
1936	1,175,483.17	111,909.94	9.44%
1937	1,256,156.28	131,164.30	10.44%
1938	1,317,617.48	156,631.89	11.89%
1939	1,351,097.94	171,257.40	12.67%
1940	1,361,036.70	182,118.83	13.38%
1941	1,368,153.79	167,182.13	11.82%
1942	1,323,179.77	136,447.64	10.03%
1943	1,315,590.38	133,488,39	10.15%
1944	1,321,486.39	119,735.05	9.06%
1945	1,352,311.20	123,072.05	8.85%
1946	1,424,761.85	134,040.10	9.41%
1947	1,857,545.74	162,403.51	8.75%
1948	2,189,105.78	172,621.35	7.89%
1949	2,584,867.08	233,906.63	9.04%
1950	2,634,311.69	208,028.53	7.90%

Percentages of Annual Expenditures for Salaries and Books and Other Library Materials in Relation to Each Other 1930 – 1950

	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	S				
	FOR SALARIES	7	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	S		
	& WAGES		FOR BOOKS			
YEAR	FROM CITY FUNDS	%	FROM CITY FUNDS	%	TOTAL	%
1930	\$809,530.41	84%	\$159,999.97	16%	\$969,530.38	100%
1931	852,987.17	82%	190,636.12	18%	1,043,623.29	100%
1932	853,680.10	84%	159,970.58	16%	1,013,650.68	100%
1933	788,603.37	90%	87,323.50	10%	875,926.87	100%
1934	821,974.51	89%	98,291.63	11%	920,266.14	100%
1935	912,339.26	90%	99,233.95	10%	1,011,573,21	100%
1936	930,788.04	94%	54,999.98	6%	985,788.02	100%
1937	975,751.61	92%	81,522.49	8%	1.057.274.10	100%
1938	1,023,225,41	93%	73,874,93	7%	1.097,100.34	100%
1939	1,032,696.19	95%	54,999.97	5%	1,087,696,16	100%
1940	1,045,735.40	95%	57,499.94	5%	1,103,235.34	100%
1941	1,043,754.52	93%	74,999.47	7%	1,118,753.99	100%
1942	1,062,220.17	92%	88,000.00	8%	1,150,220.17	100%
1943	1,036,381.35	93%	75,000.00	7%	1,111,381.35	100%
1944	1,058,671.96	93%	80,000.00	7%	1,138,671.96	100%
1945	1,064,343.72	93%	81,701.74	7%	1,146,045.46	100%
1946	1,108,102.75	92%	90,899.98	8%	1,199,002.73	100%
1947	1,453,087.76	92%	118,533.62	8%	1,571,621.38	100%
1948	1,718,217.60	94%	119,000.00	6%	1,837,217,60	100%
1949	2,029,465.96	93%	150,019.35	7%	2,179,485.31	100%
1950	2,109,771.34	93%	147,498.16	7%	2,257,269.50	100%

Percentages of Annual Expenditures for Salaries and Books and Other Library Materials in Relation to Each Other 1930 – 1950

	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	S				
	FOR SALARIES	1	TOTAL EXPENDITURE	S		
	& wages		FOR BOOKS			
	FROM CITY FUNDS		FROM CITY FUNDS			
YEAR	& TRUST FUNDS	%	& TRUST FUNDS	%	TOTAL	%
1930	\$809,710.41	82%	\$182,466.18	18%	\$992,176.59	100%
1931	854,467.35	80%	209,895.67	20%	1,064,363.02	100%
1932	856,435.52	83%	180,016.20	17%	1,036,451.72	100%
1933	791,364.12	88%	111,196.69	12%	902,560.81	100%
1934	824,061.76	88%	115,288.20	12%	939,349.96	100%
1935	913,941.93	88%	121,498.78	12%	1,035,440.71	100%
1936	932,062.11	89%	111,909.94	11%	1,043,972.05	100%
1937	976,879.61	88%	131,164.30	12%	1,108,043.91	100%
1938	1,026,351.41	87%	156,631.89	13%	1,182,983.30	100%
1939	1,035,953.52	86%	171,257.40	14%	1,207,210.92	100%
1940	1,047,805.40	85%	182,118.83	15%	1,229,924.23	100%
1941	1,045,254.52	86%	167,182.13	14%	1,212,436.65	100%
1942	1,063,720.17	89%	136,447.64	11%	1,200,167.81	100%
1943	1,038,085.68	89%	133,488.39	11%	1,171,574.07	100%
1944	1,059,296.96	90%	119,735.05	10%	1,179,032.01	100%
1945	1,064,825.37	90%	123,072.05	10%	1,187,897.42	100%
1946	1,108,292.20	89%	134,040.10	11%	1,242,332.30	100%
1947	1,453,129.87	90%	162,403.51	10%	1,615,533.38	100%
1948	1,718,559.60	91%	172.621.35	9%	1,891,180.95	100%
1949	2,029,515.96	90%	233,906.63	10%	2,263,422.59	100%
1950	2,109,871.34	91%	208,028.53	9%	2,317,899.87	100%

Percentages of Amounts Requested from City for Salaries and for Books and Other Library Materials in Relation to Each Other 1930 – 1950

			REQUESTED			
	REQUESTED		FOR BOOKS			
	FOR SALARIES		AND OTHER			
YEAR	& WAGES	%	LIBRARY MATERIALS	%	TOTAL	%
1930	\$812,000.00	84%	\$150,000.00	16%	\$962,000.00	100%
1931	883,903.00	82%	200,000.00	18%	1,083,903.00	100%
1932	866,124.00	81%	200,000.00	19%	1,066,124.00	100%
1933	886,000.00	84%	163,000.00	16%	1,049,000.00	100%
1934	830,569.56	85%	150,000.00	15%	980,569.56	100%
1935	937,187.75	86%	150,000.00	14%	1,087,187.75	100%
1936	940,039.28	86%	150,000.00	14%	1,090,039.29	100%
1937	985,000.00	87%	150,000.00	13%	1,135,000.00	100%
1938	1,055,000.00	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,205,000.00	100%
1939	1,070,388.58	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,220,388.58	100%
1940	1,096,830.57	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,246,830.57	100%
1941	1,065,000.00	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,215,000.00	100%
1942	1,101,145.95	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,251,145.95	100%
1943	1,065,000.00	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,215,000.00	100%
1944	1.065,000.00	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,215,000.00	100%
1945	1,065,000.00	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,215,000.00	100%
1946	1,110,000.00	88%	150,000.00	12%	1,260,000.00	100%
1947	1,642,076.53	92%	150,000.00	8%	1,792,076.53	100%
1948	1,720,905.84	92%	150,000.00	8%	1,870,905.84	100%
1949	2,055,650.00	93%	150,000.00	7%	2,205,650.00	100%
1950	2,110,000.00	93%	150,000.00	7%	2.260,000.00	100/7

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PERSONNEL

Cost and Number of Total Personnel, 1930 -1950

	TOTAL EXPENDITURES		TOTAL PERSONNEL	
	FOR SALARIES &		AS OF	
	WAGES FOR ALL	% OF CHANGE	DECEMBER 31st	% OF CHANGE
YEAR	PERSONNEL	FROM 1929	IN EACH YEAR	from 1929
1929	\$770,367.26		602	
1930	809,530.41	+5.1%	644	+7.0%
1931	852,987.17	+10.7%	657	+9.1%
1932	853,680.10	+10.8%	665	+10.5%
1933*	788,603.37	+2.4%	695	+15.5%
1934*	821.974.51	+6.7%	679	+12.8%
1935	912,339,26	+18.3%	687	+14.1%
1936	930,788.04	+20.8%	699	+16.1%
1937	975,751.61	+26.6%	705	+17.1%
1938	1,023,225.41	+32.7%	697	+15.7%
1939	1,032,696.19	+33.9%	687	+14.1%
1940	1,045,735.40	+35.7%	632	+5.0%
1941	1.043.754.52	+35.4%	656	+9.0%
1942	1,062,220,17	$\pm 37.9\%$	607	+0.8%
1943	1,036,381.35	+34.5%	641	+6.4%
1944	1,058,671.96	+37.4%	630	+4.6%
1945	1,064,343.72	38.2%	620	+2.9%
1946	1,108,102.75	+43.8%	624	+3.6%
1947	1,453,087,76	+88.6%	664	+10.0%
1948	1.718.217.60	+123.0%	671	+11.0%
1949	2.029.465.96	+163.4%	718	+19.2%
1950	2,109,771.34	+173.8%	752	+24.9%

^{*} Salary reductions were in effect from April 21, 1933 to December 31, 1934.

Cost and Number of Regular Service 1930 - 1950

			TOTAL NUMBER OF	
	TOTAL EXPENDITURES		REGULAR SERVICE	
	FOR SALARIES &		AS OF	
	WAGES FOR REGULAR	% OF CHANGE	DECEMBER 31st	% OF CHANGE
YEAR	SERVICE	FROM 1929	IN EACH YEAR	FROM 1929
1929	\$663,747.98		475	
1930	694,183.74	+4.6%	512	+7.8%
1931	734,150.50	+10.6%	535	+12.6%
1932	746,221.52	+12.4%	537	+13.0%
1933*	683,618.01	+3.0%	550	+15.8%
1934*	682,797.16	+2.9%	563	+18.5%
1935	799,271.34	20.4%	571	+20.2%
1936	833,763.88	+25.8%	578	+21.7%
1937	875,957.34	+32.1%	592	+24.6%
1938	932,579.59	+40.7%	590	+24.2%
1939	945,123.21	+42.5%	580	+22.1%
1940	954,292.69	+43.7%	543	+14.3%
1941	941,707.31	+41.8%	511	+7.5%
1942	939,370.95	+41.5%	501	+5.5%
1943	918,763.36	+38.4%	511	+7.5%
1944	933,028.30	+40.6%	514	+8.2%
1945	940,227.10	+41.6%	516	+8.6%
1946	981,514.81	+47.8%	510	+7.4%
1947	1,250,831.07	+88.4%	545	+14.7%
1948	1,487,537.16	124.0%	579	+21.8%
1949	1,766,557.23	+166.0%	588	+23.8%
1950	1,838,560.39	+176.8%	584	+22.2%

^{*} Salary reductions were in effect from April 21, 1933 to December 31, 1934.

COST AND NUMBER OF EXTRA SERVICE (PART-TIME PERSONNEL, ETC.), 1929 - 1950

TOTAL EXTRA SERVICE PERSONNEL IN TERMS OF EQUIVALENT OF

	TOTAL EXPENDITURES	FU	LL-TIME PERSONN	EL
	FOR SALARIES &		AS OF	
	WAGES FOR EXTRA	% OF CHANGE	DECEMBER 31st	% OF CHANGE
YEAR	SERVICE	FROM 1929	IN EACH YEAR	FROM 1929
1929	\$104,032.28		127	
1930	112,214.67	+7.8%	132	+3.9%
1931	115,888.67	+11.3%	122	-3.9%
1932	105,448.58	+1.4%	128	+0.8%
1933*	102,982.11	-1.0%	145	+14.1%
1934*	111,792.41	+7.4%	116	-8.6%
1935	96,330.61	-7.4%	116	-8.6%
1936	9 2,411.7 3	-11.1%	121	-4.7%
1937	97,706.13	-6.0%	113	-11.0%
1938	88,305.46	-15.1%	107	-15.7%
1939	85,661.98	-17.6%	107	-15.7%
1940	89,517.71	-13.9%	89	-29.9%
1941	100,136.21	-3.7%	145	+14.1%
1942	120,983.22	+16.9%	106	-16.5%
1943	115,031.99	+10.6%	130	+2.3%
1944	122,061.66	+17.3%	116	+8.6%
1945	120,536.62	+15.8%	104	-18.1%
1946	122,983.94	+18.2%	114	-10.2%
1947	198,611.69	+90.9%	119	-6.3%
1948	230,680.44	+121.7%	92	-27.5%
1949	262,908.73	+152.7%	130	+2.4%
1950	271,210.95	+ 160.6%	168	+32.3%

^{*} Salary reductions were in effect from April 21, 1933 to December 31, 1934.

	DEC. 31 1929	DEC. 31 1934	DEC. 31 1939	DEC. 31 1944	DEC. 31 1947	DEC. 31 1948	DEC. 31 1949	DEC. 31 1950
General Administrative Offices	14	11	13	22	23	26	26	26
Division of Business Operations	119	138	127	112	130	133	138	136
Circulation Division Division of Home Reading	210	254	257	237	235	253	256	
and Community Services								257
Reference Division Division of Reference and	132	160	183	143	157	167	168	
Research Services								165
Total	475	563	580	514	545	579	588	584

DISTRIBUTION OF REGULAR SERVICE, 1929 – 1950 GENERAL ADMINISTRTIVE OFFICES

	DEC. 31 1929	DEC. 31 1934	DEC. 31 1939	DEC. 31 1944	DEC. 31 1947	DEC. 31 1948	DEC. 31 1949	DEC. 31 1950
Executive Department	11							
Editor's Department	1							
Training Class	2	-						
Training Office				2				
Director's Office		11	13	6	7	9	9	10
Information Office				6	6	6	6	5
Personnel Office				5	6	7	7	7
Office of Records, Files, Statistics				3	4	4	4	4
Total	14	11	13	22	23	26	26	26

DISTRIBUTION OF REGULAR SERVICE, 1929 – 1950 DIVISION OF BUSINESS OPERATIONS

	DEC. 31 1929	DEC. 31 1934	DEC. 31 1939	DEC. 31 1944	DEC. 31 1947	DEC. 31 1948	DEC. 31 1949	DEC. 31 1950
Division of Business Operations, Executive Staff		5	5				_	_
Business Office				3	. 4	4	6	8
Auditor's Department Auditing Department Accounting Department	5	5	5	7	7	6	 7	 7
Ordering Department Book Purchasing Department	13	17	17	15	20	19	18	18
Book Preparation Department					7	8	9	11
Stock Purchasing Department Supply Room		2	2	2	2	1	4	2
Shipping Department		3	3	2	3	3	3	3
Bindery Department Binding Department	31	35	34	26	27	27	26	25
Printing Department	6	6	6	6	5	5	5	5
Engineers Department Buildings Department	41	45	39	38	39	44	45	43
Cleaners	23	20	16	13	16	16	15	14
Total	119	138	127	112	130	133	138	136

DISTRIBUTION OF REGULAR SERVICE, 1929 - 1950 DIVISION OF HOME READING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

	DEC. 31 1929	DEC. 31 1934	DEC. 31 1939	DEC. 31 1944	DEC. 31 1947	DEC. 31 1948	DEC. 31 1949	DEC. 31 1950
Circulation Division, Executive Staff		8	9	8	9	10	14	
Division of Home Reading and Community Services, Executive Staff								14
Branch Department	25							
Central Office, Branch Libraries Book Preparation Department		26	21	 5	平,			
Cataloging and Classification Dept. Branch Issue Department	_			6 10	6 19	7 10	8 9	7 8
Book Selection Department			2	2	2	3	3	3
Registration Department				8	8	9	9	8
Open Shelf Department				6	7	7	7	6
Childrens Department Young Peoples Room	8	5	5	4	4	4	4	4
School Issue Department			8	5	ΰ	7	8	8
Allston	4	8	8	7	6	8	7	8
Andrew Square Boylston	4	5 5	5 7		ne change 1e change			Village
Brighton	7	6	7	7	7	7	7	7
Charlestown	8	9	9	6	7	7	8	8
City Point	2 7	4 8	4	4 7	5 8	5 8	5 8	5 8
Codman Square Connolly	/	0	8	7	6	8	8	8
Dorchester	6	7	7	6	6	6	7	8
East Boston	11	11	10	8	8	9	8	9
Faneuil	3	7	7	6	6	6	6	6
Fellowes Athenaeum	7	6	7	6	5	,	**	,
I-lyde Park	7 6	7 5	7	6 5	5 8	6 7	7 8	6 8
Jamaica Plain Jeffries Point	3	5	6	6	4	4	5	4
Kirstein		3	4		sed July		1	
Lower Mills	3	4	4	4	3	4	4	4
Mattapan	5	9	10	9	8	9	9	9
Memorial	9 7	12 6	11	8	7 7	8 7	8 7	8 7
Mount Bowdoin Mount Pleasant	3	4	6	4	3	4	4	4
Neponset	3	3	3	3	3	3	4	4
North End	8	10	10	8	8	9	9	9
Orient Heights	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	4
Parker Hill	3	8	8	7 3	7	7 3	7	7
Phillips Brooks Roslindale	5	7	7	7	8	9	6	8
Roxbury Crossing	4	4	Clos	ed July				
South Boston	8	8	7	4	5	4	5	5
South End	8	7 4	6	5	5	6	6	5
Tyler Street Uphams Corner	10	9	10	ea juiy 8	1, 1938 8	8	8	7
Washington Village				6	7	7	7	7
West End	9	9	9	9	8	9	10	10
West Roxbury	6	8	8	7	8	9	9	9
Bookmobile***								
Total	210	254	257	237	235	253	256	257

^{*} Transferred to Division of Business Operations February 13, 1946
** Closed March 15, 1949
*** Service began February 20, 1950
*** Cleaners and Junior Building Custodians assigned to Branch Libraries are included.

DISTRIBUTION OF REGULAR SERVICE, 1929 - 1950 DIVISION OF REFERENCE AND RESEARCH SERVICES

	DEC. 31 1929	DEC. 31 1934	DEC. 31 1939	DEC, 31 1944	DEC. 31 1947	DEC. 31 1948	DEC. 31 1949	DEC. 31 1950
Reference Division, Executive Staff Division of Reference and		6	11	3	6	5	6	
Research Services, Executive Staff	—							6
Book Selection Department Book Selection Department,		2						
Reference Division			2	2	2	2	2	2
Catalog Department Shelf Department	19 15						_	
Cataloging and Classification Dept.		33	31	27	27	30	27	29
Registration Department	8	9	10	*				
Issue Department Book Stack Service .	36	40	46	38	44	46	46	45
Information Department Open Shelf Department	5	6	9	** ***				
Bates Hall Reference, Periodicals	25							
Genealogical Department Bates Hall Reference Desk		1 5	8					
Bates Hall Centre Desk Main Reading Room		7	4					
General Reference Department				10	12	12	12	11
Newspaper Department Periodical Department		2 5						
Periodical and Newspaper Department			10	8	8	8	9	9
Special Libraries Department Fine Arts, Rare Book, and	19					_		
Technology Departments Technology, Fine Arts, and					appagation and			
Music Department Fine Arts Department	[8]	16 [9]	10	9	9	10	10	10
Music Department Science and Technology Department	[4] [4]	[3] [4]	5 10	4 8	3 10	4 8	4	4 9
Patent_Department		3						
Rare Book Department	[3]	8	8	8	7	8	9	8
Print Department		1	3	3	3	4	4	4
Teachers Department	5			4	4	5	5	4
Statistical Department)	5	4		5	5	5	5
History Department		11	12	2	13	16		15
Kirstein Business Branch				14			16	
Total	132	160	183	143	157	167	168	165

^{*} Transferred to Circulation Division March 1, 1940
*** Transferred to General Administrative Offices July 1, 1940
*** Transferred to Circulation Division July 1, 1940

DISTRIBUTION OF FULL-TIME PERSONNEL BY CATEGORIES, DECEMBER 31, 1950

LIBRARY WORKERS

General Officers .							¢		14
Assistant to the Director									2
Chief of Department									22
Branch Librarian .									30
Assistant-in-Charge									- 1
Curator .									1
Readers Adviser .									1
First Assistant .									36
Children's Librarian									22
Cataloger and Classifier									1
Administrative Assistant									2
Assistant, 5th Step .									4
Second Assistant .									20
Cataloger .									3
Children's Assistant									1
Reference Assistant									- 1
Assistant, 4th Step									3
Assistant (Professional L	ibrary	Servi	ce)						103
Assistant (Sub-Profession	al Lib	rary	Service)					85
Probationary Assistant (F	Profess	ional	Library	Serv	ice)				57
Unclassified Assistant (St	ıb-Prot	fession	al Libi	ary S	ervice)				47
Military Substitute									6
Total									 162*
* This figure d	oes no	t inclu	ide tho	se mer	nbers	of the	staff	who	

^{*} This figure does not include those members of the staff who were absent on military leave on December 31, 1950 and for whom there were no Military Substitutes.

