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CHAPTER-I.

GENERAL, LIBRARY COMMITTEES, ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS AND THEIR COMPOSITION.

1.1. GENERAL :

1.11. This is the twenty-third annual report of the Department of Public Libraries since it was constituted in January, 1961. The portfolio of Public Libraries was held by Sri P. Ananda Gajapathi Raju, Hon'ble Minister for Education and Public Libraries. The post of the Director of Public Libraries was held by Sri G. Manohara Rao, Additional Director of School Education (in full additional charge) from 1-3-1983 to 7-9-1983 and Sri M.V. Venkata Reddy from 8-9-1983. The names of the officers who held the other Gazetted posts in the Department are furnished in Annexure. I-A.

1.2. LIBRARY COMMITTEES :

1.21. *State Library Committee :*

1.211. There is a State Library Committee which is headed by the Hon'ble Minister (Libraries). The Committee advises the Government on all matters arising under the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Act, 1960. The Committee consists of Officials belonging to the Education, the Municipal Administration and the Public Libraries Departments of the State, Legislators, library experts and representatives of the Andhra Pradesh Library Association (Headquarters : Vijayawada), Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas and Universities, elected or nominated by the Government and other organisations, as provided under Section 3 of the Act. The Director of Public Libraries is the Member-Secretary of the Committee. The names of members of the State Library Committee as on 31-3-1984 are furnished in Annexure. I-B.

1.212. The 21st meeting of the State Library Committee was held on 28-12-1983. Among others, the Committee reiterated the need (a) to lift the ban on employment of full time staff in the Libraries of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas, so as to open new libraries and (b) to approach the Government of India to declare the State Central Library, Hyderabad as one of the National Libraries. These matters were under consideration of the Government.

1.22. *Book Selection Committees :*

1.221. There is a Book Selection Committee at the State level headed by the Minister (Libraries) which prepares the lists of books out of which selection is made by the Book Selection Committees of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas. It also has sub-committees in which language and subject experts are co-opted. There are separate Book Selection Committees for the State Central Library and each of the six Regional Libraries in the State.

1.222. The Book Selection Committee met on 28-12-1983 and approved the lists of books in Telugu, English, Hindi, Urdu, Tamil, Marathi, Kannada and Sanskrit to be purchased by the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas as per Section 13 (1)(b) of the Act. It also approved the lists of books to be purchased under the scheme of the Raja Ramohun Roy Library Foundation.

1.23. Advisory Committees for Government Libraries :

1.231. There is an Advisory Committee for the State Central Library, Hyderabad headed by the Minister (Libraries). It is a non-statutory body which advises the Government on matters relating to development of this apex library. There is an Advisory Committee for the State Regional Library, Guntur too and the District Revenue Officer, Guntur is its ex-officio Chairman.

1.24. Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Act Review Committee and Committee on Aided Libraries:

1.241. A draft Bill has been prepared for amending the Act based on the recommendations of the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Act Review Committee and it is under consideration of the Government. A draft Grant-in-aid Code has been prepared, based on the recommendations of the Committee on Aided Libraries, and submitted to the Government. It is also under their consideration.

1.25. Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas :

1.251. The Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas constituted under section 10 of the Act, one for the Cities of Hyderabad and Secunderabad and one for each of the other 22 Revenue Districts continued to be incharge of organisation and administration of public libraries in the areas of their jurisdiction.

1.252. The names of Chairmen and Secretaries of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas as on 31-3-1984, are furnished in Annexure. I-C.

1.253. The Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas consist of members, belonging to local bodies (Gram Panchayats and Municipalities), aided libraries run by voluntary organisations (other than Gram Panchayats and Co-operative Societies), the City and District branches of the Andhra Pradesh Library Association and persons who have rendered eminent service in the field of education or public libraries and also persons in educational, medical and legal professions, elected or nominated (by the Government) as provided under Section 10 of the Act. Each Samstha is headed by a Chairman elected from among its non-official members. The term of the non-official members is five years from the date of election or nomination, as the case may be. The Librarian, District (City) Central Library is the ex-officio Member-Secretary of the Samstha and in that capacity he continued to be in-charge of public libraries at the district level. The powers and functions of the Samsthas are defined under the Act and the Rules made thereunder. Their affairs are controlled, by the Government, through the Director of Public Libraries.

1.254. Unlike the other local authorities, the term of the Samsthas is not co-terminus. The vacancies of the members or the Chairmen are filled up as and when they occur.

1.255. The vacancies of Chairmen, Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas, Chittoor, Guntur, Mahboobnagar and Warangal, mentioned in the earlier report were filled up during this year, but the vacancy of the Chairman, Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Khammam remained unfilled due to the ruling of the High Court in a Writ Petition that the vacancy of the Chairman should not be filled up until all vacancies of members are filled up. (There are four vacancies of members under Section 10 (2) (b) of the Act which could not be filled up as the number of aided libraries is less than 3 in the Revenue Divisions of Bhadrachalam and Kothagudem).

1.256. At the end of the year, there were 137 vacancies of members (170 as on 31-3-1983) under different clauses of sub-sections (1) and (2) of Section 10 of the Act, as detailed in Annexure I-D. The Government were approached for nominating members under clause (a) and their orders were awaited. 66 vacancies, under clause (b), remained unfilled as the number of eligible aided libraries was less than 3 in about 33 Revenue Divisions. The district branches of the Andhra Pradesh Library Association are yet to be formed in Adilabad, Vizianagaram and Warangal due to which vacancies under clause (e) remained unfilled in these districts.

CHAPTER—2.

LIBRARY STRUCTURE AND ORGANISATION AND ADMINISTRATIVE MACHINERY AT DIFFERENT LEVELS.

2.1 *Library Structure in India:*

2.11. There is no common administrative pattern for planning and management of public library services in various States and Union Territories. In most of the States it is with education department in other States it is a part of cultural departments, whereas in a few States it is with general administration. It is considered as a neglected area both in terms of planning as well as administration.

2.12 The Advisory Committee appointed by the Government of India in 1957 had recommended a twenty-five year development plan. The Committee had recommended the National Library, the State Central Library, the District Central Library, the Block Library and the Panchayat Library to be the chain in the descending order. This pattern existed in very few States in 1957 such as Tamil Nadu and Andhra Pradesh where Library Acts were in force. So far, three other States have passed Library Acts, viz., Karnataka in 1965, Maharashtra in 1967 and West Bengal in 1979. A National Library has been established at Calcutta. Now all the States and Union Territories except Sikkim have set up State Central Libraries. There are also Regional Libraries or Divisional Libraries in some of the States. 291 districts out of 401 (as in 1981) have District Central Libraries. Some of the State Central Libraries and Regional Libraries also function as District Libraries for the respective districts in which they are located.

2.13 The organisational pattern of the libraries below the district level is not uniform in the country. The District Central Libraries have branches in towns and villages. Generally speaking, in the South they area called Branch Libraries, in the West, Taluka Libraries, in the North, Tehsil Libraries and in the East, Sub-Divisional Libraries. Further below, there are Block, Municipal, Town and Rural Libraries. Most of these libraries are private libraries run by voluntary Organisations, registered or unregistered. Library service is also provided by the Nehru Yuvak Kendras (established by the Central Department of Education under its Youth Services Programme in various District Headquarters of the country for the welfare of non-student youths between 15 and 35 years of age), Jawahar Bal Bhavans (sponsored by the Bal Bhavan Society of India) and Aurobindo Bal Kendras (set up in big cities for the education of slum-dwelling children by the Central Department of Social Welfare).

2.14 The Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation has covered 17084 libraries at various levels and rendered assistance to them over the

last eleven years (which includes 1515 libraries in Andhra Pradesh) as detailed below :-

State Libraries (one in Andhra Pradesh)	.. ..	27
District Libraries (23 District Central Libraries & 4 Regional Libraries in A.P.)	.. ..	386
Sub-Divisional /Taluka/Tehsil Libraries	.. ..	484
Town & Rural Libraries (852 Branch Libraries and Village Libraries in A.P.)	.. ..	14856
Nehru Yuvak Kendras (14 in A.P.)	.. ..	163
Bal Bhavans / Bal Kendras/ (1 Jawahar Bal Bhavan in A.P.)	.. ..	48
Mobile Libraries, Rural Book Deposit Centres (620 in Andhra Pradesh)	.. ..	1004
O T H E R S	.. ..	116
		17,084
	Total :	17,084

2.2 LIBRARY STRUCTURE IN ANDHRA PRADESH :

2.21 The pyramidal structure of public libraries in Andhra Pradesh is more or less the same as that recommended by the Advisory Committee appointed by the Government of India with the State Central Library in the metropolis at the apex and the Book Deposit Centres and the Aided Libraries at the bottom and the Regional Libraries, District Central Libraries, Branch Libraries and Village Libraries in the same order between them.

2.3 ADMINISTRATIVE MACHINERY AT DIFFERENT LEVELS :

2.31 Secretariat Level :

2.311. Libraries is one of the composite subjects dealt with by the Education Secretariat. One of the Sections looks after the work of Public Libraries under the supervision of an Assistant Secretary, a Deputy Secretary and the Secretary (Education). There is a separate portfolio of Public Libraries carved out on 1-11-1971 which is unique in India.

2.32 Directorate Level :

2.321. There is a separate Department of Public Libraries which was created on 1-1-1961 under Section 8 of the Act. There is a separate Director (since 1967) who is a full time officer equal in rank with the Director of School Education. He controls the affairs of all the Public Libraries and the Zilla Grandhalaya Samasthas in the State in accordance with the provisions of the Act and the Rules made under it. There are three Gazetted Assistants, viz., Assistant Director (Administration), Assistant Director (Technical), and Assistant Director (Audit). There are

six sections and 32 staff members in Ministerial cadre including three Auditors (in Superintendent Cadre), one Librarian and one Classifier (in Grade-II Librarians category). The number of employees in lower categories (Record Assistants, Attenders and a Driver) is 14.

2.322 The Director also supervises the State Central Library, Hyderabad. The Librarian, State Central Library, Hyderabad is a Gazetted Officer in the grade of the Assistant Director. The Staff of this library consists of sixteen professionals (B.L.Sc., or D.L.Sc. holders) twenty-three semi-professionals (C.L.Sc. holders) and eighty-eight other staff members in Ministerial and other lower categories (Book Bearers, Book Cleaners, Binders, Attenders, Sweepers, etc.).

2.33 Regional Level :

2.331 Out of the Six Regional Libraries, five are manned by Gazetted librarians in the grade of Assistant Director, the Regional library at Nizamabad is headed by a Grade-I Librarian. The total strength of staff in all the six Regional Libraries is 74 - 23 professionals, 10 semi-professionals and 41 others including watchmen, sweepers and a gardener.

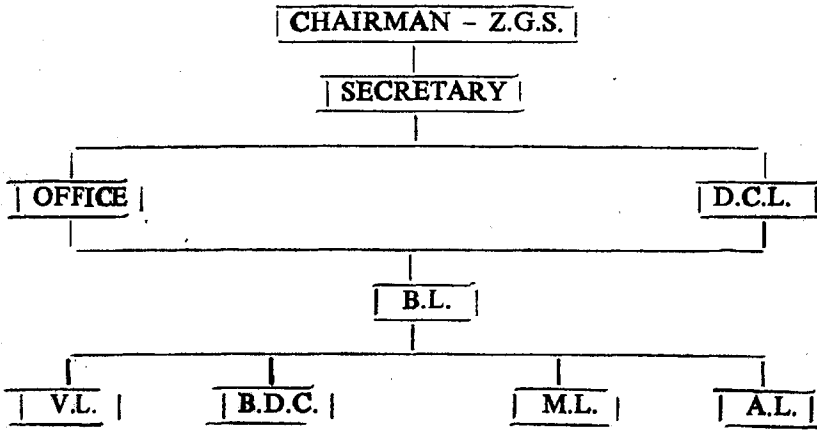
2.34 District Level :

2.341 Besides the Librarian, District Central Library who is the Chief Librarian, the staff of the District Central Library consists of a Deputy Librarian (Grade-I), an Assistant Librarian (Grade-II or Grade-III) and two or three Record Assistants and Attenders.

2.342 Each Zilla Grandhalaya Samastha has an office, located at the district headquarters, which looks after the correspondence and accounts work of the Libraries in the district. The office consists of a Senior Assistant, one or two Junior Assistants and a typist. Two offices, viz., the office of the Hyderabad City Grandhalaya Samastha and the office of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samastha, Guntur are sanctioned the post of a Superintendent each. The Offices of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas at Srikakulam, Prakasam, Medak, Karimnagar, Rangareddy and Mahaboobnagar do not have even the post of a Senior Assistant. There is need to strengthen these offices for the purpose of efficient administration of the Public Libraries at the district level.

2.343 There are 795 branch Libraries in towns and cities out of which only 606 are manned by trained persons (68 degree holders and 538 certificate holders in Library Science) and the remaining 189 are managed by (unqualified) Record Assistants, Attenders and a few by part-time workers. They are assisted by an Attender or a Watchman. The 337 Village Libraries are run by part-time workers and the 582 Book Deposit Centres are in charge of school teachers. Most of the 2331 aided Libraries are managed by part-time workers.

2.344 The following chart indicates the pattern of library administration at the district level and below :-



Abbreviations :-

- Z.G.S. = Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha.
 D.C.L. = District Central Library.
 B.L. = Branch Library.
 V.L. = Village Library.
 B.D.C. = Book Deposit Centre.
 M.L. = Mobile (Rickshaw/Cycle) Library ; and
 A.L. = Aided Library.

CHAPTER—3.

DEVELOPMENT PLANS—TARGETS, ACHIEVEMENTS AND SHORTFALLS—COVERAGE IN URBAN AND RURAL AREAS.

3.1 NUMBER OF LIBRARIES AS ON 31-3-1984.

3.11 The number of public Libraries at the end of 1983-84 was 4078, as shown in the following table :—

Type of Libraries.	No. of Libraries		Increase/ Decrease during 1983-84
	As on 31-3-1983	As on 31-3-1984	
<i>I. Government Libraries.</i>			
State Central Library.	1	1	..
Regional Libraries.	6	6	..
Mobile Library.	1	1	..
Total I	8	8	..
<i>II. Z. G. S. Libraries.</i>			
Dist. Central Libraries.	22	22	..
City Central Library (Hyderabad)	1	1	..
Branch Libraries.	794	796	2 (+)
Mobile Library. (Hyderabad).	1	1	..
Villages Libraries.	320	337	17 (+)
Book Deposit Centres.	591	582	9 (-)
Total II.	1729	1739	10 (+)
<i>III. Aided Libraries.</i>			
<i>Management-wise.</i>			
Gram Panchayats.	1540	1534	6 (-)
Co-operative Societies.	67	67	-
Private Managements.	726	730	4 (+)
TOTAL III.	2333	2331	2 (-)
GRAND TOTAL: (I+II+III) :	4070	4078	8 (+)

3.12 The district-wise figures of various types of libraries may be seen at Annexures II-A, II-B and II-C. The names of places where new libraries (1 Branch Library, 17 Village libraries and 2 Book Deposit Centres were opened during 1983-84 are furnished in Annexure-III. The reduction in the number of Book Deposit Centres is due to their closure or upgrading in some places specified in Annexure II-B. The reduction in the number of Gram Panchayat libraries is due to their closure or taking over by the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha in the districts mentioned in Annexure II-C, as reported by the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas in their annual report for 1983-84. The number of libraries not registered is estimated to be about 6000.

3.2 LIBRARY SERVICE IN URBAN AREAS

3.21 *Development Plan for Municipal Towns/Cities :*

3.211 According to the outline of the development Plan (for urban areas) given in rule 16 of the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Rules, 1961, each municipal town shall have a main library, and if the population of a municipal town is more than 50,000 there shall be, in addition, a branch library for every 25,000 people in excess of 50,000.

3.212 The target fixed in the development plan for opening main libraries is completed. The Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas have opened main libraries in all the 84 municipal towns/cities including the Municipal Corporations of Hyderabad, Vijayawada and Visakhapatnam). The main libraries include the City Central Library, Hyderabad, 21 District Central Libraries (the District Central Library, Vikarabad not included since it is located in a Panchayat town) and 62 Branch Libraries located in municipal towns/cities.

3.213 According to 1971 census, there was a total shortfall of 74 Branch Libraries in urban areas (50 additional Branch Libraries in Municipal towns and cities with a population of 75,000 and above and 24 in other urban areas.) According to provisional figures of 1981 census the total shortfall has increased from 74 to 166 (132 additional Branch Libraries in 30 towns and cities with a population of 75,000 and above and 34 Branch Libraries in other urban areas.) The correct number will, however, be assessed after the Town Directories are published by the Census Department.

3.22 *Coverage of Library Service in Urban Areas till 31-3-1984.*

(1)	1971 census. (2)	1981 census (provisional) figures (3)
<i>Population in Urban Areas.</i>		
Total	8,402,527	12,487,576
Literates	3,957,589	6,492,568
% of literates.	47.1	51.99

(1)	(2)	(3)
<i>Target</i>		
No. of towns/cities.	224	252
<i>Achievements.</i>		
No. of towns with a library of Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha (Dist. Central Library or Branch Library).	200	218
% of towns covered.	89.29	86.5
<i>Shortfall</i>		
No. of towns without a library of Z.G.S.	24	34
Additional Branch Libraries in towns and cities at one for every 25,000 people in excess of 50,000.	50	132
Total Shortfall :	74	166

Population covered by Library Service :—

Total	8,128,844	11,601,463
%	96.74	92.9
Literates	3,852,377	6,210,365
%	97.35	95.9

3.23 Existing Libraries in Urban Areas.

	1971 Census	1981 Census	No. of towns covered
State Central Library.	1	1	
Regional Libraries.	6	6	23
District Central Libraries.	22	22	
City Central Library.	1	1	
Branch Libraries.	271	286	195
Mobile Library (Van)	1	1	..
Mobile Libraries (Rickshaws).	39	42	..
Villages Libraries.	3	5	3
Book Deposit Centres.	28	30	4
Panchayat Libraries.	16	18	3
Co-operative Society Libraries.	4	4	..
Aided Libraries	327	327	2
Total :	719	743	230

3.24 Out of the 743 libraries mentioned above, 422 are providing service in 30 cities and towns (with a population of 75,000 and above) to a total population of 7,092, 928 including 3,986,638 literates. The No. of other towns is 222 out of which library service is provided in 188 towns by 5 District Central Libraries and 183 Branch Libraries to a total population of 3,100,525 including 2,223,727 literates. The coverage of population in urban areas is about 93% as per 1981 census.

