

WORK PROJECTS ADMINISTRATION

With the closing of the WPA Library Projects in North Carolina on March 1, 1943, the books purchased by the WPA for demonstration and bookmobile operations are being lent to the North Carolina Library Commission and the defense counties where they are now in use.

The ten bookmobiles, which have been operating in the defense counties, are also being lent to the North Carolina Library Commission for county use until the federal government requests them. The counties assume the responsibility for maintenance, repairs, insurance and operating expenses.

The loan of books and the use of the bookmobiles for an indefinite period are gratefully received and will aid in the continuance of county library service. Copies of the Work Book for library clerks are free to any library making a request and sending 4c for postage. Most librarians are familiar with the contents and know that much of the information in the booklet is a simple and direct method for training library workers.

The counties and localities must now assume the responsibility for the service which the federal government has provided over a period of years. This brings home an appreciation of the WPA Library Project.