CLERICAL AND MECHANICAL WORKERS

Auditor .								. 1	
Bookkeeper .								. 1	
Bookkeeping Machin	ie C	perator						. 1	
Clerk .								. 1	
Clerk and Typist								. 2	_
Key Punch Operato	r.							. 1	7
Shipper .								. !	2
Shipper's Assistant								. 2	3
									2
Clerk-Messenger				•	•	•		. 4	2
mind of Division E								1	
Chief of Binding I							•	. 1	
Foreman .			٠		•	•		. 1	
					•	•	•	. 4	
Forwarder	, .		•	•	•	•	•	. /	
Apprentice Bookbing	der	c	•	•	•	•			
Working Forewoman					•	•	•	. 1	
Sewer .					•	•	•	1	25
Apprentice Sewer	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	. 1	43
Chief of Printing	Dana	vtm on t				,		1	
							•	2	
Linotype Operator Pressman, Cylinder						•		. î	
Pressman, Job								. i	5
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C								
Superintendent of Building	s .	•	•					
Engineer							. 2	
Steamfitter							. 1	
Working Foreman of Car	penter	s .					. 1	
Carpenter	-						. 2	
Working Foreman of Pair		:			•	•	1	
D ' .			•		•	•	, 1	
		•			•	•	. 4	
Head Electrician .	•							
Electrician							. 2	
							. 1	
Mason							. 1	
Fire Prevention Inspector							i	
Senior Building Custodian	. •		•	•	•	•	· i	
		•	•	•		•	26	
Junior Building Custodian							. 26	
Machinist's Helper .								
Watchman							. 3	
Elevator Operator .							. 2	
Housekeeper							. 1	
Assistant Housekeeper					•	•	i	
		•		•	•	•	1	
Stenographer .		•		•			. 1	70
Cleaner	•						. 26	78
Total								120
Temporary Painter .								2
								122
								122

Recapitulation of Full-time Personnel, December 31, 1950

Library Workers . Clerical and Mechanical	Workers			. 462 . 122
	Total			58.4*

^{*} This figure does not include those members of the staff who were absent on military leave on December 31, 1950 and for whom there were no Military Substitutes.

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION AND SALARY SCHEDULES FOR THE BIBLIOTHECAL SERVICE

as of July 1, 1949

PERSONNEL CLASSIFICATION

THE SUB-PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE

The Non-Technical Library Service

Extra Assistant Unclassified Assistant

Assistant

THE PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE

The Technical Library Service

Probationary Assistant

Assistant

Second Assistant Children's Assistant Reference Assistant Cataloger Classifier Executive Assistant

First Assistant Children's Librarian Reference Librarian Cataloger and Classifier Administrative Assistant

The Specialist Service

Curator Readers Adviser

The Administrative Service

Chief of Department Branch Librarian Other Officers

SALARY SCHEDULES
THE SUB-PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE

THE NON-TECHNICAL LIBRARY SERVICE

Extra Assistants (by the hour only)

College students (based on length of Boston Public Library employment while attending college)

1st year of such library employment 60 cents per hour 2nd year of such library employment 65 cents per hour

3rd and subsequent years of such library employment

70 cents per hour

Unclassified Assistants (by the hour)

Rates to be determined individually in each case, as for example:

80 cents per hour

90 cents per hour

\$1.00 per hour

or at hourly rates dependent upon the qualifications of the individual, and based on the weekly rates paid to Unclassified Assistants employed by the week and to Assistants in the Sub-Professional Library Service or to Probationary Assistants and Assistants in the Professional Library Service.

Unclassified Assistants (by the week)

From a beginning rate of \$1800 per year up to a maximum of \$2300 per year, by individual steps of \$50 each dependent upon meeting the various steps of the required Qualifying Examinations for the Sub-Professional Library Service; or for specialist activities at a rate to be determined for each case individually

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THE PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE

The	Technical	Library	Service
	D 1		Α .

Probationary Assistant (Steps 1 to 5)			\$2450-\$2700
Assistant (Steps 1-3)			2700- 3300
	٠		3500
		•	
Reference Assistant (4th step) .			3500
Cataloger (4th step)			3500
Classifier (4th step)			3500
Executive Assistant (4th step) .			3500
Assistant, 4th Step	٠		3500
First Assistant (5th step)			3700
Children's Librarian (5th step) .			3700
Reference Librarian (5th step) .			3700
Cataloger and Classifier (5th step).			3700
Administrative Assistant (5th step)			3700
Assistant, 5th Step		•	3700

The Specialist Service

Curator				\$3900-\$4400
Readers	Adviser			3900- 4400

Specialist activities

Rate of remuneration to be determined for each case individually.

The Administrative Service

Chief of Department			\$3900-\$4400
Branch Librarian .			3900- 4400

Other Officers

Rate of remuneration to be determined for each case individually.

SALARY RANGES — BY PERCENTAGES OF PERSONNEL IN EACH RANGE

	76 OF TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31,	0.000000000000000000000000000000000000	45.4% 64.2% 70.3%
	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1949	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.0	43.1% 64.8% 71.3%
	% OF TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1948	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.0	63.9% 70.7% 86.6%
	% of Toral No. AS OF DEC. 31,	0.000000000000000000000000000000000000	85.8% 86.6% 96.7%
KERS	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1945	25.6%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%	96.8% 97.8% 98.3%
JIBRARY WOR	% OF TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1942	0.00 1.15.832.1 23.64.03.1 23.65.832.1 0.05.832.832.832.832.832.832.832.832.832.832	97.5% 98.0% 98.5%
	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1939	0.0 1.24.83.83 1.5.1.48.65 1.0.0.1.25 1.0.0.0.0.38 1.0.0.0.0.0.38 1.0.0.38 1.0.	96.8% 97.5% 97.7%
	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1936	26.02 23.15.02 23.15.02 23.15.02 23.15.02 20.00	98.0% 98.4% 98.5%
	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1929	24.12.11.6.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.0.	98.3% 98.6% 98.9%
	ALARY RANGE	\$10.00-14.99 15.00-19.99 20.00-24.99 25.00-24.99 35.00-39.99 45.00-44.99 50.00-54.99 55.00-54.99 55.00-54.99 65.00-69.99 70.00 and Over 70.00 and Over Under \$15.00 Under \$15.00 Under \$5.00 Under 45.00 Under 45.00 Under 45.00 Under 45.00 Under 45.00 Under 45.00 Under 45.00	

SALARY RANGES — BY PERCENTAGES OF PERSONNEL IN EACH RANGE

			CLERICAL	AND MECHAN	ICAL WORKE	RS			
ALARY RANGE	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1929	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1936	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1939	% oF TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1942	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1945	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1947	% of TOTAL NO. AS OF DEC. 31, 1948	% of Total no. As of DEC. 31, 1949	% of total no. As of DEC. 31, 1950
10.00-14.99 15.00-19.99 20.00-24.99 25.00-29.99 30.00-34.99	0.8% 24.2% 11.5%% 14.1%% 14.0%%	1.6% 1.5.3% 20.9% 24%	0.0% 19.3% 3.4% 26.0%	28.7% 28.7% 25.9% 3.7%%	0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.0	0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 25.0% 11.7%	0.0 0.0 0.0 24.8 3.2 3.2 5.8 5.8 5.8 5.8 5.8 5.8 5.8 5.8 5.8 5.8	0.0%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%%	0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 0.0% 1.6%
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SALARY RANGES — BY NUMBER OF PERSONNEL IN EACH RANGE

	NUMBER AS OF	DEC. 31.	1950	C		> 0	> (0	20	17	87	75	22	28	872	28	137	С	C) C	0	20	37	85	991	182	210	297	325
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	NUMBER AS OF	DEC. 31,	1948	C	0 <	> 0	> (0	46	56	48	36	œ	96	31	72	19	0	0	0	0	46	102	150	186	161	290	321	393
	NUMBER AS OF	DEC. 31,	1947	C	o c	0	0 201	50	\$	21	63	44	. %	20	· ~	43	4	0	0	0	105	151	172	235	279	345	365	368	411
Workers	NUMBER AS OF																												
LIBRARY WOR	NUMBER AS OF																												
	NUMBER AS OF	DEC. 31,	1939	0	1	117	1 7	200	89	69	25	29	4		3	_	10	0	7	121	227	316	385	410	439	443	444	447	448
	NUMBER AS OF	DEC. 31,	1936	23	115	2.5	501	50	23	27	30	3	0	4	0	7	7	23	138	242	347	370	397	427	430	430	434	434	436
	NUMBER AS OF																	59											
			SALARY RANGE	\$10.00-14.99	15.00-19.99	20 00-24 99	25.00-29.99	20.00	30.00-34.99	35.00-39.99	40.00-44.99	45.00-49.99	50.00-54.99	55.00–59.99	60,00-64.99	65.00-69.99	70.00 and Over	Under \$15.00											

SALARY RANGES — BY NUMBER OF PERSONNEL IN EACH RANGE

			CLERICAL	and Mechan	CLERICAL AND MECHANICAL WORKERS	\$3			
	NUMBER		NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBER	NUMBE
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SALARY RANGE	1929		1939	1942	1945	1947	1948	1949	1950
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15.00-19.99	29		23	3	0	0	0	0	0
20.00-24.99	14		17	31	33	0	0	0	0
25.00-29.99	5		4	5		30	0	0	0
30.00-34.99	17		31	28	35	14	31	ব	7
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50.00-54.99	<u>-</u>		3	W	-	0	6	32	28
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65.00-69.99	-		0	0	С	4	3	13	13
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	30		23	3	0	0	0	0	0
	44		40	34	33	0	0	0	0
	49		44	39	34	30	0	0	0
	99		75	29	69	44	31	4	7
	73		79	71	7.1	50	35	31	30
	105		105	%	96	82	46	46	43
	116		114	101	105	98	77	84	46
	117		117	104	106	86	86	80	74
	117		118	107	108	110	99	16	Z
Under 65.00	117	121	118	107	109	115	66	16	85
	118		118	107	601	119	102	104	98

COST OF SALARY INCREASES, 1930 - 1950

AMOUNT

Total

\$29,880.01

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19								309.84		
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19	35 .						15,8	391.29		
19	36 .						11,9	918.89		
19								137.52		
19								067.44		
	39.							127.91		
19			•					793.41		
19			•		•	•		943.11		
	42 .		•		•	-		595.85		
	43 .	•		•	•			532.70		
	44 .	•	•	•		•		028.57		
	45 .	•	•	•	•	•		861.40		
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DISTRIBUT	'ION OF	COST	OF	SAL	ARY I	INCR	EASE	ES, 193	30 –	1950
				1930						
Increases for 19	30 eftecti	ve at va	rious	dates	•	•			\$1	2,269.85
				1931						
Overlay from in	creases e	ffective i	n 193	0 at v	arious	dates	for			
which provisi	on had to	be made	e in 15	for lot	payme	ent ove	er a			0 712 24
full 12 mon Increases for 19	ths period	1 .	. •	1.	•			•	\$	8,713.34
Increases for 19	31 effecti	ve at va	rious	dates	•	•	•	•		5,381.00
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							1	otal	ΦI	4,094.34
				1932						
0 1 (:		a	102			1.	,			
Overlay from in	icreases e	flective i	n 193	l at v	arious	dates	tor			
which provis	ion had to	o be mac	le in	1932 1	or pay	ment o	over		4	E 626 70
a full 12 mo	onths peri	od .	•				•	•	Ф	5,626.78
Increases for I	932 .	•	•	•	•	•	•	•		None .
							Т	otal	4	5,626.78
				1933				otai	Ф	J,020.70
Overlay from in										None
Increases for 19	33 effecti	ve at va	rious	dates			•		\$	309.84
							- 1	otal	95	309.84
				1024				Otal	Ψ	207.04
				1934			•	Otal	Ψ	707,04
Overlay from in	icreases el	ffective in	1933			,		orar .		501.79
Overlay from in Increases for 19				3 .					\$	

1935

Overlay from increases effective in 1934 at various dates for which provision had to be made in 1935 for payment over		
a full 12 months period		\$ 1,583.02 14,308.27
	Total	\$15,891.29
1936		
Overlay from increases effective in 1935 at various dates for which provision had to be made in 1936 for payment over		A 0.55417
a full 12 months period	•	\$ 9.554.17 2,364.72
1937	Total	\$11,918.89
Overlay from increases effective in 1936 only for October 30— December 31, 1936 but for which provision had to be made in 1937 for payment over a full 12 months period		\$10,181.08
Increases in 1937 effective June 4, 1937-December 31, 1937.	•	36,956.44
1938	Total	\$47,137.52
Overlay from increases effective in 1937 only for June 4- December 31, 1937 but for which provision had to be made		
in 1938 for payment over a full 12 months period . Increases in 1938 effective from June 3–December 31, 1938		\$26,948.68 24,118.76
1939	Total	\$51,067.44
Overlay from increases effective in 1938 only from June 3- December 31, 1938 but for which provision had to be made in 1939 for payment over a full 12 months period. Increases in 1939 effective September 27-December 31, 1939.		\$17,171.48 13,956.43
1940	Total	\$31,127.91
Overlay from increases effective in 1939 at various dates for		
which provision had to be made in 1940 for payment over a full 12 months period		\$44,793.41 None
1041	Total	\$44,793.41
1941 Overlay from increases effective in 1940 for which provision		
had to be made in 1941 for payment over a full 12 months		None
Increases in 1941 effective January 1, 1941	:	\$54,943.11
1942	Total	\$54,943.11
Overlay from increases effective in 1941 for which provision		
had to be made in 1942 for payment over a full 12 months		
had to be made in 1942 for payment over a full 12 months		None
had to be made in 1942 for payment over a full 12 months	•	None \$30,595.85

1943

Overlay from increases effective in 1942 for which provision had to be made in 1943 for payment over a full 12 months	n s	M
period Increases in 1943 effective January 1, 1943, etc		None \$10,632.70
1944	Total	\$10,632.70
Overlay from increases effective in 1943 for which provision had to be made in 1944 for payment over a full 12 month		
period Increases in 1944 effective January 1, 1944, etc.		None \$39,028.57
1945	Total	\$39,028.57
Overlay from increases effective in 1944 for which provision had to be made in 1945 for payment over a full 12 month	n ns	M
period Increases in 1945 effective January 1, 1945, etc	· ·	None \$30,861.40
1946	Total	\$30,861.40
Overlay from increases effective in 1945 for which provision had to be made in 1946 for payment over a full 12 month		
period		None \$29,401.47
1947	Total	\$29,401.47
Overlay from increases effective in 1946 for which provision had to be made in 1947 for payment over a full 12 month		NI
period Basic increase of \$400 per annum for all city employees as of January 1, 1947 Other increases in 1947.	of :	None \$204,000.00 43,982.70
1948	Total	\$247,982.70
Overlay from increases effective in 1947 for which provision had to be made in 1948 for payment over a full 12 month	on is	
period		None \$193,295.81
1949	Total	\$193,295.81
Overlay from increases effective in 1948 for which provisio had to be made in 1949 for payment over a full 12 month		
period Increases in 1949 effective January 1, 1949, etc		None \$111,520.86
1950	Total	\$111,520.86
Overlay from increases effective in 1949 for which provision had to be made in 1950 for payment over a full 12 months.	n is	
period Increases in 1950 effective January 1, 1950, etc	· .	None \$13,389.11
	Total	\$13,389.11

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	1940-41	1941–42	1942-43	1940-41 1941-42 1942-43 1943-44 1944-45 1945-46 1946-47 1947-48 1948-49 1949-50	1944-45	1945-46	1946-47	1947-48	1948-49	1949-50
Individuals taking courses	68	69	75	108	100	8	75	90 75 111 117	117	129
Total enrollment in all courses	011	76	84	128	137	122	Ξ	148	138	148
Passing grades	69	43	99	93	66	70	78	6	16	100
Withdrawals	10	4	17	10 14 17 22 15 29 15 19 23 18	15	53	15	19	23	18
Cases of incompleted work	ω	-	0	2		_	2	_	5	0
Failures	6	प	9	=	22	22	91	31	61	30
Percentage of courses passed	76%	%69	70%	73 %	72%	57%	70%	65%	299	68%

ENTRANCE EXAMINATIONS, 1950

EXAMINATION	INDIVIDUALS WHO PASSED	INDIVIDUALS WHO FAILED	TOTAL
SUB-PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE			
General Paper	498 (72%)	194 (28%)	692 (100%)
Professional Library Service			
General Paper	140 (77%)	41 (23%)	181 (100%)
French Paper German Paper Italian Paper Spanish Paper	99 (75%) 28 (76%) 2 (40%) 18 (53%)	33 (25%) 9 (24%) 3 (60%) 16 (47%)	132 (100%) 37 (100%) 5 (100%) 34 (100%)

QUALIFYING EXAMINATIONS, 1950

THE PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE

LXAMINATION	INDIVIDUALS WHO PASSED	INDIVIDUALS WHO FAILED	TOTAL
General Book Selection (Q) Cataloging and Classification (Q) General Reference Work (Q) Boston Public Library —	12 (92%) 11 (85%) 7 (64%)	1 (8%) 2 (15%) 4 (36%)	13 (100%) 13 (100%) 11 (100%)
Central Library (Q)	25 (86%)	4 (14%)	27 (100%)
Boston Public Library — Branch Libraries (Q)	22 (96%)	1 (4%)	23 (100%)

THE SUB-PROFESSIONAL LIBRARY SERVICE

	INDIVIDUALS	INDIVIDUALS	
EXAMINATION	WHO PASSED	WHO FAILED	TOTAL
Book Ordering (Q)	25 (80%)	6 (20%)	31 (100%)
Book Preparation (Q)	5 (50%)	5 (50%)	10 (100%)
Book Shelving (Q)	25 (89%)	3 (11%)	28 (100%)
Elementary Cataloging (Q)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Elementary Classification (Q)	16 (94%)	1 (6%)	17 (100%)
Filing (Q)	17 (81%)	4 (19%)	21 (100%)
Registration Procedure (Q)	18 (69%)	8 (31%)	26 (100%)
Reports and Statistics (Q)	24 (86%)	4 (14%)	28 (100%)
Boston Public Library -			
Central Library (Q)	13 (48%)	14 (52%)	27 (100%)
Boston Public Library —			
Branch Libraries (Q)	13 (81%)	3 (19%)	16 (100%)

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PROMOTIONAL EXAMINATIONS, 1950

	INDIVIDUALS	INDIVIDUALS	
EXAMINATION	WHO PASSED	WHO FAILED	TOTAL
Advanced Languages — French (11)	2 (100%)	0	2 (100%)
Advanced Languages — German (11)	2 (33%)	4 (67%)	6 (100%)
Book as a Physical Artifact (III)	0	1 (100%)	1 (100%)
Boston as a Community (1V)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Cataloging (IV)	1 (50%)	1 (50%)	2 (100%)
Children's Literature (IV)	1 (50%)	1 (50%)	2 (100%)
Children's Work (V)	1 (50%)	1 (50%)	2 (100%)
Classification (V)	2 (67%)	1 (33%)	3 (100%)
Economics — General Field (111)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Education — General Field (III)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Extension Work (V)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Fine Arts — General Field (III)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Literature — General Field (III)	5 (71%)	2 (29%)	7 (100%)
Music — General Field (III)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Philosophy, Psychology, Religion -			
General Field (III)	1 (100%)	0	1 (100%)
Public Library as an Institution (1)	5 (71%)	2 (29%)	7 (100%)
Social Sciences and History -			
General Field (III)	3 (60%)	2 (40%)	5 (100%)
Special Fields - Subject Knowledge (IV)	2 (100%)	0	2 (100%)
Special Fields — Bib. Knowledge (V)	2 (100%)	0	2 (100%)

