

# College and University Library Statistics

STATISTICS of college and university libraries have not been published in *College and Research Libraries* since the issue of March 1943.<sup>4</sup> Through the efforts of the officers of the Association of College and Reference Libraries, members of the staff of A.L.A. Headquarters, and cooperative librarians, the statistics are again presented. It is hoped that the statistics section may be continued as an annual feature in the journal.

The statistics of college and university libraries (Group I) were prepared by G. Flint Purdy, librarian, Wayne University, Detroit. Eileen Thornton, librarian, Vassar College, Poughkeepsie, N.Y., and Luella R. Pollock prepared the statistics for college and university libraries (Group II). The statistics for teacher-training institutions were prepared by Lawrence S. Thompson, librarian, Western Michigan College of Education, Kalamazoo. To these librarians and others who worked with them should be extended a vote of gratitude for assuming a responsibility on short notice and carrying it through expeditiously.

Reference to earlier statistical tabulations of college and university library data will reveal that the method of presentation here is similar. It may be observed, however, that one additional block of information is included for the Group II college and university libraries and the teacher-training institutions. This is the "Supplementary Statistical Survey of Current Salary Trends for Beginning Professional Library Positions."

In some of the compilations in the past, a statement concerning each group of statistics has been provided. Although we do not have summary statements for each of the

three groups, Dr. Thompson has prepared an analysis of the statistics for the libraries of the teacher-training institutions. Since some of the comments that he makes apply also to the other groups, his statement is included. This is as follows:

Several unusual conditions affected teachers college library statistics in 1945-46 which do not apply, or apply in a much slighter degree, in 1946-47. In the first place, many of the so-called teachers colleges are no longer teacher-training institutions. In some schools as few as a fourth or even a fifth of the students are taking teaching certificates. In 1945-46 faculties seemed unusually large in proportion to the enrollment, but a year later the situation was directly reversed. Salaries in 1945-46 have absolutely no relation to salaries for 1946-47, thanks to generous raises which are reported to be coming into teachers college payrolls along with raises being given to public school teachers. The figures for 1945-46, therefore, are principally of historical value.

In institutions which depend on student fees for library maintenance some income which normally would have been received in 1945-46 will have to be credited to 1946-47 or even later due to the extreme tardiness of the Veterans Administration in meeting its obligations.

In examining teachers college library statistics it should be remembered that quantity of book stock is considerably less important than it is in university libraries. What tells the tale about the effectiveness of a teachers college library is the amount spent on salaries (and, presumably, on public

service rendered by the librarians). It is also pertinent to bear in mind that the nomenclature of positions is misleading in these tables. Many an assistant librarian or department head would rate as no more than a professional assistant in a larger system. It will probably be better simply to consider all professional employees other than the head librarian in a single category.

The number of graduate students (included here in total enrolment) is a questionable factor in teachers colleges. During the regular year the great majority are part-time students (teachers from the surrounding countryside), while in some schools the

majority of student enrolment during the summer is composed of graduate students.

Many libraries included in previous compilations do not appear here. However, every library included in the last compilation which has submitted a return is included. In order to get a reasonably good sample for this year, certain libraries not included in previous printed reports were brought in so that the total number would equal that published previously. It is hoped that all libraries included this year will faithfully discharge their obligation to submit statistical information regularly in the future.

It is felt that the first compilation of statistics of college and university libraries in Canada, in 1940, was of considerable interest, but it is felt that the second compilation should be more extensive, more complete, and more representative. It is also felt that the original compilation did not fully meet the needs of the Canadian educational scene. In the first compilation, statistics were given only for those universities and teachers colleges which had been in existence for at least five years, but the new teachers colleges which have sprung up in recent years have a definite place in the educational system and deserve to be included. It is felt that the statistics in the first compilation did not fully represent the educational institutions in Canada. The first compilation, it is felt, did not fully reflect the educational institutions in Canada, as many of the smaller educational institutions did not feel able to provide the necessary data for compilation. It is felt, however, that the second compilation will be more representative, as it will include the statistics of all educational institutions in Canada, including the smaller ones.