3.3. LIBRARY SERVICE IN RURAL AREAS.

3.31 *Development Plan for Rural Areas.*

3.311 According to the outline of the development plan (for rural areas) given in sub-rule (4) of rule 16 of the Andhra Pradesh Public Rules, 1961, there shall be a District Central Library (set up at the district headquarter town), a Branch Library for each Panchayat with a population of 5,000 and above (and also with less population wherever necessary) and one delivery station (i.e., Book Deposit Centre) for each village or group of villages with a population between 1000 and 5000 (and also with less population if possible.)

3.312 District Central Libraries are functioning in all the 23 revenue districts (including Hyderabad Urban District where the City Central Library is functioning).

3.313 Out of the 804 Villages with a population of 5,000 and above, as per 1971 census, Branch Libraries have been opened in 315 leaving as many as 489 villages yet to be covered. According to Provisional figures of 1981 census obtained from the Director of Census operations, Hyderabad, the number of villages with a population of 5,000 and above has increased from 804 in 1971 to 1,222 in 1981 out of which only 346 villages are having Branch Libraries and there is a shortfall of 876 Branch Libraries. Thus about 28.31% villages are covered by Branch Libraries. These are tentative figures subject to correct assessment after the Village Directories are published.

3.314 The following libraries are located in villages with a population of 5,000 and above (1981 census):—

Type of Libraries.	No. of Libraries.	No. of Villages covered.
Branch Libraries.	347	346
Village Libraries.	68	68
Book Deposit Centres.	57	47
Mobile Libraries (Rickshaws).	7	..
Panchayat Libraries.	186	121
Co-operative Society Libraries.	11	2
Aided Libraries.	43	21
Total :	719	605

3.315. The No. of villages with a population between 1000 and 5000 which was 11,244 as per 1971 census has increased to 12,080 as per 1981 census. The following libraries are providing library service in about 2,862 villages (the correct number will be assessed after the Village Directories are printed by the Census Department) :-

Type of Libraries.	No. of Libraries	Approximate No. of villages covered.
Branch Libraries.	163	163
Village Libraries.	264	264
Book Deposit Centres.	495	495
Panchayat Libraries.	1,330	1,220
Co-operative Society Libraries.	52	48
Other Aided Libraries.	360	200
Total :	2,664	2,390

Villages covered by :—

(a) Mobile Library, Eluru.	80
(b) Rickshaw Mobile Libraries.	42
(c) Cycle Peons of Branch Libraries.	350
Total :	2,862

3.32. Coverage of Library Service in Rural Area till 31-3-1984.

	1971 census	1981 census. (provisional figures).
Total No. of Villages.	27,221	29,710
<i>Population in rural Areas :</i>		
Total :	35,100,181	41,062,097
Literates	6,739,234	9,542,250
% of literates.	19.2	23.24

(1) (2)

Viable units for Libraries :**TARGET.****(i) No. of villages with population of 5000 and above.**

Total population.	804	1,222
Literates.	5,641,304	9,070,819
		N.A.

ACHIEVEMENT.**No. of Villages with a Branch Library of Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha.**

315	346
39.18	28.31

%

No. of villages covered by other Libraries

259

Total No. of villages covered.

605

%

49.5

population served by Branch Libraries :

Total :	2,408,156	3,095,287
Literates.	712,766	1,084,544
% (Total) :	42.87	34.12

Population served by other libraries in 259 Villages.

Total :	1,822,828
Literates.	590,048
% (Total)	20.09

Population served by Libraries in 605 Villages.

Total :	4,918,115
Literates.	1,674,592
% (Total)	54.21

SHORTFALL.**No. of Villages without Branch Libraries.** 489 876**TARGET****(ii) No. of villages with population between 1000 and 5000.**

11,244 12,080

Population

N.A. N.A.

	(1)	(2)
ACHIEVEMENT		
No. of villages covered by various libraries.	..	2,862
%.....	..	23.69
Population served :-		
Total (2500 on average) :	..	7,155,000
Literates (500 on average)	..	1,431,000
SHORTFALL		
No. of villages not having library service.	..	9,218
	1971 census	1981 census.
TARGET :		
(iii) No. of villages with a population of less than 1000.	.. 15,181	16,408
<i>Achievement.</i>	(To be assessed after village Directories are printed).	
<i>Shortfall.</i>		
TOTAL : (i)±(ii)±(iii) :		
TARGET		
No. of villages in A.P.	.. 27,221	29,710
ACHIEVEMENT		
No. of villages covered by library service.	..	3,467
%.....	..	11.67
Rural population in A.P. :-		
Total :	.. 35,100,181	41,062,097
Literates :	.. 6,739,234	9,542,250
Population covered :-		
Total :	..	12,073,115
%	..	29.4
Literates :	..	3,105,592
%	..	32.55
SHORTFALL		
(a) No. of villages to be covered by Library Service.	....	26,243
(b) Branch Libraries to be opened.	....	876

3.33. Existing Libraries in Rural Areas.

Z.G.S. Libraries.	No. of Libraries.	Approximate No. of Villages covered. (1981 census).
Branch Libraries.	510	509
Village Libraries.	332	332
Book Deposit Centres.	552	542
Total :	1,394	1,383
Mobile Libraries (Van-Govt.)	1	80
Mobile Libraries (Rickshaws)	7	42
Mobile Libraries (Cycles).	50	350
Total : (MLs)	58	472
<i>Aided Libraries :</i>		
Panchayat Libraries.	1,516	1,341
Co-operative Society Libraries.	63	50
Other aided Libraries.	403	221
Total (ALs) :	1,982	1,612
Grand Total :	3,434	3,467

3.4. LIBRARY SERVICE IN TOWNS & VILLAGES.

	1971 census.	1981 census.
TARGET		
No. of towns & Villages.	27,445 (224 towns)	29,962 (252 towns)
ACHIEVEMENT		
No. covered by Library Service.	..	3,685
%.....	..	12.29

Population of Andhra Pradesh :		
Total ;	43,502,708	53,549,673
Literates :	10,689,665	16,034,818
Percentage of literates.	24.57	29.94
population covered by Library service :		
Total :	....	23,674,578
%.....	....	44.21
Literates :	....	9,315,957
%.....	....	58.09
SHORTFALL :		
(a) No. of towns & Villages to be covered by library service.	....	26,277
(b) Branch Libraries to be opened in towns, cities & Villages. ;	....	1,042

3.5 *Master Plan.*

3.51 A Master Plan was prepared by the Department in 1978, based on 1971 census figures, which intended to cover about 10,000 villages by means of 400 Branch Libraries, mostly in villages with a population of 5000 and above, 64 Mobile Libraries (Vans) at the rate of one in each revenue division and rickshaw mobile libraries at the rate of one in each of the 324 Development Blocks. Only 66 Branch Libraries could be opened in 1980-81 at a cost of Rs. 10.00 lakhs and thereafter funds could not be found to continue the scheme. It is hoped that a break through will be made in the Seventh Five Year Plan period (1985-90).

CHAPTER—4

LIBRARY FACILITIES PROVIDED IN THE STATE WORKING OF VARIOUS LIBRARIES.—

PERSONNEL, BUILDINGS, READING MATERIAL, SPECIAL FACILITIES, R.R.R.L.F. SCHEMES/REGISTRATION OF BOOKS

4.1 WORKING OF VARIOUS LIBRARIES.

4.11 *State Central Library.*

4.111 The State Central Library, Hyderabad is one of the oldest public libraries in India, established in February, 1891 and it was known as Kutubkhana Asafia. It was declared as the State Central Library for Andhra Pradesh after reorganisation of the States. It is housed in an imposing building constructed in 1936 which was expanded by constructing an annexe in 1961.

4.112 The Library has a total bookstock of 3,20,978 volumes. The book stock is estimated to be occupying over 12,800 linear metres of shelves, roughly at 25 volumes per shelf. During the year 1983-84 a total number of 14,948 volumes were added to the bookstock most of which are new titles. The audio-visual documents of the library contain 14 films and a few records. The budget provision for the purchase of books and periodicals was enhanced from Rs. 7.00 lakhs to 5.00 lakhs which was utilised towards the purchase of 13,080 books at a cost of Rs. 4,96,870.00 and subscription to 640 periodicals amounting to Rs. 2,04,824.00. The number of books received till 31-3-1984 under the Press and Registration of Books Act, 1867 is 29,268.

4.113 The staff of the Library consists of the Gazetted Librarian, sixteen professionals, twenty-three semi-professionals and eighty-eight others which is required for normal work of the library. There is need to sanction additional staff for undertaking technical work of other public libraries in the State.

4.114 The Library is having a sizable collection of reference material useful for research scholars. It provides special services to students of degree courses and other professional courses through its text-book section which functions 16 hours a day from morning 8 to 12 midnight. During 1983-84 a total number of 21,341 students visited this section. The Library also has a Children's Section, a Braille Section and a Reprographic Section.

4.115 The State Central Library is also a lending library and it has 11,478 members on roll, adults as well as children (799 enrolled during 1983-84). The library worked for 297 days during 1983-84. The No. of visitors was 285,681 on an average of 962 per working day. A total number of 2,25,524 books and periodicals were consulted within

the library premises (on an average of 759 per day) and 53,707 books were lent for home reading (on an average of 181 books per day). Compared to 1982-83 statistics there was decline in the number of books consulted (18.4%) and the number of books lent (22%). The total expenditure from non-plan budget was Rs. 21.16 lakhs (Rs. 17.80 lakhs during 1982-83) registering an increase of 21.4% over previous year.

4.12 Regional Libraries.

4.121 The Government are maintaining six regional Libraries which are functioning at present as reference and lending libraries. They have ultimately to provide linkages between the State Central Library and the District Central Libraries in their respective regions.

4.122 The State Regional Library, Guntur and the Regional Libraries at Rajahmundry and Warangal have buildings of their own. The Roads & Buildings Department is taking steps to start construction of buildings for the Regional Libraries at Visakhapatnam and Nizamabad with the funds sanctioned by the Government. There is a proposal to purchase a site along with its old building for the Regional Library at Tirupathi.

4.123 The six Regional Libraries hold a total bookstock of 2,64,480 volumes (as on 31-3-84) and 405 manuscripts (palm leaves in Regional Library, Rajahmundry). The average per library comes to 44,080 volumes. The bookstock is estimated to be occupying about 8,800 linear metres of shelves roughly at 30 books per shelf. The audio-visual documents consist of a few films besides records, maps, charts, paintings and globes. The addition of books during 1983-84 was 16,871 (it was 12528 during the previous year). The Regional Libraries spent a total sum of Rs. 3,60,420.00, on the purchase of books (Rs. 2,88,319.00) and subscription to 691 periodicals (Rs. 72,101.00) The Regional Library, Guntur subscribed to 235 periodicals and the Regional Library, Warangal subscribed to Rs. 183 periodicals and the remaining four libraries acquired about 70 periodicals each.

4.124 The Gazetted Librarian of each Regional Library (except Regional Library, Nizamabad) is assisted by a Grade I Librarian in the normal work of the Library. Ministerial staff is available in the Regional Library, Guntur only and in the remaining Regional Libraries the correspondence and accounts work is being attended to by the professional staff. There is need to sanction the ministerial staff and also additional staff in the 5 Regional Libraries for running them in two shifts from 8.00 hours to 20.00 hours on the lines of the Regional Library, Guntur and also for undertaking the technical work such as preparation of union catalogues, bibliographies, documentation, etc., useful for other libraries functioning in their respective regions.

4.125 The Regional Libraries have a rich collection of reference material which is used by research scholars. The State Regional Library, Guntur which is situated amidst educational institutions and students' hostels is kept open 12 hours a day. The Text Book Section of the Library renders special service to students 16 hours a day, from morning 8 to 12 midnight.

4.126 There are 12,917 registered borrowers (799 enrolled during 1983-84) to whom 3,03,104 books were issued for home reading. The average number of working days during 1983-84 was 284. About 178 books were issued for home reading per working day per library and each member borrowed about 23 books. The No. of visitors was 6,05,129 which works out to 355 per working day per library. A total No. of 5,88,619 books were consulted within the library premises on an average of 345 books per working day per library. When compared to corresponding figures of 1982-83, there was 0.75% increase in the No. of visitors but there was decrease in the No. of books consulted to the extent of 21.92% and the No. of books lent for home reading to the extent of 12.19%. The expenditure on maintenance of these libraries during 1983-84 was Rs. 16.76 lakhs (Rs. 14.93 lakhs from Non-Plan and Rs. 1.83 lakhs from Plan) registering an increase of 47.79% over previous year's expenditure (Rs. 11.34 lakhs).

4.13 District Central Libraries:-

4.131 The District Central Libraries are the nuclei of all library activities in the districts. They are the main libraries for the district headquarters towns. Their functions include acquisition and distribution of books to branch libraries and village libraries after technical processing, annual inspection of the public libraries and their supervision, organisation of social education activities, seminars, conferences, etc.

4.132 Except the District Central Libraries at Adilabad, Chittoor, Cuddapah, Srikakulam and Vijayanagaram, all other District Central Libraries and the City Central Library are located in own buildings. The Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas of the four districts were taking steps to start the construction works.

4.133 The 23 District Central Libraries (including the City Central Library, Hyderabad) hold a total bookstock of 7,09,223 volumes, the average per library being 30,836 volumes. The bookstock is estimated to be occupying about 23,600 linear metres of shelves, roughly at 30 books per shelf. The addition of books during 1983-84 was to the extent of 41,528 which comes to 1,806 books added to each library on average. During 1982-83, 29,013 books were added (on an average of 1,261).

4.134 Besides the Librarian, District Central Library who is the Chief Librarian, the staff of each District Central Library consists of a Deputy Librarian (Grade-I), an Assistant Librarian (Grade II or Grade III) and two or three Record Assistants. The Libraries are being run with this skeleton staff.

4.135 Childrens Sections are attached to many libraries. Text book sections and Women's sections are also provided in a few libraries. The service is extended to surrounding areas by means of tri-cycle/bicycle libraries and Book Deposit Centres. There are service points in local High School, the District Jail and the District Hospital.

4.136 Statistics of District Central Libraries.

(i) *Bookstock*:-The bookstock of 709,223 volumes in the District Central Libraries forms 10.25% of the total bookstock of 69,14,919

volumes in all the libraries of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas. The average bookstock for a District Central Library is 30,836 volumes.

(ii) *Periodicals.* The No. of periodicals subscribed increased from 2,282 in 1982-83 (average 100) to 2,550 in 1983-84 (average 111). This No. forms about 7.73% of the total number of periodicals subscribed for all the libraries during 1983-84 (32,997).

(iii) *No. of visitors.* A total number of 3,374,141 readers attended the libraries on 305 working days (average) during the year 1983-84 on an average of 481 readers per library per working day. The corresponding figures for 1982-83 were : 3,657,311 readers, 301 working days and average attendance of 528 readers per library per working day. There was decrease of about 8% in the number of readers. The readers coming to the District Central Libraries form about 11.71% of the total number of readers (28,806,448) in the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha Libraries.

(iv) *No. of Registered Borrowers :—*The District Central Libraries have a total strength of 71,568 registered borrowers (average 3,111) which forms about 16.05% of registered borrowers (445,776) in the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha libraries. There was an increase of about 4.51% in the number of registered borrowers in the District Central Libraries.

(v) *No. of books lent for home reading :—*A total number of 12,74,923 books were lent for home reading to the 71,568 registered borrowers. Each working day about 182 books were lent by a District Central Library and on average each member borrowed about 18 books during the year 1983-84. The corresponding figures for 1982-83 were 13,24,569 books lent to 68,476 registered borrowers, on an average of 19 books per borrower and the average issue per library per working day was about 191. There was decrease of about 3.74% in the number of books lent.

(vi) *No. of books consulted :—*During the year under report the readers consulted 7,65,748 books, the average per library per working day being 109 books. The corresponding figures for 1982-83 were 8,50,549 books consulted on an average of 123 books per library per day. The decrease in the No. of books consulted was to the extent of 9.97%.

(vii) *No. of Libraries and population served :—* The metropolis and the 22 other district headquarter towns have a network of 492 libraries—the State Central Library, 5 Regional Libraries, the City Central Library, 22 District Central Libraries (including District Central Library, Vikarabad), 77 Branch Libraries, one Village Library (in Nalgonda town), 17 Book Deposit Centres (in hospitals and prisons), one Mobile Library Van (Hyderabad), 15 Rickshaw Mobile Libraries, 257 aided libraries and 96 libraries and reading rooms of Municipalities. These 492 libraries are serving a total population of 56.14 lakhs including 31.09 lakh literate and educated, as per provisional figures of 1981 census.

4.14. Branch Libraries ;

4.141. The 796 Branch Libraries function as independent administrative units under the direct control and supervision of the District

Central Librarian. They supervise the work of Village Libraries, Book Deposit Centres and Mobile Libraries in their jurisdiction. The work of inspection of aided libraries is also entrusted to Branch Libraries.

4.142. Out of the 796 Branch Libraries, 183 are housed in own buildings, 339 in rent free accommodation provided by Panchayats and other philanthropic organisations and the remaining 274 are housed in rented buildings. Steps are being taken to evolve a type design for construction of buildings for Branch Libraries and provision of funds in the Seventh Five Year Plan.

4.143. The Branch Libraries hold a total bookstock of 58,54,557 volumes which forms about 83.23% of the total bookstock (69,14,919 volumes) in the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha Libraries. On an average each Branch Library possesses about 7,355 volumes and the addition of books during 1983-84 was 450 volumes for each Branch Library. This collection is estimated to be occupying about 1,46,300 linear metres of shelves, roughly at 40 volumes per shelf. Microfiches containing historical records of a few Andhra districts have been acquired for the Tagore Reference and Research Centre, Vijayawada.

4.144. Out of the 796 Branch Libraries, 68 are manned by professionals (48 working in Gr.-I posts and 20 in Grade-II or Grade-III posts), and 538 by semi-professionals (485 working in the posts of Gr. II or Grade-III Librarians and 53 in the posts of Record Assistants, Attenders). The remaining 190 Branch Libraries are being run by Record Assistants, Attenders or part-time workers who are not qualified for this profession. It is essential to create the posts of Grade-III Librarians for the 243 Branch Libraries which are being run by Record Assistants, so as to improve the standard of library service in rural areas.