APPOINTMENTS TO TITULAR POSITIONS, 1950

John J. Connolly Assistant to the Director, and Chief Executive Officer

Samuel Green Deputy Assistant to the Director Aaron A. Starr Deputy Assistant to the Director

John M. Carroll Supervisor of Reference and Research Services

Sarah W. Flannery Deputy Supervisor of Reference and Research Services

Gerald L. Ball Chief of Book Purchasing Department Charles L. Higgins Evelyn Levy Evelyn B. Marden Louisa S. Metcalf Chief of General Reference Department Branch Librarian

Bookmobile Librarian Readers Adviser

Eleanor DiGiannantonio First Assistant Alice E. Hackett First Assistant Esther J. Leonard First Assistant Harriett V. Mulloy First Assistant Marjorie A. Obenauer Martin F. Waters First Assistant First Assistant

Mary V. Doyle Marie J. Pinco Beryl Y. Robinson Irene J. Wadsworth Children's Librarian Children's Librarian Children's Librarian Children's Librarian

Mary D. Farrell Cataloger and Classifier Russell A. Scully Administrative Assistant

Mary B. Bennett Second Assistant Rita M. Desaulniers Second Assistant Etta Lasker Second Assistant F. Laurelle West Second Assistant

Eamon E. McDonough Reference Assistant Ralph H. Sullivan Reference Assistant

Rebecca E. Willis Branch Librarian, Emeritus

RETIREMENTS FROM THE LIBRARY, 1950

Margaret T. O'Connell After 7 years of service Luke Connor After 19 years of service Anna G. Bell After 21 years of service Rebecca E. Willis After 46 years of service

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BOOK STOCK

Total Number of Volumes in the Library as of December 31, 1950

Division of Reference and	Resi	EARCH	Serv	ICES		
Central Library . Kirstein Business Branch					1,239,168 39,756	
Total for Division .					1,278,924	1,278,924
DIVISION OF HOME READING	ND (COMMU	NITY	SERVICES		
Open Shelf Department					26,262	
Young Peoples Room						
School Issue Department					40,832	
Branch Issue Department					50,841	
Branch Libraries						
Allston				17,825		
Brighton				20,530		
Charlestown .				16,229		
City Point				11,952		
Codman Square .				18,094		
Connolly				17,452		
				17,259		
East Boston .				16,393		
				16,658		
*Fellowes Athenaeum				4,664		
Hyde Park .			•	19,234		
Jamaica Plain .				16,379		
Jeffries Point .				8,649		
Lower Mills .				11,775		
Mattapan .	•			21,365		
		•		14,322		
Mt. Bowdoin .	•			14,063		
Mt. Pleasant .	•	•	*	9,946		
The state of the s	•			10,528		
North End .	•			13,850 10,025		
Orient Heights .	•	•		,		
Parker Hill . Phillips Brooks .	•	•	•	13,709 7,917		
Phillips Brooks . Roslindale .		•	٠	17,811		
South Boston .	•	•		11,267		
0 1 17 1	•			16,195		
111 0	•		•	19,688		
2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2		•	•	15,147		
187 E 1				23,170		
101 D 1		•	•	20,878		
Bookmobile .	•			8,796		
Doormoone .						
Total for Branch Libra	aries			461,770	461,770	
Total for Division .					591,504	591,504
Total for Entire Lbrary System	em		٠			1,870,428

^{*} Branch Library closed March 15, 1949; books in storage at Hyde Park Branch Library

BOOK STOCK

The total number of volumes in the Library at the end of each year since its formation is shown in the following statement:

1852-53						9.688	1902-03					835,904
	۰	•		•	•					•	•	
1853-54			,			16,221	1903-04					848,884
1854-55						22,617	1904-05					871,050
	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	
1855-56						28,080	1905-06					878,933
1856-57						34,896	1906-07					903,349
1857-58						70.851	1907-08					922,348
	٠	•	•					•			•	,
1858-59			,			78,043	1908-09					941,024
1859-60						85,031	1909-10					961,522
	•	•	•	•	•			•	•	•	•	
1860-61						97,386	1910-11		•			987,268
1861-62						105.034	1911-12					1,006,717
1862-63						110,563	1912-13					1,049,011
	•	•	'	•	•			•		•	•	
1863–64						116,934	1913-14					1,067,103
1864-65						123,016	1914-15					1,098,702
	•	,		•	•	130,678	1915-16					1.121.747
1865–66	٠	•	•					•			•	
1866–67						136,080	1916–17					1,139,682
1867-68						144,092	1917-18					1,157,326
	•	,	'	•	•			•	•	•	•	
1868-69	۰	•				152,796	1918–19					1,173,695
1869-70						160,573	1919–20					1,197,498
1870-71						179,250	1920-21					1,224,510
	•	•		•	•			•	•	•	•	
1871-72						192,958	1921–22				•	1,258,211
1872-73						209,456	1922-23					1.284.094
1873-74						260,550	1923-24					1,308,041
	۰			•	•				•	•	•	
1874–75						276,918	1924-25					1,333,264
1875-76						297,873	1925					1,363,515
	•	•		•		321,010	1926	•	•	•		1,388,439
1876–77	۰							•	٠	•	•	
1877–78			,			345,734	1927					1,418,489
1878-79						360,963	1928					1,442,802
	•	•		•	•			•	•	•		
1879–80	•				•	377,225	1929				•	1,475,743
1880-81						390,982	1930					1,526,951
1881-82						404,221	1931					1,572,802
	•	•	,	•	•		1932	•	•	•	•	
1882-83						422,116			•	•		1,631,422
1883-84			,			438,594	1933					1,654,017
1884-85						453,947	1934					1,673,609
	•	•		•	٠		1935	•	•	•		
1885	۰			•		460,993		•	•	•	•	1,682,848
1886						479,421	1936					1,693,335
1887						492,956	1937					1.700,681
	•	,	•	•	•	505,872	1938		•	•		1,693,688
1888	٠	•	•					•			•	
1889			,			520,508	1939					1,704,729
1890						536,027	1940					1,714,923
	۰	,	,	•	•		1941	•	•	•	•	
1891	۰					556,283		*		•		1,720,605
1892			,			576,237	1942					1,734,516
1893						597,152	1943					1,732,395
	•	•	•		•			•	•	•	. 24	
1894						610,375	1944	٠				1,719,983
1895						628,297	1945	4				1,733,000
1896–97						663,763	1946					1,757,095
				•						•		1,770,414
1897–98						698,888	1947				•	
1898-99						716,050	1948					1,811,806
1899-190	n.					746,383	1949					1,832,173
	U			•			1950					1,870,428
1900-01						781,377	1900					1,070,420
1901-02						812,264						

^{*} In 1944 the number of volumes belonging to Fellowes Athenaeum Trustees was removed from the book stock count.

ACCESSIONS, 1950

The following statistics include materials received in 1950; they do not include materials received in earlier years, but processed only in 1950.

CLASSIFICATION OF ACCESSIONS, 1950

	SOURCE				NO. OF VOLUMES
	purchase gift .		٠		89,368 5,531
Ву	exchange				
	binding of binding of s		ers		6.540
					101,451

DISTRIBUTION OF EXPENDITURES FOR THE PURCHASE OF BOOKS AND OTHER LIBRARY MATERIALS, 1950

Division of Reference and Research Services

From City	Appropriation	\$6,999.96	
From Trust	Funds Income	59,831.63	\$66,831.59

Division of Home Reading and Community Services

City Appropriation Trust Funds Income	\$144,112.38 · 724.25	144,836.63
		\$211 668 22

DISTRIBUTION OF BOOKS ACQUIRED BY PURCHASE

Division of Reference and Research Services

From	City Appropriation	1,287	
From	Trust Funds Income	12,015	13,302

Division of Home Reading and Community Services

From City Appropriation From Trust Funds Income	75,667 399	76,066
		80 368

Increase or Decrease in Book Stock of the Division of Home Reading and Community Services, 1944 – 1950

				TOTAL NUMBER OF VOLUMES
	NUMBER OF		NET INCREASE	DIVISION OF HOME
	VOLUMES	NUMBER OF	OR DECREASE IN	READING AND COM-
YE.AR	DISCARDED	VOLUMES ADDED	NO. OF VOLUMES	MUNITY SERVICES
1944	71,222*	48,509	-22,713*	504,659
1945	45,058	51,222	+6,164	510,823
1946	40,713	57,434	+16,721	527,544
1947	44.247	50,393	+6,146	533,690
1948	53,130	80,579	+27.449	561,139
1949	56,621	61,854	+5,233	566,372
1950	44,861	69,993	+25,132	591,504

^{*} Includes 25,293 volumes belonging to Fellowes Athenaeum Trustees, and located in the Fellowes Athenaeum Branch Library, hereby removed from Boston Public Library book stock figure.

A SELECTION OF NOTABLE PURCHASES, 1950

Воокѕ

Abraham bar Hiyya

Sphaera mundi. [Zurat ha-Erez] Basle. 1546.

Alcocer, Pedro de

Hystoria, o descriptión de la imperial ciudad de Toledo, Toledo, 1554.

Balzac, Honoré de

Les contes drolatiques. Paris, 1855. La peau de chagrin. Paris, 1831.

Book of Kells. Berne, 1950.

Catholic Church. Liturgies.

Missale ad usum Sarum. Rouen, 1497.

Church of England. Liturgies.

Manuale ad usum percelebris ecclesie Sarisburiensis. London, 1554.

Digges, Leonard

A prognostication everlasting. London, 1578.

Ficino, Marsilio

Della Christiana religione. Pisa, 1484.

Great Britain

Draft of a bill declaring the intention of Parliament [imposing taxes]. [New York. 1778.]

Guevara, Antonio de

The Golden boke of Marcus Aurelius. London, 1546.

Jefferson, Thomas

Papers, edited by Julian Boyd. Vol. I- Princeton, 1950-

Johnson, Samuel London, 1738.

The vanity of human wishes. London, 1749.

Massachusetts. House of Representatives.

Militia act of 1776. Boston, 1776. Pfintzing, Melchior

Tewrdannockh. Nürnberg, 1517.

Raspe, Rudolf Eric

Travels of Baron Munchausen. London, 1819.

Sachsenheim, Hermann von Morin. Worms, 1539.

Vere, Sir Francis

The commentaries. Cambridge, 1657.

Voltaire, François Marie Arouet de

Candide. Geneva, 1759. L'Ymagier. Paris, 1894–1896.

MANUSCRIPTS

Jenks, Frank H.

[Collection of letters relating to Boston literary and musical affairs.]

PERIODICALS AND SERIALS

Forain, Jean-Louis

Le Fifre, Journal Hébdomadaire 15 numbers, February 23, 1899— June 1, 1899. Illustrated by Jean-Louis Forain.

Collection of 249 illustrations by Jean-Louis Forain in 9 French

periodicals.

PRINTS AND DRAWINGS

Bone, Muirhead

One pen drawing: Collapsing of Houses Off Oxford Street, London; one drawing: St. Lars Church.

Brockhurst, Gerald

One pen drawing: Portrait Study of Mrs. Brockhurst.

Daumier. Honore

A collection of 37 lithographs, Les Gens de Justice series; Une Nuit Agitée, lithograph.

Forain, Jean-Louis

One etching: Maison Close; 6 brush drawings: Bonne d'Enfant, Croquis, Encaissement, Le Festin, Le Pecheur, Seance.

Griggs, Frederick L. M.

Three etchings: Priory Farm, second state; St. Botolph's, No. 2; Sellenger, third state.

Nason, Thomas W.

Eight wood-engravings: The Angler, Burnt Cove, Farmyard, The Four Gables, Mountain Stream, November, Round Hill, View of Eight Mile River, Lyme.

Steinlen, Theophile Alexandre

Two war lithographs. Toulouse-Lautrec, Henri De

One lithograph: Mme Rejane.

Verge-Sarrat, Henri

One etching: Landscape with Two Magpies.

A SELECTION OF NOTABLE GIFTS, 1950

Books and Other Materials

Adelson, Mildred R.

A collection of seventeen Victor, Columbia, and other recordings for the Jamaica Plain Branch Library.

Antin, Rosemary

Original manuscript of From Polotzk to Boston, by Mary Antin, bound in gold-tooled blue morocco.

Blackwell, Alice Stone, Estate of

A collection of one hundred and seventeen volumes and thirteen pamphlets from the library of Alice Stone Blackwell.

Boston Braves Baseball Club A collection of four hundred and twenty copies of books on baseball, for use in branch libraries and central library. Boston Numismatic Society

Medallion commemorating the 90th anniversary celebration of the Boston Numismatic Society.

Boynton, Mrs. Dora Carter, Estate of.

Colonial and revolutionary lineages of America. A collection of genealogical studies, completely documented and appropriately illustrated, bearing upon notable early American lines and their collateral connections, issued by the American Historical Company, Inc.

Capitol Record Company

A collection of eighteen children's records for the Jamaica Plain Branch Library.

Cobb, Sylvanus

A collection of three hundred and seventy-seven volumes, including fiction and works on various subjects; two scrapbooks, as well as thirty-seven unmounted photographs of actors and actresses.

Constable, Mrs. William

Pontificalis, secundum ritum, & usum S. R. Ecclesiae.

Pars prima. Venetijs, Apud Iuntas, 1582.

Tancredi (Klavierauszug). By Gioacchimo Rossini.

Contons, Albert J. (Reverend)

A collection of twenty-one Lithuanian periodicals and books.

Davis, F. B.

A collection of seventy-six volumes and pamphlets of miscellaneous works, including several volumes on chess.

Eldridge, William D.

A collection of eleven volumes and pamphlets, sixty-four pictures, and approximately one hundred and fifty original letters or copies thereof, relating principally to the 3rd N. H. Volunteers in the Civil War and to Daniel Eldridge who served with the regiment, and including several of his commission and promotion warrants in the Union Army, 1862–65.

Farrow, Mrs. W. Harmon

A collection of fifty-two volumes, many law and religious works, and two sets of the General Laws of Massachusetts, published in 1902 and 1932.

France. Imprimerie National de Publii Virgilii Maronis opera.

Friedman, Lee M.

A collection of post cards, volumes, and pamphlets, including several seventeenth century imprints.

Gorokhoff, Ivan T., Estate of

Four hundred and fifty pieces of Russian liturgical music, forty pieces of secular music, and twelve volumes and pamphlets on music in the Russian language.

Greenough, Mrs. Chester N.

The Bible for my grandchildren. Arranged from the King James version by Ruth Hornblower Greenough. With illustrations from designs by William Blake. Decorations by Rudolph Ruzicka. In 2 volumes.

Jullien, Adolphe

Fantin-Latour; sa vie et ses amities. Paris, L. Laveur, 1909.

Lithgow, Mrs. Douglas

A collection of thirteen volumes including several biographies by various authors, for the Open Shelf Department.

Marlatt, Charles L.

Nine copies of cash books, invoices, journals, ledgers, and letter books of the East India Dock Company from 1827–1880, and a copy of a certificate from the Secretary of the Commonwealth of Massachusetts relating to the change of name from Charles Brown to Charles H. Brown, made in 1843.

Marshall, Mrs. Andrew

Bibliography of General Benjamin F. Butler, by H. J. Moulton. Microfilm.

Morse, Herbert R.

A collection of eighty-three volumes of general interest.

Rosenwald, Lessing J.

Rosenwald Collection; an exhibition of recent acquisitions. Washington, National Gallery of Art, 1950.

Scaife, Roger L.

Ten volumes of music including a four-volume set of a collection of songs, hand-copied for the Chickering Club.

Slonimsky, Nicolas

A collection of sheet music, volumes relating to music, and fifteen phonograph records.

Switzerland, Legation of

A collection of fifty-nine volumes and pamphlets by Swiss authors or relating to Switzerland.

Switzerland. Official Information Bureau

A collection of sixty-seven photographs of Swiss scenes.

Universitetsbiblioteket, Uppsala, Sweden

Acta Bibliothecae R. Universitatis Upsaliensis. Volumes 1-7.

Vodrey, William H., Jr.

A collection of forty-six volumes and nineteen pamphlets, principally nineteenth century Boston imprints.

Woodward, Margaret

A collection of fifty-eight volumes and eight pamphlets, principally text books and work books on chemistry, physics, biology, and general science.

MANUSCRIPTS

Marshall, Mrs. Andrew

General Benjamin F. Butler: a bibliography of books, pamphlets, United States documents and periodical and newspaper articles. Typed manuscript.

Walkden, Vincent

Autographed manuscripts of fifteen scores by Lucius Hosmer.

PERIODICALS AND SERIALS

U. S. Senate

Executive journals of the U. S. Senate. 56 volumes.

PRINTS AND DRAWINGS

Bone, Muirhead

Four drypoints: Dancing on the Apostles' Day, first state; Jubilee Year, Santiago de Compostela, first state; Roman Bull Excavated at Merida, first plate, sixth state, trial proof; second plate, published state, by Muirhead Bone.

Crossett, Edward C.

Blampied, Edmund

Twelve early prints by Edmund Blampied among which are 7 undescribed states.

Heintzelman, Arthur W.

The Edward C. Crossett Collection of the work of Arthur W. Heintzelman; a collection of prints and drawings representing approximately 500 items.

Heil, Mrs. Charles E.

The Charles E. Heil Memorial Collection made up of a complete representation of 98 etchings by the artist.

Nason, Thomas W.

Two engravings: Amston Pond and Haystacks, by Thomas W. Nason.

Philip, R. Birnie

Whistler, James McNeill

A watercolor and gouache sketch on wooden panel by James McNeill Whistler, a study for proposed murals for Bates Hall in the Boston Public Library. Gift of the executrix of Whistler's estate.

Tempelaere, Julian

Fantin-Latour, Henri

Drawing by Fantin-Latour: Study of Nude Figures.

Wiggin, Albert H. Bone, Muirhead

Etching, sixth state: Building; etching, and drypoint; second state: The Dry Dock, Glasgow.

Forain, Jean-Louis

Forty-four brush drawings.

Griggs, Frederick L. M.

Etching, third state: Sellenger; 36 pen and ink drawings for the Essex volume of Macmillan's "Highways and Byways" series.

John, Augustus

Two pencil drawings: Portrait of a Child with Bangs and Portrait of a Woman in Hat.

Toulous-Lautrec, Henri de

Sketch-book of 72 pen and pencil drawings.

Wolf, Mrs. Gustav

A memorial collection of the woodcuts and drawings of Gustav Wolf representing approximately 450 items.

