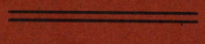


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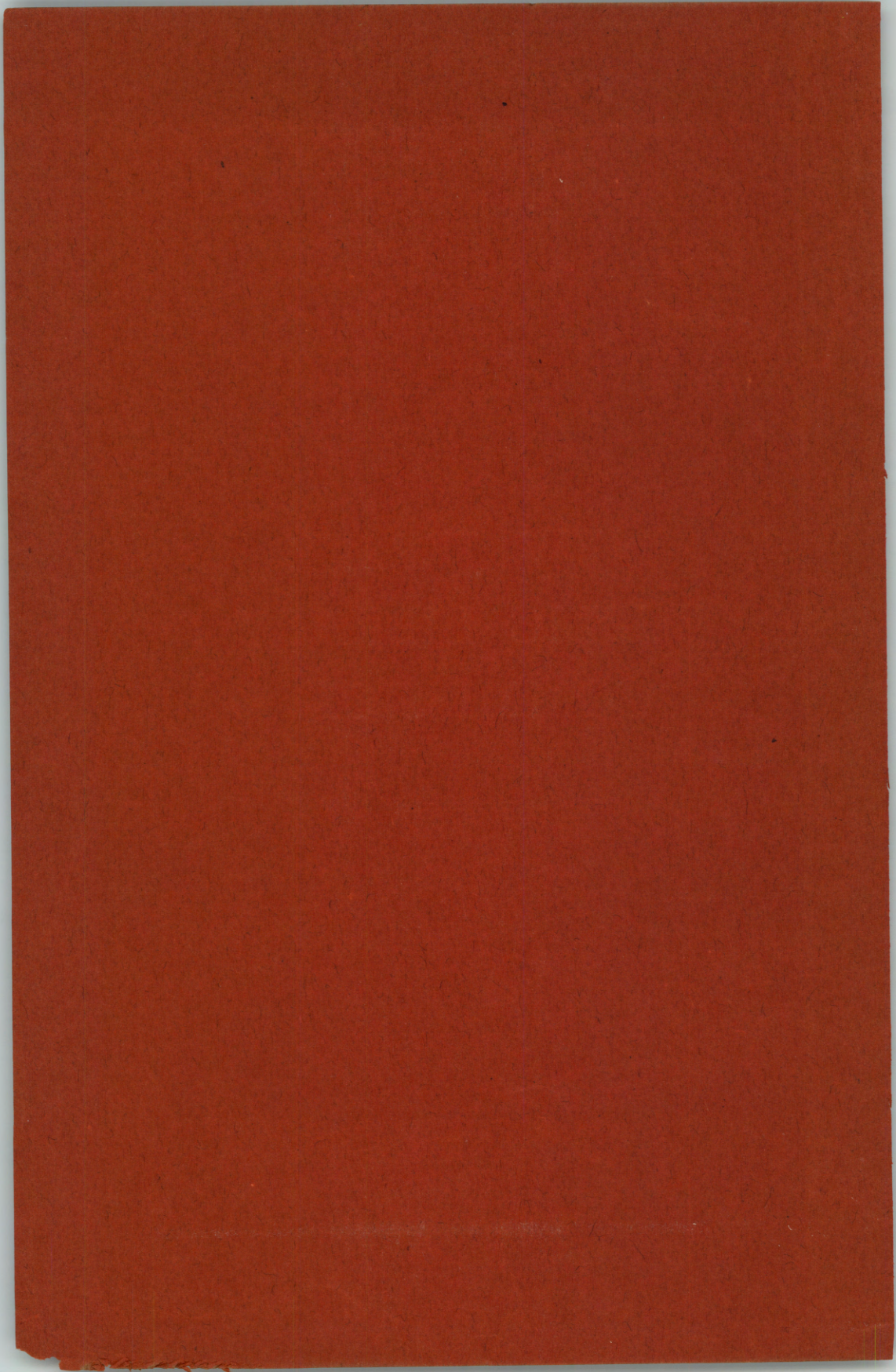
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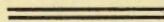
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Hon. James F. Fielder, Governor of New Jersey:

SIR:—The act creating the New Jersey Public Library Commission requires the Commission to “make a report of its doings to the Legislature in January of each year.” The following report is made to you for transmission, in accordance with that requirement.

Inasmuch as the “special loan” or “parcel post” library is just now receiving considerable attention, it may be interesting to know that this method of placing good books within the reach of individuals in the small towns and country districts was started in this State in 1909, when 723 books were thus loaned. So popular has this system become that the number of loans made during the past year reached 7,856, the greatest number of which went to persons who were engaged in serious reading and to pupils in school districts in the country where there are no public libraries. In fact, the Commission’s library extension work is principally in those communities.

It will be of interest to know that a comparison of the reports of the Commissions of other States indicates that the work in New Jersey is being carried on economically, while the results are entirely satisfactory. This is in part due to the fact that the State is smaller in area and that there are few points that cannot be readily reached by railroad, trolley or stage, though it is to be remembered that there are districts that are almost “unknown country.”

During the year 1,417 traveling libraries containing 70,850 books have been sent to 415 stations; 7,856 books have been sent out as special loans; 1,895 pamphlets have been distributed free of charge; 10 new libraries have been established; 1 subscription library has been made a free library; 4 libraries have become tax supported;

2 new buildings have been erected; 1 building has been remodeled; 1 building has been enlarged; 257 visits have been made; 10,169 books and pamphlets have been purchased; a Summer School has been held with 24 regular students, 2 special students, 8 special lecturers, 70 visitors for one or more lectures, making a total of 104; 5 round tables have been held with a total attendance of 157; exhibits to encourage better reading and better school and public library administration have been assembled and are being circulated through the State.

BOOK COLLECTION—During the year 10,169 books and pamphlets have been bought, at a cost of \$7,180.58, the average cost being slightly less than 71 cents each. The practice of buying juvenile books and adult fiction in reinforced binding has been continued with excellent results. The largest additions have been made to the juvenile collection in an effort to keep pace with the demand for books for boys and girls.

Two sets of the books recommended for children by Miss Clara W. Hunt have been added during the year. The demand for these particular books is greater than that for other juveniles, because this list was published in the Commission Bulletin. To meet the demand consequent upon the exhibit at the Summer School and the numerous lists there distributed, all books there recommended on vocational training, storytelling, dramatic aids, country life, debating, and aids to teachers and librarians, have been added to the collection and in many instances largely duplicated.

During the year 514 books have been discarded. These were sent to Minotola, Long Branch Memorial Hospital, Phillipsburg, Chester, Farmingdale Preventorium, and Branchville. During the year 429 books have been rebound, at a cost of \$113.46, an average of 26 cents each. The book collection now numbers 36,447.

OFFICE WORK—The new room assigned to the Commission, the added shelves, filing cases, supply closets, and book trucks have greatly facilitated the office work of the past year. The work of wrapping, packing and shipping books has been done much more efficiently since a competent man has been assigned to this duty for part time by the State House Custodian.