4.145. The Branch Libraries have extended their service to surrounding villages through the Book Deposit Centres, the Village Libraries and the Rickshaw or cycle libraries attached to them. They are also lending books to readers in other Villages with the cooperation of Panchayats, Youth Clubs and Mahila Mandals. Childrens sections and text book sections have been opened wherever accommodation is available. Radio sets are provided in about 140 Branch Libraries to tune news items, etc., for the benefit of readers. T.V. sets are also provided in 3 Branch Libraries (2 in Mahaboobnagar District and one at Vijayawada). The Tagore Reference and Research Centre, Vijaya wada is equipped with reference material and audio-visual aids (microfiches, T.V., V.C.R., Tape recorders, etc.)

4.146. *Statistics of Branch Libraries :*

(i) *Bookstock* :—About 83.23% of the total bookstock of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha libraries, i.e., 58,54,557 out of 69,14,919 volumes as on 31-3-1984, is in the Branch Libraries. On average each library is having 7,355 volumes.

(ii) *Periodicals* .— A total number of 27,507 periodicals were subscribed, on an average of about 35 for each Branch Library.

(iii) *No. of Visitors* .— A total number of 23,567,113 readers attended the Branch Libraries on 293 working days (average) during the year 1983-84, on an average of 101 readers per library per working day (this average for 1982-83 was 104). There was decline in the number of readers to the extent of about 1.54%.

(iv) *No. of Registered Borrowers* .— The Branch Libraries have a total strength of 348,348 registered borrowers (average per Branch Library being 438 during 1983-84 and 426 during (1982-83) which forms about 78.14% of the total number of registered borrowers (445,776) in the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha libraries. There was an increase of about 2.37% in the number of registered borrowers in the Branch Libraries.

(v) *No. of books lent for home reading* .— A total number of 72,68,204 books were lent for home reading to the 348,348 registered borrowers. Each working day about 31 books were lent by a Branch Library and on average each member borrowed about 21 books during the year 1983-84. The corresponding figures for the year 1982-83 were : 74,68,960 books lent to 338,313 registered borrowers, on an average of about 22 books per borrower and the daily issue was about 32 books per library. There was decrease of about 2.69% in the number of books lent.

(vi) *No. of books consulted* .— A total number of 44,27,429 books were consulted and the average per working day per Branch Library was about 19. The corresponding figures for 1982-83 were : 49,55,309 books consulted on an average of about 21 books per library per working day. The decrease in the number of books consulted was to the extent of 10.65%.

(vii) *No. of Branch Libraries and population served* .— Excluding the 77 Branch Libraries located at the district headquarter towns, the remaining 719 Branch Libraries have covered a total No. 195 towns and 509 villages. These 719 Branch Libraries together with other 323 Libraries (The Regional Library, Rajahmundry, 5 Village Libraries, 14 Book Deposit Centres, 34 Rickshaw Mobile Libraries, 199 aided libraries (approx) and 70 Municipal reading rooms and libraries) which are located in the same town or village are serving a total population (1981 census) of about 94.90 lakhs (59.87 lakhs in urban areas and 35.03 lakhs in rural areas) of whom 42.68 lakhs are literate and educated (31.01 lakhs in urban areas and 11.67 lakhs in rural areas). On an average each Branch Library serves about 13,198 people including 5,936 literate and educated.

4.15 Village Libraries:

4.151 Village Libraries are being opened since 1974-75. As on 31-3-1984, there were 332 Village Libraries (excluding the 5 Village Libraries located in towns) besides 510 Branch Libraries, 552 Book Deposit Centres, 7 rickshaw mobile libraries, 1982 aided libraries and the Government Mobile Library at Eluru providing library service in rural areas. During the year 1983-84, 17 Village Libraries were opened. The Village libraries are also Branch Libraries for all purposes except.

that they are manned by part-time workers and they are kept open for about 4 hours a day (a Branch Library functions 6 hours a day). The Village Libraries have ultimately to be upgraded as Branch Libraries.

4.152 The Village Libraries have been opened in the places where free accommodation was provided by the Gram Panchayats or other organisations. 29 Village Libraries are located in own buildings and the remaining in rent-free buildings.

4.153 Separate statistics are available in respect of about 250 Village Libraries. There are 2,87,561 books in 283 Libraries, the average per library being 1016. This average was 842 during 1982-83 and there was addition of 174 volumes in each Village Library on average. In 261 libraries a total No. of 2695 periodicals were subscribed, on an average of about 10 periodicals for each library, as in 1982-83. On 279 working days (average), a total number of 1,477,455 readers attended 252 Village Libraries, the average per working day per library being about 21 (this average was 28 during 1982-83). In 248 libraries, there are 15,947 registered borrowers on an average of about 64 per library. In 253 libraries, a total number of 5,19,891 books were issued for home reading (on an average of about 7 books per working day per library) and in 237 libraries a total No. of 4,58,847 books were consulted (on an average of about 6 books per working day per library). There was decline in the number of books issued and consulted compared to figures of 1982-83. The exact number of people served by the 332 Village Libraries (excluding the 5 located in towns) has to be computed after the Village Directories are published. 68 of these libraries are located in villages with a population of 5000 and above and they together with 4 Book Deposit centres and 18 aided libraries located in the same villages are serving a total population of 441,723 including 129,931 literate and educated (1981 census). The remaining 264 village libraries may be serving about 660,000 people including 132,000 literate and educated on an average of 2500 each (500 literate). Thus the 332 Village Libraries are serving about 11.02 lakh people of whom 2.62 lakh are literate and educated.

4.16 *Book Deposit Centres:*

4.161 Book Deposit Centres, or (Book) Delivery Stations as defined in the Act and the Rules, are generally opened in Villages with a population between 1000 and 5000 and lying within a radius of eight kilometres from the Branch Library or the District Central Library. Most of these centres (552 out of 582) are located in School premises of the Village and a teacher is kept incharge on payment of remuneration of Rs. 30 per mensem. 30 centres are located in towns in hospitals, jails, courts and factories. Books are exchanged from the District Central Library/Branch Library once a fortnight. The service is interrupted due to change in teachers in Panchayat institutions till the substitutes are appointed.

4.162 Separate statistics are available in respect of about 130 centres in 10 districts. The centres do not have permanent bookstock. They exchange about 50 books from the District Central Library or the Branch Library to which they are attached. One or two newspapers are also supplied to these centres (for 128 centres, 245 newspapers were supplied during 1983-84). On an average there are 23 (18 during 1982-83

registered borrowers (1120 borrowers in 49 centres). In 135 centres attendance of 387,139 readers was recorded on 289 average working days on an average of about 10 readers per centre per working day. In 93 centres, 1,27,535 books were issued for home reading (on an average of about 5 books per centre per working day) and in 133 centres a total number of 2,09,595 books were consulted (on an average of about 5 books per centre per working day). 47 Book Deposit Centres are located in villages with a population of 5000 and above and they together with 11 aided libraries located in the same villages are serving a total population of 344,272 including 113,912 literate and educated. The population covered by the remaining 500 Book Deposit Centres (582-82) will be computed after the Village Directories are published. On an average, a centre may be serving about 2500 people (500 literates). On this basis, the 547 Book Deposit Centres are estimated to have covered about 15.94 lakh people (3.64 lakh literate and educated).

4.17 Mobile Libraries:

4.171 Mobile Library, Eluru:

4.1711. The Government Mobile Library, Eluru set up in 1956 is having 123 service points in about 80 villages of Eluru, Chintalapudi, Tadepalligudem and Polavaram taluks of West Godavari District. It is housed in a rented building at Eluru. The Van has completed more than 27 years of service and it is frequently under repairs. Due to the repairs and the period of over one month spent in stock taking, the Van was on the road for 96 days during 1983-84 as against 172 days during the previous year 1982-83. The staff of the library consists of a Grade-II Librarian, a Film Operator besides a Driver and a Cleaner and a Watchman.

4.1712. The library has a total bookstock of 43,658 volumes. The addition of books during 1983-84 was 1672—755 costing Rs. 8,503.65 ps. supplied under the Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation Scheme and 917 costing Rs. 22,999.38 purchased from non-plan budget. About 3,000 books are carried in the Van.

4.1713. There are 6,143 registered borrowers (609 enrolled during 1983-84) to whom 11,473 books were issued on an average of about 116 books per working day. The corresponding figures for 1982-83 were 15,986 books lent on 172 working days on an average of 93 books per day. Books in Telugu on Ramayanas, Mahabharatas, Kasimajilis, biographies, translations, novels and children literature are in demand from the clientele of this library. During 1983-84, film shows (84), lectures (5) and book exhibitions (5) were organised by the Mobile Library. A total expenditure of Rs. 1,40,804.12 was incurred during 1983-84 (Rs. 87,594.10 during 1982-83) on maintenance of this library.

4.172 Sanchara Bharathi :

4.1721. Mobile Library service is being rendered in the cities of Hyderabad and Secunderabad since 1973-74. It is a Leyland type vehicle, like a bus, specially designed to carry about 4,000 books in classified order. The library is named as Sanchara Bharathi. The Library is on road for 12 hours a day covering about 64 service points a week. The Hyderabad

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City Grandhalaya Samstha has purchased one more Vehicle of the same type during 1983-84 at a cost of Rs.1,58,610-14 which will start working soon after its body is built.

4.1722. The Library works in two shifts from 8.00 hours to 14.00 hours and from 14.00 hours to 20.00 hours. The staff in each shift consists of a Grade III Librarian and an Attender besides the Driver. During the year 1983-84, it worked for 289 days.

4.1723. The Library has a permanent bookstock of 25,811 membership of 3,867 (242 enrolled during 1983-84). It has a No.of 92,667 books were lent to the 3867 registered borrowers on an average of about 321 books per working day or 160 books in each shift (the corresponding figure for 1982-83 was 327 books per working day or 164 books in each shift).

4.1724. An expenditure of Rs.19,504-66 was incurred on propulsion charges and maintenance of the Van (Rs.18,216.42 during 1982-83).

4.173 Rickshaw/Bi-Cycle Libraries

4.1731. In order to provide reading facilities for women, aged and disabled persons who are not able to attend the Libraries, a few libraries started supplying books from door to door by means of tri-cycle rickshaws duly improvised to carry about 200 books and in some places especially in Krishna District even bi-cycles were pressed into service. There are 49 rickshaw libraries - 42 in town and 7 in villages. About 350 villages are covered by "Cycle Libraries". This service can be expanded if funds, accommodation and suitable staff are provided.

4.1732 Fourteen rickshaw libraries have separate bookstock of 37,767 volumes (average 2,748). In 12 rickshaw libraries there are 4,926 registered borrowers (average 410). In 12 libraries, a total number of 74,998 books were issued on an average of about 31 books per library per working day, the average number of working days being about 200.

4.18 *Aided Libraries :*

4.181 The aided libraries (2331 as on 31-3-1984) are managed by voluntary organisations, panchayats and Co-operative Societies are providing library service in a large area (about 5 towns and 1612 villages) which is not yet covered by the departmental libraries. 349 aided libraries are located in urban areas and 1982 are in rural areas. A few of them are more than 75 years old and such institutions are rightly called pioneers of the Library Movement in Andhra Pradesh. But there are very few libraries which are able to provide library service on modern lines. A draft grant-in-aid code has been drafted on the lines of the Andhra Pradesh Education Code and submitted to the Government. It will be possible to render adequate financial assistance to the aided libraries after the Code is promulgated.

4.182 Out of the 2331 aided libraries, statistics are available in respect of 651 libraries. The aided libraries worked for about 301 days during 1983-84. A total number of 27.93 lakhs readers attended the libraries on an average of about 15 readers per working day per library (the average for 1982-83 was also 15). There were 18,241 registered borrowers in 589 aided libraries, on an average of about 31 per library (this average for 1982-83 was 50). A total number of 8.06 lakh books were issued for home reading in 526 libraries on an average of about 5 books per working day per library (the average for 1982-83 was also 5). Total number of 6.41 lakh books were consulted in 567 libraries on an average of about 4 books per working day per library (this average for 1982-83 was 5). For district-wise figures, please see annexure IX-C.

4.2 WORKING HOURS AND WORKING DAYS FOR PUBLIC LIBRARIES :

4.21 The public libraries are kept open on all working days and also on holidays except on a few public holidays notified by the Government and they observe weekly holidays on days other than Sundays. Three libraries namely the State Central Library, Hyderabad, the State Regional Library, Guntur and the City Central Library, Hyderabad function for twelve hours a day from 8.00 hours to 20.00 hours (the Staff in these libraries works in two shifts of six hours each). The Branch Library at Vijayawada (Tagore Reference and Research Centre) is being kept open for fourteen hours a day (from 8.00 hours to 22.00 hours) for benefit of research scholars. The 22 District Central Libraries and a few Branch Libraries keep open their periodical sections for twelve hours a day. The other five Regional Libraries and the Branch Libraries are working in two-sessions (morning 2 or 3 hours and evening 3 or 4 hours) for not less than six hours a day. The village Libraries work for not less than four hours a day. The aided libraries also function for not less than three hours a day, some having morning and evening sessions. On an average the public libraries worked for about 293 days during the year 1983-84.

4.3 LIBRARY BUILDINGS :

4.31 The State Central Library, Hyderabad and the Regional Libraries at Guntur, Warangal and Rajahmundry are located in own buildings. Funds have been made available to the R.&B. Department for constructing buildings at Visakhapatnam and Nizamabad. There is a proposal to purchase site along with an old building for the Regional Library at Tirupathi. An amount of Rs. 1.00 lakh was also provided for construction of a temporary shed to the building of the Gouthami Regional Library, Rajahmundry. A total sum of Rs. 3.00 lakhs was provided as capital expenditure during 1983-84 for Regional Libraries and the amount was placed at the disposal of the R.&B Department.

4.32 A statement showing, district-wise, the number of District Central Libraries and Branch Libraries housed in own, rented or rent-free buildings is given in Annexure-IV.

4.33. Out of the 23 District Central Libraries (including the City Central Library, Hyderabad), 18 are housed in own buildings. The construction work of the District Central Library building at Nizamabad was completed and the District Central Library started functioning in the new building from 18-12-1983, inaugurated by Sri Y. Ramakrishnudu, Hon.ble Minister for Municipal Administration. The construction of the building for the District Central Library at Eluru was also completed and the library was shifted to the new building inaugurated on 4-3-1984 by Sri N.T. Rama Rao, Hon.ble Chief Minister. During the year 1983-84, the District Collector, Adilabad released an amount of Rs. 1.70 lakhs from the funds at his disposal, for completing the construction of the building for the District Central Library at Adilabad. The work is in its last stages and the building will be ready shortly. The Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas of Chittoor, Cuddapah, Srikakulam and Vizianagaram have yet to start construction of buildings for the District Central Libraries with the Government grants already sanctioned.

4.34. Out of the 796 Branch Libraries, 183 are housed in own buildings, 339 in rent free-buildings provided by Panchayats, etc., and 274 are located in rented buildings. Construction of functional building and renovation of the existing buildings (own) involves heavy expenditure and requires a phased programme to be undertaken soon. A type design was evolved by the State Architect which was finalised on 23-5-1983 by a Committee set up by the Government and it was submitted for approval of the Government.

4.35. An expenditure of Rs. 25.13 lakhs was incurred on buildings Rs. 16.85 lakhs on new buildings, Rs. 0.67 lakh on repairs and Rs. 7.61 lakhs on rents, during the year 1983-84 as against Rs. 31.78 lakhs during 1982-83 (Rs. 10.79 lakhs on new buildings, Rs. 14.47 lakhs on repairs, extensions and renovations and Rs. 6.52 lakhs on rents).

4.4 FURNITURE AND EQUIPMENT :

4.41 During the year 1983-84, a total sum of Rs. 1.84 lakhs was spent from the plan budget towards the purchase of furniture and equipment for the six Regional Libraries.

4.42 During the year 1983-84, the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas spent a total sum of Rs. 15.25 lakhs on the purchase of furniture and equipment (including expenditure of Rs. 2.37 lakhs incurred on the purchase of a Leyland Vehicle and a Jeep by the City Grandhalaya Samstha, Hyderabad and Rs. 0.81 lakh on the purchase of an Ambassador Car by the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Guntur). During the previous year the expenditure on furniture and equipment was Rs. 6.78 lakhs only.

4.43. In order to improve the facilities in the public libraries, grants amounting to Rs. 6.90 lakhs were sanctioned from the plan budget out of which an expenditure of Rs. 1.69 lakhs had been incurred till 31-3-1984 on the purchase of furniture and equipment. The Raja Rammohan Roy Library Foundation also paid Rs. 36,000 to 9 Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas (at the rate of Rs. 4,000 to each Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha) which has been utilised towards the purchase of book racks for Branch Libraries.

4.5 PERSONNEL

4.51 SERVICE CONDITIONS:

4.511. The personnel working in the eight Government libraries and in the Directorate are Government servants. (The sanctioned strength of the posts in Government Libraries and in the Directorate is 256). The personnel working in the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas are governed by service rules issued under the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Act, 1960. The sanctioned strength of staff for the offices of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas and the District Central Libraries and Branch Libraries is about 2321 (full time 2021 and part-time 300), besides the part-time librarians of Village Libraries (337) and Book Deposit Centres (582). The Government have been sanctioning grants for payment of salaries and wages (to full time staff) and other service benefits including pension. The rates of their pay and allowances are identical to those given to their counterparts in Government service from time to time.

4.52 *Trained personnel and training facilities:*

4.521. As on 31-3-1984, there were 841 trained personnel (821 as on 31-3-1983) among whom 167 were graduates with diploma/degree in Library Science and 674 were certificate holders in Library Science, working in the Department, as shown in Annexures V-A and V-B. The ratio of trained personnel to the total population was 1 : 63674.

4.522 B.L.I. Sc., courses are being conducted by three Universities in the State, namely: Andhra, Sri Venkateswara and Osmania Universities. C.L.Sc., courses are being conducted by two recognised Institutes, namely : School of Library Science, Vijayawada (run by the Andhra Pradesh Library Association) and the Institute of Library Science, Hyderabad. During the year 1983-84, the Institute of Hyderabad conducted four courses, two in English and two in Telugu to which about a total number of 80 candidates were recommended from the Departmental quota.

4.6. TECHNICAL WORK OF LIBRARIES:

4.61. The public Libraries in the State follow the open access system which allows readers to reach the stacks for selecting books of their

choice. Books are classified according to the Dewey Decimal system with the help of schedules prescribed by the Department for certain subjects in regional languages (Telugu and Urdu) and catalogued according to Dictionary Method. Card catalogue is maintained in all big libraries and in 116 (Branch Libraries. In Hyderabad City, all the 40 Branch Libraries and the Mobile Library are maintaining card catalogues. The Ticket system (Browne's system) has been introduced in all big libraries as well as in 375 Branch Libraries.