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USE OF BOOKS

COMPARATIVE C	IRCULAT	ION STA	TISTICS,	1946 – 19	50
	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950
Division of Reference and Research Services					
Central Library	130,310	146,975	148,598	146,353	137,922
Kirstein Business Branch	12,545	11,570	10,015	9,845	8,179
Total for Division	142,855	158,545	158,613	156,198	146,101
Division of Home Reading and Community Services					
Open Shelf Department	148,720	157,739	167,631	178,657	181,753
Young Peoples Room	37,826 18,661	36,988 18,585	37,195 16.883	39,082 16,1 7 0	40,160 14,917
School Issue Department Branch Issue Department	60,696	61,179	58,176	58,294	60,413
Staff Library	1,524	2,461	2,928	3,034	4,394
Deposit Circulation	000 440	0.44.405	0.40.017	045 045	262 504
(estimated)	233,558	241,405	248,816	265,045	263,594
Branch Libraries					
Allston	85,555	85,990	99,490	86,048	79,533
Brighton	59,261	55,182	53.024	56,653	54,320
Charlestown	80,932	72,413	82,926	84,644	75,241 53,774
City Point Codman Square	60,175	64,158 114,371	63,946 11 7 ,137	56,320 130,118	127,210
Connolly	96,325	95,096	98,292	98,101	84,327
Dorchester	80,496	82,115	80,178	84,930	80,432
East Boston	78,523	75,409	72,436	70,007	57,757
Faneuil	49,561	45,291	43,114	48,396 ***7,785	47,244
Fellowes Athenaeum Hyde Park	38,492 69,204	34,273 67,452	32,650 71,182	78,182	72,897
Jamaica Plain	78,868	76,919	83,652	86,472	79,705
Jeffries Point	23,606	24,193	26,894	26,895	26,539
Lower Mills	46,380	46,108	45,712	47,831	42,808
Mattapan	104,135	101,930	101,036	104,041	90,962 74,030
Memorial Mt. Bowdoin	85,385 72,571	81,781 72,682	79,504 75,105	84,581 80,846	69,656
Mt. Pleasant	50,476	44,474	44,591	43,609	40,436
Neponset	42,096	**28,355	48,624	51,827	45,256
North End	54,752	68,823	67,717	64,966	59,156
Orient Heights	40,771	38,505	39,741 70,336	38,013 77,497	38,457 69,35 7
Parker Hill Phillips Brooks	70,413 27,890	67,512 27,888	27,935	29,628	25,864
Roslindale	112,789	115,014	123,204	132,682	117,889
South Boston	51,505	54,257	48,369	50,474	†42,076
South End	65,670	63,998	64,719	62,689	63,581
Uphams Corner	*71,207 87,398	100,645 82,358	103,014 75,908	108,214 80,604	102,041 71,605
Washington Village West End	100,630	101,477	105,925	108,551	108,203
West Roxbury	104,564	105,270	110,918	115,062	106,161
††Bookmobile					104,278
Total for Branch Libraries			2,148,279		2,110,795
Total for Division	2,607,234	2,612,296	2,679,908	2,755,948	2,676,026
Total for Entire Library	0.7#0.000	0.770.04	0.000 -0:	2012	2.022.125
System		2,770,841			
* Building closed from	December 1	3, 1945 to a	April 15, 1	946 on acco	ount

^{*} Building closed from December 3, 1945 to April 15, 1946 on account of fire damage.

of fire damage.

** Building condemned February 3, 1947. Branch Library reopened in temporary quarters March 31, 1947.

*** Branch Library closed March 15, 1949.

† Closed in old quarters January 28, 1950; reopened in new quarters June 12, 1950.

†† Service began February 20, 1950.

DISTRIBUTION OF TOTAL CIRCULATION IN 1950

FROM DEPOSITS IN

SCHOOLS, INSTITUTIONS, AND FIRE HOUSES* TOTALS HOME USE Division of Reference and Research Services Central Library 125,561 Direct lending to borrowers 125,561 Central Library volumes circulated through Branch Issue De-12,361 12,361 partment 8,179 8,179 Kirstein Business Branch Total for Division 146,101 146,101 Division of Home Reading and Community Services 181,753 181,753 Open Shelf Department Young Peoples Room 40,160 40,160 School Issue Department 14,917 245,770 260,687 71,950 Branch Issue Department 60,413 11,537 4,394 4,394 Staff Library Branch Libraries 79,533 Allston 79,533 54,320 Brighton 54,320 185 Charlestown 75,241 75,241 53,774 53,774 City Point 127,210 Codman Square 127,210 84,327 84.327 Connolly Dorchester 80,432 80,432 57,757 57,757 East Boston 47,244 47,244 Faneuil 72,897 72,897 Hyde Park Jamaica Plain Jeffries Point 79,890 79,705 26,539 26,539 Lower Mills 42,808 42,808 90,962 90,962 Mattapan 74,030 Memorial 74.030 Mt. Bowdoin 69,656 69,656 Mt. Pleasant 40,436 40,436 45,256 45,256 Neponset 59,156 North End 59,156 Orient Heights 38,457 38,457 69,357 69,357 Parker Hill 25,864 25,864 Phillips Brooks Roslindale 117,889 117,889 **South Boston 42,076 42,076 South End 63,581 63,581 175 Uphams Corner 102,041 102,216 Washington Village 71,605 71,605 West End 108,203 5,927 114,130 West Roxbury 106,161 106,161 ***Bookmobile 104,278 104,278 2 110,795 6,287 2,117,082 Total for Branch Libraries Total for Division 2,412,432 263,594 2,676,026 Total for Entire Library 2,558,533 263,594 2.822.127

^{*} Estimated

^{**} Closed in old quarters January 28, 1950; reopened in new quarters June 12, 1950

^{***} Services began February 20, 1950

Analysis of Direct Home Use Circulation, 1950

	ADULT	JUVENILE	TOTAL
Division of Reference and Research Services			
Central Library			
Direct lending to borrowers Central Library volumes circulated	125,561		125,561
through Branch Issue Department Kirstein Business Branch	12,361 8,179		12,361 8,179
Total for Division	146,101		146,101
Division of Home Reading and Community Services			
Open Shelf Department	181,753		181,753
Young Peoples Room	3,875	36,285	40,160
School Issue Department	(0.410	14,917	14,917
Branch Issue Department Staff Library	60,413 4,394		60,413 4,394
Stall Library	4,274		7,277
Branch Libraries			
Allston	57,052	22,481	79,533
Brighton	31,375	22,945	54,320
Charlestown	42,096	33,145	75,241
City Point	31,469	22,305	53,774
Codman Square	72,479	54,731	127,210
Connolly Dorchester	47,612 45,162	36,715 35,270	84,327 80,432
East Boston	26,563	31,194	57,757
Faneuil	25,592	21,652	47,244
Hyde Park	40,268	32,629	72,897
Jamaica Plain	51,065	28,640	79,705
Jeffries Point	7,591	18,948	26,539
Lower Mills Mattapan	25,424 47,472	17,384 43,490	42,808 90,962
Memorial	37,171	36,859	74,030
Mt. Bowdoin	35,916	33,740	69,656
Mt. Pleasant	20,361	20,075	40,436
Neponset	23,486	21,770	45,256
North End	17,936	41,220	59,156
Orient Heights Parker Hill	15,605 36,739	22,852 32,618	38,457 69,357
Phillips Brooks	11,283	14,581	25,864
Roslindale	71,447	46,442	117,889
*South Boston	23,586	18,490	42,076
South End	43,232	20,349	63,581
Uphams Corner	63,717	38,324	102,041
Washington Village West End	37,994 80,168	33,611 28,035	71,605 108,203
West Roxbury	70,714	35,447	106,161
**Bookmobile	34,968	69,310	104,278
Total for Branch Libraries	,175,543	935,252	2,110,795
Total for Division 1,	,425,978	986,454	2,412,432
Total for Entire Library 1,	,572,079	986,454	2,558,533

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SUMMARY OF CIRCULATION BY DIVISIONS IN 1950

BOOKS LENT FOR HOME USE

Division of Reference and Research Services Central Library (including Central Library books issued through Branch Libraries)	137,922 8,179	146,101
Division of Home Reading and Community Services Open Shelf Department, Central Library Young Peoples Room, Central Library School Issue Department, through schools Branch Issue Department, through Branch Libraries	181,753 40,160 14,917 60,413 4,394 2,110,795	
		2,558,533
Total Circulation in 1950		
Books Lent for Home Use Division of Reference and Research Services . Division of Home Reading and Community Services . Deposits of books (estimated)		146,101 2,412,432 263,594

GAINS AND LOSSES IN CIRCULATION, 1929 - 1950

YEAR	NUMBER OF BOOKS LLNT TO BORROWERS	INCREASE OR DECREASE FROM PRECEDING YLAR	PERCENTAGE OF INCREASE OR DECREASE FROM PRECEDING YEAR	PERCENTAGE OF INCREASE OR DECREASE FROM 1929
1929	3,930,068			
1930	4,133,459	+203,391	+5%	+5%
1931	4,702,932	+569,473	+12%	+17%
1932	5,567,681	+864,749	+16%	+42%
1933	5,548,283	-19,398	-0.3%	+41%
1934	5,194,351	-353,932	-7%	+32%
1935	4,949,701	-244,650	-5%	+26%
1936	4,806,737	-142,964	-3%	+22%
1937	4,531,378	-275.359	-6%	+15%
1938	4,354,044	-177,334	4%	+11%
1939	4,198,975	-155,069	-4%	+7%
1940	4,056,963	-142,012	-3%	+3%
1941	3,635,933	-421,030	-10%	-7%
1942	3,271,619	-364,314	-10%	-17%
1943	2,871,335	-400,284	-12%	-27%
1944	2,765,255	-106,080	-4%	-30%
1945	2,661,741	-103,514	-4%	-32%
1946	2,750,089	+88,348	+3%	-30%
1947	2,770,841	+20,752	+0.8%	-29%
1948	2,838,521	+67,680	+2%	-28%
1949	2,912,146	+73,625	+3%	-26%
1950	2,822,127	-90,019	-3%	-28%

CLASSIFICATION OF HOME USE CIRCULATION IN PERCENTAGES, 1950

	DIVISION OF	DIVISION OF
	HOME READING AND	REFERENCE AND
	COMMUNITY SERVICES	RESEARCH SERVICES
Fiction for Adults	38.0%	4.0%
Nonfiction for Adults	21.1%	96.0%
Juvenile fiction and nonficti		 '
	100.0%	100.0%

INTER-LIBRARY LOANS, 1950

Under the inter-library loan system with other libraries the following lending of books for the purpose of serious research is shown:

Volumes lent to other libraries in Massachusetts Volumes lent to libraries outside of Massachusetts	2,009 386
	2,395

REGISTRATION (Two-year period)

Number of registered borrowers, December 31, 1950:

Adult	108,894
Juvenile	57,942
	166,836

Number of borrowers registered and reregistered during 1950:

Adult	52,266
Juvenile	28,964
	81,230

Missing Books from the Branch Libraries, 1934 - 1950

		PERCENTAGE OF	PERCENTAGE O
		INCREASE OR	INCREASE OR
	TOTAL	DECREASE OVER	DECREASE
YEAR	NUMBER	PRECEDING YEAR	over 1934
1934	12,234		
1935	12,769	+4%	+4%
1936	11.012	-14%	-10%
1937	8,786	-20%	-28%
1938	6,931	-21%	-43%
1939	5,299	-24%	-57%
	*		-62%
1940	4,710	-11%	
1941	4,977	+6%	-59%
1942	4,369	-12%	-64%
1943	3,616	-17%	-70%
1944	3,490	−3 %	-71%
i 945	3,334	-4%	-73%
1946	2,908	-13%	-76%
1947	3,348	+15%	-73%
1948	3,824	+14%	-69%
1949	3,549	-7%	-71%
	4.094	4 = 5 4	-67%
1950	4,094	+15%	-0176

BOOKS UNRECOVERABLE FROM BORROWERS FROM BRANCH LIBRARIES, 1934 - 1950

			PERCENTAGE
	NUMBER OF	PERCENTAGE OF	OF INCREASE
	VOLUMES	INCREASE OR DECREASE	OR DECREASE
YEAR	UNRECOVERABLE	OVER PRECEDING YEAR	over 1934
1934	2,262		
1935	1,399	-38%	-38%
1936	953	-32%	-58%
1937	979	+1.7%	-57%
1938	742	-24%	-67%
1939	642	-13%	-72%
1940	645	+0.5%	-71%
1941	577	-11%	-74%
1942	713	+24%	-68%
1943	1,066	+50%	-53%
1944	797	-25%	-65%
1945	1,119	+40%	-51%
1946	954	-15%	-58%
1947	874	-8%	-61%
1948	934	+7%	-59%
1949	1,133	+21%	-50%
1950	1,220	+-8%	-46%

BOOKS UNRECOVERABLE FROM BORROWERS FROM BRANCH LIBRARIES, 1941 - 1950

			PERCENT OF
	TOTAL NUMBER	TOTAL NUMBER	VOLUMES BORROWED
	OF VOLUMES	OF VOLUMES	WHICH WERE
YEAR	UNRECOVERABLE	BORROWED	UNRECOVERABLE
1941	577	2,843,210	0.020%
1942	713	2,537,391	0.028%
1943	1,066	2,218,915	0.048%
1944	797	2,153,367	0.037%
1945	1,119	2,076,638	0.054%
1946	954	2,106,249	0.045%
1947	874	2,093,939	0.042%
1948	934	2,148,279	0.043%
1949	1,133	2,195,666	0.052%
1950	1,220	2,117,082	0.058%
	USF.	OF FILMS	

FILM SHOWINGS

	Boston Public Library . of the Boston Public Library	•	7,265
	Total		8 208

FILM AUDIENCES

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Juvenile		٠	•	•			•		•	295,164
Javenne		•	•	•	•	•	-	•	٠	
						Total				503,490
				FILM	Colle	CTION				
Films in										198
									67	
				1950						
Net	gain,	1950								67
Films in	colle	ction,	Dece	mber 3	1, 19	50 .				265

FILM REGISTRATIONS

Film	registrations,	January I,	1950				202
New	film registration	ons, 1950		٠	•	٠	513

715

Film registrations, December 31, 1950 .

VII

THE CATALOGS

VOLUMES CATALOGED

Division of Reference and Research Services	
Cataloged	
Central Library Kirstein Business Branch	13,114 1,033
Recataloged	
Central Library	1,894
	16,041
Division of Home Reading and Community Services	
Cataloged	
Open Shelf Department Young Peoples Room School Issue Department Branch Issue Department Branch Libraries Miscellaneous	7,119 1,700 3,024 3,796 53,619 22
	69,280
	07,200
FILMS CATALOGED	
Division of Home Reading and Community Services	67
Card Work	
Division of Reference and Research Services	
Library of Congress cards processed Cards processed on duplicating machine Cards typed	57,976 70,875 1,609
	130,460
Division of Home Reading and Community Services	
Cards processed on duplicating machine Cards typed	205,602 47,062
	252,664
The number of volumes shelved and thus	made av

The number of volumes shelved and thus made available for public use was:

Division of Reference and Research Services		
Central Library (including continuations)	17,451	
Kirstein Business Branch	1,120	
Books reported lost or missing in previous years		
but now found, etc.	1,795	20,366

Division of Home R	leading and C	Community Services
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Open Shelf Department Young Peoples Room School Issue Department	69,258	
Branch Issue Department Branch Libraries		
Books reported lost or missing in pervious years but now found, etc.	511	69,769

90,135

The number of volumes removed from collections during the year (books reported lost or missing, condemned copies not yet replaced, etc.) was:

Division of Reference and Research Services		
Central Library	7,042	
Kirstein Business Branch	434	7,476
Division of Home Reading and Community Services		
Open Shelf Department		
Young Peoples Room		
School Issue Department		44,861
Branch Issue Department		
Branch Libraries		
		52 337
		14,111

VIII PRINTING AND BINDING

THE PRINTING DEPARTMENT

D 11 1 CD 3	500
Requisitions received and filled	19,062
Cards (indicator, time, guide, etc.)	
Wiggin Print Collection (exhibition cards)	2,652
Signs, posters, etc.	2,052
Forms (numbered series, including blank forms)	4,698,505
Forms, circulars, and sundries (outside the numbered series)	222,185
Library publications, including book lists, programs, etc.	163,965
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THE BINDING DEPARTMENT	
Number of volumes bound in various styles	27,970
Volumes repaired	189
	378
Volumes guarded	6
Maps mounted	-
Photographs and engravings mounted	962
Library publications folded, plate tipped, collated, stitched,	
covered, and trimmed	205,881
Portfolios, blocks, boxes, and desk pads made	2.451
Covers made (miscellaneous types)	1,388
Cutting and bundling	838
Miscellaneous work done	468
NUSCELLABEOUS WOLK CODE	700

IX

LECTURES, CONCERTS, EXHIBITIONS IN THE CENTRAL LIBRARY

LECTURES

TITLE

DATE

GENERAL LECTURE SERIES

LECTURER

DA	A L.,	11122	LECTORER
Jan.	5	Is the Oriental Philosophy of Life Really Negative and Pessimistic?	Kwang-Won Kim, Ph.D., Teacher and Lecturer.
Jan.	12	A Neutral Swiss Looks at Israel.	Baron Hans de Meiss-Teuf- fen, World Traveler and Lecturer.
Jan.	19	Fabulous Fiji. Illustrated with colored motion pictures.	Jesse H. Buffum, World Traveler, Radio Commenta- tor, Lecturer, and Photogra- pher.
Jan.	26	Glimpses of the Balkans in Story and Songs. Exhibits.	Margarita Jordan, Lecturer.
Feb.	2	Music Hour in Films. Music in America, William Tell, To Hear Your Banjo Play, and Mildred Dilling.	
Feb.	9	Men We Remember. Four sound motion pictures. Benjamin Frank- lin, Henry Wadsworth Longfellow, Story of Christopher Columbus,	
Feb.	16	and Thomas Jefferson. What's the United States to You? A quiz about politics.	Mrs. W. Lee Ustick, Chairman, Voters' Service Committee, League of Women Voters of Massachusetts; and Mrs. Henry Wise, Voters' Service Committee, League of Women Voters of Massachusetts.
Feb.	23	Rumor Clinic: A demonstration.	Viola Leventhal, New England Regional Office of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith.
Apr.	13	Romance of the Maine Coast. Illustrated with Kodachrome slides.	Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Adams.
Apr.	20		Edward Rowe Snow, Author and Lecturer.

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TITLE

LECTURER

Apr. 27 We Fly Around the World. Illustrated with colored slides.

Monroe Smith, President of Youth Argosy and Founder of the American Youth Hostels; and Isabel Smith, Cofounder of the American Youth Hostels.

- Oct. 28 Human Relations Institute for Teachers and Librarians. Morning and Afternoon Sessions. Sponsored by the Boston Public Library in co-operation with the Boston Public Schools and the National Conference of Christians and Jews.
- Dec. 3 Jewish Book Month Program. The Jew in Literature.

Nathan Cohen, President, Greater Boston Council of Jewish Centers, Chairman; Harry Kraft, Vice President, Bureau of Jewish Education; Fanny Goldstein, Honorary Chairman, Jewish Book Council of America; Lee M. Friedman, President, American Jewish Historical Society; A. M. Klein, Poet, Editor, Lecturer; Walter Kaufman, Tenor; Edith S. Borofsky, Accompanist.

Dec. 17 Dickens' Christmas Carol. Illustrated.

Edward F. Payne, President of the Boston Branch of the Dickens Fellowship.

SPECIAL SUBJECT SERIES

APPLIED SCIENCE

(in co-operation with Massachusetts Institute of Technology)

Mar. 26 The Uses of Stroboscopic Light:
Motion Pictures of Rapidly Moving Mechanisms. Illustrated with
motion pictures and Kodachrome
slides.

Harold E. Edgerton, Professor of Electrical Engineering, The Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Apr. 16 Television Today. Illustrated.

Lawrence B. Arguimbau, Associate Professor of Electrical Engineering, The Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

ART

This series was presented in co-operation with the Guild of Boston Artists.

Jan. 22 Art, Ernest L. Major, Artist.

LECTURER

TITLE

DATE

Jan.

Feb. 19 Painting a Water Color. Illus-William Jewell, Artist. trated with a practical demonstration. Mar. 19 Practical Composition. Harold F. Lindergreen, Director of Art at the Arts Foundation of Boston. R. H. Ives Gammell, Artist. Apr. 23 Some Forgotten Aspects of Nineteenth Century Painting. FILM FORUMS Mar. 9 Important Factors of the Philip-Mr. and Mrs. Victor Lim. pines Today. Based on the motion picture, Pearl of the Orient. Mar. 16 Protecting Our Liberties. Based Harold Treash, Director of on the motion picture, The Price of Adult Programs, Boston Y. M. C. A., Moderator; Freedom. Panel members: DeWitt John, Special Writer of The Christian Science Monitor; Fred Garrigus, Director of Public Affairs, Station WEEI-CBS; Ken Prikett, New England Representative for Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer. Florence L. Swanson, M.D., Mar. 23 Based on the motion picture, Feel-Child Psychiatrist at the ing of Rejection. Judge Baker Guidance Cen-Mrs. Martha Blume, Assis-Mar. 30 On Juvenile Delinguency. Based tant Headworker, North End on the motion picture, Children on Union. Trial. GREECE Oct. 5 Ancient Greeks and Atomic En-Alexander J. Lambrinudi. Lecturer. ergy. Alexander Customs and Fashions Yesterday Lambrinudi, Oct. 19 Ī. Lecturer. and Today. Oct. 26 The Greek Language: Its Impact Alexander J. Lambrinudi, on the Modern World. Lecturer. ON TIMELY TOPICS This series was presented in co-operation with Boston University Debating Team. Martin J. Levine, Public Service Manager.