The volume of correspondence necessitated in advising libraries on matters of library economy, answering reference questions, and meeting requests for programs, special lists, etc., has grown steadily; and the material on file in the office to aid clubs, libraries, schools, etc., has met an increasing demand.

More extensive co-operation with the New Jersey Federation of Women's Clubs, the Agricultural Extension Department of the New Jersey State College of Agriculture, parents' and teachers' associations, Mothers' Congress, and the State Grange for the wider use of books and better reading has resulted in increased work for which the greater number of people being reached more than compensates.

There has been spent for postage during the year \$764. This has been used for correspondence, mailing special loans, free material, and the Library Bulletin.

SPECIAL LOANS—In 1909 the Commission began to keep statistics of its special or individual loans and to develop systematically this method of lending books. A survey of conditions suggested that there were many people in the State needing books who could not get them from the usual sources. Through meetings of teachers, farmers, women's clubs, etc., and through the columns of those newspapers that circulate in rural districts, the Commission made known its willingness to send to any individual in the State books that are needed for special reading and study.

These books are loaned through the nearest public library or traveling library station when one is within reasonable reach. When it is not, the books are sent to the individual borrower. The Commission pays the outgoing transportation charges. That this service is appreciated is shown by the steady increase in the number of books so loaned from 723, in 1909, to 7,856 in the year just ended. New Jersey has always called this method of lending books "special loans." It is designated in other States as "package libraries," "parcel post libraries," etc. By whatever name the service is the same.

The Commission is greatly indebted to the public libraries of New York, Pratt Institute, Newark and Trenton, and to the New

Jersey State Library, the Library of Congress and the Library of the Bible Teachers' Training School for continued assistance in filling requests for books which the Commission does not own and cannot at the time afford to buy.

TRAVELING LIBRARIES—Traveling libraries are now being sent to 415 stations, 55 new centers having been added during the year. To these stations 1,417 libraries have been sent, containing 70,850 books. As nearly as can be ascertained, each book is circulated on an average of four times, which gives a total circulation of special loans and books in traveling libraries of 291,256. The expense of transportation for the year has been \$643.20.

A vigorous campaign has been conducted during the year for better and more systematic reading in rural communities and at traveling library stations. The first of the year a letter was sent to all traveling library stations asking that a meeting of the people in the community be arranged to discuss books and reading. This letter met with instant response and the meetings have been held, with excellent results, in all parts of the State. In this way the reading facilities of communities have been studied, the librarians have become interested and enthused, the people's tastes and needs have been ascertained, and a desire for reading that is worth while is being fostered.

Co-operation with the Agricultural Extension Division of the State College of Agriculture at Farmers' Institutes has been of great assistance in this work, as the talks given at these institutes and the distribution of lists to be taken home appeal to many people it would be hard to reach otherwise, as many of them come from sparsely settled districts and widely scattered farms. The increase in the number of traveling library stations has been so great in the past few years that the Commission has not been able to buy enough traveling library cases to keep pace with the growth. While libraries are being sent to 415 stations, the Commission owns only 307 cases. Even when bought at the lowest possible price, these cases as formerly constructed were so expensive that buying them in large quantities became a financial problem. The Rahway Reformatory has now agreed to make for \$2.50 each one hundred cases, using a model that is a combination shipping and library case.

· **FREE DISTRIBUTION**—As a result of the campaign conducted last year and of the exhibit held during the Summer School at Asbury Park, there has been a constant demand for useful material to be obtained in pamphlet form. To meet this demand, 1,895 pamphlets have been distributed free. The "Check list of current State publications and annual reports," compiled by the State Librarian of New Jersey, was sent, because of its value to New Jersey libraries, to each librarian in New Jersey and to every member of the New Jersey Library Association.

LIBRARY EXTENSION—The Organizers of the Commission have made during the past year 257 visits, at a cost of \$643.20. In nearly every case these visits have been made upon the request of those interested in local library problems and have aided in the establishment of new libraries, in improving the service of those already existing, and in arousing an interest in the reading of better books. Many talks have been given before parents' and teachers' associations to enlist the interest of parents in their children's reading, and an exhibit of children's books which occasioned much favorable comment was shown at the meeting in Trenton of the Mothers' Congress of New Jersey.

Andover, Bogota, Hawthorne, Hasbrouck Heights, Leonia, Manasquan, Millington, Westville, Williamstown and Woodlynne have established public libraries during the year. The Crosswicks library has been made a free library. The Ogdensburg School Library in Sussex county, and the Johnson Place School Library in Burlington county, have been added to the list of public libraries, because each is serving its scattered rural community in a true public library spirit, even keeping the library room open on Sundays for the purpose. The Hammonton library has been opened under the management of the Civics Club, after being closed for two years.

The library in the Hilton school, Essex county, is being re-organized under the direction of the librarian of the Maplewood library, a neighboring library in the same township, and will be open to the public as in former years. The Maplewood library and the Hilton library plan to do co-operative work and it is hoped other libraries in the schools of this township will join with them in this effort

to solve in the most efficient and economical manner the library problems of small communities scattered through the same township.

Avon, Lyndhurst, South Amboy and Lakewood have tax-supported public libraries by the vote of the people.

The usual number of talks have been given on library work, books and reading, and story telling, before educational and civic organizations.

NEW BUILDINGS—The Carnegie buildings in East Orange, Bayonne, and Perth Amboy have been remodeled and enlarged through gifts from the Carnegie Corporation. The Johnson Library at Hackensack has been remodeled through the generosity of the Hon. William M. Johnson, who gave the original building. Englewood, Edgewater and Dover have received money for new library buildings from the Carnegie Corporation. The Englewood and Edgewater buildings have been completed and the land has been purchased for the building at Dover. Mrs. Gertrude Shultz has given money for a library building in Cranbury which is to be a memorial to the Shultz family. The Asbury Park library, formerly crowded into two small rooms, now occupies the entire library building. The auditorium, which formerly occupied almost the entire main floor, has been remodeled and furnished and is now a model circulation and reference room.

There are now 28 Carnegie buildings in New Jersey representing \$960,435.03 in gifts from the Carnegie Corporation. These benefactions have given to 23 communities the opportunity to administer public libraries under the most favorable conditions. A suitable building gives proper recognition and dignity to library work and increases its opportunities for public service. Many communities are willing to support their public libraries by public tax but would be unwilling or unable to assume the added burden of erecting a building. The Carnegie Corporation, then, has contributed materially to library development in New Jersey.