## College and University Library General

Library	Student Service Last Fiscal Year			Hours per Week Required of Each Full-Time Staff Member		Number of Days Annual Vacation		Days Allowed with Pay as Special Holidays		Number of Months for Which Salary Is Paid		
	Total Hours per Year	Rate per Hour	Min. Max.	Profes- sional	Subpro- fessional	Profes- sional	Subpro- fessional	Profes- sional	Subpro- fessional	Sabbatical Leave	Profes- sional	Subpro- fessional
Albion.....	3405	40	40	41	..	26	..	4	..	.....	12	..
Allegheny.....	4487	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Antioch.....	9542	40	55	40	..	21-30	..	7	..	Librarian	12	..
Baldwin-Wallace.....	3018	..	..	40	..	30-31	..	21	..	0	11	..
Bates.....	1770	..	35	40	..	..	..	..	..	No rule	12	..
Birmingham-Southern.....	850	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Bowdoin.....	3325	30	50	42	38½	24	24	6	6	Librarian	12	12
Concordia.....	2975	35	38	39	..	24	..	8	..	.....	12	..
Davidson.....	2448	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Denison.....	3756½	30	45	39	39	49½	..	7	7	{Librarian (Ast. ")	12	[10 12]
Earlham.....	..	..	..	39	39	..	..	..	..	.....	9	9
Elmira.....	2917½	40	40	39	..	..	..	..	..	0	12	6
Goucher.....	1282	..	..	42	..	2 months	..	10½	..	..	12	10-12
Hamilton.....	1818½	50	50	40	38½	26	16½	8	8	Librarian	12	..
Hastings.....	8	35	40	..	..	..	..	30	30	..	..	..
Illinois Wesleyan.....	40	40	40	..	..	..	..	23	..	..	..	..
Knox.....	1071	50	60	40	..	30	..	5	..	Librarian	12	..
Lawrence.....	2400	30	35	42	42	26	26	6	6	{Librarian (Ast. ")	12	12
Madison.....	..	36	..	39	..	0	..	50	..	0	9	..
Monmouth.....	4512	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Mount Union.....	1941	35	..	37½	..	27	..	15	..	..	12 <sup>2</sup>	..
Pomona.....	4261 <sup>1</sup>	45	50	40	..	26	..	3	..	Librarian	12	..
Randolph-Macon.....	..	..	..	38	..	..	..	..	..	No rule	9 <sup>3</sup>	..
Sweet Briar.....	..	..	50	39	..	{24 and 48}	..	10	..	Librarian	12	..
Trinity, San Antonio, Tex.....	3888	..	..	45	45	30	..	6	..	..	12	..
Wake Forest.....	2942	30	30	39	42	30	..	16	16	0	12	..
Washington and Lee.....	1000	40	50	38	38	40	26	8	8	0	12	12
Westminster.....	..	30	35	42	42	24	24	..	..	..	12	12
Wilberforce.....	4402½	30	50	40	..	30	..	25	..	..	12	..
Willamette.....	3058	40	40	..	..	..	..	..	..	Librarian	12	..
Williams.....	3169	..	..	39	39	30	30	0	0	..	12	..
Wooster.....	3931½	42	42	39½	..	varies	..	7-10	..	0	12	12
High.....	9542	50	60	45	45	49½	30	50	30	..	12	12
Average.....	3093.6	37.8	43.7	39.6	40.3	28.9	24.4	12.6	11.3	..	11.5	10.8
Median.....	2958.5	40	42	40	39	28.5	25	10	8	..	12-	12-
Low.....	8	30	30	37½	38	0	16½	0	0	..	9	6

1 Not on library budget. 2 Cataloger, 9½. 3 Librarian, 12. 4 No separate classification. 5 In process of readjustment. 6 No scale. 7 10 months.

## and Salary Statistics (Group II)

Supplementary Statistical Survey of Current Salary Trends for Beginning Professional Library Positions