What Should Be the Policy of the Members of the Boston Uni-

United States toward the Countries

of the Orient? A panel discussion.

versity Debating Team. Aus-

tin J. Freeley, Boston Uni-

versity Coach of Debate,

Moderator.

DATE TITLE LECTURER Feb. 12 Resolved: That the United States Boston University Debating Nationalize the Basic, Non-Agri-Team and the Debating Team cultural Industries: a debate. of the University of Notre Dame. Austin J. Freeley, Boston University Coach of Debate, Moderator. Mar. 12 Should Fund Raising for Health Boston University Debating and Welfare Purposes Be Done Team and the Debating Team Through a Single Annual Camof Bates College. Austin J. Freeley, Boston University Coach of Debate, Moderator. paign? A panel discussion. Resolved: That the United States Apr. 2 Boston University Debating Should Enact Legislation Outlaw-Team and the Debating ing the Communist Party; a debate. Team of the United States Naval Academy, Austin I. Freeley, Boston University Coach of Debate, Moderator. Nov. 12 Is Preventive War a Sound Idea? Members of the Boston Uni-A panel discussion. versity Debating Team and the debating societies of The Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Harvard University, Wellesley College, and Tufts College. Austin J. Freeley, Boston University Coach of Debate, Moderator. Dec. 10 Should the American People Boston University Debating Adopt the Welfare State? A panel Team and the Debating Team of the Rhode Island discussion. State College. Austin J. Freelev, Boston University Coach of Debate, Moderator. THIS OUR LAND Nov. 2 Adventuring in Boston. Illustrated Fanny Goldstein, Branch Liwith slides. brarian, West End Branch of the Boston Public Library. Nov. 9 100,000 Miles of Adventure: On Edward Rowe Snow, Au-Land, Sea, and Air. Illustrated thor and Lecturer with motion pictures and slides.

California. Illustrated with colored

Favorite North American Scenes.

Illustrated with Kodachrome slides.

Colonel H. C. Anderson.

Lecturer for the Union Pa-

Lecturer and Photographer.

cific Railroad.

Stewart Anderson,

Nov. 16

Nov. 30

slides.

DATE TITLE LECTURER

Dec. 7 Gaspe Peninsula — Travel Paradise of the North East. Illustrated tographer, and Lecturer. with colored slides.

Dec. 14 Four Sound Motion Pictures on Canada. Arctic Borderlands in Winter, Craftsmen at Work, Eskimo Summer, and Peoples of Canada.

CONCERTS

Apr. 16 Concert.

Einar Hansen, Violinist of the Boston Symphony Orchestra. Assisted by Gilbert Boyer, Pianist.

Apr. 30 Concert.

Choral Society of the Massachusetts Federation of Women's Clubs; Evelyn B. Roskin, Conductor; Laurier Richard, Violinist; Charles Hedlund, Pianist; Jeanne Ducharme Richard, Pianist;

ist.

Laura W. Hull, Accompan-

FILM PREVIEWS

- Jan. 3 Children of Holland, Farmer-Fisherman (Norway), Irish Children, Mary Visits Poland, and On Mediterranean Shores (Greece).
- Jan. 6 Globe Headlines of 1949. Introduced by Harold Putnam, Editor, Veterans' Forum, The Boston Globe.
- Jan. 10 Body Care and Grooming, First Steps, Foods and Nutrition, Modern Surgery, and New Frontiers of Medicine.
- Jan. 24 Distributing America's Goods, The Middle States, The Southeastern States, Washington, D. C., and Yosemite End of the Rainbow.
- Jan. 31 Blooming Desert, The Far Western States, Mission Life, The Northwestern States, and The Southwestern States.
- Feb. 7. Free Horizons, Maine, New Hampshire, and Northeastern States.
- Feb. 14 Globe Headlines of 1949, Hot Ice, Rocky Mountain Trout, and Ski Thrills.
- Feb. 28 England: Background of Literature, James Fenimore Cooper, Scotland: Background of Literature, and Washington Irivng.
- Mar. 7 Adventures of Bunny Rabbit, Children of Japan, Happy Valley, The Hare and the Tortoise, The Mailman, Pony Express, and Three Fox Fables.
- Mar. 14 Artisans of Florence, Rome, the Eternal City, and The Human Bridge.
- Mar. 28 Family Outing, Famous Fish I Have Met, Road to Caspe, Spring Fever, and You'll Take the High Road.
- Apr. 4 The Care of Pets, Growth of Flowers, The Red-Winged Blackbird, Seminoles of the Everglades, and The Wood Thrush.
- Apr. 11 Circus Animals, Five Colorful Birds, The Gift of Green, and Monarch Butterfly.
- Apr. 25 The Bluebird, Realm of the Wild, The Ruby-Throated Hummingbird, and Story of the Bees.
- Oct. 10 The Cow and the Sprite, The Gray Squirrel, The Honest Woodsman, Legend of the Pied Piper, Rumpelstiltskin, and Stories of Holland.
- Oct. 17 Ancient Rome, Japanese Family, Spain, the Land and the People, and Sweden Looks Ahead.
- Oct. 24 Canoe Country, The Changing Cotton Land --- Southeastern U. S. A., and Farmers of India.
- Oct. 31 Food for Paris Markets, This World of Ours Manitoba, and Wings to England and Belgium.

- Nov. 7 Act Your Age, Are You Popular, The Baby Sitter, and You and Your Family.
- Nov. 14 Are You Ready for Marriage, Body Care and Grooming, and Junior Prom.
- Nov. 21 Barber of Seville, Invitation to Music, and William Tell.
- Nov. 28 Conservation of Natural Resources, The River, and Yours is the Land.
- Dec. 5 The Art Director, Let's Go to the Movies, The Sound Man, and You Can Change the World.
- Dec. 12 Artisans of Florence, Great Circle, Rome, the Eternal City, and The Vatican of Pius XII.

NOON CONCERTS OF MUSICAL RECORDINGS

These programs are under the direction of Richard G. Appel, Chief of the Music Department, Boston Public Library.

- Jan. 11 Selected recordings.
- Jan. 25 Selected recordings.
- Feb. 8 Selected recordings from the Pelléas and Mélisande Suite by Fauré, Quartet in G Minor by Debussy, and Ravel's Mother Goose Suite.
- Mar. 1 Selected recordings from the Metropolitan Opera Repertory.
- Mar. 15 Music of Ireland.
- Mar. 29 Music by Palestrina, Bach, and Handel, in anticipation of Holy Week.
- Apr. 12 Selected recordings in observance of Easter.
- Apr. 26 Selected recordings in observance of Shakespeare's birthday.
- May 10 Selected recordings in commemoration of National Music Week and Boston Jubilee Week.

NOON FILM PROGRAMS

- Jan. 4 Wings to Hawaii.
- Jan. 18 Wings to Cuba and the Caribbean.
- Feb. 1 Eskimo Summer.
- Feb. 15 Artisans of Florence.
- Mar. 8 Background for Living.
- Mar. 22 Wings to Ireland.
- Apr. 5 Mission Life.
- May 3 March of the Movies.

May 17 Globe Headlines of 1949.

Oct. 4 The F. B. I.

Oct. 18 Sampan Family and Hen Hop.

Nov. 1 Library of Congress.

Nov. 15 Story of the Boston Globe.

Nov. 29 The Price of Freedom.

Dec. 6 The Great Lakes.

Dec. 13 Barber of Seville.

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SYMPHONY ON RECORDS

These programs are under the direction of Richard G. Appel, Chief of the Music Department of the Boston Public Library

Recordings from the Repertory of the Boston Symphony Orchestra.

Jan. 9 Jan. 16 Jan. 23 Jan. 30 Feb. 6 Feb. 13

Feb. 20 Feb. 27 Mar. 6 Mar. 13 Mar. 20 Mar. 27

Apr. 3 Apr. 10 Apr. 17 Apr. 24

LOWELL LECTURES IN THE CENTRAL LIBRARY

Under the Auspices of the Lowell Institute

LECTURER

Jan. 5 Prints: The Exact Repetition of William M. Ivins, Jr., A.B., through Visual Statements and its Mean-LL.B., D.F.A., Curator of

Jan. 30 ing. (A course of eight lectures, Mondays and Thursdays.)

Prints, Emeritus, the Metropolitan Museum of Art.

Jan. 17 Chinese Ways of Thinking, Past through and Present. A study of Prose and M.A. (Oxen), Late Assis-

TITLE

Feb. 10 Poetry with Some Reference to tant Professor of Chinese Art. (A course of eight lectures, Tuesdays and Fridays.)

Religion and Philosophy, Oxford. Visiting Professor at the Graduate Course. Clare-

mont, California.

Feb. 2 Thackeray: Personal History and Gordon N. Ray, A.M., through Imaginative Life. (A course of Feb. 20 six lectures, Mondays and Thursdays.)

Gordon N. Ray, A.M., Ph.D., F.R.S.L., Professor of English, University of Illinois.

Mar. 2 Edward Lear: A Study of Sense through and Nonsense. (A course of eight Mar. 27 lectures, Mondays and Thursdays.)

David McCord, A. M., Author, Honorary Curator of the Farnsworth and Poetry Rooms, Harvard University Library.

Mar. I. S. Bach and the Bach Family. (A course of eight lectures, Tuesthrough Mar. 31 days and Fridays.)

Sept. 7 Humor in Italian Literature. (A through course of eight lectures, Mondays and Thursdays.)

Nov. 2 Japanese Culture Interpreted by its through Art. (A course of eight lectures, Nov. 30 Mondays and Thursdays.)

Oct.

Karl Geiringer, Ph.D., Professor of Music, Boston University.

Rudolph Altrocchi, Ph.D., Professor of Italian in the University of California.

Langdon Warner, A.B., LL.D., former Director of the Pennsylvania Museum of Art, former Director of the Pacific Basin Arts at the San Francisco Exposition, Advisor on Arts and Monuments, SCAP., GHO., former Curator and Lecturer at the Fogg Museum of Art, Harvard University.

Nov. Britain and the Challenge to Democracy. (A course of eight lec-Nov. 27 tures, Tuesdays and Fridays.)

Charles Frederick Orme Clarke, Senior Official of the British Broadcasting Corporation, formerly Foreign Editor of Kemsley Newspapers, Foreign and Diplomatic Correspondent of Reuters.

FILM COUNCIL OF GREATER BOSTON

How Teachers Use Motion Pic-Jan. 17 tures Effectively. Class Demonstrations based on the films Australia and How We Elect Our Representatives.

Feb. 21 How to Use Religious Films Effectively. Demonstrations based on The First Part of the Mass Through the Cospel in slides; and the motion pictures, The Unfaithful Servant and One God.

Gertrude Collins, Teacher, and Pupils of the Sixth Grade, Liberty School, Revere; Benjamin D. Thomas, Teacher, and Students of the Freshman Class, Hingham High School.

Sister Rose Patricia, Sisters of Charity of New Jersey, and the Pupils of the Sixth Grade, St. Joseph's School, Roxbury. Arranged by Reverend Timothy F. O'Leary, Assistant Superintendent of Diocesan Schools, Boston; J. Edwin Wade, Teacher, Newton High School and Instructor in High School Department, Old South Church, and Pupils from the High School Department, Old South Church. Arranged by Reverend John E. Thomas, Director of Religious Education, Massachusetts Council of Churches; the motion picture, One God, introduced by Robert E. Segal, Jewish Community Council.

Mar. 21 Film Forum, based on the motion picture Productivity: Key to Plenty.

Harold Treash, Director of Adult Programs, Boston Y. M. C. A., Moderator. Panel members: John A. Beckett, Assistant Professor of Business Administration, The Massachusetts Institute of Technology; A. G. Delman, Educational Director of New England Joint Board, Congress of Industrial Organizations; A. W. Halverson, Assistant Manager, River Works, General Electric Company.

Apr. 18 The Motion picture, Human Beginnings.

Introduced and discussed by Eddie Albert, Motion Picture Producer and Actor.

THE NEVER TO LATE GROUP

Jan. 5 A "Chota Durbar" (Little Gathering). Illustrated with the motion picture, India, Asia's New Voice.

My Interview with Gandhi, Amy Row. How I Bowed Down to Idols of Wood and Stone, Ella Forbes. My Campaign in Burma, 1887– 1889, George V. Kenyon-Ashenden.

Jan. 12 Introducing the New India.

Jesse Cornelius, Administrative Secretary of Youth Movements in India.

Jan. 19 Chinese Customs and Manners. Illustrated with the motion picture, Peiping Family. David Toong, Executive Secretary of the Chinese Y.M.C.A., Boston.

Jan. 26 My Personal Experience in Hawaii, 1899–1900. Illustrated with the motion picture Wings to Hawaii.

Harry Bradstreet, Retired Mining Engineer and Investment Banker.

Feb. 2 Important Factors of the Philippines Today. Illustrated with the motion picture, *Pearl of the Orient*.

Victor Lim, a native of the Philippines, student at Harvard University Business Schoool.

Feb. 9 How to Make a Print. Illustrated with practical demonstration.

Arthur W. Heintzelman, N.A., Keeper of Prints, Boston Public Library.

Feb. 16 Music in Films. To Hear Your Banjo Play, Mildred Dilling, Myra Hess and Hymn of the Nations.

Feb.	23 F	ilm Program. The Human Bridge, Glacier Park Studies.	Background for Living, and
Mar.	2	The Library's Treasures.	Zoltán Haraszti, Keeper of Rare Books, Boston Public Library.
Mar.	9	Adequate Diets for Older People.	Allen G. Brailey, M.D.
Mar.	16	Irish Program. Illustrated with the motion picture, Wings to Ireland.	My Visit to Ireland in 1902, Albert Faucon, Retired Vio- lin Teacher. Original Irish Poems, George V. Kenyon- Ashenden. Irish Folk Tales, Ruth Hayes, Branch Libra- rian, Neponset Branch of the Boston Public Library.
Mar.	23	If I Should Write Your Biography.	Rollo Walter Brown, Author and Lecturer.
Mar.	30	An Afternoon with Hobbies. Illustrated with demonstrations.	Ten members of the Never Too Late Group.
Apr.	6	15,000 Miles in a Modern Covered Wagon. Illustrated with colored slides.	Stewart Anderson, Lecture and Photographer.
Apr.	13	Music Program.	Members of the Never Too Late Group.
Apr.	20	I Remember Boston Fifty Years Ago. Illustrated with slides.	Audience participation.
Apr.	27	What is Success? A panel discussion.	Members of the Planning Committee of the Never Too Late Group.
May	4	Famous Authors I Have Known. Illustrated with motion pictures.	Alice Dixon Bond, Literary Editor, <i>The Boston Herald-</i> <i>Traveler</i> .
May	11	The Popular Ballad.	Robert E. Bacon, former Professor of English Litera- ture, University of Massa- chusetts.
May	18	Hegira to Haiti.	Libby Smith, Lecturer.
May	25	From the Bay to the Berkshires. Illustrated with motion pictures.	C. Russell Mason, Executive Director, Massachusetts Au- dubon Society.
June	1	Along the Coast of South Africa. Illustrated with colored slides.	Mrs. James C. Hopkins.

June 8 Film Forum based on the motion Mrs. Amy Powell, Director, Family Society of Greater picture Life with Grandpa. Boston, Moderator. Panel members: Pupils of the Roslindale High School. New England Calling, a colored motion picture. Sept. 14 Sept. 21 Report on the Conference called Mrs. Amy S. Powell, Direcby the Social Security Board in tor, Family Society of Great-Washington, August, 1950, on the er Boston. Problems of Aging. Sept. 28 Six Months in Korea, 1946. Illus-Captain Gilbert Caswell, trated with colored slides. U. S. A. Oct. -5 My Adventures on Robinson Cru-Mrs. Alice Rowe Snow. see Island, 1883-1887. Oct. 19 Two colored motion pictures: Eighteenth Century Life in Williamsburg, Virginia and England: Background of Literature. Oct. 26 My Memories of Whittier the Poet. Mrs. Frederic H. Keyes. Illustrated with the motion picture, John Greenleaf Whittier. The State of Maine is Not a State Nov. Dr. Frederick M. Meek. of Mind. Illustrated with the motion picture, Maine. Nov. What is Needed for the Housing Members of the Planning of the Older Person? A panel dis-Committee of the Never Too Late Group. William C. cussion. Loring, Jr., Executive Director, Housing Association of Metropolitan Boston, Moderator. Nov. 16 A Rumor Clinic. Sol Kolack, Executive Director of the New England Regional Office of the Anti-Defamation League of B'nai B'rith. Nov. 30 Books for You. Illustrated with Edna G. Peck, Chief of the motion picture, Making Books. Book Selection for Home Reading Services, Boston Public Library. Dec. 14 Historic Massachusetts. Illustrated George Pearson, Lecturer. with colored slides. Dec. 21 A Program of Christmas Carols Mrs. Rutherford Bingham, and Christmas Folk Music. Soloist: Mrs. Albert E. Rogers, Accompanist. Dec. 28 Sketches from Dickens, A Chalk Edward F. Payne, Presi-Talk. dent of the Boston Branch of

the Dickens Fellowship.

EXHIBITS IN THE CENTRAL LIBRARY

Main Lobby

February 3 – 26	Fifty Notable Books of 1949, selected by the American Library Association. Children's Books, illustrated by French
	Artists. George Washington, in Art, Architecture, History, and Biography.
February 27 – March 18	Boston Massacre, March 5, 1770. Evacuation of Boston by the British, March 17, 1776.
March 18 – 31	Caldecott and Newbery Medals Awards. Feast of Saint Patrick. The Renaissance of Irish Culture.
March 18 – April 10	Lenten Reading. Books for all Denominations.
April 1 – 30	Foreign Editions of the Works of Shakespeare.
April 10 – 30	Patriots Day. The 175th Anniversary of the Battle of Lexington and Concord.
May 1 – 31	The Boston Jubilee and the Boston Public Library. Indicating current trends and modern methods of service and procedure by the
	Library.
June 1 – 29	The Pipe Organ: Its History and Place in Ecclesiastical and Secular Music.
June 30 – July 16	Independence Day. In observance of the anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence by the Continental Congress on July 4, 1776.
July 17 – 30	Ars Libri. Four of the Library's examples of the craftsmanship of the Book.
July 31 - August 31	The Art of Violin Making. Recent Books on Sports.
September 1 – October 1	Back to School. Nineteenth century school textbooks.
October 2 – 18	Harper's is One Hundred. In honor of the hundredth anniversary of the publishing of Harper's Magazine.
October 19 – 31	United Nations Week.
November 1 – 20	Danger Spots in the World. Relating to the countries involved in the struggle to preserve their independenc.
November 21 – December 11	Gifts to the Library.
December 12 – 31	Christmas, the Feast of the Nativity.