4.62 At the end of the year 1982-83, there were about 0.48 lakh books to be classified out of which about 0.08 lakh books were classified during 1983-84. The Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas of Guntur, Khammam and Prakasam cleared off the pendency. The addition of books during the year 1983-84 was to the extent of about 5.19 lakh volumes out of which about 4.73 lakh volumes were classified and a total number of 86,259 volumes remained to be classified as on 31-3-1984 (Adilabad 0.06 lakh, Hyderabad City 0.33 lakh, Kurnool 0.01 lakh, Medak 0.01 lakh, Nalgonda 0.06 lakh, Nizamabad 0.06 lakh and Visakhapatnam 0.32 lakh). In the Government Libraries, there are about 0.95 lakh books to be classified (State Central Library 0.12 lakh, Regional Library, Guntur 0.01 lakh, Warangal 0.13 lakh Nizamabad 0.13 lakh, Visakhapatnam 0.08 lakh, Tirupathi 0.14 lakh and Rajahmundry 0.34 lakh).

4.63 The cataloguing work is almost upto-date in the districts of Chittoor, East Godavari, Mahaboobnagar, Rangareddy and West Godavari. In the remaining districts, a total number of 2.41 lakh books remained to be catalogued (Adilabad 0.12 lakh, Anantapur 0.12 lakh, Cuddapah 0.01 lakh, Guntur 0.02 lakh, Hyderabad City 0.33 lakh, Karimnagar 0.01 lakh, Kammam 0.36 lakh, Krishna 0.57 lakh, Kurnool 0.08 lakh, Medak 0.01 lakh, Nalgonda 0.10 lakh, Nellore 0.07 lakh, Nizamabad 0.13 lakh, Prakasam 0.17 lakh, Srikakulam 0.10 lakh, Vizianagaram 0.03 lakh, Visakhapatnam 0.04 lakh and Warangal 0.14 lakh). In the Government Libraries, about 0.95 lakh books remained to be catalogued (State Central Library 0.12 lakh, Regional Library, Guntur 0.01 lakh, Warangal 0.09 lakh, Nizamabad 0.17 lakh, Visakhapatnam 0.08 lakh, Tirupathi 0.14 lakh and Rajahmundry 0.34 lakh).

4.64 The National Bibliography of Telugu books for the years from 1967 to 1972 and 1975 onwards have yet to be published and the arrear work could not be taken up because the Government Printing press is not in a position to tank up this work. The Government were approached for permission for its printing in any private press and their orders were awaited.

4.7 SPECIAL FACILITIES FOR CHILDREN, WOMEN AND STUDENTS :

4.71 Public Libraries are playing an important role in inculcating good reading habits among the children. In Hyderabad City there is a Bal Bhavan besides two childrens libraries of the City Grandda Samstha and the childrens section of the State Central Library, Children's libraries or Sections are functioning in all districts head quarters, besides in about 100 other places.

4.72 Besides 12 Branch Libraries exclusively meant for women about 50 libraries have provided separate sections for women. Books are being lent to women through the Mobile Libraries and Book Deposit Centres.

4.73 Many libraries are equipped with text-books and as on 31-3-1984 text-book sections were functioning in 44 libraries of Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas besides the State Central Library and 3 Regional Libraries. At the district headquarters towns, a few High Schools are borrowing books from the District Central Library for lending to students under the scheme of "Linkage of Public Libraries with School Education".

4.8 PROVISION FOR READING MATERIAL :

4.81 The Book Selection Committee at the State level prepares the lists of books which are issued by the Government under Section 13 (1) (b) of the Act. The Zilla Grandhal Samsthas have Book Selection Committees which select the books required for their libraries, keeping in view the needs of the readers. The Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas are allowed to subscribe to newspapers and periodicals of their choice within the Budget allocations prescribed for various languages. The Government Libraries purchase the books selected by the Committees appointed by the Government.

4.82 The total collection of books, as on 31-3-84, was about 95.19 lakh volumes in the various types of public libraries, as detailed in the following statement :

Sl. No.	Type of Libraries.	No. of Libraries		Volumes in lakhs		Average per Library (1983-84)
		1982-83	1983-84	1982-83	1983-84	
	Government Libraries	8	8	5.96	6.29	78,625
	Libraries under Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas	1,138	1,157	63.96	69.15	5,977
	Total	1,146	1,165	69.92	75.44	6,472
3.	Aided Libraries (approximate figure).	2,333	2,331	19.50	19.75	847
	Grand Total	3,479	3,496	89.42	95.19	2,723

4.83 During the year 1983-84, a total number of 34,328 newspapers and periodicals were received in 1215 libraries (excluding aided libraries for which information is not available), on an average of about 28 periodicals per library, as detailed in the following statement :

Sl. No.	Type of Libraries	No. of Libraries.	No. of periodicals received	Average per library.
1	2	3	4	5
1.	State Central Library.	1	640	640
2.	Regional Libraries.	6	691	115
	TOTAL : Govt. Libraries :	7	1,331	190
3.	City Central Library & Dist. Central Libraries	23	2,550	111
4.	Branch Libraries	796	27,507	35
5.	Village Libraries	261	2,695	10
6.	Book Deposit Centres	128	245	2
	TOTAL : Z.G.S. Libraries :	1,208	32,997	27
	GRAND TOTAL :	1,215	34,328@	28

@Note:—This figure includes periodicals received as free gifts.

4.84 The eight Government Libraries spent a total sum of Rs. 10.85 lakhs during the year 1983-84 on the purchase of books (Rs.8.08 lakhs) and subscription to periodicals (Rs. 2.77 lakhs). The expenditure on reading materials formed 28.6% of the total expenditure incurred during 1983-84 (Rs. 37.93 lakhs) on the maintenance of these libraries. This percentage for 1981-82 and 1982-83 was 32.27 and 12.65 respectively and the increase over the previous year's expenditure was about 232%.

4.85 The Libraries under the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas spent a total sum of Rs. 50.84 lakhs during the year 1983-84 on the purchase of books (Rs. 30.78 lakhs) and periodicals (Rs. 20.06 lakhs). This formed 16.13% of the total recurring expenditure (Rs. 315.21 lakhs), as detailed in Annexure-VI. This percentage for 1981-82 and 1982-83 was 21.43 and 17.5 respectively. There was, however, increase of about 11.13% over previous year's expenditure (Rs. 45.66 lakhs) on the provision of reading material.

4.851. The highest percentage (22.67) was in the Hyderabad City Grandhalaya Samstha followed by the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, East Godavari District (22.64) and only two other Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas could spend more than 20% on books and periodicals (Prakasam 21.72% and Kurnool 20.94%). The lowest percent of expenditure on reading material was in the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Mahaboobnagar (6.93) followed by the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas, Chittoor and Nalgonda (7.72), Adilabad (7.83), Cuddapah (7.89), Karimnagar (8.41) and Nellore (9).

4.852. The total expenditure on reading materials by all the Departmental libraries including assistance of about Rs. 1.91 lakhs from the Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation amounted to Rs. 63.60 lakhs, besides an expenditure of about Rs. 8.00 lakhs estimated to have been incurred by aided libraries (the expenditure during 1982-83 was Rs. 52.04 lakhs by Departmental Libraries and Rs. 6.00 lakhs by aided libraries). The percentage to total recurring expenditure (Government Libraries Rs. 37.93 lakhs + Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas Rs. 315.21 lakhs = Rs. 353.14 lakhs) was 18, as in 1982-83, registering, however, an increase of 22.21% over previous year's expenditure.

4.86. *R.R.R.L.F. Assistance for books :*

8.861. The Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation is an autonomous body set up by the Government of India in 1972 whose basic objective is to promote and support the public library movement. The States which contribute to the funds of the Foundation get financial assistance equal to double the amount contributed. According to information available, there was a balance of about Rs. 9.58 lakhs towards assistance available for Andhra Pradesh (Rs. 3.58 lakhs as opening balance for 1983-84 plus Rs. 6.00 lakhs contributed during 1983-84) out of which bills to the extent of Rs. 1,91,058.56 were paid till 31st March 1984.

4.862. Till 31st March, 1984 about seven lakh volumes costing about Rs. 41.00 lakh have been supplied to the various libraries in the State under the scheme of assistance towards building up adequate stock of books.

4.87. *Registration of Books and Periodicals :*

4.871. The Director of Public Libraries continued to be Ex-Officio Registrar of Publications with the duty of administering the provisions of the Registration of Books Act, 1867 and the Press and Registration of Books Rules, 1960. The office of the Registrar is located in the State Central Library building. The Collectors, with the magisterial powers vested in them administer the provisions of the said Act in the districts.

4.872. As per the declarations received from the Collectors, there were 1874 printing presses working in the State as on 31-3-1984 (This number was 1851 as on 31-3-1983). The office of the Registrar maintains a register of the printing presses in the State. Every printer is responsible to supply three copies of his publications to the Registrar

and if he fails to do so penal action can be taken by the Collector of the district concerned. The actionable items in the publications which attract penal action under sections 124-A, 153-A (1), (a) (b) and 295-A of the Indian Penal Code, 1860, when noticed in review of the publications by the Registrar's Office, are brought to the notice of the Government in the Home Department which is vested with power to proscribe the publications.

4.873. Of the three copies received under the said Act, one copy is sent to the Parliament Library, New Delhi, one copy to the State Central Library, Hyderabad ; as provided under section 27 of the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Act, 1960 and the third copy is preserved in the Registrar's office. During 1983-84, a total number of 1242 books were received. The language-wise break up of this figure is as follows :—Telugu 1025, Hindi 26, Urdu 13, Kannada 1, English 169 and bi-lingual polyglot 8 (During 1982-83, a total number of 1233 books were received). A total number of 10578 issues of 294 news papers and periodicals were received during 1983-84. The language-wise break up of this figure was as follows :—Telugu 225 (7,776 issues) Hindi 7 (52 issues), Urdu 6 (612 issues), English 35 (1900 issues), Sanskrit 1 (4 issues), Tamil 2 (12 issues), Kannaua 3, (24 issues) and Bi-lingual and polyglot 15 (198 issues). (During 1982-83, 187 titles and 9606 issues were received). The Maximum number of books (461) and periodicals (4,902) were received from Hyderabad District followed by Krishna District which sent 410 books and 1309 periodicals during 1983-84.

4.88. *Weeding out and Loss of books.*

4.881. The loss of books which is inevitable in Public Libraries following open access system is being written off by the Director in accordance with the norms prescribed by the Government in respect of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha libraries, i. e., a loss of 3 books is written off for every 1000 books lent for home reading or consulted. The loss of reference books or text-books which are not lent for home reading or the loss caused due to negligence or the loss which exceeds the prescribed norms is made good by the staff in easy monthly instalments. Books are being weeded out regularly with the approval of the competent authority, i. e., the Director of Public Libraries if the value is Rs. 1000 or below and the Government if the value is more than Rs. 1000 for such books in respect of each library.

CHAPTER— 5.

Finance and Accounts.

5.1. PATTERN OF LIBRARY FINANCE.

5.11. The State Library System is financed by the State Government to a large extent by sanctioning grants to the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas. During 1983-84 the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas were sanctioned grants of Rs. 196.86 lakhs which formed 56.64% of their net income of Rs. 347.55 lakhs. The Samsthas also levy library cess as surcharge at eight paise per rupee on house or property tax collected by local bodies, (Municipal Corporations/Councils, Gram Panchayats and the Secunderabad Cantonment Board) which is credited direct to the Library Funds (the Library Funds are "Local Funds" maintained at the Government Treasuries).

5.12. The expenditure on aided libraries is met by the managements concerned out of the income derived by them through subscriptions, donations, trusts, etc., apart from the grants-in-aid received from the Government or the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha.

5.13. The budget for the public libraries is of two kinds, namely (1) the State Budget voted by the Legislature from which expenditure on the Government institutions (Directorate and the eight Government Libraries) and the grants to the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas and other library organisations is met ; and (2) the budget of each Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha approved by the Director for meeting expenditure from the library fund, on maintenance and development of institutions under the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha and other approved items. The preparation of the annual budget and expenditure from the Library Fund are regulated under the Rules issued for these purposes.

5.2. STATE BUDGET AND EXPENDITURE.

5.21. In the State Budget for the year 1983-84, a sum of Rs. 2,78,77,900-2,68,94,300 under non-plan and 9,83,600 under plan—was provided including supplementary grants, capital expenditure of Rs. 2.00 lakhs for Regional Library, Visakhapatnam and modifications effected during the year 1983-84 and a sum of Rs. 25,90,000 recouped to the Contingency Fund. Excluding the sum of Rs. 25.90 lakh which was merely a recoupment of the advance taken from the Contingency Fund during 1982-83, the actual budget provision for libraries during 1983-84 was of the order of Rs. 252.88 lakhs (243.04 under non-plan and 9.84 under plan). The expenditure under non-plan was Rs. 243.85 lakhs, the excess of Rs. 0.81 lakh being due to enhanced rates of D. A., etc. The plan budget of Rs. 9.84 lakhs was fully utilised towards purchase of books and furniture in Regional Libraries and grants to Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas towards the purchase of books and furniture for Branch Libraries in Scheduled Caste and Scheduled Tribe areas and other backward area and construction of a shed in the building of the Regional Library, Rajahmundry.

5.22. The object-wise classification of expenditure was as follows :

A. EXPENDITURE ON GOVERNMENT LIBRARIES AND DIRECTORATE.

Object.	Expenditure (Rs. in lakhs).		% of increase.
	1982-83	1983-84	
1. Salaries, Wages and T. A.	27.83	29.77	6.97
2. Office Expenses, rents and taxes.	2.93	3.64	24.23
3. Books and Periodicals.	3.56	10.75	201.97
4. Capital Expenditure.	..	2.00	..
Total-A :	34.32	46.16	34.5

B. EXPENDITURE ON SANCTION OF GRANTS.

(1) *Grants to Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas.*

1. Salary grants.	157.98	180.79	14.44
2. Grants for wages.	6.06	8.17	34.82
3. Grants for pensions.	..	1.36	..
4. Grants for books and Contingencies.	4.79	..	..
5. Grant for pilot project.	..	1.00	..
6. Building grants.	..	..	..
Total-B (1).	168.83	191.32	13.32

(2) *Grants-in-aid and Contributions.*

1. Grants-to aided libraries :	1.19	2.43	104.2
2. Special grants to aided libraries	..	0.94	..
Total 1 and 2	1.19	3.37	183.19
3. Contribution to R.R.R.L.F.	1.00	3.00	200.
Total : B (2)	2.19	6.37	190.87
Total : B.	171.02	197.69	15.59
Total (A+B) Non-Plan :	205.34	243.85	18.75
(ii) Total Plan.	0.18	9.84	5,366.67
Total Expenditure from State Funds :	205.52	253.69	23.44

(ii) Plan Expenditure :

(Rupees in lakhs.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme implemented.	Expenditure incurred (1983-84).
(1)	(2)	(3)
A. GOVERNMENT LIBRARIES.		
1.	Purchase of furniture and equipment for Regional Libraries (Rs. 32,500 for Regional Library, Nizamabad; Rs. 17,237 for R. L. Tirupathi and Rs. 33,500 for each of the remaining 4 Regional Libraries) ..	1.84
2.	Purchase of text books and reference books for the Regional Library, Guntur	0.10
3.	Construction of a temporary shed for the Regional Library, Rajahmundry	1.00
	Total - A : ..	2.94
B. ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHA LIBRARIES.		
4.	Purchase of books and furniture for the Libraries, under the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Adilabad, Anantapur, Cuddapah, Mahaboobnagar, Nalgonda and Vizianagaram @ Rs. 80,000 for each district ..	4.80
5.	Purchase of furniture and equipment for the Libraries in Scheduled Caste areas under the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas, Anantapur, Kurnool, Nalgonda, Nellore, Prakasam and Rangareddy Districts @ Rs. 25,000 for each district	1.50
6.	Purchase of furniture and equipment for the Libraries in Scheduled Tribe areas under the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas, Adilabad, Khammam, Srikakulam and Vizianagaram districts @ Rs. 15,000 for each district	0.60
	Total : B : ..	6.90
	Grand Total (A+B) : ..	9.84

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5.23. The institution-wise classification of expenditure from plan and non-plan budget was as follows :—

Sl. No.	Institution.	Expenditure during 1983-84. (Rs. in lakhs).		
		Plan (3)	Non-Plan (4)	Total (5)
1.	Directorate .. .. .	..	8.07	8.07
2.	Government Libraries	2.94	38.09	41.03
3.	Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas	6.90	191.32	198.22
4.	Aided Libraries .. .. .	..	3.37	3.37
5.	Raja Rammohan Roy Library Foundation .. .. .	..	3.00	3.00
Total :		9.84	243.85	253.69

5.3. LIBRARY FUNDS OF Z.G.Ss.— INCOME AND EXPENDITURE :

5.31. Income of Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas during 1983-84 :

5.311 A statement showing the net income of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas by way of library cess collections salary grants and special grants is enclosed as Annexure VII-A. Another statement showing the gross income (and expenditure) of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas is enclosed as Annexure VII-C. As per audited figures, the net income during 1983-84 amounted to Rs. 347.55 lakhs, registering an increase of 24.66% over previous year's income (Rs. 278.79 lakhs), as shown hereunder :

Sl. No.	Source.	Amount (Rs. in lakhs)	
		1982-83 (3)	1983-84 (4)
A. NET INCOME.			
1.	Cess collections (38.22% increase during 1983-84)	103.71	143.35
2.	Salary grant	158.10	180.79
3.	Wages grants	6.14	8.17
4.	Grant for Books (furniture & books for 1983-84).	5.13	4.80
5.	Other grants & donations	0.10	3.95
6.	Miscellaneous receipts	5.61	6.49
Total - A :		278.79	347.55 (a)

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
B. Other receipts of refundable nature, recovery of loans, etc. ..		32.41	31.56
Gross Income (A+B) :	..	311.20	379.11
C. Opening Balance :	--	71.69	67.68 (b)
Total Income (A+B+C) :	..	382.89	446.79

Note (a).—The amount of Rs. 347.55 does not include the pension grant of Rs. 1.36 lakhs sanctioned during 1983-84, but credited to Library Funds after 31-3-1984.

Note (b).—The opening balance of Rs. 67.68 lakhs includes a sum of Rs. 0.67 lakhs invested in a Bank which was not shown in the previous report under the closing balance for 1982-83 in the account of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samastha, Mahaboobnagar.