The Carnegie library buildings in New Jersey and their costs are: Atlantic City, \$71,075.50; Freehold, \$11,000.00; Montclair, \$40,-

000.00; Upper Montclair, \$20,000.00; New Brunswick, \$52,500.00; Perth Amboy, \$20,450.00; Vineland, \$12,000.00; West Hoboken, \$25,000.00; Union, \$25,000.00; East Orange (Main Library and two Branches), \$116,000.00; Bayonne, \$80,000.00; Camden (Central Building and two Branches), \$120,000.00; Westfield, \$15,000.00; Kearny, \$27,600.00; Cranford, \$10,000; Summit, \$21,000.00; Elizabeth (Main Building and Branch), \$130,809.53; Belleville, \$20,000.00; Plainfield, \$50,000.00; Nutley, \$20,000.00; Englewood, \$25,000.00; Belmar, \$13,000.00; Edgewater, \$15,000.00.

SUMMER SCHOOL—The seventh session of the Summer School was held in the Asbury Park Public Library, the Mayor extending to the Commission the same courtesies it had received for so many years from the board of library trustees. The usual course in elementary library science was given with special lectures by Miss Theresa Hitchler, of Brooklyn; Miss Corinne Bacon, of White Plains; Miss Rose Murray, of New York; Miss Mary E. Hall, of Brooklyn; Miss Elizabeth White, of Passaic; Miss Ida Mendenhall, of Utica; Frank Weitenkampf, of New York, and Miss Anna C. Tyler, of New York.

Twenty-four were enrolled for the entire course and two former students for a part of the course. Besides the students and lecturers, seventy people, including librarians, library trustees, school trustees, teachers, and city and county superintendents, attended one or more lectures and examined the exhibits, making a total of 104 persons interested in libraries who visited the school during the five weeks it was in session.

Because this is the first year of the Commission's supervision of school libraries, the week of special lectures was devoted to those topics a discussion of which it was believed would increase the efficiency of school library administration and encourage the better co-operation of public and school libraries. For this occasion the New Jersey School Librarians' Association and the Commission co-operated in assembling a school libraries exhibit. It shows by means of charts, equipment, pictures, industrial exhibits, books and pamphlets what is being done in this and other States to co-ordinate the work of schools and libraries, the library instruction given to

school children, the best administrative methods for high school libraries, and the means of procuring for teachers and pupils desirable books, pictures, industrial exhibits, pamphlet aids, etc., at the least cost.

This exhibit will be kept up to date and will be loaned as a whole or in parts to any educational organization desiring it. Already it has been shown at the Ohio State Teachers' Association, the New York State Teachers' Association, the Massachusetts Association of English Teachers, Simmons College Library School, the New Jersey State Teachers' Association, and is promised to several New Jersey Cities.

The twenty-four students at the school came from Newark, Bogota, Perth Amboy, Asbury Park, Bradley Beach, South Amboy, Newton, Trenton, Swedesboro, Point Pleasant, Keyport, Bayonne, Westfield, Leonia, Rahway, Dover, Belleville and Madison.

ROUND TABLES—Round tables have been held during the past year in Madison, Camden, Mahwah, Elizabeth and Montclair, with a total attendance of 157. Miss Louise Connolly, of Newark; Miss Theresa Hitchler, of Brooklyn; Miss Agnes Van Valkenburgh, of New York; and Mr. Franklin K. Mathews, of New York, each led the discussion at one of these round tables. The increased attendance each year shows the growing interest. Many librarians and trustees attend round tables who do not, and would not in all probability, come to larger meetings at greater distances. The discussion is informal and any topic may be brought up by anyone. They give, too, to librarians an opportunity to become better acquainted with the work and equipment of neighboring libraries.

BOOKS IN FOREIGN LANGUAGES—The collection of books in foreign languages has been increased and the limited loans made of these books have been greatly appreciated. A collection of reliable lists of books in many languages has been made and is in demand by libraries buying such books.

INSTITUTIONAL LIBRARIES—Traveling libraries are still being sent to the Rahway Reformatory, Women's Reformatory, State Home

for Girls, School Department of the State Prison, and the county jails. The New Jersey Home for Disabled Soldiers, Sailors, Marines and their Wives, at Vineland, has been added this year to the list of State institutions getting books from the Commission. These books form a separate collection from the regular traveling library collection and are interchanged with great care. Several boxes of discarded books have been sent upon request to the State convict labor camps.

THE BULLETIN—The quarterly publication of the Bulletin has been continued and the mailing list has grown to 658. Many special requests for the Bulletin are received from many parts of the country after each issue. Back numbers are in constant use as the special articles or the Question Box answer questions that are received by mail.

SCHOOL LIBRARIES—The Commission has had the supervision of school libraries one year. School officials and librarians have made it a year of encouragement for the Commission and have strengthened the belief that much good will result from a continuance of the policy with which this work was undertaken.

A pamphlet entitled "School Libraries," setting forth the school library law, rules and regulations to be observed in applying for State school library funds, and suggestions for the administration of school libraries as approved by a committee of the Commission appointed for that purpose, was mailed to every school and library in the State. The strict supervision of purchase lists has been so well received that school officials are beginning to submit for approval lists of gifts and lists of books already contained in their school libraries, so that they may discard those given or bought in years past that are not up to standard.

An increasing number of public libraries are giving in the library oral instruction in the use of books and libraries to classes brought from the public schools. Parts of the school libraries exhibit prepared for the Summer School have been duplicated, so that collections of the best books for children, in good editions, the best illustrated books for children, decorative and informing lithographs and

prints, pamphlets, and free material of use to teachers may be sent to groups of parents and teachers to illustrate talks about books and reading, and the work of school libraries.

Many graded and subject lists of books have been sent upon request to teachers and parents. No effort has been made to count these lists but several hundred would be a conservative estimate. These lists have been tested in many libraries and have been carefully examined by the Commission. The Chief Scout Librarian has furnished gratis the Boy Scout lists, and they have been extensively used. The Commission has used all these lists in compiling a New Jersey list which is now in the hands of the printer.

A New Jersey School Librarians' Association was formed last March upon the initiative of Miss Elizabeth White, librarian of the Passaic Public Library. The meetings are held every third month on Saturday, in a high school library, and very practical matters are discussed. Undoubtedly this organization will do much to raise the standards of high school library work in New Jersey and will in time extend its influence to grade work.

READING COURSES—Ten reading courses have been planned by the "Home Education Department of the United States Bureau of Education." The book lists outlining these courses contain, under different headings, the greatest and best books for boys and girls and adults. To the person reading all the books in any one course during a given time a certificate from the Bureau of Education will be given. The co-operation of the various library agencies in the country has been asked to help in bringing these lists to the attention of all people, and especially to those who live in rural districts.

A large number of these lists have been secured and are being widely distributed and advertised through the Parents' and Teachers' Associations, Women's Clubs, Home and School Associations, Granges, Farmers' Institutes, etc. The Commission has offered to supply the books to those living in communities without library facilities who desire to take the courses. To be in a position to supply this demand the books listed have been largely duplicated in the book collection.

The appended table as compared with the table published in the 1913 Commission report shows a healthy growth in New Jersey libraries. Seventeen libraries have been added to the list since 1913. Steady increase is shown in books circulated, buildings owned, branch libraries established, school library co-operation, subscription libraries made free, and in re-organization.