EXHIBITS IN THE CENTRAL LIBRARY

Puvis De Chavannes Gallery

PUVIS DE CHAVANNES GALLERY				
January 3 – 17	Books on Needlework.			
January 19 - 31	New England Best Books of 1949. A selection by The Bookbuilders Workshop.			
February 2 – 28	Modern Lighting. In Honor of Thomas A. Edison.			
February 28 – March 20	The Establishment of the United States Post Office on March 12, 1789.			
March 20 – 31	Currier and Ives Prints, and Biographical Books.			
April 1 –16	National Coin Week. Coins and medals lent by the American Numismatic Association and The Boston Numismatic Society.			
April 17 – 30	Flying Around the World. Sketches made by Monroe Smith on a world tour.			
May $2 - 21$	National Defense.			
May 22 – 31	Poetry Week. Works of significant modern poets.			
June 1 – 29	The Pipe Organ: Its place in Ecclesiastical and Secular Music.			
July 1 – 30	Old Cook Books. Nineteenth century cooking utensils lent by the American Home Economics Association, and the Home Economics in Business Association.			
July 31 – August 31	Ukranian Arts and Crafts.			
September 1 – October 1	Labor — "Samuel Gompers and a Century of Labor."			
October 2 – 31	Fire Prevention. Alarm Box 52 and Relics of the Great Boston Fire.			
November 1 – 20	Danger Spots in the World. Relating to the countries involved in the struggle to preserve their independence.			
November 21 – December 11	Gifts to the Library.			
December 12 – 31	Christmas, the Feast of the Nativity.			

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EXHIBITS IN THE CENTRAL LIBRARY

SARGENT GALLERY

January 3 - 17	Books on Needlework.
January 19 – 31	New England Best Books of 1949. A selection made by The Bookbuilders Workshop.
February 2 – 28	Modern Lighting. In Honor of Thomas A. Edison.
February 28 – March 16	Commemoration of the Birth of Oliver Wendell Holmes, Jr. on March 8, 1841.
March 16 – 31	The Opera Comes to Town.
April 1 – 14	Commemoration of the Birth of Washington Irving on April 3, 1783.
April 15 – 30	Some Nineteenth Century English Essayists.
May 2 – 16	Commemoration of the Birth of Dante Gabriel Rossetti on May 12, 1828.
May 17 – 31	Commemoration of the Birth of Ralph Waldo Emerson on May 25, 1803.
June 1 – 29	The Pipe Organ: Its History and Place in Ecclesiastical and Secular Music.
July 1 – 29	Female Fashions of the Gay Ninetics.
July 30 - August 30	Japanese Designs for Textiles.
September 1 – 29	Pueblo Indian Pottery. Colored Plates.
October 2 – 31	Fire Prevention.
November 1 – 20	The Boston Medical Library: Its Seventy-fifth Anniversary.
November 21 – December 11	Gifts to the Library.
December 12 – 31	Christmas, the Feast of the Nativity.

EXHIBITS IN THE CENTRAL LIBRARY

Treasure Room

January 1 – October 31	Book of Common Prayer.			
January 1 - February 28	Goethe Bicentennial Exhibit.			
March 1 – 31	Early Catholic Liturgical Works.			
April 1 – 30	Fifty Best Books of the Year.			
May 1 - August 31	Puritans and Indians.			
September 1 – October 31	Palace of Pleasure.			
November 1 – December 31	Boston Medical Library Anniversary Loan Exhibit.			

WIGGIN GALLERY

January 1 - 31	Frederick L. M. Griggs — Etchings.
February 1 - 28	Nicolas T. Charlet — Lithographs.
March 1 – 31	Timothy Cole — Engravings after Old Italian Masters.
April 1 – 30	Famous Printmakers — Selection of Drawings.
May 1 – 31	Georges Rouault — Le Cirque de l'Etoile Filante, and the Passion — He!iogravures retouched with acid.
June 1 - 30	Henri de Toulouse-Lautree — Pen and Pencil Drawings.
July 1 – August 31	Frederick L. M. Griggs — Drawings for "Essex" of the Highways and Byways series published by Macmillan.
September 1 – 30	Honore Daumier — French Court Scenes — Lithographs.
October 1 – 31	George W. Bellows — Lithographs.
November 1 – 30	Gustav Wolf — Woodcuts.
December 1 – 31	Eighteenth Century Prints — Mezzotints and Stipple Engravings.

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TRUST FUNDS

Receipts and Expenditures from Trust Funds Income, 1930 – 1950

	BALANCE		TOTAL AMOUNT		
	UNEXPENDED		AVAILABLE		
	FROM	RECEIPTS	FOR USE	EXPENDED	BALANCE
YEAR	PRECEDING YEAR	DURING YEAR	DURING YEAR	DURING YEAR	UNEXPENDED
1930	\$40,886.73	\$34,020.19	\$74,906.92	\$22,796.21	\$52,110.71
1931	52,110.71	27,507.00	79,617.71	20,839.73	58,777.98
1932	58,777.98	27,713.68	86,491.66	22,801.04	63,690.62
1933	63,690.62	27,226.68	90,917.30	26,633.94	64,283.36
1934	64,283.36	27,006.01	91,289.37	19,083.82	72,205,55
1935	72,205.55	25,494.14	97,699.69	24,496.50	73,203.19
1936	73,203.19	25,730.57	98,933.76	58,826.03	40,107.73
1937	40,107.73	59,839.65	99,947.38	51,161.81	48,785.57
1938	48,785.57	296,214.26	344,999.83	86,338.96	258,660.87
1939	258,660.87	57,656.41	316,317.28	119,899.86	196,417.42
1940	196,417.42	50,889.53	247,306.95	128,403.69	118,903.26
1941	118,903.26	52,678.52	171,581.78	93,969.34	77,612.44
1942	77,612.44	54,112.16	131,724.60	50,625.70	81,098.90
1943	81,098.90	55,200.41	136,299.31	61,016.62	75,282.69
1944	75,282.69	52,698.82	127,981.51	40,839.88	87,141.63
1945	87,141.63	50,800.60	137,942.23	42,695.41	95,246.82
1946	95,246.82	50,826.82	146,073.64	45,199.61	100,874.03
1947	100,874.03	47,620.06	148,494.09	46,156.27	102,337.82
1948	102,337.82	50,351.26	152,689.08	56,808.38	95,880.70
1949	95,880.70	45,215.89	141,096.59	84,137.28	56,959.31
1950	56,959.31	44,249.29	101,208.60	61,030.37	40,178.23

RECLIPTS AND EXPENDITURES FROM TRUST FUNDS INCOME, 1930 - 1950

	AMOUNT UNEXPENDED FROM PREVIOUS		
YEAR	YEAR	RECEIPTS	EXPENDITURES
1930	\$40,886,73	\$34,020.19	\$22,796.21
1931	52,110.71	27,507.00	20,839.73
1932	58,777.98	27,713.68	22,801.04
1933	63,690.62	27,226.68	26,633.94
1934	64,283.36	27,006.01	19,083.82
1935	72,205.55	25,494.14	24,496.50
1936	73,203.19	25,730.57	58,826.03
1937	40,107.73	59,839.65	51,161.81
1938	48,785.57	296,214.26	86,338.96
1939	258,660.87	57,656.41	119,899.86
1940	196,417.42	50,889.53	128,403.69
1941	118,903.26	52,678.52	93,969.34
1942	77,612.44	54,112.16	50,625.70
1943	81,098.90	55,200.41	61,016.62
1944	75,282.69	52.698.82	40.839.88
1945	87,141.63	50.800.60	42,695.41
1946	95,246.82	50,826.82	45.199.61
1947	100,874.03	47,620.06	46,156.27
1948	102,337.82	50,351.26	56,808.38
1949	95,880.70	45,215.89	84,137.28
1950	56,959.31	44,249.29	61.030.37

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INCOME FROM TRUST FUNDS, 1930 = 1950

	WITHOUT	FOR PURCHASE	WITH	TOTAL
	RESTRICTION	OF LIBRARY	MISCELLANEOUS	INCOME
YEAR	AS TO USE	MATERIALS	RESTRICTIONS	RECEIVED
1930	\$7,468.10	\$21,454.51	\$5,097.58	\$34,020.19
1931	6,147.28	17,159.31	4,200.41	27,507.00
1932	6,148.64	17,355.40	4,209.64	27, 713.68
1933	6,060.57	17,096.51	4,069.60	27,226.68
1934	6,034.35	16,879.37	4,092.29	27,006.01
1935	5,950. 53	16,184.59	3,359.02	25,494.14
1936	5,687.72	16,370.97	3,671.88	25,730.57
1937	4,548.14	51,767.20	3,524.31	59,839.65
1938	5,672.19	286,912.72	3,629.35	296,214.26
1939	5,655.74	48,341.89	3,658.78	57,656.41
1940	5,660.08	41,594.60	3,634.85	50,889.53
1941	5,660.08	43,325.63	3,692.81	52,678.52
1942	6,130.08	44,655.82	3,326.26	54,112.16
1943	6,218.08	45,565.82	3,416.51	55,200.41
1944	6,122.91	43,195.35	3,380.56	52,698.82
1945	6.213.92	41,216.46	3,370.22	50,800.60
1946	5,806.88	41,240.89	3,779.05	50,826.82
1947	5,928.48	37,833.86	3,857.72	47,620.06
1948	5,923.80	40,114.96	4,312.50	50,351.26
1949	5,951.30	34,810.49	4,454.10	45,215.89
1950	5,666.36	33,979.84	4,603.09	44,249.29

INCOME FROM TRUST FUNDS, 1950

GENERAL SUMMARY

	\$5,666.36	
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INCOME FROM TRUST FUNDS, 1950

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WITHOUT RESTRICTION AS TO USE OF INCOME

Bernaid	\$60.00
Bradlee	25.00
Center	1,185.52
Ford Legacy	206.25
Ford Trust	162.84
Gammons	2.08
Hemenway	200.00
Hyde	144.64
Kirstein	150.00
Lambert	38.06
Moore	4.34
North	60.00
Phillips	1,050.00
Sigilman	469.48
Skinner	1,336,15
Stewart	140.00
Treadwell	432.00
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For the Purchase of Library Materials Which May or May Not be Books (By terms of gift)

Benton	\$11,525.31	
Blanchard	124.50	
Gest	76.04	
Lang	137.50	\$11,863.35
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For the Purchase of Books Only - Without Restriction as to Kind of Books

Ainsley Bigelow Billings Clement Cutter Kimball	\$6,432.05 40.00 3,682.75 80.00 105.40 480.04	Knapp Sewall Underhill Wadlin Wales Wilson	\$309.58 1,062.50 12.98 96.12 212.50 36.00	12,549.92	
For	the Purchase of Bo	ooks Only — With Res	triction as to K	and of Book	S
Artz Bates Bowditch Codman Elizabeth Franklin Club Green Hannigan C. Harris Hersey A. Lawrence	\$505.87 2,000.00 425.00 117.20 1,000.00 42.50 50.74 2.50 425.00 95.84 250.00	Lewis O'Reilly Pierce Reed Scholfield Storrow Ticknor Townsend Twentieth Regiment J. L. Whitney—Boo J. L. Whitney—Man		9,566.57	\$33,979.84
Fu	nds With Misce	LLANEOUS RESTRICTIONS	s as to Use	of Income	
For Special Puri	pases Not for Pur	chase of Library Mater	iale		
Boston Book Central Libra Nichols Book Sargent A. L. Whitne J. L. Whitne	Fair 1938 Fund ry Building Prize Fund ey Fund y — Bibliographic	·	\$3.44 3.00 5.00 111.16 183.00 700.00 705.59	\$1,711.19	
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For Branch Libi Guerrier T. B. Harris Hinsman E. Lawrence Loring Mead Morse Oakland Platt South Boston Tufts			\$12.62 153.36 31.12 20.00 12.50 63.10 30.00 459.12 38.44 2.50 408.20	1,230,98	
luits				1,230,70	
For Newspapers	Only				
Todd	.,			1,660.92	4,603.09
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LIST OF TRUST FUNDS AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1950

The figures listed are for the book values of investments as of December 31, 1950.

Emily L. Ainsley Fund — Bequest of EMILY L. AINSLEY, under article 12 of her will, for the purchase of books. Received in 1938.

\$222,440,34

Victorine Thomas Artz Fund — Donation from VICTORINE THOMAS ARTZ, of Chicago: the income of this sum to be employed in the purchase of valuable, rare editions of the writings, either in verse or prose, of American and foreign authors. These books are to be known as the "Longfellow Memorial Collection." Received in 1896. \$13,538.87

Joshua Bates Fund - Donation made by Joshua Bates of London,

in March, 1853.

"The income only of this fund is to be each and every year expended in the purchase of such books of permanent value and authority as may be found most needful and most useful."

Benton Book Fund — Extract from the will of JoSIAH H. BENTON: "Twelfth: All the rest and residue of my property and estate I give and devise . . . to the TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON . . . and I DIRECT that the same be held

and used in the manner following . . .

"First: — One-half of the net income of such residue and remainder to be applied by the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston for the purchase of books, maps and other library material of permanent value and benefit for said Library; meaning and intending hereby that such income shall be applied for books desirable for scholarly research and use . . .

"... It is my desire that ... the income given by the Twelfth Clause of my will for the purchase of books, maps and other library material of permanent value and benefit, shall be in addition to the sums appropriated by the City for the maintenance of the Boston Public Library, and that the same shall not be taken into account in any

appropriation by the City for that purpose.

"I, therefore, hereby provide that . . . such income as is given by the Twelfth Clause of my will for the purchase of books . . . shall be applied for those purposes only in years when the City appropriates for the maintenance of the Boston Public Library at least three per cent (3 per cent) of the amount available for department expenses from taxes and income in said City.

"In any year when the City does not thus appropriate at least three per cent (3 per cent) of the amount available for department expenses from taxes and income in said City, the income given in said will for the purchase of books shall be paid to the Rector of Trinity Church in the City of Boston to be by him disbursed in relieving the

necessities of the poor."

By an Agreement of Compromise entered in the Probate Court of Suffolk County on January 15, 1935, the BENTON BOOK FUND was established "... as a permanent fund, the income and

interest thereon to be applied annually by the Library Trustees, without regard to the amounts appropriated by the City of Boston for the maintenance of the Boston Public Library in any year, as follows:—(a) Six-tenths (6/10) of such income is to be applied annually by the Library Trustees for the purchase of books, maps and other library material of permanent value and benefit for said library; meaning and intending hereby that such income shall be applied for books desirable for scholarly research and use; (b) The remaining four-tenths (4/10) of such income is to be paid over annually to the Rector of Trinity Church to be by him disbursed, either directly, or in his discretion, through charitable organizations or agencies, whether incorporated or unincorporated, in relieving the necessities of the poor." Received in 1936. \$1,092,350.47

Benton Building Fund — Extract from the will of JOSIAH H. BENTON: "Twelfth: All the rest and residue of my property and estate I give and devise . . . to the TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF THE CITY OF BOSTON . . . and I DIRECT that the same be held

and used in the manner following . . .

"... Second: — To hold the other one-half of said residue and remainder as an accumulating fund, the income and interest to be added to the principal and reinvested as principal, until the total amount thereof shall be two million dollars (\$2,000,000). And then I DIRECT such total sum of two million dollars (\$2,000,000) to be applied to the enlargement of the present central library building in Boston, or to the construction of another central library building in such part of the City as may be then most desirable for the accommodation of the people of said City; such new building to be constructed under the advice of the Librarian of the Library at that time in such manner as may be most desirable for efficient practical working of a library therein." Received in 1936.

\$2,289, 648.44

Charles H. L. N. Bernard Fund — Bequest of CHARLES H. L. N. BERNARD. The income from this fund is to be expended for the purchase of books and other library material, unless otherwise ordered by the Board of Trustees. Received in 1930. \$2,315.00

John P. Bigelow Fund — Donation made by the HON. JOHN P. BIGE-

LOW in August, 1850, when Mayor of the City.

The income from this fund is to be appropriated for the purchase of books for the increase of the library. \$1,000.00

Robert Charles Billings Fund — Bequest of ROBERT CHARLES BIL-LINGS.

"The sum to constitute a permanent fund for said library, to be called the Robert Charles Billings Fund, the income only to be used for the purpose of the purchase of books for said library." Received in 1903. \$115,266.46

Kate E. Blanchard — Bequest of KATE E. BLANCHARD of five thousand dollars, the income to be used for the purchase of scores, books of music and books relating to music, or at the discretion of the Trustees of the Library for the general purposes of the Library. Received in 1940. \$5,000.00

Boston Book Fair 1938 Fund — Received from BOARD OF TRADE OF BOSTON BOOK MERCHANTS as representing the excess of receipts over expenditures by the Board in connection with the Book Fair held at the Library in November 1938. The income to be used for the benefit of the Library Staff. Received in 1939. \$172.70

J. Ingersoll Bowditch Fund — Bequest of J. INGERSOLL BOWDITCH.

Received in 1890.

The whole income in each and every year to be expended in the purchase of books of permanent value and authority in mathematics and astronomy.

\$10,000.00

Caleb David Bradlee Fund — Bequest of REV. CALEB DAVID BRAD-LEE to the Boston Public Library. Received in 1897. \$1,000.00

Allen A. Brown Fund — Partial payment of bequest of ALLEN A. BROWN, the income of the fund to be expended for the purchase of music for the Allen A. Brown Musical Library. \$16,000.00

Joseph H. Center Fund — Bequest of JOSEPH H. CENTER, the income thereof to be at all times applied to the purchase of books and other additions to the Library. Received in 1905. \$47,760.64 Central Library Building Fund — Donations in response to an appeal by

Central Library Building Fund — Donations in response to an appeal by the Trustees in April, 1925, setting forth the needs of the Library. \$150.00

Children's Fund — Bequest of Josiah H. Benton of \$100,000, to be held as "The Children's Fund," and the income applied to the purchase of books for the use of the young, to be applied for those purposes only in years when the City appropriates for the maintenance of the Library at least three per cent of the amount available for department expenses from taxes and income in said City. In any year when the City does not thus appropriate at least three per cent of the amount available for department expenses from taxes and income in said City, the income given in said will for the purchase of books for the young shall be paid to the Rector of Trinity Church in the City of Boston to be by him dispensed in relieving the necessities of the poor.

\$99,950.00

Frank Clement Fund — Bequest of FRANK CLEMENT, of Newton, to be known as the "Frank Clement Fund," the income to be applied to the purchase of books. Received in 1915. \$2,355.00

Henry Sargent Codman Memorial Fund — This is a contribution from the friends of HENRY SARGENT CODMAN, to be used to perpetuate the memory of Mr. Codman by the purchase of books upon land-scape gardening. It is the desire of the subscribers that a special book plate shall be inserted in each of the volumes purchased, identifying it as part of their memorial collection. Received in 1898.

\$4,805.65

Abram E. Cutter Fund — Bequest of ABRAM E. CUTTER of four thousand dollars and his library of books, the income of the fund to be expended for the purchase of books, and for binding. Received in 1901. \$4,270.00

The Elizabeth Fund — Bequest of SARAH A. MATCHETT, late of Brookline, who died October 6, 1910, the object of which is

stated in the following extract from her will:

"I give and bequeath to the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, twenty-five thousand dollars, to be called the Elizabeth Fund, to be received, held and securely invested, and only the net income therefrom expended every year in the purchase of such books of permanent value and authority as may be most useful in said Library." \$28,468.75

Daniel Sharp Ford Legacy Fund — Bequest of DANIEL SHARP FORD to the Public Library of the City of Boston, to be used for the purchase of books for the young until otherwise ordered by the Board. Received in 1900. \$6,000.00

Daniel Sharp Ford Trust Fund — Bequest of DANIEL SHARP FORD to the Public Library of the City of Boston, to be used for general purposes. Received in 1935. \$6,192.65

Franklin Club Fund — Donation made in June, 1863, by a literary association of young men in Boston, who, at the dissolution of the association, authorized its trustees, Thomas Minns, John J. French and J. Franklin Reed, to dispose of the funds on hand in such manner as to them should seem judicious. They elected to bestow them on the Public Library, attaching thereto only the following conditions: "In trust, that the income, but the income only, shall, year by year, be expended in the purchase of books of permanent value, for the use of the free Public Library of the city, and as far as practicable of such a character as to be of special interest to young men." The trustees expressed a preference for books relative to government and political economy.