5.32. Library Cess Collections—Analysis.

5.321. The main source of income of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas is by way of library cess collections, but they are facing difficulties in realising the amounts due from the local bodies (84 Municipalities and over 18,000 Panchayats). However, the cess collections are constantly on the increase on account of the drive made by the Department. The year under report was the peak year for cess collections amounting to Rs. 143.35 lakhs registering an increase of 38.22% as against the increase of 19.95% during 1982-83 and 5.26% during 1981-82.

5.322. The districts which realised more amounts during 1983-84 than the collections of 1982-83 were as follows:—Adilabad (increase Rs. 1.39 lakhs = 10.37%), Anantapur (Rs. 1.30 lakhs = 48.69%), Chittoor (Rs. 2.34 lakhs = 66.29%), Cuddapah (Rs. 0.70 lakhs = 27.03%), East Godavari (Rs. 4.21 lakhs = 57.99%), Guntur (Rs. 1.64 lakhs = 13.17%), Hyderabad City (Rs. 11.70 lakhs = 73.82%), Karimnagar (Rs. 0.58 lakh = 26.01%), Khammam (Rs. 1.01 lakh = 45.09%), and Krishna (Rs. 1.72 lakhs = 12.6%), Mahaboobnagar (Rs. 0.99 lakhs = 59.64%), Medak (Rs. 0.34 lakh = 14.23%), Nalgonda (Rs. 0.22 lakh = 11.58%), Nellore (Rs. 0.88 lakh = 30.77%), Nizamabad (Rs. 1.57 lakhs = 39.45%), Rangareddy (Rs. 1.65 lakhs = 71.12%), Srikakulam (Rs. 0.11 lakh = 9.24%), Vizianagaram (Rs. 1.80 lakhs = 14.06%), Warangal (Rs. 2.26 lakhs = 83.39%), and West Godavari (Rs. 5.05 lakhs = 71.53%). The total increase in cess collections in these 20 districts amounted to Rs. 41.46 lakhs (Rs. 132.62—91.16) and the percentage of increase over previous year's collection was 45.48. The highest amount of cess (Rs. 27.55 lakhs) and the highest amount of increase (Rs. 11.70 lakhs = 73.82%) was realised in Hyderabad City, but the highest percentage of increase (83.39%) was in Warangal district. The lowest amount of cess (Rs. 1.30 lakhs) was in Srikakulam district and it was above Rs. 2.00 lakhs in all the other districts.

5.323.—There was decrease in cess collections in the districts of Kurnool (decrease Rs. 0.28 lakhs = 11.02%), Prakasam (Rs. 0.26 lakh = 6.03%) and Visakhapatnam (Rs. 1.28 lakhs = 22.46%). The total decrease amounted to Rs. 1.82 lakhs (Rs. 12.55—Rs. 10.73) equal to 10.2% of previous year's, collection.

5.33.—*Expenditure from Library Funds of Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas during 1983-84:—*

5.331.—A statement showing the net expenditure of each Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha during the year 1983-84 is enclosed as Annexure-VII.B. The net expenditure during the year 1983-84 on the following items was Rs. 332.06 lakhs (As against Rs. 285.79 lakhs during 1982-83) registering an increase of 16.19% over the expenditure of previous year (the increase during the previous year was 10.17%). A bulk of this expenditure was on establishment (66.94%) and about 20% on books, periodicals and equipment and 7.57% on buildings.

Sl. No.	Item of Expenditure	Expenditure (Rs. in lakhs).		% of increase/decrease
		1982-83	1983-84	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
A. NET EXPENDITURE :				
1. <i>Establishment :-</i>				
	(a) Salaries (including B.D.Cs., V.Ls., etc.)	167.13	205.65	23.05 (+)
	(b) Wages	10.98	10.11	7.92 (—)
	(c) T. A. (Staff and Z. G. S. members)	4.22	4.19	0.71 (—)
	(d) Pensions	0.68	2.32	241.18 (+)
	Total Establishment : ..	183.01	222.27	21.45 (+)
	% to total net expenditure : ..	64.04	66.94	..

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
2. Equipment :				
(a) books.	27.15	30.78	13.37 (+)
(b) Newspapers and periodicals.	18.51	20.06	8.37 (+)
(c) Furniture and equipment	6.78	11.47	69.17 (+)
(d) Vehicles.	3.18	..
Total Equipment :	52.44	65.49	24.89 (+)
% to total net Expr.	18.34	19.72	..
3. Buildings :				
(a) New buildings.	10.79	16.85	56.16 (+)
(b) Repairs, extensions, etc.	14.47	0.67	95.37 (-)
(c) Rents & taxes.	6.52	7.61	16.72 (+)
Total buildings :	31.78	25.13	20.92 (-)
% to total net Expr.	11.12	7.57	..
4. Other Items				
	18.56	19.17	3.29(+)
% to total net Expr.	6.5	5.77	..
Total-A. Net Expenditure:	285.79	332.06	16.19(+)
B. Other Expenditure (Loans, refunds of deposit, etc.)				
	30.05	26.32	12.41 (-)
Gross Expenditure : (A+B)	315.84	358.38	13.47 (+)
C. Closing Balance :				
	67.05	88.41	31.86 (+)
Total Expenditure :(A+B+C)	382.89	446.79	16.69 (+)

5.4—GRANT-IN-AID TO AIDED LIBRARIES.

5.41—Grants from State Funds.

5.411—As provided in rule 10-A of the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Rules, 1961, the Director sanctioned grant-in-aid of Rs. 2,42,870 to 576 aided libraries. The amount of aid is limited to 50% of expenditure incurred by the library on the purchase of books and periodicals during the preceding year. The maximum aid admissible is Rs. 800 in respect of a public library run by a private management and Rs. 300 in respect of a Panchayat Library. A statement showing the number of aided libraries and the amount of grant sanctioned in each district is enclosed as Annexure VIII. The average grant sanctioned to each library works out to Rs. 421.65 as against average of Rs. 217.87 during 1982-83 and Rs. 386.92 during 1981-82.

5.412—The following 9 aided libraries were also sanctioned recurring annual grants and special grants of Rs. 94,353 as per Government orders :—

Sl. No.	Name of the Library	Amount of grant.	Purpose.
1	2	3	4
1.	Sri Krishna Devaraya Andhra Bhasha Nilayam, Hyderabad.	20,000	Recurring grant.
2.	Saraswatha Niketanam Vetapalem, Prakasam District. ..	20,000	Do.
3.	Hyderabad Literary Society, Osmania University. ..	14,353	Do.
4.	A.P. High Court Advocates Association Library, Hyd. ..	10,000	Books.
5.	Marwadi Hindi Pustakalaya, Hyd.	5,000	Furniture and equipment.
6.	Malkapet Govt. Colony Residents' Association and Library, Hyd. ..	5,000	Do.
7.	Abul Kalam Azad Oriental Research Institute, Hyderabad. ..	5,000	Do.
8.	Kakatiya Grandhalayam, Hyd. ..	5,000	Do.
9.	Sri Vardhamana Samajam Library Nellore.	10,000	Do.
Total :		94,353	

5.42—Grants from Library Funds.

5.421—The following Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas sanctioned grant-in-aid of Rs. 3,10,764 to 77 aided libraries towards the purchase of books, periodicals, furniture and binding charges :

Sl. No.	Name of the Z.G.S.	No. of Libraries	Amount of grant.	Average per library.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs.	Rs.
1.	Hyderabad City Grandhalaya Samstha ..	59	2,87,140	4,866.78
2.	Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Prakasam. ..	10	13,400	1,340.00
3.	Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Krishna. ..	8	10,224	1,278.00
4.	Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, West Godavari ..	..	..	..
Total - 1983-84 ..		77	3,10,764	4,035.90
Total - 1982-83 ..		108	2,56,780	2,377.59

5.43—Grants from Central Government :

5.431—Under the scheme “financial assistance to voluntary educational organisations working in the field of public libraries”, the Government of India, Ministry of Education, Department of Culture sanctioned Rs. 30,000 to two aided libraries (Rs. 20,000 to Abul Kalam Azad Oriental Research Institute Library and Rs. 10,000 to the Library of the Institute of Asian Studies, Hyderabad) towards the purchase of books and furniture.

5.44—Grant from R.R.R.L.F.

5.441—The following 4 aided libraries were sanctioned grants from the Raja Ramamohun Roy Library Foundation amounting to Rs. 7,000 towards binding and preservation of out of print and rare books :—

Sl. No.	Name of the Library.	Amount of grant.
1	2	3
1.	Arya Bala Samajam Central Library Pedapalem Guntur District.	Rs. 1,000
2.	Sri Andhra Kesari Grandhalayam, Nandur, Guntur District.	2,000
3.	Sri Saraswathi Samajam Free Reading Room and Library, Nellore.	2,000
4.	Abul Kalam Azad Oriental Research Institute, Hyderabad.	2,000
Total :		7,000

5.45—Summary of grants to aided libraries :

Sl. No.	Name of the Scheme/Source.	No. of beneficiaries.	Amount of grant.	Average per library.
1	2	3	4	5
			Rs.	Rs.
1.	Grant given by the Director from the State Budget.	576	2,42,870	421.65
2.	Recurring grant and special grants from the State Budget.	9	94,353	10,483.66
3.	Grant given by 3 Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas from Library Funds.	77	3,10,764	4,035.90
4.	Grant given by the Government of India.	2	30,000	15,000.00
5.	Grant given from the Raja Ramamohun Roy Library Foundation.	4	7,000	1,750.00
Total : 1983-84.		668	6,84,987	1,025.43
Total—1982-83		656	3,85,955	588.35
Increase :		12	2,99,032	437.08
% of increase :		1.82	77.48	74.29

5.5 *Summary of Expenditure on the State Library System from various sources :*

SOURCE.	Expenditure in 1982-83. (Rs. in lakhs)		Expenditure in 1983-84 (Rs. in lakhs)	
	Gross.	Net.	Gross.	Net.
A. From the State Government funds (Plan & Non-Plan.)	205.52	35.51	253.69	52.47
B. From Library Funds of Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas. ..	315.84	285.79	358.38	332.06
C. Assistance from the Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation. ..	2.82	2.82	2.34	1.98
D. Government of India's grant to aided libraries. ..	0.10	0.10	0.30	0.30
E. Estimated Expenditure from financial resources of aided libraries. ..	8.50	8.50	12.00	12.00
Total :	532.78	332.72	626.71	398.81
Increase :	.. ..	16.54	..	66.09
% of increase :	.. ..	5.23	..	19.86

5.51 *Net Expenditure from the financial resources of the Department:*

A. EXPENDITURE FROM GOVT. FUNDS.

(Rupees in lakhs)

	1982-83	1983-84
(a) Expenditure on Govt. Libraries and Directorate.	34.32	49.10
(b) Grants to Aided Libraries. ..	1.19	3.37
(c) Contribution to R.R.R.L.F. .. (utilized)	1.00	1.98
Total-A :	36.51	54.45
B. Net Expenditure from Z.G.S. Funds :-	285.79	332.06
Total : A+B	322.30	386.51
Increase :	19.63	64.21
% of increase :	6.49	19.92

5.52 *Financial resources for the Net Expenditure on the State Library System :*

(Rs. in lakhs)

	1982-83	1983-84
(a) State Government funds.	205.52	251.67(+)
(b) Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha funds.	116.78	134.84
(c) Other Sources :		
(i) Government of India.	0.10	0.30
(ii) R.R.L.F.	1.82	..
(iii) Aided Libraries.	8.50	12.00
Total Net Expenditure :	332.72	398.81
Increase :	16.54	66.0
% of increase :	5.23	19.86

(+)NOTE : Does not include Rs. 2.02 lakhs - Rs. 1.36 lakhs credited to Library Funds after 31-3-1984 and Rs. 0.66 lakhs contributed to Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation and not utilized.

5.6 AUDIT AND INSPECTION :

5.61 The annual audit of accounts of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas for the year 1982-83 was conducted by the Auditors of the Local Fund Audit Department, as laid down in the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Rules, 1961. The accounts of the Office of the Director of Public Libraries and the Government Libraries were inspected by the Auditors of the Accountant-General. Brisk action was taken to rectify the defects pointed out in the audit reports.

5.62 The Department observed a "Clearance Fortnight" from 2-10-1983 to 16-10-1983 during which many pending cases of personnel, grievances of public including about 1,000 old pending audit objections were settled. The library staff showed enthusiasm to bring the technical work up-to-date working hard during this fortnight for a few extra hours each day.

5.63 The office of the Director of Public Libraries is inspected by a Senior Officer in I.A.S. cadre designated by the Government. The Offices of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas, the Government Libraries, the City Central Library, Hyderabad and the District Central Libraries

are inspected by the Director of Public Libraries and detailed instructions are issued for rectification of defects noticed and improvement of working conditions of these institutions. The Branch Libraries are inspected by the Librarian District Central Library/City Central Library and the inspection reports are reviewed by the Director. The aided libraries, the village Libraries and the Book Deposit Centres are Inspected by the Branch Librarians. The administrative authorities take follow up action on the inspection reports so as to tone up the efficiency of these organisations. The Inspecting Officers follow the provisions of the A.P. Libraries Inspection Code.

CHAPTER-6

EXTENSION ACTIVITIES OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES:

6.1 During the year 1983-84, the public libraries organised the following activities which helped in popularising the library services:

PROGRAMME.	No of programmes organised.	
	1982-83	1983-84
Reading Circles.	396	515
Lectures.	2,001	1,466
Group discussions.	880	1,108
Film shows.	890	1,043
Book exhibitions.	809	844

6.2 The Department of Adult Education (A.P.) has been implementing the National Adult Education Programme in the State since December, 1979. There are three main Components of the programme : namely, Literacy, Functionality and Awareness. From 1980 to 1984 about 11.44 lakh illiterates have been covered. The Department of Adult Education has also started a post-literacy and follow up programme in order to prevent the neo-literates from lapsing into illiteracy. Public Libraries are playing their part in sustaining this national effort by providing reading facilities through the various public libraries especially the Branch Libraries, Village Libraries and Book Deposit Centres.

6.3 Audio-visual aids are provided in the Government Libraries, the District Central Libraries and some Branch Libraries. Film projectors are available in the State Central Library, Hyderabad, the State Regional Library, Guntur, the Regional Library, Tirupathi (film strip projector), the Mobile Library, Eluru, the City Central Library, Hyderabad, the District Central Libraries at Adilabad, Anantapur, Guntur, Krishna, Visakhapatnam and West Godavari. Public address equipment and radio sets are provided in many public libraries. T.V. sets are available in the City Central Library, Hyderabad the District Central Libraries at Medak and Nellore and in the Branch Libraries at Vijayawada (Krishna District), Shadnagar and Amangal (Mahaboobnagar District). The Libraries are making use of the radio sets, T.V. sets and films for dissemination of knowledge.

6.4 The XVI National Library Week was organised by the Public Libraries from 14 to 20 November, 1983 in which seminars, symposia Children's competitions and public functions of educational nature, and literary programmes were organised. The celebrations were inaugurated at the City Central Library, Hyderabad by Sri P. Ananda Gajapathi Raju, Hon'able Minister for Education and Public Libraries.

6.5 The XXIX All India Library Conference was held at Mysore, from 5 to 9 December, 1983, in the Golden Jubilee Year of Indian Library Association 1933-83 which was attended by the Director of Public Libraries, the Chairmen and Secretaries of Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas and the Librarians of Government Libraries.

6.6 An Orientation seminar on Planning and Management for Senior Administrators of Public Library Services was organised at New Delhi from 6 to 10 February, 1984 by the National Institute of Educational Planning and Administration in collaboration with the Raja Rammohun Roy Library Foundation. The Director of Public Libraries attended this Seminar.

6.7 There are two Library Associations in the State. They are the Andhra Pradesh Library Association, Headquarters Vijayawada and the Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Association, Headquarters Hyderabad. The Andhra Pradesh Library Association is running a School of Library Science at Vijayawada and it is publishing a periodical, in Telugu called "Grandhalaya Sarwaswamu". The Andhra Pradesh Public Libraries Association, Hyderabad is also publishing a month in English called "Library Today". Conferences and Seminars are also organised by these Associations for propagation of the Library Movement in Andhra Pradesh.

CHAPTER - 7.

LIBRARY STATISTICS - EVALUATION OF STATISTICS—
CONCLUSION.

7.1 BASIC STATISTICS.

7.11 The following tables furnish the basic statistics such as the total number of readers, registered borrowers, books consulted and books issued for home reading during the years 1982-83 and 1983-84 and also separate statistics of various kinds of libraries (for bookstock and number of periodicals, please see paragraphs 4.82 and 4.83).

TABLE (i)
STATISTICS OF 1222 DEPARTMENTAL LIBRARIES.

(S.C.L. 1, R.Ls. 6, D.C.Ls. 23, B.Ls. 796, V.Ls. 250, B.D.Cs. 130 and M.Ls. 16).

Sl.No.	Item	(Figures in lakhs) Position in 1982-83 (1155 Libraries).	Position in 1983-84 (1222 libraries)	% of increase/ decrease.
1.	No. of readers.	301.62	296.97	1.54 (—)
2.	No. of registered borrowers.	4.59	4.76	3.7 (+)
3.	No. of books consulted.	73.58	66.76	9.27 (—)
4.	No. of books lent for home reading.	100.28	97.27	3 (—)
5.	Total No. of books used.	173.86	164.03	6.22 (—)

TABLE (ii)

STATISTICS OF 631 AIDED LIBRARIES.

Sl.No.	Item	(Figures in lakhs)		Average per library	
		Position in 1982-83 (728- libraries)	Position in 1983-84 (631 - libraries)	1982-83	1983-84
1.	No. of readers.	33.56	27.93	4,610	4,426
2.	No. of registered borrowers.	0.36	0.18	49	28

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
3.	No. of books consulted.	10.02	6.41	1,376	1,016
4.	No. of books lent for home reading.	9.42	8.06	1,294	1,277
5.	Total No. of books used (3+4).	19.44	14.47	2,670	2,293

TABLE (iii)

STATISTICS AT A GLANCE FOR VARIOUS CATEGORIES OF 1853 PUBLIC LIBRARIES.