Two hundred and thirty-four New Jersey libraries have circulated, according to obtained reports, more than 8,000,000 books at a cost of about four cents per book. These statistics represent but a part of the work being done. The direction of reading rooms, the results of club work, reference work, etc., cannot be reduced to statistics but are an absorbing and important part of a librarian's duties.

Respectfully submitted,

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NEW JERSEY LIBRARIES, 1915.

| TOWN. | NAME OF LIBRARY. | NAME OF LIBRARIAN. | Established. | Tax Supported. | Free or Subscription. | Number of books Owned by Library. | Circulation. | Open on Sunday? | Received from City. | Received from Other Sources. | Paid Last Year for Books. | Does Library Own Building? | Branches? | Delivery Stations? |
|--------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------------|--------------|-----------------|---------------------|------------------------------|---------------------------|----------------------------|-----------|--------------------|
| Allendale | Public Library | Mrs. W. E. Carver | 1900 | No | Sub. | 1,092 | 3,066 | No | Nothing | \$215 00 | \$89 00 | No | No | No |
| Allentown | Public Library Association | Mrs. E. P. Ford | 1871 | No | Sub. | 1,275 | 1,700 | No | Nothing | | | No | No | No |
| Alliance* | Israelite Library | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Andover | Public Library | Eleanor V. Bosch | 1915 | No | Free | 700 | 2,500 | No | Nothing | 42 05 | | No | No | No |
| Asbury Park | Public Library | Josephine W. Porter | 1878 | Yes | Free | 14,000 | 50,560 | No | \$4,200 00 | 550 00 | 614 00 | Yes | 1 | No |
| Ash Brook | Public Library | Mrs. Sophia Huff | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Atlantic City† | Free Public Library | Alvaretta P. Abbott | 1902 | Yes | Free | 30,318 | 159,623 | No | 15,000 00 | 296 70 | 2,557 81 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Audubon | Public Library | Miss A. Garman | | | | 563 | | | | | | | | |
| Avon | Public Library | Frances W. Winans | 1913 | Yes† | Free | 1,500 | 2,930 | No | 50 00 | 313 95 | 26 64 | No | No | No |
| Bargaintown† | Public Library | Roland Haggerty | 1916 | No | Free | 800 | | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Barnegat | School Library | Teachers | | | Free | 200 | | | | 40 00 | 40 00 | | | |
| Barrington† | Public Library | J. Howard Johnson | 1916 | | Free | | | | | | | | | |
| Basking Ridge | Public Library | Mary Barkalow | 1898 | No | Free | 4,000 | | No | Nothing | | | No | No | No |
| Bayonne | Free Public Library | Mary G. Peters | 1890 | Yes | Free | 39,717 | 282,396 | No | 18,477 60 | 690 82 | 4,121 90 | Carnegie | 4 | 12 |
| Beach Haven | Public Library | Ada Lamson | 1908 | Yes | Free | 2,000 | 4,019 | No | | | | Yes | | |
| Belleville | Public Library | Mrs. E. A. Shattuck | 1902 | Yes | Free | 13,480 | 55,949 | No | 3,939 20 | Nothing | 1,211 74 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Belmar | Free Public Library | Mabelle L. Clarke | 1911 | Yes | Free | 3,507 | 17,333 | No | 1,300 00 | 100 00 | 250 00 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Berlin | Brotherhood Library | Raymond W. Haines | 1905 | No | Free | 650 | | No | Nothing | | | No | No | No |
| Bernardsville† | Bernards Library Association | Edith H. Crowell | 1891 | No | Free | 6,000 | 20,666 | Yes | Nothing | | 100 00 | Yes | No | 2 |
| Beverly | Free Library | Mrs. Herman A. Stees | 1901 | No | Free | 3,000 | 5,200 | No | 100 00 | 80 00 | 30 00 | No | No | No |
| Bloomfield | Jarvie Memorial | Mrs. M. R. Ludey | 1902 | No | Sub. | 18,123 | 44,226 | No | Nothing | 4,331 05 | 1,689 18 | Memorial | No | No |
| Bogota | Public Library | Margaret J. McCoy | 1915 | No | Free | 3,050 | | No | 50 00 | 200 00 | 20 00 | No | No | No |
| Boonton | Holmes Library | Anna E. Thibou | 1898 | No | Sub. | 5,117 | 10,720 | No | Nothing | | | Yes | No | No |
| Bordentown | Public Library | Mrs. G. W. Lieberum | 1909 | No | Sub. | 791 | 3,000 | No | Nothing | | 50 00 | No | No | No |
| Bound Brook | Free Public Library | Edith H. Mather | 1897 | Yes | Free | 5,000 | 11,690 | No | 916 32 | | 120 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Bradley Beach | Public Library | Vivian Sargent | 1913 | No | Free | 2,000 | | No | | 287 00 | 75 00 | No | No | No |
| Branchville | Christian Endeavor Library | Mrs. E. F. Poyner | 1898 | No | Free | 600 | 1,200 | No | Nothing | 35 00 | 15 00 | No | No | No |
| Bridgeton | Bridgeton Library | Emma V. Wallen | 1901 | No | Sub. | 7,000 | 8,000 | No | Nothing | | | Yes | No | No |
| Burlington | Burlington Library | Lydia Weston | 1758 | Yes | Free | 19,000 | 17,000 | No | 1,000 00 | | | Yes | No | No |
| Caldwell | Free Public Library | C. Emily Lewis | 1908 | Yes | Free | 2,600 | 10,700 | No | 500 00 | 45 67 | 200 00 | No | No | No |
| Camden | Free Public Library | William H. Ketter | 1905 | Yes | Free | 54,338 | 209,546 | No | 18,000 00 | 889 51 | 5,541 66 | 3 Carnegie | 2 | No |
| Camden | Pyne Poynt Free Library | Mary Anderson | 1898 | No | Free | 3,106 | 10,074 | No | Nothing | 91 00 | 14 25 | Yes | No | No |
| Camden | Library | L. Mounier | 1902 | No | Free | 1,800 | 744 | No | Nothing | | | No | No | No |
| Carmel* | Carmel Library | Mrs. Lewis Captain | 1909 | No | Free | 738 | 1,560 | | | | 33 19 | No | No | No |
| Cedar Grove | Public Library | Lynda Phillips | 1907 | Yes | Free | 4,327 | 12,310 | No | 588 46 | 192 35 | 117 43 | Town Hall | No | No |
| Chatham | Public Library | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Chester | Free Public Library | Mabel V. Drake | 1911 | No | Free | 1,150 | 1,200 | No | Nothing | 227 20 | 50 27 | No | No | No |
| Cinnaminson | Westfield Public School Library | Sophie Wychulas | 1874 | No | Free | 1,365 | 1,402 | No | | | 37 00 | School | No | No |
| Cliffside | Free Public Library | Nancy F. Bowman | 1912 | No | Free | 2,441 | 6,645 | No | 300 00 | | 124 63 | School | No | No |
| Clinton | Grandin Library | Carrie Todd | 1899 | No | Sub. | 3,100 | 4,500 | No | Nothing | 285 00 | 155 00 | Memorial | No | No |
| Collingswood | Public Library | Katherine A. Brown | 1911 | Yes | Free | 5,000 | 29,714 | No | 1,468 28 | 135 64 | 464 70 | Carnegie | 1 | No |