Mrs. Amy E. Gammons Memorial Fund — Bequest of LILLY ALICE KENYON, of Boston, to be known as the Mrs. Amy E. Gammons Memorial Fund, the income to be used for general purpose. Received in 1949. \$500.00

Morris Gest Fund — Donation made by MORRIS GEST in December, 1925, the gross receipts from a benefit performance for the Library of "The Miracle," \$2,652.50, the income to be used in the interest of dramatic art. \$2,967.50

Samuel A. Green Fund — Donations of DR. SAMUEL A. GREEN of \$2,000, the income of which is to be expended for the purchase of books relating to American history. Received in 1878 and 1884. \$2.037.17

Edith Guerrier Fund — Donation made by associates of EDITH GUERRIER, Supervisor of Branch Libraries, Emeritus, to remain an open fund to which further sums may be added, the income to be used for the purchase of books of sound literary and ethical value for adults to be placed in the branch libraries of the Boston Public Library system. Received in 1940. \$456.92

Also a bequest by Helen M. Bell; to be added to the Edith Guerrier Fund. Received in 1944. \$50.00

Also a gift from the Saturday Evening Girls; to be added to the Edith Guerrier Fund. Received in 1950. \$100.00

Also a gift from Boston Public Library associate; to be added to the Edith Guerrier Fund. Received in 1950. \$110.00

Francis J. Hannigan Memorial Fund — Donation made by associates of Francis J. Hannigan, former Supervisor of General Reference Departments, the income to be used for the purchase of books of high standard and literary value for adults to be placed preferably in the Reference Division. Received in 1941.

Charlotte Harris Fund — Bequest of CHARLOTTE HARRIS, the object of which is stated in the following extract from her will: "I give to the Charlestown Public Library \$10,000, to be invested on interest, which interest is to be applied to the purchase of books published before 1850. I also give to said Public Library my own private library and the portrait of my grandfather, Richard Devens." Bequests accepted by City Council, July 31, 1877. Under authority of the Acts of 1900, Chapter 263, the Harris Collection was transferred to the Central Library Building, and the Trustees were authorized to spend the interest of the Harris Fund, under the conditions of the bequest, for books for this collection after its removal to the Central Library, providing that a sum equal to the yearly interest of the Harris Fund be spent each year by the Trustees for new books for the Charlestown Branch Library. \$10,000.00

Thomas B. Harris Fund — Beguest of THOMAS B. HARRIS, of Charlestown. Income to be used for general purposes of the Charlestown Branch Library unless otherwise ordered by the Trustees. Received in 1884.

Alfred Hemenway Fund - Bequest of ALFRED HEMENWAY. Received in 1928.

\$6,650.00

Heloise E. Hersey Fund — Beguest of HELOISE E. HERSEY, the income to be expended for the purchase of books, preferably those of recent issue that have real literary value. Received in 1936.

\$3,864.50

Hinsman Fund — In memory of MRS. LIZZIE W. HINSMAN, the income only to be used at the discretion of the Trustees for the purchase of books for children, preferably those served by the Phillips Brooks Branch Library. Received in 1945.

Franklyn P. Hyde Fund — Bequest of FRANKLIN P. HYDE, to be known as the "Franklin P. Hyde Fund," the income to be applied to the purchase of books and other library material. Received in \$4,248,16 1915.

David P. Kimball Fund - Bequest of DAVID P. KIMBALL.

"I give to the Public Library of the City of Boston, the income to be used for the purchase of books, \$10,000." Received in 1924.

Louis E. Kirstein Fund — Five donations of \$1,000 each made by Louis E. Kirstein, "to be used for any purpose of the Library that the Trustees see fit to put it to. \$6.062.50

Arthur Mason Knapp Fund — Extract from the will of KATHERINE KNAPP: "To the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, the sum of ten thousand dollars (\$10,000), to be known as the Arthur Mason Knapp Fund, of which the income only shall be used for the purchase of books for said library. And I hereby request that such books be designated with an appropriate label or inscription, bearing the name of the Fund." Received in 1914.

\$11,537.50

Frederic and Louise Lambert Memorial Fund — Bequest of HELEN LAMBERT, in memory of Frederic and Louise Lambert. The income of this fund to be expended for the purchase of books and other library material until otherwise ordered by the Trustees. Received in 1931. \$1,561.07

B. J. Lang Memorial Fund — Bequest of ISABELLA STEWART GARDNER. "To the Trustees of the Boston Public Library, for a memorial to B. J. Lang." Received in 1924. \$5,525.00

Abbott Lawrence Fund — Bequest of ABBOTT LAWRENCE. The interest on this fund to be exclusively appropriated for the purchase of books having permanent value. Received in 1860. \$10,000.00

Edward Lawrence Fund — Bequest of EDWARD LAWRENCE, of Charlestown. The following clause from his will explains its purpose: "To hold and apply the income and so much of the principal as they may choose, to the purchase of special books of reference to be kept and used only at the Charlestown branch of said Public Library." Received in 1886. \$557.50

Mrs. John A. Lewis Fund — Bequest of ELIZABETH LEWIS, to be known as the Mrs. John A. Lewis Fund: "I give and bequeath to the Boston Public Library the sum of \$5,000 as a fund, the income of which is to be used for the purchase of such old and rare books as shall be fitly selected to augment the collection known as the John A. Lewis Library." Received in 1903. \$6,475.00

Charles G. Loring Memorial Fund — Donation from the family of CHARLES GREELY LORING, the income of which is to be expended for the purchase of books for the West End Branch Library. Received in 1896. \$500.00

Charles Mead Fund — Bequest of CHARLES MEAD, to constitute the Charles Mead Public Library Trust Fund for the promotion of the objects of the Public Library in such manner as the government of said library shall deem best, and so far as the government shall deem consistent with the objects of the library to be used for the benefit of the South Boston Branch Library. Received in 1896.

\$2,530.51

George W. Moore Fund — Bequest of GEORGE W. Moore, for general purposes. Received in 1939. \$217.00

Francis A. Morse Library Fund — Bequest of FRANCIS A. MORSE, of West Roxbury; the income only to be expended annually for the purchase of books for the West Roxbury Branch Library suitable for children of school age. Received in 1936. \$1,157.50

Mary U. Nichols Book Prize Fund — Donations from friends of the late MARY U. NICHOLS, former Branch Librarian of the North End Branch Library, the income to be used to award annually a book prize to the North End boy and to the North End girl who in their senior year at a North End high school have excelled in their English studies. Received in 1949. \$600.00

Gardner O. North Fund — Bequest of GARDNER O. NORTH. Received in 1928. \$2,315.00

The Oakland Hall Trust Fund — By an interlocutory decree of the Probate Court for the County of Suffolk, the amount of \$11,781.44 was received, the same being one-half of the net amount received from the disposition of certain property held by the Trustees, under an indenture between Amor Hollingsworth, Sumner A. Burt and Amor L. Hollingsworth, all of Milton, Mass., and John H. Mc-Kendry, of Boston, Mass., entered into the sixth day of August, 1870. The above amount was accepted by the City, January 2, 1924, and the Trustees of the Public Library voted to invest the same under the name of "The Oakland Hall Trust Fund." the income to be applied to the purchase of books and other library material for the Mattapan Branch Library. \$11,781.44

John Boyle O'Reilly Fund — Donation received from the PAPYRUS CLUB to establish a fund in memory of John Boyle O'Reilly, late member of said club, the income of said fund to be devoted to the purchase of books for the Boston Public Library. Received in 1897.

\$1,295.02

Jonathan Phillips (Book) Fund — Donation made by JONATHAN PHILLIPS, in April 1853.

The interest of this fund is to be used exclusively for the purchase of books. \$10,000.00

Jonathan Phillips (Maintenance) Fund — A bequest by Jonathan Phillips in his will dated September 20, 1849, the interest on which is to be annually devoted to the maintenance of a free Public Library. \$20,000.00

Henry L. Pierce Fund — Donation made by the Hon. Henry L. PIERCE, Mayor of the City, November 29, 1873, and accepted by the City Council, December 27, 1873. \$5,012.90

Sarah E. Pratt Fund — Bequest from SARAH E. PRATT, under the 14th clause of her will, for the benefit of the Dorchester Branch Library, \$500.00. Received in 1922 and 1924. \$1,503.18

Guilford Reed Fund — Beguest of HELEN LEAH REED, as a memorial to Guilford S. Reed; the income to be applied to the purchase of books of nonfiction. \$1,157.50

John Singer Sargent Fund — Balance remaining in hands of surviving trustees of fund originally raised to install in the Library decorations by John Singer Sargent; the income to be used for the care and preservation of the Sargent decorations, etc. \$4,330.74

Scholfield Public Library Trust Fund — Bequest of ARTHUR SCHOL-FIELD, who died in New York, January 17, 1883, the interest to be paid to certain heirs during their lives, and then to be used for the purchase of books of permanent value. The last heir, Joseph Scholfield, died November 18, 1889, and by his will bequeathed to the City of Boston the sum of \$11,766.67, which represents the income of said fund received by him up to the time of his death, to which was added \$33.33 accrued interest on deposit up to the time of investment, to be added to the fund given by his brother.

\$61,897,25

Richard Black Sewall Fund — Extract from the will of RICHARD BLACK SEWALL: "Tenth: — I bequeath the following pecuniary legacies clear of legacy tax, namely, To the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston \$25,000 to be added to their funds and the income to be used for the purchase of books." Received in 1918.

Samuel Sigilman Fund — Bequest of SAMUEL SIGILMAN of one-third of his residuary estate to the Boston Public Library. Payments received 1941–1944. \$18,788.31

Francis Skinner Fund — Extract from the will of FRANCIS SKINNER: "Eleventh. — All my books and library I give and bequeath to my son, to be enjoyed by him during his life and after his death to be distributed as he shall appoint among such public libraries, as he shall judge fit, and in case he makes no such appointment then to the

Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston.

"Sixteenth. — All the rest and residue of my said property of whatever kind, I give and bequeath to Augustus P. Loring and J. Lewis Stackpole in trust to pay the net income to my son Francis Skinner, Jr., during his life, or to apply the same to his maintenance and support, or the maintenance and support of any issue of his, as they shall think best during his life; and at his death to apply the income to the maintenance and support of his issue until his youngest child shall reach the age of 21 years and then to distribute said property among said issue, the issue of a deceased child to take the share a parent would have if living.

"If there shall be no issue surviving at the time of my son's death, then to turn the said property into cash and to divide it equally among the following legatees: The Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, the Museum of Fine Arts of Boston, Massachusetts, the Massachusetts General Hospital, the Medical School of Harvard University, and the Free Hospital for Women, Brookline, Massachusetts." Received in 1914. \$55,995.65

South Boston Public Library Trust Fund — Donation of a citizen of South Boston, the income of which is to be expended for the benefit of the South Boston Branch Library. Received in 1879.

\$100.00

Mary Elizabeth Stewart Fund — Bequest of MARY ELIZABETH STEW-ART of \$3,500 to the Trustees of the Boston Public Library. The Trustees voted under date of June 29, 1923, that the income be applied to the purchase of books and other library material.

\$4,532.50

James Jackson Storrow (Harvard '57) Fund — Gift of HELEN STOR-ROW and ELIZABETH RANDOLPH STORROW as a memorial to James Jackson Storrow, Senior; income to be used for the purchase of Italian books. \$30,312.50

George Ticknor Fund — By the will of GEORGE TICKNOR, of Boston, he gave to the City of Boston, on the death of his wife, all his books and manuscripts in the Spanish and Portuguese languages, about four thousand volumes, and also the sum of four thousand dollars. After the receipt of said sums the City is required to spend not less than one thousand dollars in every five years during the twenty-five years next succeeding (i.e., the income of four thousand dollars, at the rate of five per cent per annum) in the purchase of books in the Spanish and Portuguese languages and literature. At the end of twenty-five years the income of said sum to be expended annually in the purchase of books of permanent value, either in the Spanish or Portuguese languages, or in such other languages as may be deemed expedient by those having charge of the library. The books bequeathed or purchased are always to be freely accessible for reference or study, but are not to be loaned for use outside of the library building. If these bequests are not accepted by the City, and the trusts and conditions faithfully executed, the books, manuscripts and money are to be given to the President and Fellows of Harvard College. In order that the City might receive the immediate benefit of this contribution. Anna Ticknor, widow of the donor, relinguished her right to retain during her life the books and manuscripts, and placed them under the control of the City, the City Council having previously accepted the bequests in accordance with the terms and conditions of said will, and the Trustees of the Public Library received said bequests on behalf of the City, and made suitable arrangements for the care and custody of the books and manuscripts. Received in 1871.

William C. Todd Fund — Donation by WILLIAM C. TODD, of Atkins, N. H., accepted by order of the City Council, approved October 30, 1897, the income to be at least two thousand dollars a year, to be expended by the Library Trustees for newspapers of this and other countries. \$50,121.80

Mary P. Townsend Fund — Donation from William Minot and William Minot, Jr., executors of the will of MARY P. TOWNSEND, at whose disposal she left a certain portion of her estate in trust for such charitable and public institutions as they might think meritorious. Said executors accordingly selected the Public Library of the City of Boston as one of such institutions, and attached the following conditions to the legacy: "The income only shall, in each and every year, be expended in the purchase of books for the use of the library; each of which books shall have been published in some one edition at least five years at the time it may be so purchased." Received in \$4,000.00

Daniel Treadwell Fund — By the will of the late DANIEL TREADWELL, of Cambridge, late Rumford Professor in Harvard College, who died February 27, 1872, he left the residue of his estate, after payment of debts, legacies, etc., in trust to his executors, to hold during the life of his wife for her benefit, and after her decease to divide the residue then remaining in the hands of the Trustees, as therein provided, and convey one-fifth part thereof to the Trustees of the Public Library of he City of Boston.

By order of the City Council, approved May 17, 1872, said bequest was accepted and the Trustees of the Public Library authorized to receive the same and invest it in the City of Boston Bonds, income of which is to be expended by said Trustees in such manner as they may deem for the best interests of the Library.

\$13,987.69

Nathan A. Tufts Fund — Bequest of NATHAN A. TUFTS, of Charlestown, to be known as the "Nathan A. Tufts Fund," the income to be applied at all times to the purchase of books and other additions to the library to be placed in the Charlestown Branch Library. Received in 1906.

\$11,492.18

Twentieth Regiment Memorial Fund — Donation on account of the TWENTIETH REGIMENT MEMORIAL FUND, the income to be used for the purchase of books of a military and patriotic character, to be placed in the alcove appropriated as a memorial to the Twentieth Regiment. Received in 1897. \$6,225.00

Francis Jay Underhill Fund — Net proceeds under the Judicial Settlement of the Account of Arthur Lovell, as Executor of the Last Will and Testament of FRANCIS JAY UNDERHILL, late of Brooklyn, New York, the income to be expended for the purchase of books. Received in 1939. \$524.70

Horace G. Wadlin Fund (1932) — Bequest of HORACE G. WADLIN, of Reading, former Librarian, of \$2,000 to the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston to be permanently funded and the income thereof used for the purchase of books. Received in 1932. \$2,030.51

Horace G. Wadlin Fund (1936) — A bequest of Ella F. Wadlin; to be added to the Horace G. Wadlin Fund, and the income to be used for the purchase of books. Received in 1936. \$1,833.34

George C. Wales Fund — Extract from the will of GEORGE C. WALES:

"After the foregoing bequests I direct that the sum of five thousand dollars be paid to the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, the same to be held, managed and invested by them, so as to produce an income, and the said income to be applied to the purchase of such books for said Library as they may deem best." Received in 1918.

\$6,300.00

Whitney Funds — Bequests of JAMES LYMAN WHITNEY, who died September 25, 1910.

Alice Lincoln Whitney Fund — The twelfth clause of his will directed that: One-tenth of said remaining income of the principal fund, I direct to be paid to the Trustees of the Public Library of the

City of Boston, to be held and accumulated by said Trustees and permanently invested and re-invested. The first five thousand dollars of income so accumulated, including the income thereon arising during the period of accumulation, I request to be funded in the name of my sister, Alice Lincoln Whitney, and the income of said fund after its accumulation or so much of said income as may be required, to be paid to such employees of the said Library, who are sick and in need of help, as the Trustees may in their discretion deem most worthy (there are often such cases). Any amount of income from said accumulated fund not needed for the purpose just mentioned shall be used for the purchase of books and manuscripts.

\$5,514.38

James Lyman Whitney Fund — The Alice Lincoln Whitney Fund having been established, all amounts of income of the principal fund paid to said Trustees, after the accumulation of said fund of five thousand dollars shall be held as the James Lyman Whitney Fund, and invested and re-invested and the income used in equal shares, one share for the purchase of rare and expensive books, and one share for the purchase and care of manuscripts; one-half at least of the share devoted to manuscripts to be expended for their cataloguing and proper care.

\$53,359.65

In addition to the above Mr. Whitney created a trust, directing that of the net income seven hundred dollars a year be paid to the Trustees of the Public Library of the City of Boston, to be expended on bibliographic work for the benefit of the Library.