Total Enrolment April 1946	Present Official Salary Scale				Actual Entering Salaries				Authorized 1947-48 Salary Scale				Official Scale April 1947	Actual Hiring Rate April 1947	Authorized Scale for 1947-48			
	4 Years' Training, Library		5 Years' Training, 4 College, 1 L.S.		Now Being Offered		4 Years' Training		5 Years' Training		Enter. Min.							
	Science Maj.	Enter. Min.	Enter. Min.	Enter. Min.	Training Enter.	Training Enter.	Enter.	Enter.	Enter.	Enter.	Enter.	Enter.						
746	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>			
948	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>			
759	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..... <sup>5</sup>	..... <sup>5</sup>	..... <sup>5</sup>	..... <sup>5</sup>	..... <sup>5</sup>	..... <sup>5</sup>	..... <sup>5</sup>	.....	.....			
980	.....	.....	\$1550-	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2000	.....	.....	\$1550-\$1950 <sup>10</sup>	.....	\$2000 <sup>10</sup>		
1950																		
540	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2160	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	2160 <sup>10</sup>			
630	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....			
235	.....	.....	2100	\$2100	.....	\$210	0	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2100 <sup>10</sup>	\$2100 <sup>10</sup>	....		
720	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		
1285	.....	.....	2140 <sup>8</sup>	2140 <sup>8</sup>	.....	2140	.....	.....	.....	.....	2140 <sup>8</sup>	2140 <sup>8</sup>	2140 <sup>8,10</sup>	2140 <sup>8,10</sup>	2140 <sup>8,10</sup>			
627	..... <sup>6</sup>	1800 <sup>7</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	1800 <sup>7</sup>	.....	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>			
1116	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	..... <sup>6</sup>	.....	..... <sup>6</sup>			
706	.....	.....	.....	.....	\$2000	2200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000-2200 <sup>10</sup>	.....	.....		
444	1800	.....	.....	.....	1800	.....	\$1800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1800	1800	1800	0		
1812	2200	2000	.....	.....	2200	.....	.....	\$2200	.....	.....	3300 <sup>9</sup>	.....	2200	2200	.....			
1003	1800	1800	2200	2200	1800	2400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1800-2200 <sup>10</sup>	1800,2400 <sup>10</sup>	.....			
509	1800	1800	2200	2200	1800	2400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1500, 1800 <sup>10</sup>	.....	.....			
1263	1500	1500	1800	1800	.....	.....	.....	2400	.....	.....	2200 <sup>10</sup>	.....	2200 <sup>10</sup>	2400 <sup>10</sup>	2400 <sup>10</sup>			
792	..... <sup>4</sup>	..... <sup>4</sup>	2000	1500	..... <sup>4</sup>	2100	..... <sup>4</sup>	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	2000 <sup>10</sup>	2100 <sup>10</sup>	2100 <sup>10</sup>			
522	..... <sup>4</sup>	..... <sup>4</sup>	2000	1500	..... <sup>4</sup>	2100	..... <sup>4</sup>	2100	2100	2100	2100	2100	2000 <sup>10</sup>	2100 <sup>10</sup>	2100 <sup>10</sup>			

<sup>8</sup> 9 months. <sup>9</sup> With experience. <sup>10</sup> For candidates having 1 year library school in addition to 4 full years of college.