| Cranbury | Free Public Library | | 1906 | Yes | Free | 1,000 | 5,040 | No | 150 00 | 25 26 | 100 00 | Memorial | No | No |
| Cranford | Free Public Library | May D. Bradley | 1908 | Yes | Free | 7,616 | 32,130 | No | 2,265 32 | 305 38 | 456 42 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Cream Ridge | Circulating Library | Mrs. R. T. Ridgeway | 1871 | | | 2,000 | | | | | | | | |
| Crosswicks | Free Public Library | Maude G. Wood | 1915 | No | Free | 300 | | No | Nothing | | | No | No | 2 |
| Delanco | Library Association | Paul Hawn | 1866 | No | Sub. | 462 | 150 | No | Nothing | | | Yes | No | No |
| Dover | Free Public Library | Martha A. Burnet | 1902 | Yes | Free | 6,500 | 31,595 | No | 2,400 00 | | 500 00 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Dunellen | Free Public Library | Jacinta B. Frescoln | 1911 | Yes | Free | 1,485 | 9,537 | No | 500 00 | 240 00 | 150 00 | No | No | No |
| East Newark | Free Public Library | Thos. J. Carey | 1890 | Yes | Free | 10,057 | 8,480 | No | 1,000 00 | 20 00 | 300 00 | No | No | No |
| East Orange† | Free Public Library | Louise G. Hinsdale | 1900 | Yes | Free | 53,382 | 305,715 | No | 20,500 00 | 1,746 68 | 3,363 70 | 3 Carnegie | 2 | 4 |
| East Rutherford | Free Public Library | Emma B. Ver Nooy | 1901 | Yes | Free | 3,135 | 13,069 | No | 550 00 | Nothing | 100 00 | No | No | No |
| Eatontown | Public Library | Mrs. A. C. Mosby | 1904 | No | Free | | 2,400 | No | Nothing | 75 00 | 10 00 | Post Office | No | No |
| Edgewater† | Free Library | Edna Phillips | 1910 | Yes | Free | 4,000 | 14,528 | Yes | 2,100 00 | | 532 17 | Carnegie | 1 | No |
| Elberon | Elberon Library | Amy R. Burtis | 1900 | No | Sub. | 4,870 | 7,652 | No | Nothing | | | Yes | No | 2 |
| Elizabeth | Free Public Library | Charles A. George | 1909 | Yes | Free | 54,908 | 258,057 | No | 21,577 63 | | 5,458 45 | 2 Carnegie | 4 | No |
| Elmer | Free Public Library | William S. Watson | 1909 | No | Free | 863 | 3,441 | No | Nothing | 80 44 | 15 34 | School | No | 3 |
| Englewood | Free Public Library | Irene A. Hackett | 1892 | Yes | Free | 15,140 | 33,135 | No | 3,700 00 | | 597 81 | Carnegie | No | 1 |
| Englishtown | Sanford Memorial | Katherine A. Hoffman | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fair Haven | Public School Library | Roland Fennimore | 1898 | No | Free | 550 | 1,360 | No | Nothing | 20 00 | 30 00 | School | No | No |
| Fanwood | Free Public Library | George S. Ranier | 1900 | Yes | Free | 1,350 | 1,100 | No | 208 00 | 9 93 | 25 00 | Post Office | No | No |
| Farmingdale | Public Library | Hannah G. Hurtt | 1913 | No | Free | 883 | 4,105 | No | 60 00 | 240 74 | 77 13 | Fire House | No | No |
| Flemington | Public Library | Elizabeth Van Liew | 1899 | Yes | Free | 3,335 | 12,586 | No | 251 23 | 374 68 | 204 63 | Memorial | No | No |
| Florence | R. D. Wood Library | D. E. Maxfield | 1872 | No | Free | | | No | | | | Yes | No | No |
| Fort Hancock | Army Y. M. C. A. | James Taylor | 1905 | No | Free | 608 | 304 | No | Nothing | | 65 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Franklin | Vocational School Library | Students | 1915 | No | Free | 250 | | No | Nothing | | | School | No | No |
| Franklin | Neighborhood House Library | Elsie T. Newpher | 1913 | No | Free | 1,000 | | Yes | Nothing | | | Neigh'd Hse. | No | No |
| Freehold | Freehold Township Public Library | Nell L. Foley | 1903 | Yes | Free | 4,200 | 19,691 | No | 1,389 00 | 40 00 | 241 49 | Carnegie | No | 1 |
| Garton Road* | Garton Road Library | L. Mounier | 1914 | No | Free | 65 | 408 | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Gibbsboro | Gibbsboro Lyceum | Rev. G. Wharton McMullin | 1895 | No | Free | 700 | | No | Nothing | | 5 00 | Memorial | No | No |
| Gladstone | Public Library | J. H. Wood | 1905 | No | Free | 1,200 | 606 | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Glen Ridge | Free Public Library | Margaret D. Brower | 1892 | Yes | Free | 7,985 | 29,722 | No | 2,414 00 | 315 85 | 444 16 | No | No | No |
| Hackensack | Johnson Public Library | Mary Boggan | 1901 | Yes | Free | 18,495 | 71,614 | No | 6,814 83 | 570 43 | 1,551 72 | Memorial | No | No |
| Hackettstown | Free Public Library | Mildred A. Rice | 1913 | No | Free | 1,217 | 8,936 | No | 300 00 | | 73 97 | No | No | No |
| Haddon Heights | Free Library | Fanny W. Belding | 1896 | No | Free | 1,500 | 3,425 | No | | 100 00 | 40 32 | Town Hall | No | No |
| Haddonfield | Free Public Library | Anna L. Cawley | 1893 | Yes | Free | 8,000 | 31,552 | No | 1,288 00 | 445 83 | 432 54 | Yes | No | No |
| Hammonton | Civic Club Library | Volunteers | 1915 | No | Sub. | 300 | | No | Nothing | | 25 00 | No | No | No |
| Harrison | Free Public Library | Emma H. Scott | 1911 | Yes | Free | 7,700 | 46,731 | No | 3,500 00 | | 1,002 84 | No | No | Schools |
| Hasbrouck Heights | Borough League Library | Mrs. G. R. Sherwood | 1905 | No | Sub. | 2,500 | 2,090 | No | Nothing | 55 00 | 1 00 | No | No | No |
| Hasbrouck Heights† | Free Public Library | Judith Simonton | 1915 | No | Free | 600 | | No | | | | School | No | No |
| Haworth | Library Association | Eva Littelle | 1905 | No | Free | 661 | | No | | 50 00 | 80 00 | No | No | No |
| Hawthorne | Public Library | Mabel Vicary | 1915 | No | Free | 1,150 | | No | 150 00 | 375 00 | 115 00 | No | No | No |
| High Bridge | Public Library | Mrs. M. M. Flower | 1914 | No | Free | 815 | 3,050 | No | Nothing | | 85 00 | No | No | No |
| Highland Park | Lafayette School Library | Mrs. T. W. Welsh | 1903 | No | Free | 682 | 1,175 | No | Nothing | | 20 00 | School | No | No |
| Hightstown | Longstreet Library | Marie F. Waite | 1889 | No | Free | 9,600 | | Yes | Nothing | | | Memorial | No | No |
| Hilton | Hilton Library | F. W. Stevens | 1894 | Yes | Free | 2,500 | 1,850 | No | Nothing | 100 00 | 25 00 | School | No | No |
| Hoboken | Free Public Library | Thos. F. Hatfield | 1889 | Yes | Free | 66,440 | 209,112 | Yes | 23,356 39 | 1,411 64 | 4,313 00 | Yes | 1 | No |
| Hopewell | Free Public Library | Eleanor L. Weart | 1914 | | Free | 1,030 | 6,570 | No | Nothing | 182 00 | 129 75 | Fire House | No | No |
| | | Mrs. E. L. West | 1915 | Yes | Free | 3,220 | | No | 4,600 00 | 206 52 | 1,762 70 | No | No | No |