Item	No. of libraries furnishing statistics for 83-84	Total for		Average per library per working day	
		1982-83 (Figures in lakhs)	1983-84	1982-83	1983-84
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
<i>I. No. of Readers :</i>					
<i>(a) Govt. Libraries :</i>					
(i) State Central Library.	1	2.67	2.86	883	962
(ii) Regional Libraries.	6	6.01	6.05	357	355
Total (a) (286 days)	7	8.68	8.91	436	445
<i>(b) Z.G.S. Libraries :</i>					
(i) D.C.Ls. ..	23	36.57	33.74	528	481
(ii) B.Ls. ...	796	239.36	235.67	104	101
(iii) V.Ls. ...	252	13.00	14.77	28	21
(iv) B.D.Cs. ..	135	4.01	3.88	12	10
Total (b) (290 days)	1,206	292.94	288.06	87	82
Total (a) + (b) (290 days).	1,213	301.62	296.97	89	84

	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
(c) <i>Aided Libraries</i> (301 days)		631	33.56	27.93	15	15
Total -I=(a+b+c) (293 days)		1,844	335.18	324.90	60	60

II. No. of registered borrowers.

(a) Government Libraries.

(i) S.C.L.	..	1	0.11	0.11	..	..
(ii) R.Ls.	..	6	0.12	0.14	..	..
(iii) M.L.	..	1	0.06	0.06	..	..
Total (a)	..	8	0.29	0.31	..	..

(b) Z.G.S.

Libraries.

(i) D.C.Ls.	..	23	0.69	0.72	..	—
(ii) B.Ls.	..	796	3.38	3.48	..	—
(iii) V.Ls.	..	248	0.12	0.16	..	—
(iv) B.D.Cs.	..	49	0.01	0.01	..	—
(v) M.Ls.	..	13	0.10	0.09

Total (b)	..	1,129	4.50	4.46
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Total (A+B)	..	1,137	4.59	4.77
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(c) *Aided Libraries*

Total -II (a+b+c)	..	1,726	4.95	4.95
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III. No. of Books consulted.

(a) Government Libraries.

(i) S.C.L.	..	1	2.76	2.26	915	759
(ii) R.Ls.	..	6	7.54	5.88	447	345

Total (a) (286 days)	..	7	10.30	8.14	517	407
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(b) Z.G.S.

Libraries

(i) D.C.Ls.	..	23	8.51	7.66	123	109
(ii) B.Ls.	..	796	49.55	44.27	21	19
(iii) V.Ls.	..	237	3.34	4.59	6	7
(iv) B.D.Cs.	..	133	1.88	2.10	5	5

Total (b) (290 days)	..	1,189	63.28	58.62	19	17
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Total (a+b) (290 days)	..	1,196	73.58	66.76	22	19
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	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
(c) <i>Aided Libraries</i> (301 days) ..	567	10.02	6.41	5	4	
Total -III (a+b+c) (293 days) ..	1,763	83.60	73.17	16	14	

IV. No. of Books Lent

(a) Government Libraries.

(i) S.C.L. ..	1	0.69	0.54	228	181
(ii) R.Ls. ..	6	3.45	3.03	204	178
(iii) M.L. ..	1	0.16	0.11	93	119
Total (a) (262 days) ..	8	4.30	3.68	198	176

(b) Z.G.S. Libraries.

(i) D. C. Ls.	23	13.25	12.75	191	182
(ii) B. Ls.	796	74.69	72.68	32	31
(iii) V. Ls.	253	4.15	5.20	8	7
(iv) B. D. Cs.	93	1.45	1.27	4	5
(v) M. Ls.	13	2.45	1.68	45	65
Total (b) (289 days).	1178	95.99	93.58	29	27

Total (a + b) (289 days).	1186	100.29	97.26	30	28
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(c) *Aided Libraries.*

(301 days).	526	9.42	8.06	5	5
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Total-IV: (a + b + c). 292 days	1712	109.71	105.32	22	21
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V. No. of Books Used (III+IV)

(a) Government Libraries :

(i) S. C. L.	1	3.45	2.80	1,139	942
(ii) R. Ls.	6	10.99	8.91	652	523
(iii) M. L.	1	0.16	0.11	93	115

Total (a) (262 days).	8	14.60	11.82	675	564
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(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
(b) ZGS. Libraries.					
(i) D. C. Ls.	23	21.76	20.41	314	291
(ii) B. Ls.	796	124.24	116.95	54	50
(iii) V. Ls.	253	7.49	9.79	15	14
(iv) B. D. Cs.	133	3.33	3.37	8	9
(v) M. Ls.	13	2.45	1.68	45	65
Total. (b) (289 days)	1218	159.27	152.20	49	43
Total (a + b) (289 days).	1226	173.87	164.02	53	46
(c) Aided. Libraries.					
(301 days).	567	19.44	14.47	10	8
Total-V. (a + b + c). (292 days).	1793	193.30	178.49	37	34

7.12. The position, district-wise, for each Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, each Government Library and the Aided Libraries, may be seen at Annexures IX-A, IX-B and IX-C respectively.

7.13. During the year 1983-84, a total number of 296.97 lakh readers attended the public libraries under the Government and the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas on an average of about 84 readers per library per working day. There was decrease of about 1.54% compared to last year's figures.

7.14. The number of registered borrowers in the Government Libraries and the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha Libraries was 476,314 as on 31-3-1984 registering an increase of about 3.7% over previous year's figures. This number forms about 5% of the literate population of the areas covered by library service (1981 census).

7.15. The usage of books in public libraries decreased by about 6.22%. The average number of books used per day per library decreased from 53 during 1982-83 to 46 during 1983-84.

7.2. EVALUATION OF STATISTICS.

(i) Area and Population

	Provisional figures of 1981 Census.
Total population of Andhra Pradesh.	53,549,673
Total literate population.	16,034,818
Percentage of literacy.	29.94

(a) *Library Service in Urban Areas.*

Number of towns/cities.		252
Urban Population :		
	Total.	12,487,576
	Literates :	6,492,568
Percentage of literacy :		51.99
No. of towns with a library of Zilla Grandhalaya Sam- stha. (District Central Library or Branch Library).		218
Percentage of towns covered :		86.5
No. of towns without a Branch Library of Zilla Gran- dhalaya Samstha.		34
No. of Branch Libraries yet to be opened.		166
No. of service units in urban areas :		322
	S. C. L.	1
	R. Ls.	6
	D. C. Ls.	22
	C. C. L.	1
	M. L. (Van).	1
	B. Ls.	286
	V. Ls	5
	Total.	<u>322</u>
Other Libraries :		
Rickshaw M. Ls.		42
B. D. Cs.		30
Panchayat Libraries.		18
Co-operative Society Libraries.		4
Private managements.		327
	Total.	<u>421</u>
Population covered :		
	Total.	<u>11,601,463</u>
Percentage.		92.9
Average per unit.		36,029
<i>Literates.</i>		6,210,365
Percentage.		95.9
Average per unit.		19,287

(b) Library Service in Rural Areas:

Number of Villages.	29,710
Viable units (Population of 1000 and above).	15,628
Rural population :—	

Total:	<u>41,062,097</u>
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Literates.	9,542,250
Percentage of literacy.	23.24

No. of Villages covered by Library Service.	3,467
Percentage.	11.67

No. of Villages to be covered.	26,243
No. of Branch Libraries yet to be opened.	876
No. of service units in rural areas :—	843

B. Ls.	510
V. Ls.	332
M. L.	1

Total:	<u>843</u>
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Other Libraries :—

Book Deposit Centres.	552
Rickshaw Libraries.	7
Cycle Libraries.	50
Panchayat Libraries.	1,516
Co-operative Libraries.	63
Private Managements.	403

Total:	<u>2,591</u>
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Population covered :

Total:	<u>12,073,115</u>
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Percentage.	29.4
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Average per unit.	14,322
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<i>Literates:</i>	3,105,592
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Percentage.	32.55
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Average per unit.	3,684
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(ii) Total No. of Service units in the State :

<i>Service Units :</i>		1,165
S.C.L.	1	
R.Ls.	6	
D.C.Ls.	23	
B.Ls.	796	
V.Ls.	337	
M.Ls.	2	
Total :	1,165	

Other Libraries:

Book Deposit Centres.	582
Rickshaw Libraries.	49
Cycle Libraries.	50
Panchayat Libraries.	1,534
Co-operative Society Libraries.	67
Other Aided Libraries.	730
Total :	3,012

Population covered.

		Total:	23,674,578
Percentage.	.. .. .	..	44.21
Average per unit.	.. .. .	..	20,322
<i>Literates:</i>			9,315,957
Percentage.	.. .. .	..	58.09
Average per unit.	.. .. .	..	7,997
No. of towns and villages covered	.. .. .	..	3,685
Percentage.			12.29
No. of Branch Libraries yet to be Opened.	.. .. .	..	1,042

(iii) Finance.

1982-83 1983-84

Total expenditure of the State (Budget Estimate)	Rs. 2337.39	3096.21
	Crores	Crores
Per capita	.. .. .	Rs. 537.33
		Rs. 578.20
	Crores	Crores
Expenditure on Education. (Revised Estimates)	314.13	428.29

	1982-83	1983-84
<i>Per capita to:—</i>	Rs.	Rs.
Total population.	58.65	79.98
Literate population.	196.33	267.10
<i>Expenditure on Public Library Service :—</i>	3.22	3.87
	Crores	Crores
From State Budget.	2.05	2.53
From Library Funds of Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas.	1.17	1.34
	Crores	Crores
Percentage to total expenditure of the State.	0.13	0.12
Percentage to expenditure on Education.	1.03	0.90
	Rs.	
Average expenditure per unit.	28,123.90	33,176.82
<i>Per capita to:—</i>		
Total population.	0.60	0.72
Literate population.	2.01	2.41
Total population covered.	N.A.	1.63
Literate population covered.	N.A.	4.15
Total No. of readers.	1.07	1.30
Registered borrowers.	70.26	81.15
IV. BOOK STOCK	1982-83	1983-84
(Govt. + Z.G.S.)	69,91,223	75,44,030
Average per unit	6,100	6,476
<i>Per capita to :—</i>		
Total population	0.13	0.14
Literate population	0.43	0.47
Population covered	N.A.	0.32
Literate population covered	N.A.	0.81
V. No. OF VISITORS (READERS)		
(290 working days)	30,162,617	29,697,258
<i>Average :—</i>		
Per day.	104,731	102,404
Per unit.	26,320	25,491
Per day per unit.	91	88
<i>Per capita to :—</i>		
Total population.	0.56	0.55
Literate population.	1.88	1.85
Population covered.	N.A.	1.25
Literate population covered	N.A.	3.19

	1982-83	1983-84
	Rs.	Rs.
VI No. OF REGISTERED BORROWERS	458,743	476,314
Average per unit.	400	409
<i>Per capita to :—</i>		
Total population.	0.01	0.01
Literate population	0.03	0.03
Population covered.	N.A.	0.02
Literate population covered.	N.A.	0.05
VII No. OF BOOKS CONSULTED.	73,58,435	66,75,742
<i>Average ;—</i>		
Per day.	25,550	23,020
Per Unit.	6,421	5,730
Per day per unit.	22.29	19.76
<i>Per capita to —</i>		
Total No. of visitors.	0.24	0.22
Total population.	0.14	0.12
Literate population.	0.45	0.42
Population covered.	N.A.	0.28
Literate population covered.	N.A.	0.72
VIII.No. OF BOOKS LENT	100,28,082	97,26,502
(289 days)		
<i>Average —</i>		
Per day.	34,819	33,656
Per Unit.	8,750	8,349
Per day per unit.	30.38	28.89
<i>Per capita to —</i>		
Total No. of borrowers.	22	20
Total population.	0.19	0.18
Literate population	0.62	0.61
Population covered.	N.A.	0.41
Literate population covered.	N.A.	1.04

	1982-83	1983-84
IX. NO. OF BOOKS USED :	Rs.	Rs.
(viii+ix)	173,86,517	164,02,244
<i>Average ;</i>		
Per day	63,370	56,755
Per unit	15,171	14,079
Per day per unit	52.67	48.55
<i>Per capita to :</i>		
Total population.	0.32	0.31
Literate population	1.08	1.02
Population covered	N.A.	0.69
Literate population covered	N.A.	1.76
X. NO. OF TRAINED PERSONNEL :	821	841
Degree/Diploma holders	171	167
Certificate holders	650	674
<i>Ratio to population :</i>		
Total	1 : 65,225	1 : 63,674
Literates	1 : 19,530	1 : 19,066
Population covered	N.A.	1 : 28,150
Literate population covered.	N.A.	1 : 11,077

7.3. Conclusion ;

7.31. The most important achievement during 1983-84 was the provision of Rs. 10.00 lakhs in the Plan Budget as against Rs. 2.00 lakhs in the previous years. This provision was utilized towards the provision of better amenities in the Regional Libraries and in the Branch Libraries located in S.C., S.T. and other backward areas. It was also peak year for the record collection of Rs. 143.35 lakhs as library cess.

7.32. The statistics presented in this report indicate slight decrease in the average number of readers and the number of books used which is partly due to lack of reading material. Due to financial-stringency it has not been possible to sanction grants for opening new Branch Libraries after 1981-82 whereas the requirements on this account have increased from 563 as per 1971 census to 1042 as per 1981 census due to tremendous growth in population. A break through is expected to be made in the Seventh Plan period.

7.33. Andhra Pradesh has achieved a satisfactory level in the development of its Public Library System which can be compared favourably with the development achieved at the national level, in respect of the following matters.

7.331. The per capita expenditure on Public Libraries in India is Rs. 0.03 as compared to Rs. 12.50 in U.S.A. and Rs. 6.00 in U.K. The per capita expenditure in Andhra Pradesh was Rs. 0.72 during 1983-84 i.e., equal to 24 times the national average.

7.332. India spends 0.3 per cent of its Education Budget on libraries whereas Andhra Pradesh spends 0.9 per cent of its Education Budget, i.e., three times the national average.

7.333. The expenditure per literate person on libraries is 50 paise only at the national level and it is at Rs. 2.41 per literate person in Andhra Pradesh which is more than four times the expenditure at national level. This is despite the fact that the percentage of literacy in Andhra Pradesh is much below the national level (India 36.2% and Andhra Pradesh 29.94% occupying 23rd rank in 1981 as against 22nd in 1971).

7.334. The State capital is among the four cities, viz., Delhi, Hyderabad, Madras and Bombay which have City Public Library system among the 29 metropolitan cities in India with a population of more than 4,00,000.

7.335. In India 291 districts out of 401 (as in 1981) have District Central Libraries. The target of opening District Central Libraries was completed in 1952 in Andhra area and in 1958 in Telangana area.

7.336. In India 30 per cent Development Blocks have libraries, i.e., 1798 out of 5,023 Blocks (as in 1981). In Andhra Pradesh about 80 per cent Development Blocks have Branch Libraries, i.e., 257 out of 316 (as in 1981).

7.337. Only 48 per cent of the towns in India have libraries i.e., 1,280 towns out of 2,643 towns (as in 1981). In Andhra Pradesh about 90 per cent of the towns have Branch Libraries, i.e., 200 towns out of 224 towns (as in 1981).

7.338. Only 7 per cent villages have libraries (as in 1981) i.e., 41,828 out of 575,936 villages in India. In Andhra Pradesh, libraries are existing in about 11.67 per cent villages, i.e., 3,467 out of 29,710 villages (as in 1984).

7.339. Only 20 per cent literate population is covered by the Public Library services in India. The coverage of literate population in Andhra Pradesh is 58.09 per cent (as in 1984).

7.34. The above statistics are encouraging and indicative of the achievements of the State in the progress of the Library Movement. The liberal policies of the State Government and liberal allocation of grants to foster the growth of public libraries and the untiring and continuing efforts of the library organisations have been helpful in achieving the developments in this field.

M. V. VENKATA REDDY,
Director of Public Libraries.

LIST OF GAZETTED POSTS IN THE DEPARTMENT AND PERSONS WHO HELD THE POSTS DURING 1983-84

Sl. No.	Name of the post.	Name of the Office.	Tenure	
			From	To
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)
1.	Librarian, State Central Library, Hyderabad.	(i) Sri B. Rami Reddy (incharge)	1-4-1983	10-7-1983
		(ii) Sri T. V. Vedamrutham	11-7-1983	31-3-1984
2.	Librarian, State Regional Library, Guntur	Sri K. Sreeramamurthy	1-4-1983	31-3-1984
3.	Librarian, Regional Library, Visakhapatnam	Sri Y. Lakshmana Rao (In-charge)	1-4-1983	10-11-1983
4.	Librarian, Regional Library, Tirupathi, Chittoor District.	(i) Sri T. V. Vedamrutham (Regular)	11-11-1983	31-3-1984
		(ii) Sri M. Umamaheswara Reddy (In-charge)	1-4-1983	9-7-1983
		(iii) Sri B. V. Subba Rao	10-7-1983	3-1-1984
5.	Librarian, Regional Library, Warangal	(i) Sri R. Giridhara Rao	4-1-1984	31-3-1984
		(ii) Sri S. S. Deshmukh	1-4-1983	11-8-1983
		(iii) Sri P. Uma Shanker (in-charge)	12-8-1983	4-1-1984
6.	Sri Gouthami, Regional Library, and Research Centre, Rajahmundry, East Godavari District.	(i) Sri A. Mohana Rao (in-charge)	5-1-1984	31-3-1984
		(ii) Sri R. Giridhara Rao	1-4-1983	11-8-1983
7.	Asst. Director (Administration)	(i) Sri A. Mohana Rao (in-charge)	12-8-1983	31-3-1984
		(ii) Sri R. Giridhara Rao	1-4-1983	8-1-1984
8.	Asst. Director (Technical)	(i) Sri B. M. M. Bhujang	9-1-1984	31-3-1984
		(ii) Sri P. Subba Reddy (in-charge)	1-4-1983	13-3-1984
9.	Asst. Director (Audit)	Sri P. Subba Reddy	1-4-1983	13-3-1984
		Sri P. Mohana Rao	1-4-1983	31-3-1984

ANNEXURE—I.B.

LIST OF MEMBERS OF THE STATE LIBRARY COMMITTEE
AS ON 31-3-1984.