## Teachers College and Normal School

Library	Total Hours for Year	Student Service Last Fiscal Year		Number of Months for Which Salary Is Paid		Hours per Week Required of Each Full-Time Staff Member	
		Rate per Hour		Subprofessional and Clerical	Professional	Subprofessional and Clerical	
Arizona, Flagstaff, State College.....	832 <sup>1</sup>	.45	.45	.1	.1	.1	.1
Colorado, Greeley, State College of Education.....	19,687	.35	.45	12	12	38	40 <sup>2</sup>
Illinois, Carbondale, Southern Illinois Normal University.....	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>
Illinois, Charleston, Eastern Illinois State Teachers College.....	9391	.35	.50	11	12	39	44
Iowa, Cedar Falls, State Teachers College.....	17,481	.35	.45	12	12	36	44
Kansas, Emporia, State Teachers College.....	15,887	.30	.40	12	12	40	44
Kansas, Pittsburg, State Teachers College.....	4573 <sup>2</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	12	12	44 <sup>3</sup>	.....
Kentucky, Bowling Green, Western Kentucky State Teachers College.....	6092 <sup>2</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	12	12	39 <sup>4</sup>	39-40
Maryland, Frostburg, State Teachers College.....	0	.....	.....	12	12	40	40
Michigan, Kalamazoo, Western Michigan College of Education.....	..... <sup>5</sup>	.40	.40	12	12	35	35
Minnesota, Bemidji, State Teachers College.....	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	9	10	40	.....
Minnesota, Mankato, State Teachers College.....	1986	.35	.35	9	10	38	.....
Minnesota, Moorhead, State Teachers College.....	..... <sup>1</sup>	.35	.35	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	.....
Minnesota, Winona, State Teachers College.....	3505 <sup>1</sup>	.40	.50	10 <sup>2</sup>	10 <sup>2</sup>	41	.....
Mississippi, Cleveland, Delta State Teachers College.....	2617	.30	.40	9	10	38 <sup>5</sup>	.....
Missouri, Cape Girardeau, Southeast Missouri State Teachers College.....	5625	.30	.30	12	12	44 <sup>11</sup>	.....
Missouri, Springfield, Southwest Missouri State Teachers College.....	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	12	12	39	.....
Missouri, Warrensburg, Central Missouri State Teachers College.....	8822	..... <sup>1</sup>	.35	12	12	43	43
Nebraska, Kearney, State Teachers College.....	4142.96	.50	.50	12	12	38	.....
Nebraska, Peru, State Teachers College.....	..... <sup>1</sup>	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
New Mexico, Las Vegas, Highlands University.....	..... <sup>12</sup>	.30	.30	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	.....
New York, Albany, State College for Teachers.....	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	10 <sup>13</sup>	10 <sup>13</sup>	38 <sup>14</sup>	.....
New York, Genesee, State Teachers College.....	819	.35	.35	10	10	40	40
North Carolina, Greenville, East Carolina Teachers College.....	8665	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	12	12	39	.....
North Dakota, Minot, State Teachers College.....	3955	.40	.50	11	11	40	40
North Dakota, Valley City, State Teachers College.....	..... <sup>1</sup>	.40	.40	12	11	50	30-40
Oklahoma, Edmond, Central State College.....	..... <sup>12</sup>	.30	.50	12	12	38 <sup>15</sup>	.....
Oregon, Ashland, Southern Oregon College of Education.....	979	.50	.50	12	12	40 <sup>16</sup>	.....
Oregon, Monmouth, College of Education.....	2780 <sup>1</sup>	.40	.75	12	12	40	.....
Pennsylvania, West Chester, State Teachers College.....	4400	.40	.40	9	10	40	41
South Dakota, Aberdeen, Northern State Teachers College.....	3198	.40	.50	12	12	40 <sup>17</sup>	43
Texas, Commerce, East Texas State Teachers College.....	12,148	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	40	.....
Texas, Denton, North Texas State Teachers College.....	44,620	.35	.35	12	12	40	.....
Texas, Huntsville, Sam Houston State Teachers College.....	10,080	0	.40	12	12	40	40
Texas, San Marcos, Southwest Texas State Teachers College.....	12,667	.30	.40	..... <sup>1</sup>	..... <sup>1</sup>	40 <sup>18</sup>	40 <sup>19</sup>
Wisconsin, Milwaukee, State Teachers College.....	350	.40	.50	12	12	38 <sup>20</sup>	38 <sup>21</sup>
Wisconsin, Oshkosh, State Teachers College.....	2000 <sup>2</sup>	.35	.35	12	12	41	41
High.....	44,620	.50	.75	12	12	50	44
Median.....	4486 <sup>18</sup>	.35	.40	12	12	40	40
Low.....	350 <sup>22</sup>	.30 <sup>23</sup>	.30 <sup>23</sup>	9	10	35	.....

1 Not reported. 2 Approximate. 3 41<sup>1</sup> hours during summer vacation. 4 12 hours during term, semester, or quarter vacations. 5 For graduate work with half salary. 6 Half pay. 7 Included in annual vacation. 8 No record. 9 Suspended during war and not yet restored. 10 40 hours during summer session. 11 22<sup>1</sup> hours during summer vacation. 12 Not given in terms of hours. 13 For six professional employees; 12 months for two professional employees. 14 Varies during vacations. 15 For employees on twelve-month basis. 16 Varies. 17 Under discussion at present; professional staff eligible to receive such part of year's salary as exceeds the base minimum. 18 Vacation only during periods between terms. 19 35 hours during summer session. 20 Includes librarian who usually teaches courses in library science. 21 If no additional cost to institution. 22 42 hours during summer session. 23 Sabbatical leave expected to be instituted in near future and will apply to all professional employees. 24 30 hours during summer vacation. 25 30 hours during term vacations. 26 33 hours during term and summer vacations. 27 All school vacations and holidays; number of days