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| Hopewell | Free Public Library | Eleanor L. Weart | 1914 | | Free | 1,030 | 6,570 | No | Nothing | 182 00 | 129 75 | Fire House | No | No |
| Irvington | Free Public Library | May E. Balliet | 1915 | Yes | Free | 3,220 | 3,220 | No | 4,600 00 | 206 52 | 1,762 70 | No | No | No |
| Jersey City | Free Public Library | Edmund W. Miller | 1889 | Yes | Free | 169,951 | 987,386 | Yes | 65,277 62 | 18,749 03 | 13,417 62 | Yes | 5 | 21 |
| Kearny | Free Public Library | M. Belle Kilgour | 1907 | Yes | Free | 11,408 | 66,238 | No | 4,000 00 | 485 39 | 650 37 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Keypoint | Free Public Library | Lilla Day | 1911 | Yes | Free | 2,910 | 13,071 | No | | | 106 86 | Memorial | No | No |
| Lakewood | Public Library | Catherine L. Hinsdale | 1865 | Yes | Free | 6,140 | 5,350 | No | | | 36 56 | Y. M. C. A. | No | No |
| Lambertville | Stryker Free Library | Mrs. C. S. Tomson | 1881 | No | Free | 4,887 | 12,000 | No | 250 00 | 430 00 | 153 83 | No | No | No |
| Laurel Springs | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Leonia | Public Library | | 1915 | No | Free | 1,100 | | No | | 400 00 | 193 00 | No | No | No |
| Little Falls | Free Public Library | Myra La Foy | 1908 | Yes | Free | 2,200 | | No | | | | | | |
| Livingston | Public Library | Mrs. E. R. Vincent | 1914 | No | Free | 1,400 | 6,150 | No | Nothing | 204 00 | 52 14 | School | No | No |
| Long Branch | Reading Room and Library | Mary Clarkson | 1878 | No | Sub. | 6,000 | | No | | 200 00 | 200 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Lumberton | Lumberton Library | | 1905 | No | Free | 1,140 | | No | Nothing | 30 00 | 30 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Lyndhurst | Free Public Library | | | Yes | Free | | | No | | | | | | |
| Madison | Drew Theological Library | Robert E. Harned | 1867 | No | Free | 128,054 | | No | Nothing | | | Memorial | No | No |
| Madison | Public Library | Norma B. Bennett | 1899 | No | Free | 10,780 | 26,877 | No | | | 672 11 | Memorial | No | No |
| Magnolia† | Free Public Library | | 1916 | No | Free | 500 | | No | | | | | | |
| Mahwah | Bugg Memorial Library | Mrs. Leo Bugg | 1913 | No | Free | 2,200 | | No | | | 91 00 | No | No | No |
| Manasquan† | Public Library | Annie B. Applegate | 1915 | No | Free | 1,500 | | No | 200 00 | 675 00 | | No | No | No |
| Mansfield Square | Public Library | Alex. H. Fithian | 1900 | No | Free | 500 | 600 | Yes | | | | No | No | No |
| Maplewood | Public Library | Grace I. Pollard | 1913 | No | Free | 2,571 | 9,825 | No | Nothing | 479 50 | 223 00 | School | No | No |
| Matawan | Free Public Library | Ida E. Slater | 1903 | Yes | Free | 4,000 | 6,786 | No | 256 50 | | 81 48 | No | No | No |
| Mendham | Public Library | Marion L. Burnett | 1912 | No | Free | 3,500 | 5,402 | Yes | | | 25 00 | No | No | 3 |
| Merchantville | Half Hour Reading Club Library | Gertrude R. Helmick | 1896 | No | Sub. | 3,700 | 9,000 | No | Nothing | | 72 00 | Town Hall | No | No |
| Metuchen | Free Public Library | Ruth Thomas | 1885 | No | Free | 3,100 | 3,100 | No | Nothing | | 60 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Millburn | Public School Library | Dorothy Constantine | 1906 | Yes | Free | 6,403 | 12,074 | No | | 40 00 | 121 11 | School | 2 | No |
| Millington† | Public Library | Mrs. E. E. Meeker | 1915 | No | Free | 1,500 | | No | | 150 00 | | No | No | No |
| Millville† | Public Library | Madeline F. Powell | 1864 | No | Free | 4,113 | 22,612 | No | 100 00 | 762 22 | 354 06 | Yes | No | No |
| Minotola | Free Library | Mrs. William Norton | 1908 | No | Free | 2,000 | 3,747 | No | Nothing | | | No | No | 4 |
| Montclair† | Free Public Library | Alta N. Barker | 1894 | Yes | Free | 38,210 | 168,487 | Yes | 1,600 00 | 3,964 68 | 2,265 64 | 2 Carnegie | 2 | No |
| Moorestown | Free Library | Edith Roberts | 1853 | No | Free | 4,000 | 4,270 | No | Nothing | 587 00 | 175 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Moorestown | Public School Library | Ruth R. Herr | | Yes | Free | 2,460 | 3,000 | No | 90 00 | 90 00 | | School | No | No |
| Morristown | Morristown Library | Edna Shelley | 1878 | No | Free | 2,650 | 15,550 | No | Nothing | | | Yes | No | No |
| Mt. Arlington | Public Library | Ray B. Cook | 1912 | No | Free | 1,000 | 400 | No | Nothing | | | Post Office | No | No |
| Mt. Holly | Burlington Lyceum Library | Mrs. Ella Scheetz | 1872 | No | Sub. | 7,903 | 3,500 | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Mt. Royal† | Free Public Library | Mrs. Elizabeth Kircher | 1916 | No | Free | 317 | | No | | | | Fire House | No | No |
| Mountain Lakes† | Free Public Library | Mrs. J. B. Barlow | 1916 | No | Free | 427 | | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Navesink | Navesink Library Association | Adelaide H. Wright | 1914 | No | Sub. | 1,745 | 5,767 | No | Nothing | 1,021 08 | 68 50 | No | No | 1 |
| Netcong | Public Library | Alice N. Cavanaugh | 1912 | No | Free | 300 | 1,000 | No | Nothing | | 10 98 | No | No | No |
| New Brunswick | Free Public Library | Cornelia A. See | 1883 | Yes | Free | 34,500 | 80,961 | Yes | 6,000 00 | | | Carnegie | No | No |
| New Vernon | Public Library | Alfred E. Thistleton | 1914 | No | Free | 150 | 690 | No | | 540 00 | 700 00 | | No | No |
| Newark† | Free Public Library | John Cotton Dana | 1888 | Yes | Free | 215,321 | 1,122,229 | Yes | 122,220 60 | 17,067 57 | 19,947 41 | Yes | 7 | No |
| Newark | New Jersey Historical Society Library | Rev. J. F. Folsom | 1845 | No | Free | 30,000 | | No | | | | Yes | No | No |
| Newark | Public Service Corporation Library | William H. Davis | 1911 | No | Free | 5,000 | 12,297 | No | Nothing | | | Yes | No | No |
| Newton | Dennis Library | Mary E. Cook | 1871 | No | Sub. | 8,500 | 13,063 | No | 200 00 | | 400 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Northfield§ | Free Library | Lillias M. Collins | 1912 | No | Free | 654 | 900 | No | Nothing | | | Club House | No | No |
| Nutley | Free Public Library | Irene C. Phillips | 1914 | Yes | Free | 4,815 | 34,693 | No | 2,900 00 | 50 00 | 570 13 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Oakland | Free Library | Louise Van Wagoner | 1913 | No | Sub. | 1,600 | 2,822 | No | Nothing | 45 00 | 79 20 | No | No | No |