Sl. No.	Name of the Member of the Committee.	Section under which elected or nominated.	Date of election/nomination.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
<i>Ex-Officio Members.</i>			
1.	Minister for Public Labraries. (Chairman)	3(2) (a) of the A.P.P.L. Act, 1960.	..
2.	Secretary to Government, Education Department.	3(2) (b) ..	..
3.	Secretary to Government, Housing, Municipal Adminis- tration & Urban Development.	3(2) (d) ..	..
4.	Director of Public Libraries. (Member-Secretary)	3(2) (d) ..	..
5.	Director of Higher Education.	3(2) (e) ..	..
6.	Director of School Education.	3(2) (e) ..	..
7.	Director of Municipal Administration.	3(2) (f) ..	..
8.	Librarian, State Central Library.	3(2) (g) ..	..
<i>Four Members from Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly.</i>			
9.	Sri Venna Nageswara Rao, M.L.A., Julluru (P.O.), Pitapuram, East Godavari District.	3(2) (h) ..	11-11-1983
10.	Sri D. Satyanarayana, M.L.A., H.No. 7-7-118, Kumargally, Nizamabad District.	3(2) (h) ..	11-11-1983
11.	Sri S. Srinivasulu, M.L.A., Kodur, Cuddapah District.	3(2) (h) ..	11-11-1983

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
<i>Four Members from Andhra Pradesh Legislative Assembly—(Contd.)</i>			
12.	Sri P. Rajam, M.L.A., Gambhiraopet Village, Sircilla Tq., Karimnagar Dist.	3(2) (h) A.P.P.L. Act, 1960.	11-11-1983
<i>Two Members from Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council.</i>			
13.	Vacant.	3(2) (h)	"
14.	Vacant.	3(2) (h)	"
<i>Representatives from Universities.</i>			
15.	Andhra University (Vacant)	3 (2) (i)	"
16.	Sri R.K. Babu, Principal, Silver Jubilee College, Kurnool (Sri Venkateswara University)	3 (2) (i)	18-8-1982
17.	Sri N.B. Inamdar, Librarian, University Library, Hyderabad (Osmania University)	3 (2) (i)	15-5-1980
18.	Dr. Bir Bahadur, Reader in Botany, Warangal, (Kakatiya University)	3 (2) (i)	20-5-1982
19.	Sri S. Koteswara Rao, Deputy Librarian, Nagarjuna Univer- sity Library, Guntur-522 510. (Nagarjuna University)	3 (2) (i)	2-11-1981
<i>Three persons nominated by the Andhra Pradesh Library Association</i>			
20.	Sri Kodati Narayana Rao, President, A.P. Grandhalaya Sangham (Vijayawada), 1-1-336/16, Chikkadpalli, Hyderabad-500 020.	3 (2) (j)	13-2-1983
21.	Sri Nagineni Venkaiah, Dhenuwakonda (Via) Talla- padu, Prakasam District.	3 (2) (j)	13-2-1983
22.	Sri Kalaprapoorna P. Naga- bhushanam, Sarvothama Bha- van, Vijayawada-520 006.	3 (2) (j)	13-2-1983
<i>Persons nominated by Government:—</i>			
<i>One from among the members of the Hyderabad City Grandhalaya Samstha.</i>			
23.	Vacant	3 (2) (k) (i)	

(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
<i>One from among the members of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samsthas in each University Area:—</i>			
24.	Sri B. Surender Rao, Chairman, Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Adilabad (Osmania University Area).	3 (2) (k) (ii)	A.P.P.L. 24-5-1979 Act, 1960.
25.	Sri N. Satyanarayana, Member, Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, East Godavari District. (Andhra University Area).	,,	17-11-1982.
26.	Sri Venkateswara University Area (Vacant).	,,	..
27.	Nagarjuna University area. (Vacant).	,,	..
28.	Sri K. Rami Reddy, Member, Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha, Warangal, Mucherla, Warangal District. (Kakatiya University area).	,,	11-2-1982.
<i>One person who had rendered outstanding service to the cause of Libraries.</i>			
29.	Sri Vavilala Gopalakrishnaiah, Ex-M.L.A., Sattenapalli, Guntur District.	3 (2) (k) (iii)	,, 12-2-1981.
<i>One person with special Knowledge of matters relating to public Libraries in the State.</i>			
30.	Sri Kolluru Koteswara Rao, Editor, Telugu Vidyarthi, Machilipatnam Krishna Dist.	3 (2) (k) (iv)	,, 12-2-1981.
<i>Two District Central Librarians.</i>			
31.	Sri G. Venkata Subbaiah, District Central Librarian, Cuddapah.	3 (2) (k) (v)	,, 12-2-1981.
32.	Sri A. Anandam, District Central Librarian, Karimnagar District.	,,	,, 12-2-1981.

NAMES OF CHAIRMEN AND SECRETARIES OF ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS AS ON 31-3-1984.

Sl. No.	Z.G.S.	Name of the Chairman.	Name of the Secretary
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
1.	Adilabad.	Sri B. Surender Rao.	Sri K. Damodara Rao.
2.	Anantapur.	Sri B.T.L.N. Chowdary.	Sri K. Raghurami Reddy.
3.	Chittoor.	Sri Ch. Sesha Reddy.	Sri K. Vithal Sastry.
4.	Cuddapah.	Sri V. Subrahmanyam Reddy.	Sri G. Venkata Subbaiah.
5.	East Godavari.	Sri K.V. Kondala Rao.	Sri M. Srihari Rao.
6.	Guntur.	Sri M. Umamaheshwar Rao.	Sri P. Lakshmi Reddy.
7.	Hyderabad City.	Sri M. Bhoj Reddy.	Sri Iqbal Muzaffer Ahmed.
8.	Karimnagar.	Sri M. Goverdhan Reddy.	Sri A. Anandam.
9.	Khammam.	VACANT.	Sri K. Nageswara Rao.
10.	Krishna.	Sri K.V. Subba Rao.	Dr. V. Venkatappayya.
11.	Kurnool.	Sri S. Ramanatha Reddy.	Sri B. Venkateswarlu.
12.	Mahabubnagar.	Sri V. Krishna Reddy	Sri P. Janardhan Reddy
13.	Medak.	Sri K. Pasupathi Nath.	Sri Syed Ali Hashimi.
14.	Nalgonda.	Sri J. Markandeya.	Sri B. Lakshmikantha Rao.
15.	Nellore.	Sri N.D. Prasad.	Sri N.V. Rami Reddy.
16.	Nizamabad.	Sri K. Ganga Goud.	Sri K. Rama Rao.
17.	Prakasam.	Sri G. Krishna Reddy.	Sri V. Chandrasekhara Rao.
18.	Rangareddy.	Sri K. Jaganmohan Reddy.	Sri P. Sudarshan.
19.	Srikakulam.	Sri N.V. Subba Rao.	Sri Ch. Gopalakrishna Murthy.
20.	Vizianagaram.	Dr. R. Satya Rao.	Sri K.V.P. Krishna Vithal.
21.	Visakhapatnam.	Sri K.O.S.S.V. Appa Rao.	Sri C. Govinda Rao.
22.	Warangal.	Sri C. Vasudeva Reddy.	Sri S. Panduranga Reddy.
23.	West Goadavri.	Sri P. Brahmanandam.	Sri K. Mallikarjuna Rao.

ANNEXURE-I.D.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NO. OF VACANCIES OF MEMBERS OF THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS AS ON 31-3-1984 UNDER VARIOUS CLAUSES OF SECTION 10 OF THE A.P.P.L. ACT, 1960.

Sl. No.	Name of the District.	10(2)(a)	10 (2) (b)	10 (2) (c)	10 (2) (d)	10 (2) (e)	Total.
		10 (1) (a)	10 (1) (b)		10 (1) (c)	10 (1) (d)	
1.	Adilabad.	5	5	..	..	2	12
2.	Anantapur.	..	..	..	..	..	..
3.	Chittoor.	..	6	1	1	..	8
4.	Cuddapah.	5	..	..	..	..	5
5.	East Godavari.	5	..	..	..	..	5
6.	Guntur.	..	..	..	..	..	..
7.	Hyderabad City.	..	2	..	2	..	4
8.	Karimnagar.	..	6	..	..	..	6
9.	Khammam.	5	4	..	..	..	9
10.	Krishna.	5	1	..	1	..	7
11.	Kurnool.	..	4	..	..	2	6
12.	Mahaboobnagar.	..	..	4	..	..	4
13.	Medak.	..	..	..	..	..	..
14.	Nalgonda.	..	6	1	..	..	7
15.	Nellore.	..	6	..	..	..	6
16.	Nizamabad.	..	6	..	..	..	6
17.	Prakasám.	..	4	4	..	..	8
18.	Rangareddy.	5	6	3	..	..	14
19.	Srikakulam.	5	2	..	..	..	7
20.	Vizianagaram.	..	4	..	..	2	6
21.	Visakhapatnam.	1	..	1	..	..	2
22.	Warangal.	5	2	..	..	2	9
23.	West Godavari.	2	2	..	2	..	6
Total :		43	66	14	6	8	137

ANNEXURE-II.A.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NO. OF DIFFERENT TYPES OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES (MANAGEMENT-WISE) AS ON 31-3-1984.

Sl. No.	Type of Libraries.	No. of Libraries.
(1)	(2)	(3)
A. Government Libraries :		
		8
1.	State Central Library	1
2.	Regional Libraries	6
3.	Mobile Library	1
	Total A :	8
B. Z. G. S. Libraries :		
		1,739
4.	Dist. Central Libraries/City Central Library	23
5.	Branch Libraries	796
6.	Village Libraries	337
7.	Book Deposit Centres	582
8.	Mobile Library	1
	Total - B :	1,739
C. Aided Libraries :		
		2,331
9.	Panchayat Libraries	1,534
10.	Co-operative Society Libraries	67
11.	Libraries run by Private Managements	730
	Total - C :	2,331
	Total : A + B + C :	4,078

ANNEXURE-II-B.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NO. OF DIFFERENT TYPES OF LIBRARIES UNDER THE CONTROL OF THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS AS ON 31-3-1984.

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Sl. No.	Name of the Z. G. S.	D.C.L./ E.C.L.	B.Ls.	V.Ls.	B.D.Cs.	Total under Z.G.S.	A.Ls. see Anne- xure-II.C.	Total in the District.
1.	Adilabad	1	19	3	19	42	42	84
2.	Anantapur	1	34	9	..	44	129	173
3.	Chittoor	1	29	8	24	62	95	157
4.	Cuddapah	1	42	9	50	102	119	221
5.	East Godavari	1	77	43	63	184	333	517
6.	Guntur	1	70	41	68	180	77	257
7.	Hyderabad City	1	41(1)	..	..	42	184	226
8.	Karimnagar	1	21	5	30	57	111	168
9.	Khammam	1	19	8	16(2)	44	39	83
10.	Krishna	1	97	33	6	137	485	622
11.	Kurnool	1	34	7	17	59	68	127
12.	Mahaboobnagar	1	19	13	16	49	55	104
13.	Medak ..	1	20	6	..	27	45	72
14.	Nalgonda	1	17	4	12	34	149	183
15.	Nellore	1	29	20	24	74	68	142
16.	Nizamabad	1	30	28	22(3)	81	34	115
17.	Prakasam	1	34(4)	25	11	71	12	83
18.	Rangareddy.	1	30	9	25	65	15	80

19.	Srikakulam	..	..	..	1	18	5	..	24	20	44
20.	Vizianagaram	..	..	..	1	17	4	26(2)	48	7	55
21.	Visakhapatnam	..	..	..	1	37	6	35	79	21	100
22.	Warangal	..	..	..	1	17	16	19(5)	53	20	73
23.	West Godavari	..	..	..	1	46	35	99	181	203	384
Total :				..	23	797	337	582	1,739	2,331	4,070

- (1) Includes a Mobile Library.
- (2) One B. D. C. upgraded as V.L.
- (3) 7 B. D. Cs. closed.
- (4) Includes a C. L. at Chirala run by part-time Librarian.
- (5) Two B. D. Cs. upgraded as B.Ls. in 1981-82.

ANNEXURE-II-C.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE DISTRICT-WISE FIGURES OF AIDED LIBRARIES UNDER VARIOUS
MANAGEMENTS AS ON 31-3-1984.

Sl. No.	District.	No. of Aided Libraries.			Total (Aided)	Total (Z.G.S. See Annexure-II-B.)	Total in the District.
		Panchayats.	Private managements.	Co-operative Societies.			
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1.	Adilabad	34	8	..	42	42	84
2.	Anantapur	118	10	1	129	44	173
3.	Chittoor	87	7	1	95	62	157
4.	Cuddapah	83	30	6	119	102	221
5.	East Godavari	301	29	3	333	184	517
6.	Guntur	44	32	1	77	180	257
7.	Hyderabad City	..	183	1	184	42	226
8.	Karimnagar	61	48	2	111	57	168
9.	Khammam	12	27 (1)	..	39	44	83
10.	Krishna	357	88	40	485	137	622
11.	Kurnool	54	13	1	68	9	127
12.	Mahabubnagar	4	51	..	55	49	104
13.	Medak	8	37	..	45	27	72
14.	Nalgonda	101	41	7	149	34	183
15.	Nellore	54	13	1	68	74	142
16.	Nizamabad	32	2	..	34	81	115

17. Prakasm	..	..	..	..	1 (2)	11 (2)	..	12	71	83
18. Rangareddy	..	..	..	..	12	3	..	15	65	80
19. Srikakulam	..	..	..	..	10	10	..	20	24	44
20. Vizianagaram	..	..	..	..	2	5	..	7	48	55
21. Visakhapatnam	..	..	..	..	9	12	..	21	79	100
22. Warangal	..	..	..	..	4	16 (3)	..	20	53	73
23. West Godavari	..	..	..	..	146	54	3	203	181	384
TOTAL :					1,534	730	67	2,331	1,739	4,070

(1) Two aided libraries taken over and converted as B.L. and V.L.

(2) 7 Panchayat Libraries and a Library under private management are defunct.

(3) One Library was closed.

ANNEXURE-III.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NAMES OF THE LIBRARIES OPENED BY THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS DURING THE YEAR, 1983-84.

Sl. No.	Name of the Z.G.S.	B.Ls.		V.Ls.		B.D.Cs.	
		No.	Place.	No.	Place.	No.	Place.
1.	Prakasam ..	.. ..	..	1	Gudipatipalli.	..	..
2.	Guntur ..	.. ..	..	1	Kothapalli.	..	..
3.	Nizamabad ..	.. ..	..	3	Dhar Pally. Padgal. Khudavandpur.	..	..
4.	East Godavari..	.. ..	..	5	Vommangi. A. Mallavaram. Gedallanka. K.O. Mallavaram. Devarapalli.	..	..
5.	Rangareddy ..	.. ..	..	1	Nacharam.	..	..
6.	Nellore ..	..	1 Nawabpet (Nellore).	2	Rebala. Arimenipadu.	..	..
7.	Khammam ..	.. ..	..	1	Kommavaram.	1	Vallabhi.
8.	Krishna ..	.. ..	..	..	..	1	Gudugupeta.
9.	West Godavari	.. ..	..	1	Velivenu.	..	..
10.	Kurnool ..	.. ..	..	1	Hossur.	..	..
11.	Vizianagaram ..	.. ..	..	1	Kella.	..	..
Total :		1		17		2	

ANNEXURE—IV.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NO. OF LIBRARIES OF THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS HOUSED IN OWN, RENTED OR RENT FREE BUILDINGS AS ON 31-3-1984.

Sl. No.	Z.G.S.	D.C.Ls.		B.Ls.			Total	
		Own	Rented	Own	Rent free	Rented		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	
1.	Adilabad	..	..	1	2	12	5	20
2.	Anantapur	..	1	..	4	22	8	35
3.	Chittor	..	..	1	..	8	21	30
4.	Cuddapah	..	..	1	..	36	6	43
5.	East Godavari	..	1	..	14	33	30	78
6.	Guntur	..	1	..	29	24	20	74
7.	Hyderabad City	..	1	..	2	3	35	41
8.	Karimnagar	..	1	..	6	9	5	21
9.	Khammam	..	1	..	9	5	4	19
10.	Krishna	..	1	..	24	50	23	98
11.	Kurnool	..	1	..	2	11	21	35
12.	Mahabubnagar	..	1	..	10	6	3	20
13.	Medak	..	1	..	4	12	4	21
14.	Nalgonda	..	1	..	6	6	5	18
15.	Nellore	..	1	..	18	3	9	31
16.	Nizamabad	..	1	..	5	12	13	31
17.	Prakasam	..	1	..	9	13	12	35
18.	Rangareddy	..	1	..	16	13	1	31
19.	Srikakulam	..	..	1	1	8	9	19
20.	Vizianagaram	..	..	1	2	6	9	18
21.	Visakhapatnam	..	1	..	1	20	14	36
22.	Warangal	..	1	..	7	7	3	18
23.	West Godavari	..	1	..	12	20	14	47
Total		..	18	5	183	339	274	819

ANNEXURE—V-A

STATEMENT SHOWING THE PROFESSIONALS AND SEMI-PROFESSIONALS WORKING IN THE LIBRARIES UNDER THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS AS ON 31-3-1984.

Sl. No.	Zilla Grandhalaya Samastha	Diploma/ Degree Holders	Certifi- cate Holders	Total
1.	Adilabad	.. 3	16	19
2.	Ananthapur	.. 5	28	33
3.	Chittoor	.. 10	18	28
4.	Cuddapah	.. 5	27	32
5.	East Godavari	.. 7	61	68
6.	Guntur	.. 11	60	71
7.	Hyderabad City	.. 10	48	58
8.	Karimnagar	.. 2	17	19
9.	Khammam	.. 2	13	15
10.	Krishna	.. 15	74	89
11.	Kurnool	.. 3	30	33
12.	Mahaboobnagar	.. 4	11	15
13.	Medak	.. 3	15	18
14.	Nalgonda	.. 5	14	19
15.	Nellore	.. 5	30	35
16.	Nizamabad	.. 2	31	33
17.	Prakasam	.. 3	23	26
18.	Rangareddy	.. 2	21	23
19.	Srikakulam	.. 2	12	14
20.	Vijayanagaram	.. 4	12	16
21.	Visakhapatnam	.. 7	25	32
22.	Warangal	.. 3	14	17
23.	West Godavari	.. 8	31	39
Total		.. 121	631	752

ANNEXURE—V-B.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NO. OF PROFESSIONALS AND SEMI-PROFESSIONALS WORKING IN THE DIRECTORATE AND THE GOVERNMENT LIBRARIES AS ON 31-3-1984.

Sl. No.	Name of the Institution	Diploma/ Degree Holders	Certifi- cate Holders	Total.
1.	State Central Library, Hyderabad.	14	20	34
2.	State Regional Library, Guntur.	10	4	14
3.	Regional Library, Warangal.	2	3	5
4.	Regional Library, Nizamabad.	2	1	3
5.	Regional Library, Visakhapatnam	2	1	3
6.	Regional Library, Tirupathi	3	1	4
7.	Sri Gouthami Regional Library, Rajahmundry.	3	4	7
8.	Mobile Library, Eluru	1	..	1
9.	Office of the Director of Public Libraries.	9	9	18
Total Govt. Libraries and Office of the Director of Public Libraries.		46	43	89
Total Z. G. Sc.		121	631	752
Grand Total		167	674	841

ANNEXURE—VI.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE EXPENDITURE INCURRED
BY THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS ON THE
PURCHASE OF BOOKS AND PERIODICALS DURING 1983-84.