Mehitable C. C. Wilson Fund — Bequest of MEHITABLE C. C. WILSON, the income to be expended for the purchase of books. Received in 1913. \$1,118.00

RECAPITULATION OF PUBLIC LIBRARY TRUST FUNDS

Emily L. Ainsley Fund .						\$222,440.34
Victorine Thomas Artz Fund						13,538.87
Joshua Bates Fund						50,000.00
Benton Book Fund						1,092,350.47
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Charles H. L. N. Bernard Fund	d.					2,315.00
John P. Bigelow Fund .						1,000.00
Robert Charles Billings Fund						
Kate E. Blanchard Fund .						5,000.00
Boston Book Fair 1938 Fund						172.70
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Allen A. Brown Fund			1			16,000.00
Joseph H. Center Fund .						
Central Library Building Fund	١.					. 150.00
Children's Fund						99,950.00
Frank Clement Fund						2,355.00
Henry Sargent Codman Memor						4.805.65
Abram E. Cutter Fund .						4,270.00
The Elizabeth Fund						28,468.75
The Elizabeth Fund Daniel Sharp Ford Legacy Fun	nd					6,000.00
Daniel Sharp Ford Trust Fund	1.					6,192.65
Franklin Club Fund						1,000.00
Mrs. Mary E. Gammons Mem-	orial	Fund				500.00
Morris Gest Fund						2,967.50

Samuel A. Green Fund								2,037.17
Edith Guerrier Fund								716.92
Edith Guerrier Fund	und							125.00
Charlotte Harris Fund Thomas B. Harris Fund								10.000.00
Thomas B Harris Fund				·			,	1,138.31
							'	6,650,00
Heloise E. Hersey Fund								3,864.50
Tieloise E. Hersey Fund								10
Hinsman Fund Franklyn P. Hyde Fund David P. Kimball Fund								1,250.00
Franklyn P. Hyde Fund					•			4,248.16
David P. Kimball Fund								13,270.32
Louis E. Kirstein								6,062.50
Louis E. Kirstein								11,537.50
Frederic and Louise Lambert Fun	nd							1,561.07
B. J. Lang Memorial Fund								5,525.00
Edward Lawrence Fund							•	557.50
Edward Lawrence Fund Mrs. John A. Lewis Fund					•		•	6,475.00
Charles C. Lavina Mamarial Ever	J	•					•	500.00
Mrs. John A. Lewis Fund	a						•	
Charles Mead Fund		•						2,530.51
George W. Moore Fund								217.00
Francis A. Morse Library Fund								1,157.50
Mary U. Nichols Book Prize Fu	nd			٠.				600.00
Gardner O. North Fund								2,315.00
								11,781,44
John Boyle O'Reilly Fund								1.295.02
ionathan Phillips (Book) Fund		•			:		•	10,000.00
Jonathan Filling (Maintenance)	C	,					•	20,000.00
Jonathan Fhillips (Maintenance)	runc	l.						
John Boyle O'Reilly Fund		•						5,012.90
Sarah E. Pratt Fund								1,503.18
Guilford Reed Fund John Singer Sargent Fund Scholfield Public Library Trust F								1,157.50
John Singer Sargent Fund								4,330.74
Scholfield Public Library Trust F	und							61,897.25
Richard Black Sewall Fund .								32,000.00
Samuel Sigilman Fund								18,788.31
Samuel Sigilman Fund Francis Skinner Fund South Boston Public Library Tru								55,995.65
South Roston Public Library Tru	ıct F	und .						100,00
Mary Elizabeth Stewart Fund . James Jackson Storrow (Harvard	15(1	una				•	•	4,532,50
Mary Elizabeth Stewart Fund .	1571	Г.						30,312,50
James Jackson Storrow (Harvard	01)	runc	1 .			•		- ,
George Ticknor Fund		•	•					4,105.71
								50,121.80
Mary P. Townsend Fund								4,000.00
Daniel Treadwell Fund								13,987.69
Nathan A. Tufts Fund								11,492.18
Twentieth Regiment Memorial Fu	and							6,225.00
Francis I. Underhill Fund .								524,70
Horace G. Wadlin Fund (1932)								2.030.51
11 C W. J. F. J (1026)								1,833.34
Horace G. Wadlin Fund (1936)				•				6,300.00
George C. Wales Fund								
Alice Lincoln Whitney Fund .								5,514.38
James Lyman Whitney Fund .								53,359.65
Mehitable C. C. Wilson Fund .								1,118.00
Total							\$4	,534,812.38

GIFTS RECEIVED DURING 1950

FOR IMMEDIATE USE

Trustees under the Will of Helen O. Storrow	\$1,688.24
(for general purposes of the Library)	
Hiram C. Merrill	100.00
(for Print Department)	
Anonymous Gift C	100.00
(for awarding to a member of the staff in recognition for outstanding	
service)	
Anonymous Gift D	60.00
(for transportation expenses incurred by Library's regular storytellers	
in connection with storytelling in the Library System)	
Anonymous Gift E	30.00
(for transportation expenses incurred by Library's regular storytellers	
in connection with storytelling in the Library System)	
Mrs. Elihu T. Feinberg	25.00
(for reference books for Print Department)	
Jamaica Plain Parents	10.00
(for the purchase of records for the Jamaica Plain Parents' collec-	
tion at the Jamaica Plain Branch Library)	
Jan Quen	5.00
(for the purchase of books)	

EQUIPMENT

Friends of the East Boston Branch Library
Beaded glass screen for moving pictures for the East Boston Branch Library
Friends of the Phillips Brooks Branch Library
Record player for the Phillips Brooks Branch Library

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OFFICERS OF THE LIBRARY AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1950

GENERAL ADMINISTRATIVE OFFICES

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Director, and Librarian

Assistant to the Director,
and Clerk of the Trustees

Assistant to the Director,
and Chief Executive Officer

Deputy Assistant to the Director
Deputy Assistant to Total Connolly

Samuel Green
Aaron A. Starr

Zoltán Haraszti

Personnel Office

Supervisor of Personnel
Assistant to the Supervisor of Personnel

Office of Records, Files, Statistics

Elizabeth L. Wright
Pearl B. Smart

Chief of Records, Files, Statistics
Information Office

Chief of Information Office Elizabeth B. Boudreau

Division of Reference and Research Services

Chief Librarian, Division of Reference and Research Services Richard G. Hensley Assistant to the Chief Librarian, Division of Reference and Research Services Marjorie G. Bouquet Supervisor of Reference and Research John M. Carroll Services Deputy Supervisor of Reference and Research Services Sarah W. Flannery Deputy Supervisor of Reference and Bradford M. Hill Research Services Zoltán Haraszti Keeper of Rare Books Arthur W. Heintzelman Keeper of Prints

Chief of Book Selection for Reference and Research Services

Christine Hayes

Sarah M. Usher

Chief of Cataloging and Classification
for Reference and Research Services
Chief of Fine Arts Department
Chief of General Reference Department
Chief of History Department
Chief of Music Department
Chief of Periodical and Newspaper
Department
Chief of Science and Technology
Department
Chief of Statistical Department
Chief of Statistical Department
Chief of Teachers Department
Assistant-in-Charge of
Book Stack Service
Business Branch Librarian

Mildred C. O'Connor Priscilla S. MacFadden Charles L. Higgins Sarah W. Flannery Richard G. Appel

Bradford M. Hill

Loraine A. Sullivan Elizabeth G. Barry Anna L. Manning

Joseph A. Crowley Dorothy M. Lovett Harriet Swift

DIVISION OF HOME READING AND COMMUNITY SERVICES

Chief Librarian, Division of Home Reading and Community Services

Curator of Americana

Orlando C. Davis

Assistant to the Chief Librarian, Division of Home Reading and Community Services

Services
Supervisor of Home Reading Services
Deputy Supervisor, In Charge of Work

with Children
Deputy Supervisor, In Charge of Work
with Adults

Ruth S. Cannell

Ada A. Andelman

Elizabeth M. Gordon

Muriel C. Javelin

Branch Librarians

Allston Brighton Charlestown City Point Codman Square Connolly Dorchester East Boston Faneuil Hyde Park Jamaica Plain Jeffries Point Lower Mills Mattapan Memorial Mt. Bowdoin Mt. Pleasant Neponset North End

Christiana P. Jordan
Katrina M. Sather
Mary K. Harris
Catherine P. Loughman
Elizabeth P. Ross
Margaret A. Calnan
Margaret A. Morgan
Dorothy F. Nourse
Helen M. O'Leary
Sara A. Lyon
Geraldine M. Altman
Evelyn Levy
Annie Reis
Theodora B. Scoff
Margaret I. McGovern
Frances C. Lepie
Gladys R. White
Ruth M. Hayes
Ellen C. Peterson

Orient Heights
Parker Hill
Phillips Brooks
Roslindale
South Boston
South End
Uphams Corner
Washington Village
West End
West Roxbury

Bookmobile Librarian

Chief of Book Selection for Home Reading Services
Chief of Branch Issue Department
Chief of Cataloging and Classification
for Home Reading Services
Chief of Open Shelf Department
Chief of Registration Department
Chief of School Issue Department
Chief of Young People's Room

Readers Adviser

DIVISION OF BUSINESS OPERATIONS

Superintendent of Buildings

Auditor
Chief of Binding Department
Chief of Book Preparation Department
Chief of Book Purchasing Department
Chief of Printing Department
Shipper

Officers of the Library, Emeritus

Supervisor of Branch Libraries,

Emerilus

Supervisor of Work With Child

Supervisor of Work With Children, Emeritus

Business Branch Librarian,
Emeritus

Chief of Book Preparation Department, Emeritus

Chief of Book Purchasing Department, Emeritus

Chief of Book Stack Service, Emeritus

Chief of Branch Issue Department, Emeritus

Chief of Cataloging and Classification Department, Emeritus

Chief of History Department, Emeritus Catherine E. Flannery Mary A. Hackett A. Virginia Haviland Marion R. Herzig Irene H. Tuttle Marion C. Kingman Beatrice C. Maguire Elizabeth H. McShane Fanny Goldstein Pauline A. Walker Evelyn B. Marden

Edna G. Peck Vacant

Ethel M. Hazlewood Grace B. Loughlin A. Frances Rogers Beatrice M. Flanagan Mary C. Toy Louisa S. Metcalf

William F. Quinn
Helen Schubarth
James P. Mooers
Mary M. McDonough
Gerald L. Ball
William B. Gallagher
Robert F. Dixon

Edith Guerrier

Alice M. Jordan

Mary W. Dietrichson

Marion A. McCarthy

William C. Maiers, Jr.

William J. Ennis

Alice V. Stevens

Lucien E. Taylor

Laura R. Gibbs

Chief of Main Reading Room,

Chief of Open Shelf Department, Emeritus

Branch Librarian, Emeritus

Branch Librarian, Emeritus

Branch Librarian, Emeritus Branch Librarian, Emeritus

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Branch Librarian, Emeritus

Branch Librarian, Emeritus

William J. Mulloney

John H. Reardon

Katherine F. Albert

Mary E. Ames

Edith H. Bailey

M. Florence Cufflin

Annie M. Donovan Clara L. Maxwell

Carrie L. Morse Katharine F. Muldoon

Katherine S. Rogan Mary M. Sullivan

Geneva Watson

Rebecca E. Willis

FINANCIAL STATEMENT 1950

STATEMENT

OF

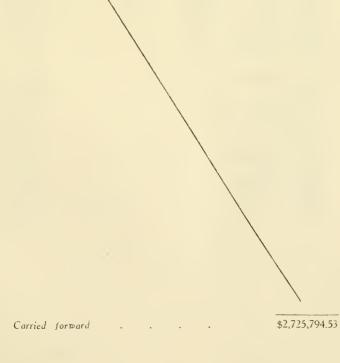
EXPENDITURES AND RECEIPTS

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Expenditures for Personnel:			
Permanent and Probationary	employees (ex	-	
clusive of Printing and Bind	ing Departmen	t ====================================	
employees) Sundays and Evenings, extra an	a a	. \$1,733,590.60	42 004 001 5-
Sundays and Evenings, extra an	d other service	2/1,210.95	\$2,004,801.55
EXPENDITURES FOR SERVICE OTHE	R THAN PER	SON'AL .	
Printing and binding		. \$22.00	
Advertising		211.00	
Advertising			
Express charges Light, heat, and power . Rent, toxes, and water .		. 24,482.06	
Light, heat, and power .			
Rent, taxes, and water .		. 24,285.81	
Rent, taxes, and water Bond and insurance premiums Communication Cleaning Removal of waste Expert service Stenographic and copying Fees Photographic and blueprinting General repairs	• •	. 805.36 . 9.860.48	
Cleaning		4,501.04	
Removal of waste		51.00	
Expert service		. 9,246.40	
Stenographic and copying .		. 2,272.73	
Fees		225.00	
Photographic and blueprinting		640.49	
General repairs Miscellaneous services .		99,926.80	
Miscellaneous services .		, , 403.17	430,943.03
EXPENDITURES FOR EQUIPMENT:			
Electrical		\$4,458,99	
Electrical		94.84	
Furniture and furnishings .		. 4,293.42	
Office		. 10,837.64	
Books:	*102.041.14		
City appropriation Trust funds income	\$132,841.14	172 977 70	
I rust funds income	41,025.56	173,866.70	
Manuscripts:			
Trust funds income		205.08	
Periodicals:			
City appropriation	\$9,655.90		
Trust funds income	8,388.86	18,044.76	
Newspapers:	#2.020.4I		
City appropriation Trust funds income	\$2,829.41 1,539.88	4,369.29	
I rust funds income	1,339.00	7,507.23	
Microfilms and lantern slides:			
Trust funds income		1,405.57	
Posters, prints, and maps:			
City appropriation	\$99.15		
Trust funds income	1,646.45	1,745.60	
D. P.			
Recordings	\$4.45		
City appropriation Trust funds income	71.75	76.20	
riust rungs income		, 0.20	
Miscellaneous:			•
City appropriation	\$2,068.11		
Trust funds income	6,247.22	8,315.33	
T 1 1:		2.079.61	
Tools and instruments		2,078.61 7.41	
Wearing apparel Miscellaneous equipment		3,820.41	233,619.85
Wilscenaneous equipment			
Carried forward			\$2,475,364.43

AND RECEIPTS, DECEMBER 31, 1950

RECEIPTS FROM:					
General Appropriation 1950				. \$7	2,579,527.00
Construction of Buildings and Or	rigir	ial Equi	pment		
and Furnishing thereof .					100,000.00
Income from Trust Funds .					43,549.29
James L. Whitney Bibliographic	Ac	count			700.00
Anonymous Gift A			\$90	00.0	
Anonymous Gift B			100	00.0	
Gift of Mrs. Elihu T. Feinberg			2	5.00	
Gift of Hiram C. Merrill			100	00.0	
Gift of Jamaica Plain Parents			10	00.0	
Gift of Jan Quen			:	5.00	
Trustees Under the Will of Helen	Ο.	Storrow	v 1,688	3.24	2,018.24 \$2,725,794.53



STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Brought forward							\$2,475,364.43
EXPENDITURES FOR SUPPLIE	s:						
Office Fuel Medical						\$22,048.82	
Fuel						11,668.21	
Medical						123.88	
Laundry, cleaning, toilet						3,390.37	
Educational and recreation	onal					173.76	
Medical Laundry, cleaning, toilet Educational and recreation Agricultural						17.48	
Chemicals and disinfectar	nts					615.93	
Miscellaneous supplies						2,400.97	40,439.42
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Expenditures for Materia	LS:						
						\$7,582.79	
Machinery						68.04	
						3,307.37	
Miscellaneous materials						2,138.17	13,096.37
Central Library Building Ro	of Co	nstru	ction				214.61
Construction of Buildings an	d Orig	ginal	Equipr	nent			
and Furnishing thereof							66,571.47
SPECIAL ITEMS:	1 1.					\$400,00	
Trust funds income, scho			•	•		100.00	500.00
Trust funds income, sick	benents		٠	•	•	100.00	00,00
Λ						\$85.55	
Anonymous Gift A Gift of Mrs. Elihu T. F	· 1	•				25.00	
Gift of Nathan H. Fried	emberg	3 •	•	٠	•	102.05	
Gift of Friends of Polish			Desta	. '	•	4.50	
Cife of Hiram C Marril	. Cultu 1	16 01	Dosto	п.		100.00	
Gift of Hiram C. Merril Gift of Jamaica Plain I	I . Dawta	•		*	•	20.73	
City of Jamaica Flain 1	arents	•	•	•	•	3,42	
Gift of Jan Quen . Gift of J. Ashton Reid Gift of Albert H. Wiggin	•	•	•	•		12.23	
City (Albert H. Wiese	. '	•	•	•	•	2.353.00	2.706.48
Gitt of Albert 11. Wiggin	1 .	•	•	*	•	4,737.00	2,700.40
BINDING DEPARTMENT:							
Salaries						\$83,253.54	
Outside work	•	•		•		193.08	
Evenues showers	•	•	•	•	•	1.05	
Express charges . Gas. light, and heat .		•	•	•	•	82.03	
Papaire	•	•	•	•	•	275.46	
Repairs Furniture and furnishings	•	'	•	•	•	5.43	
Tools and instruments	•	•	•	•	•	96.07	
Tools and instruments Office supplies	•	•	•	•		2.25	
Office supplies Miscellancous supplics Building materials . Machinery materials		•	•	•	•	309.14	
Building materials	•	•		•	•	100.80	
Machinery materials	•	•				184.85	
Stock	•	:			•		91,327.99
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Carried forward							\$2,690,220.77
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AND RECEIPTS, DECEMBER 31, 1950

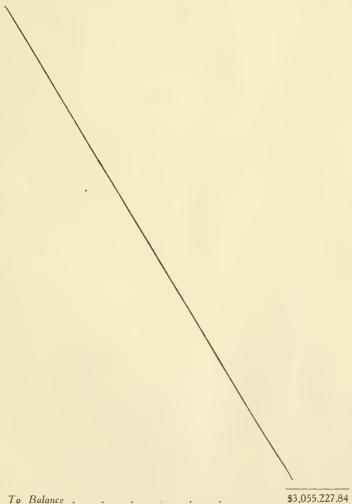
			\$2,725,794.53
Balance Brought Forward from 1949:			
Trust Funds Income		\$50,529.91	
James L. Whitney Bibliographic Account		6,429.40	
Gift of Mrs. Elihu T. Feinberg	\$25.00		
Gift of Nathan H. Friedman	147.93		
Gift of Friends of Polish Culture of Boston	7.60		
Gift of Hiram C. Merrill	55.00		
Gift of Jamaica Plain Parents	15.60		
Gift of Jan Quen	7.15		
Gift of J. Ashton Reid	12.25		
	.05		
Trustees Under the Will of Helen O. Storrw			
Gift of Old Colony Tenants Association,	0,100110		
Known as Joseph Ward Memorial Cift	1.19		
Gift of Albert H. Wiggin	2 500 05	10.052.00	
Gift of Albert II. Wiggin	2,500.05	10,932.00	
C's A 's s'		42.020.06	
City Appropriation			
Central Library Building Roof Construction		774.66	
Construction of Buildings and Original Equip			
and Furnishing thereof		184,879.50	295,603.53

STATEMENT OF EXPENDITURES

Brought forward .						\$2,690,220.77
PRINTING DEPARTMENT: Salaries Gas, light, and heat . Photographic and blueprinting Repairs						
Salaries					\$21,716.25	
Gas, light, and heat.		•			9.12	
Photographic and blueprinting	•	•	•	•	9.12 554.69 168.95	
Repairs		•		•	168.95	
Electrical equipment .					43.25	
Furniture and furnishings.					254.25 947.47	
Office equipment	•				947.47	
Miscellaneous supplies .					97.22	
Machinery materials					5.20	
Repairs Electrical equipment Furniture and furnishings Office equipment Miscellaneous supplies Machinery materials Stock	•	•	•	٠	7,620.53	31,446.93
A						
Fines					\$27.840.91	
Sales of Publications				•	1.378 14	
Payments for lost books and dar	mages				1.330.27	
Commission on telephone stations					703.67	
Commission on coin locks					697.78	
Sales of waste paper	•	•			376.25	
Fines Sales of Publications Payments for lost books and dar Commission on telephone stations Commission on coin locks Sales of waste paper Miscellaneous receipts					376.25 618.18	32,945.20
	•	•	•	٠.		22,7
BALANCE, DECEMBER 31, 1950:						
Trust Funds Income . James L. Whitney Bibliographic					\$33.048.83	
James L. Whitney Bibliographic	Acco	unt			7,129.40	
James L. Whitney Bibliographic Anonymous Gift A Anonymous Gift B Gift of Mrs. Elihu T. Feinberg Gift of Nathan H. Friedman Gift of Friends of Polish Culture Gift of Hiram C. Merrill . Gift of Jamaica Plain Parents Gift of Jan Quen . Gift of J. Ashton Reid . Gift of George A. Spanops Trustees Under the Will of Hele Gift of Old Colony Tenants As					4.45	
Anonymous Gift B .					100.00	
Gift of Mrs. Elihu T. Feinberg					25.00	
Gift of Nathan H. Friedman					45.88	
Gift of Friends of Polish Culture	e of E	Boston			3.10	
Gift of Hiram C. Merrill .					55.00	
Gift of Jamaica Plain Parents					4.87	
Gift of Jan Quen					8.73	
Gift of J. Ashton Reid .					.02	
Gift of George A. Spanops					.05	
Trustees Under the Will of Hele	en O.	Storre	w		9,868.42	
Gift of Old Colony Tenants As	sociati	on,				
Known as Joseph Ward Men	norial	Gift			1.19	
Known as Joseph Ward Men Gift of Albert H. Wiggin .					147.05	50,441.99
BALANCE UNEXPENDED, DECEMBER 3	31, 19:	50:				
Central Library Building Roof	Constru	iction			560.05	
Construction of Buildings and Or	riginal	Equip	nent		010 000 00	
Construction of Buildings and Or and Furnishing thereof.		•			218,308.03	
General Appropriation:		4.0		_		
Amount carried forward to 195) }	\$24	1,422./	5	22 122 22	
Amount carried forward to 195 Amount returned to City Treas	sury	-	,997.5	4	30,420.29	
						250 172 05
Income on hand	•	•	•	•	884.58	250,172.95
77 10 1				-		2 077 227 0 4
To Balance	•	•			\$	33,055.227.84

AND RECEIPTS, DECEMBER 31, 1950

Brought forward			\$3,021,398.06
RECEIPTS FROM:			
Fines		\$28,592.07	
Sales of Publications		1,417.74	
Commission on telephone stations.		703.67	
			,
Sale of waste paper		. 376.25	
Miscellaneous receipts		687.29	33,829.78







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