| Ocean City | Free Public Library | Maude M. Foulds | 1914 | Yes | Free | 1,950 | 14,886 | No | 606 00 | 35 00 | | No | No | No |
| Ogdensburg | Public School Library | William N. Harris | 1895 | Yes | Free | 1,000 | 1,000 | Yes | | | | School | No | No |
| Oradell | Delford Free Library Association | Marie A. Skinner | 1913 | No | Free | 1,740 | 8,254 | No | 100 00 | 467 15 | 223 52 | No | No | No |
| Orange | Free Library | Elizabeth H. Wesson | 1883 | No | Free | 40,779 | 89,055 | Yes | Nothing | 9,357 69 | 1,568 57 | Memorial | 3 | No |
| Park Ridge | Public Library | Mrs. C. W. Lawes | 1911 | No | Sub. | 1,800 | 1,000 | No | Nothing | 100 00 | 25 00 | No | No | No |
| Passaic | Public Library | Elizabeth White | 1888 | Yes | Free | 37,841 | 294,065 | Yes | 15,600 00 | 1,531 68 | 2,535 39 | Memorial | 4 | 6 |
| Paterson | Free Public Library | George F. Winchester | 1885 | Yes | Free | 60,799 | 269,584 | Yes | 32,000 00 | 1,981 92 | 5,285 50 | Memorial | 3 | 2 |
| Paulsboro | Free Library | Irma C. Lodge | 1903 | Yes | Free | 3,284 | 9,347 | No | 400 00 | | 152 06 | No | No | No |
| Pennington | Circulating Library | Mrs. L. H. Fish | 1874 | No | Sub. | 2,500 | 1,500 | No | Nothing | 92 72 | 31 90 | No | No | No |
| Perth Amboy† | Free Public Library | Anna O. Shivers | 1896 | Yes | Free | 11,398 | 82,037 | Yes | 6,500 00 | 389 99 | 1,345 30 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Plainfield | Public Library | Florence M. Bowman | 1881 | Yes | Free | 53,528 | 99,607 | Yes | 11,103 89 | 269 28 | 2,653 96 | Carnegie | No | 4 |
| Pleasantville† | Public Library | Mrs. R. M. Fish | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Point Pleasant | Free Library | Mrs. L. H. McCloskey | 1894 | No | Free | 3,096 | 5,071 | No | 100 00 | 112 50 | 77 35 | Yes | No | No |
| Pompton Lakes† | Einstein Memorial Library | Thos. Wood | 1911 | No | Free | 2,372 | 3,005 | Yes | | | | Memorial | No | No |
| Pompton Plains | Free Library | Mrs. J. N. Lanthier | 1914 | No | Free | 1,500 | 3,900 | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Port Norris | Circulating Library | H. C. Barraclough | 1908 | No | No | 300 | | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Princeton | Free Public | Agnes Miller | 1910 | Yes | Sub. | 6,500 | 27,508 | No | 1,600 00 | 250 00 | 300 00 | No | 1 | No |
| Princeton | University Library | Ernest C. Richardson | 1746 | No | Free | 353,844 | 71,984 | Yes | Nothing | 62,504 07 | 21,923 74 | Memorial | No | No |
| Rahway | Library Association | Adele W. Lupton | 1864 | No | Sub. | 18,000 | | No | Nothing | | | Yes | No | No |
| Ramsey | Public Library | Mrs. A. D. Naughtright | 1914 | No | Free | 874 | 10,000 | No | Nothing | 601 73 | 286 26 | No | No | No |
| Red Bank | Circulating Library | Elizabeth Cooper | 1880 | No | Sub. | 6,456 | 20,218 | No | Nothing | 485 00 | 600 00 | No | No | No |
| Ridgefield Park | Free Library | Emily M. Dickmann | 1895 | No | Free | 2,000 | 1,500 | No | 100 00 | | 12 00 | Town Hall | No | No |
| Ridgewood | Public Library | Mrs. Sarah Burdette | 1901 | No | Sub. | 3,200 | 20,000 | No | 300 00 | 150 00 | 340 00 | No | No | No |
| Riverton | Free Library | Elizabeth B. Campbell | 1890 | No | Free | 5,300 | 20,881 | No | 100 00 | 1,068 00 | 306 98 | Memorial | No | No |
| Rockaway | Free Public Library | Etta Davey | 1915 | Yes | Free | 2,585 | | No | 300 00 | 519 27 | 244 44 | Town Hall | No | No |
| Rocky Hill | Rocky Hill Library | | 1900 | No | Free | 800 | | | | | | No | No | No |
| Roseland | Public Library | | | No | Free | | | | | | | | | |
| Roselle | Public Library | Mrs. M. C. Thung | 1914 | No | Free | 3,700 | 19,235 | No | | | 147 05 | No | No | No |
| Rosenhayn | Rosenhayn Library | L. Mounier | 1902 | No | Free | 1,800 | 1,097 | No | | | | No | No | No |
| Rutherford† | Free Public Library | Dorothy Burrows | 1894 | Yes | Free | 7,721 | 41,840 | No | 2,751 44 | 909 29 | 710 37 | Yes | No | No |
| Salem | Salem Library | Mrs. H. B. M. Kelty | 1804 | No | Sub. | 13,319 | 2,512 | No | | | 136 50 | Memorial | No | No |
| Scotch Plains | Public Library | Mrs. Samuel Hollingsworth | 1889 | No | Free | 2,000 | 2,313 | No | 306 00 | 57 32 | 46 00 | No | No | No |
| Sea Isle City† | Free Public Library | Mrs. Margaret Needham | 1916 | No | Free | 450 | | No | | | | Town Hall | No | No |
| Sewaren | Free Public Library | Mrs. Blanche Balfour | 1913 | No | Free | 2,500 | 4,577 | No | Nothing | 149 00 | 50 00 | No | No | No |
| Somerville | Free Public Library | Elizabeth Carter | 1870 | Yes | Free | 6,600 | 27,981 | No | 1,200 | 300 00 | 280 84 | Yes | No | No |
| South Amboy | Free Public Library | Helen V. Perrine | 1913 | Yes | Free | 2,410 | 13,873 | No | | 237 65 | 140 34 | No | No | No |
| South Orange | Free Public Library | Julia Schneider | 1886 | No | Free | 9,868 | 36,073 | Yes | 300 00 | 2,241 78 | 410 53 | Yes | No | No |
| Sparta | Public Library Association | Mrs. W. L. Schuman | 1897 | No | Sub. | 1,500 | 300 | No | Nothing | 70 00 | 10 00 | No | No | No |
| Succasunna | Public School Library | Robert V. Spencer | | No | Free | 1,800 | 2,000 | No | 40 00 | 40 00 | 83 00 | School | No | 3 |
| Summit | Free Public Library | Emilie Hill | 1874 | Yes | Free | 12,261 | 34,554 | No | 4,444 98 | 673 27 | 544 35 | Carnegie | No | 1 |
| Tabor | Free Library | Charlotte Johns | 1889 | No | Free | 4,000 | 6,000 | No | Nothing | 400 00 | 125 00 | No | No | No |
| Tenafly | Free Library | Mrs. H. F. Yorke | 1910 | No | Free | 2,401 | 9,984 | No | 250 00 | | | Yes | No | No |
| Thorofare | Free Circulating Library | Laura Rambo | | | Free | | 987 | Yes | | | | No | No | No |
| Toms River | Public Library | Ellie Zydias | 1913 | No | Free | 1,400 | 5,400 | No | 200 00 | 330 00 | 51 50 | No | No | 3 |
| Town of Union† | Free Public Library | Mrs. H. M. Roche | 1891 | Yes | Free | 14,728 | 50,168 | No | 3,500 00 | | | Carnegie | No | No |
| Trenton | Public Library | Howard L. Hughes | 1900 | Yes | Free | 63,897 | 265,486 | No | 23,460 00 | 3,196 86 | 7,994 32 | Yes | 2 | |
| Trenton | State Library | John P. Dullard | 1796 | Yes | Free | 100,000 | | No | 11,600 00 | | 3,500 00 | No | No | No |