## Library General and Salary Statistics

### Supplementary Statistical Survey of Current Salary Trends for Beginning Professional Positions

Professional	Number of Days Allowed with Pay as:			Sabbatical Leave	Enrolment, April 1946			Entering Salaries for Beginning Professional Positions (for Candidates with at Least a College Major in Library Science)		
	Annual Vacation	Subprofessional and Clerical	Special Holidays		Under-graduate	Graduate	Total	Official Scale, April 1947	Actual Hiring Rate, April 1947	Authorized Scale, 1947-48
30-32	21	10-14	7 <sup>c</sup>	Professional	1482	49	1531	\$2750 <sup>ab</sup>	\$3300 <sup>ab</sup>	\$2750 <sup>ab</sup>
26	12	10 <sup>a</sup>	6	None	2275	..	2275	2800 <sup>ab</sup>	2800 <sup>ab</sup>	2200
27 <sup>e</sup>	12 <sup>e</sup>	20	8	Professional	684	38	722	.. <sup>ab</sup>	2200	2400
12	5	..	..	Professional	..	..	..	..	..	..
31	31	.. <sup>a</sup>	.. <sup>a</sup>	None	..	..	..	..	..	..
15	15	23	23	None	94	..	94	2200	2200	..
40 <sup>b</sup>	40 <sup>b</sup>	35 <sup>b</sup>	35 <sup>b</sup>	.. <sup>g</sup>	2750	128	2878	2500	2500	.. <sup>ab</sup>
.. <sup>a</sup>	.. <sup>a</sup>	24	..	Professional	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. <sup>a</sup>	.. <sup>a</sup>	5	..	Professional	307	..	307	2400 <sup>ab</sup> , <sup>35</sup>	2500 <sup>ab</sup>	..
0	..	15	..	.. <sup>1</sup>	769	..	769	2800 <sup>ab</sup>	2800 <sup>ab</sup>	..
.. <sup>a</sup>	.. <sup>a</sup>	20	..	Professional	240	..	240	2500 <sup>ab</sup>	2500 <sup>ab</sup>	..
0	..	10	..	None	300	..	300	2100 <sup>ab</sup>	2200 <sup>ab</sup>	2100 <sup>ab</sup>
30	..	20	..	Professional	738	..	738	..	2400	..
25	..	..	..	.. <sup>1</sup>	893	..	893	1800 <sup>ab</sup>	2160	2160
14	14	3	3	Professional	..	..	..	..	..	..
30	..	23	..	.. <sup>1</sup>	..	..	..	..	..	..
.. <sup>a</sup>	.. <sup>a</sup>	26	..	None	443	22	465	3190	3190	..
22 <sup>E</sup> <sup>15</sup>	.. <sup>16</sup>	.. <sup>16</sup>	..	.. <sup>17</sup>	..	..	..	2160 <sup>ab</sup>	..	..
26	..	20	..	Professional	334	..	334	2928 <sup>ab</sup>	2928 <sup>ab</sup>	2928 <sup>ab</sup>
.. <sup>18</sup>	0	5	5	None	862	12	874	2526 <sup>ab</sup>	..	..
0	0	5	5	Teaching staff <sup>20</sup>	..	..	314	2000 <sup>ab</sup>	2000 <sup>ab</sup>	2000 <sup>ab</sup>
25 <sup>b</sup>	0	20 <sup>b</sup>	0	None	..	..	..	..	..	..
24	..	40	..	.. <sup>1</sup>	1006	..	1006	2200	..	..
22	..	16	..	Librarian <sup>21</sup>	..	..	..	..	..	..
26	..	4	..	Librarian <sup>21</sup>	186	..	186	3000	3000	3000
0	15	28 <sup>b</sup>	9 <sup>b</sup>	None	..	..	..	..	..	..
18	2	14	0	None	386	..	386	2100	2100	..
21	..	30	..	None	1071	135	1206	2656	2656	..
18	..	.. <sup>1</sup>	..	None	2373	173	2546	1800 <sup>ab</sup>	1980	..
21	21	20	20	None <sup>22</sup>	..	..	..	..	..	..
12	12	12	12	None	..	..	..	..	..	..
27	18	8	None <sup>23</sup>	1730	1	1731	2100 <sup>abk</sup>	2100 <sup>abk</sup>	..	..
10	10	.. <sup>27</sup>	.. <sup>27</sup>	None	..	..	..	..	..	..
40	40	52	35	..	2750	173	2878	3190	3300	3000
24	15	20	8	..	738	43 <sup>b</sup>	738	2450	2500	2400
10 <sup>ab</sup>	2 <sup>ab</sup>	3	3 <sup>ab</sup>	..	94	1	94	1800	1980	2100

not indicated. 28 Leave without pay upon permission. 29 Zero omitted in computation. 30 Eleven months. 31 No official scale; rate paid to present staff, all with one year of graduate work. 32 No official scale. 33 Not yet authorized; to be on ten-month basis. 34 Salaries cited in the following notes refer to *any different rate* which may apply to candidates having one year of library school in addition to four years of college: (a) \$2600; (b) \$2400; (c) \$3000; (d) \$3000; (e) \$2190; (f) \$2958; (g) \$2200; (h) \$2900; (i) \$2400; (j) \$2275; (k) \$2500. 35 Nine months. 36 Plus 20 per cent temporary increase. 37 Ten months.

*Note:* In many instances no scale had been definitely authorized and approved by the ultimate fiscal authority for 1947-48 at the time these reports were submitted. Some libraries submitted the hiring rate the salary of present staff members, even though vacancies did not exist. Many smaller institutions have only two or three (sometimes only one) professional librarians.