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| Thorofare | Free Circulating Library | Laura Rambo | | | Free | 987 | Yes | | | | No | No | No |
| Toms River | Public Library | Ellie Zydiac | 1913 | No | Free | 1,400 | No | 5,400 | 200 00 | 330 00 | No | No | 3 |
| Town of Union† | Free Public Library | Mrs. H. M. Roche | 1891 | Yes | Free | 14,728 | No | 50,168 | 3,500 00 | | Carnegie | No | No |
| Trenton | Public Library | Howard L. Hughes | 1900 | Yes | Free | 63,897 | No | 265,486 | 23,460 00 | 3,196 86 | Yes | 2 | |
| Trenton | State Library | John P. Dullard | 1796 | Yes | Free | 100,000 | No | | 11,600 00 | | No | No | No |
| Tuckahoe† | Free Public Library | Stanley Gandy | 1916 | No | Free | 382 | No | | | | No | No | 6 |
| Tuckerton | Public Library | Miss E. B. Price | | No | Sub. | | No | | | | Yes | No | No |
| Verona | Free Public Library | Eva S. Rich | 1900 | Yes | Free | 2,967 | No | 8,648 | 800 00 | 19 61 | School | No | No |
| Vineland | Free Public Library | Minnie G. Clark | 1901 | Yes | Free | 7,300 | No | 47,135 | 2,000 00 | 60 00 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Waretown | Public Library | John D. Van Horn | | | Free | | | | | | | | |
| Washington | Public Library | Mrs. L. D. Beavers | 1913 | No | Free | 1,375 | No | 16,015 | Nothing | 556 99 | No | No | No |
| Watsessing | Watsessing Library | Martha M. Ellor | 1911 | No | Free | 150 | No | 2,463 | Nothing | | No | No | No |
| Weehawken | Public Library | | 1911 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Wenonah | Free Public Library | Mortie L. Stokes | 1900 | Yes | Free | 2,525 | No | 7,255 | 514 25 | 568 00 | Yes | No | No |
| West Caldwell† | Potwin Memorial Library | | 1915 | No | Free | | No | | | | Memorial | No | No |
| West Hoboken | Free Public Library | Paul M. Konert | 1898 | Yes | Free | 12,357 | No | 92,788 | 7,000 00 | 319 10 | Carnegie | 2 | No |
| West Orange† | Tory Corner Library | Grace Smith | 1915 | No | Free | 600 | No | | Nothing | | No | No | No |
| Westfield | Free Public Library | Bessie B. Smith | 1905 | Yes | Free | 10,000 | No | 32,967 | 3,150 00 | 161 72 | Carnegie | No | No |
| Westville† | Free Public Library | Edith L. Shreve | 1916 | No | Free | | No | | Nothing | | School | No | No |
| Wharton† | Free Public Library | Anna E. Carpenter | 1891 | Yes | Free | 2,425 | No | 6,895 | 327 00 | | Town Hall | No | No |
| Williamstown | Free Public Library | Ira Stiles | 1876 | No | Free | 800 | No | 1,200 | Nothing | 50 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Woodbridge | Barron Library | Gertrude N. F. Stewart | 1879 | No | Sub. | 5,500 | No | | Nothing | | Memorial | No | No |
| Woodbury | Deptford Institute Library | Mrs. E. R. Johnson | 1894 | No | Free | 9,422 | No | 30,687 | 150 00 | 300 00 | Yes | No | No |
| Woodbury Heights | Free Library | Irene Tage | 1913 | No | Free | 84 | No | 1,263 | | 29 35 | No | No | No |
| Woodstown | Pilesgrove Library Association | Francis D. Fogg | 1858 | No | Free | 3,369 | No | 5,523 | 150 00 | | No | No | No |

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