(Rs. in lakhs).

Sl. No.	Name of the Z.G.S.	Total recurring expenditure.	Expenditure on Books and Periodicals.			% to Total Total expenditure.
			Books.	Periodicals.		
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)
1.	Adillabad	.. 7.02	0.03	0.52	0.55	7.83
2.	Anantapur	.. 13.14	1.61	0.86	2.47	18.79
3.	Chittoor	.. 10.87	0.10	0.74	0.84	7.72
4.	Cuddapah	.. 10.89	0.03	0.83	0.86	7.89
5.	East Godavari	.. 30.78	4.32	2.65	6.97	22.64
6.	Guntur	.. 30.34	3.39	1.74	5.13	16.91
7.	Hyderabad City	.. 35.61	5.84	2.23	8.07	22.67
8.	Karimnagar	.. 6.42	0.12	0.42	0.54	8.41
9.	Khammam	.. 7.64	1.00	0.34	1.34	17.54
10.	Krishna	.. 34.52	2.98	1.88	4.86	14.08
11.	Kurnool	.. 12.80	1.91	0.77	2.68	20.94
12.	Mahboobnagar	.. 5.63	0.03	0.36	0.39	6.93
13.	Medak	.. 6.67	0.66	0.44	1.10	16.49
14.	Nalgonda	.. 5.96	0.12	0.34	0.46	7.72
15.	Neilore	.. 9.89	0.11	0.78	0.89	9.00
16.	Nizamabad	.. 9.21	0.69	0.53	1.22	13.25
17.	Prakasam	.. 11.28	1.80	0.65	2.45	21.72
18.	Rangareddy	.. 8.73	0.65	0.52	1.17	13.40
19.	Srikakulam	.. 6.46	0.60	0.34	0.94	14.55
20.	Vizianagaram	.. 6.76	0.71	0.40	1.11	16.42
21.	Visakhapatnam	.. 16.07	1.56	0.78	2.34	14.56
22.	Warangal	.. 8.37	0.53	0.75	1.28	15.29
23.	West Godavari	.. 20.15	1.99	1.19	3.18	15.78
Total :		315.21	30.78	20.06	50.84	16.13

ANNEXURE—VII-A

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NET INCOME OF THE ZILLA
GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS DURING THE YEAR 1983-84
(Rupees in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the Grandhalaya Samstha.	Zilla	Library cess.	Salary grant.	Wages grant.	Grant for furniture.	Grant for books and furniture.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(7)
1.	Adilabad	..	2.73	4.94	0.19	0.15	0.80
2.	Anantapur	..	3.97	8.18	..	0.25	0.80
3.	Chittoor	..	5.87	7.36	0.08	..	..
4.	Cuddapah	..	3.29	7.38	0.39	..	0.80
5.	East Godavari	..	11.47	16.03	..	..	..
6.	Guntur	..	14.09	16.29	0.90	..	..
7.	Hyderabad City	..	27.55	15.58	1.51	..	..
8.	Karimnagar	..	2.81	4.26	0.17	..	..
9.	Khammam	..	3.25	4.96	0.10	0.15	..
10.	Krishna	..	15.37	20.09	1.82	..	..
11.	Kurnool	..	2.26	7.48	0.23	0.25	..
12.	Mahboobnagar	..	2.65	4.35	0.10	..	0.80
13.	Medak	..	2.73	4.78	0.23	..	..
14.	Nalgonda	..	2.12	4.35	0.38	0.25	0.80
15.	Nellore	..	3.74	5.61	0.07	0.25	..
16.	Nizamabad	..	5.55	5.88	0.26	..	..
17.	Prakasam	..	4.05	5.55	0.13	0.25	..
18.	Rangareddy	..	3.97	5.18	0.23	0.25	..
19.	Srikakulam	..	1.30	4.23	0.14	0.15	..
20.	Vizianagaram	..	3.08	3.64	0.31	0.15	0.80
21.	Visakhapatnam	..	4.42	9.23	0.32	..	..
22.	Warangal	..	4.97	4.37	0.51	..	..
23.	West Godavari	..	12.11	11.07	0.10	..	..
Total		..	143.35	180.79	8.17	2.10	4.80

ANNEXURE—VII-A—(Contd.)

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NET INCOME OF THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS DURING THE YEAR 1983-84.

(Rupees in lakhs)

Sl. No.	Name of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha.	Other grants	Miscellaneous Income (Net).	Total net income.	Total net Expenditure (See Annexure-VII-B).
		(a) R.R. R.L.F. (b) Pilot project (c) Donations..			
		(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)
1.	Adilabad	.. 0.04 (a)	0.06	8.91	8.52
2.	Anantapur	.. 0.04 (a)	0.19	13.43	13.14
3.	Chittoor	.. 0.04 (a)	0.18	13.53	10.87
4.	Cuddapah	.. 0.25 (b)	0.27	12.38	10.89
5.	East Godavari	.. ..	0.45	27.95	32.15
6.	Guntur	.. 0.49 (c)	0.43	32.20	30.59
7.	Hyderabad City	.. ..	0.97	45.61	37.71
8.	Karimnagar	.. 0.04 (a)	0.10	7.38	6.42
9.	Khammam	.. ..	0.09	8.55	7.84
10.	Krishna	.. ..	0.75	38.03	36.81
11.	Kurnool	.. 0.04 (a)	0.32	10.58	12.80
12.	Mahboobnagar	.. 0.04 (a)	0.18	8.12	5.63
13.	Medak	.. 0.04 (a)	0.11	7.89	6.67
14.	Nalgonda	.. 0.04 (a)	0.07	8.01	7.96
15.	Nellore	.. ..	0.14	9.81	9.89
16.	Nizamabad	.. ..	0.27	11.96	11.42
17.	Prakasam	.. ..	0.23	10.21	11.28
18.	Rangareddy	.. 0.75 (b)	0.14	10.52	8.73
19.	Srikakulam	.. ..	0.05	5.87	6.46
20.	Vizianagaram	.. ..	0.10	8.08	7.76
21.	Visakhapatnam	.. 0.04 (a)	0.42	14.43	16.07
22.	Warangal	.. ..	0.27	10.12	10.91
23.	West Godavari	.. ..	0.70	23.98	21.54
	Total	.. 1.85	6.49	347.55	332.06

ANNEXURE—VII-B

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NET EXPENDITURE OF THE
ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS DURING THE YEAR
1983-84.*(Rupees in lakhs.)*

Sl. No.	Name of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha.	Salaries, Wages, Pension & T.A.	Furniture & Equip-ment.	Books & periodicals.	Build-ings.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Adilabad ..	5.82	0.20	0.55	1.50
2.	Anantapur ..	9.06	0.67	2.47	..
3.	Chittoor ..	8.66	0.04	0.84	..
4.	Cuddapah ..	9.52	0.01	0.86	..
5.	East Godavari ..	20.21	1.22	6.97	1.37
6.	Guntur ..	20.18	2.24	5.13	0.25
7.	Hyderabad City ..	19.19	3.89	8.07	2.10
8.	Karimnagar ..	5.33	0.04	0.54	..
9.	Khammam ..	5.15	0.40	1.34	0.20
10.	Krishna ..	25.02	1.36	4.86	2.29
11.	Kurnool ..	8.98	0.18	2.68	..
12.	Mahboobnagar ..	4.52	0.05	0.39	..
13.	Medak ..	4.95	0.17	1.10	..
14.	Nalgonda ..	4.94	0.06	0.46	2.00
15.	Nellore ..	8.44	..	0.89	..
16.	Nizamabad ..	7.23	0.09	1.22	2.21
17.	Prakasam ..	7.79	0.06	2.45	..
18.	Rangareddy ..	6.40	0.51	1.17	..
19.	Srikakulam ..	5.04	..	0.94	..
20.	Vizianagaram ..	4.95	0.26	1.11	1.00
21.	Visakhapatnam ..	11.95	0.61	2.34	..
22.	Warangal ..	6.02	0.29	1.28	2.54
23.	West Godavari ..	12.92	2.30	3.18	1.39
Total :		222.27	14.65	50.84	16.85

ANNEXURE-VII-B—(Contd.)

(Rs. in lakhs.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Zilla Grandhalaya Samstha.	Miscellaneous (Office expenses, rents, repairs, etc.	Total net expenditure.	Total net income (See Annex. VII-A)
		(7)	(8)	(9)
1.	Adilabad	0.45	8.52	8.91
2.	Anantapur	0.94	13.14	13.43
3.	Chittoor	1.33	10.87	13.53
4.	Cuddapah	0.50	10.89	12.38
5.	East Godavari	2.38	32.15	27.95
6.	Guntur	2.79	30.59	32.20
7.	Hyderabad City	4.46	37.71	45.61
8.	Karimnagar	0.51	6.42	7.38
9.	Khammam	0.75	7.84	8.55
10.	Krishna	3.28	36.81	38.03
11.	Kurnool	0.96	12.80	10.58
12.	Mahboobnagar	0.67	5.63	8.12
13.	Medak	0.45	6.67	7.89
14.	Nalgonda	0.50	7.96	8.01
15.	Nellore	0.56	9.39	9.81
16.	Nizamabad	0.67	11.42	11.96
17.	Prakasam	0.98	11.28	10.21
18.	Rangareddy	0.65	8.73	10.52
19.	Srikakulam	0.48	6.46	5.87
20.	Vizianagaram	0.44	7.76	8.03
21.	Visakhapatnam	1.77	16.07	14.43
22.	Warangal	0.78	10.91	10.12
23.	West Godavari	1.7	21.54	23.98
Total :		27.45	332.06	347.55

ANNEXURE-VII-C.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE TOTAL INCOME AND EXPENDITURE OF THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS DURING THE YEAR 1983-84.

(Rs. in lakhs.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Z.G.S.	I N C O M E			Total.
		Opening balance.	Net Income (See Annx. VII-A.)	Other Income of refundable nature.	
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Adilabad ..	0.75	8.91	1.37	11.03
2.	Anantapur ..	0.31	13.43	0.78	14.52
3.	Chittoor ..	3.68	13.53	1.35	18.56
4.	Cuddapah ..	1.18	12.38	1.01	14.57
5.	East Godavari ..	4.99	27.95	2.71	35.65
6.	Guntur ..	4.99	32.20	2.37	40.56
7.	Hyderabad City ..	13.72	45.61	3.67	63.00
8.	Karimnagar ..	2.72	7.38	0.88	10.98
9.	Khammam ..	1.70	8.55	0.84	11.09
10.	Krishna ..	1.76	38.03	1.99	41.78
11.	Kurnool ..	4.23	10.58	1.06	15.87
12.	Mahboobnagar ..	1.00	8.12	1.12	10.24
13.	Medak ..	1.79	7.89	0.32	10.00
14.	Nalgonda ..	3.11	8.01	0.63	11.75
15.	Nellore ..	1.80	9.81	1.44	13.05
16.	Nizamabad ..	5.68	11.96	1.02	18.66
17.	Prakasam ..	3.49	10.21	0.78	14.48
18.	Rangareddy ..	1.07	10.52	2.50	14.09
19.	Srikakulam ..	1.08	5.87	0.54	7.49
20.	Vizianagaram ..	1.64	8.08	0.33	10.05
21.	Visakhapatnam ..	2.75	14.43	1.61	18.79
22.	Warangal ..	2.32	10.12	1.15	13.59
23.	West Godavari ..	1.92	23.98	1.09	26.99
Total :		67.68	347.55	31.56	446.79

ANNEXURE-VII-C—(Contd.)

(Rs. in lakhs.)

Sl. No.	Name of the Z.G.S.	EXPENDITURE			Total.
		Net Expenditure (See Annexure-VII-B.)	Other Expenditure like refunds, loans, etc.	Closing balance.	
		(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)
1.	Adilabad	8.52	0.45	2.06	11.03
2.	Anantapur	13.14	0.42	0.96	14.52
3.	Chittoor	10.87	1.18	6.51	18.56
4.	Cuddapah	10.89	1.14	2.54	14.57
5.	East Godavari	32.15	1.72	1.78	35.65
6.	Guntur	30.59	2.83	7.14	40.56
7.	Hyderabad City	37.71	6.51	18.78	63.00
8.	Karimnagar	6.42	0.78	3.78	10.98
9.	Khammam	7.84	0.61	2.64	11.09
10.	Krishna	36.81	1.11	3.86	41.78
11.	Kurnool	12.80	1.04	2.03	15.87
12.	Mahboobnagar	5.63	0.95	3.66	10.24
13.	Medak	6.67	0.19	3.14	10.00
14.	Nalgonda	7.96	0.49	3.30	11.75
15.	Nellore	9.89	1.17	1.99	13.05
16.	Nizamabad	11.42	0.84	6.40	18.66
17.	Prakasam	11.28	0.63	2.57	14.48
18.	Rangareddy	8.73	0.48	4.88	14.09
19.	Srikakulam	6.46	0.39	0.64	7.49
20.	Vizianagaram	7.76	0.35	1.94	10.05
21.	Visakhapatnam	16.07	0.96	1.76	18.79
22.	Warangal	10.91	1.11	1.57	13.59
23.	West Godavari	21.54	0.97	4.48	26.99
Total :		332.06	26.32	88.41	446.79

ANNEXURE-VIII.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE No. OF AIDED LIBRARIES TO WHICH GRANT WAS SANCTIONED BY THE DIRECTOR OF PUBLIC LIBRARIES DURING 1983-84.

(Rs. in lakhs.)

Sl. No.	Name of the District.	No. of libraries to which the grant was sanctioned.	Total amount of the grant.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)
			Rs.
1.	Adilabad	6	1,265
2.	Anantapur	13	5,315
3.	Chittoor	10	7,125
4.	Cuddapah	6	1,960
5.	East Godavari	102	30,310
6.	Guntur	39	12,370
7.	Hyderabad City	58	45,385
8.	Karimnagar	1	750
9.	Khammam	4	3,175
10.	Krishna	120	40,645
11.	Kurnool	13	6,270
12.	Mahboobnagar	13	9,695
13.	Medak	5	2,540
14.	Nalgonda	16	10,305
15.	Nellore	16	5,625
16.	Nizamabad	2	920
17.	Prakasam	10	6,235
18.	Rangareddy	2	1,600
19.	Srikakulam	11	7,810
20.	Vizianagaram	1	800
21.	Visakhapatnam	10	6,035
22.	Warangal	13	6,480
23.	West Godavari	105	30,255
	Total :	576	2,42,870

ANNEXURE-IX-A.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NO. OF VISITORS, BOOKS CONSULTED, BOOKS LENT FOR HOME READING AND NO. OF REGISTERED BORROWERS IN THE LIBRARIES UNDER THE ZILLA GRANDHALAYA SAMSTHAS DURING 1983-84.

Sl. No.	Name of the District.	No. of Visitors.	No. of books consulted.	No. of books lent for home reading.	No. of registered borrowers.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	Adilabad.	9,74,763	5,27,735	5,61,119	11,310
2.	Anantapur.	11,71,375	2,29,924	2,40,659	19,473
3.	Chittoor.	12,74,396	3,60,456	3,67,807	16,138
4.	Cuddapah.	13,46,259	3,16,426	2,09,630	12,736
5.	East Godavari.	27,53,678	6,20,059	7,13,451	32,371
6.	Guntur.	20,30,889	4,18,527	7,37,994	36,796
7.	Hyd. City.	23,70,760	5,88,684	12,33,736	34,183
8.	Karimnagar.	6,45,237	1,45,391	1,53,568	10,282
9.	Khammam.	7,21,693	1,15,928	2,54,872	10,683
10.	Krishna.	21,73,435	3,77,013	6,21,603	48,816
11.	Kurnool.	12,21,147	1,52,216	4,18,474	17,078
12.	Mahbubnagar.	12,08,452	91,987	2,76,822	10,129
13.	Medak.	9,03,167	1,48,147	2,71,380	9,711
14.	Nalgonda.	8,62,750	2,04,764	3,71,294	10,485
15.	Nellore.	12,61,231	1,93,664	4,76,187	21,650
16.	Nizamabad.	9,56,871	1,82,842	2,62,838	19,273
17.	Prakasam.	11,21,481	1,86,654	3,56,513	22,290
18.	Rangareddy.	10,42,157	2,67,664	2,77,008	14,263
19.	Srikakulam.	4,15,842	66,452	1,07,707	5,933
20.	Vizianagaram.	4,60,285	69,661	97,550	6,976
21.	Visakhapatnam.	12,13,557	1,91,392	2,70,355	18,305
22.	Warangal.	8,38,020	68,720	5,62,316	12,840
23.	West Godavari.	18,39,003	3,37,313	5,15,335	44,055
Total :		2,88,06,448	58,61,619	93,58,218	4,45,776

ANNEXURE-IX-B.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE NO. OF VISITORS, BOOKS CONSULTED, BOOKS LENT FOR HOME READING AND NO. OF REGISTERED BORROWERS IN GOVERNMENT LIBRARIES DURING 1983-84.

Sl. No.	Name of the Library.	No. of Visitors.	No. of books consulted.	No. of Book lent for home reading.	No. of registered borrowers.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)
1.	State Central Library, Hydersbad.	2,85,681	2,25,524	53,707	11,478
2.	State Regional Library, Guntur.	2,23,731	1,93,734	35,245	4,753
3.	Regional Library Warangal.	61,453	29,393	16,171	1,219
4.	Regional Library Nizamabad.	1,20,750	1,65,000	92,500	1,329
5.	Regional Library Visakhapatnam.	81,742	1,29,896	1,04,437	2,145
6.	Regional Library. Tirupathi.	68,699	53,772	41,823	1,961
7.	Sti Gouthami Regional Library Rajahmundry.	48,754	16,824	12,928	1,510
8.	Mobile Library Eluru.	..	..	11,473	6,143
Total for Government Libraries.		8,90,810	8,14,123	3,68,284	30,538
Total for Z. G. S. Libraries.		2,88,06,448	58,61,619	93,58,218	4,45,776
Total for Z.G.S.& Govt. Libraries.		2,96,97,258	66,75,742	97,26,502	4,76,314
Total for Aided Libraries (Ann. IX. C).		27,93,000	6,41,000	8,06,000	18,241
Grand Total for 1853 Libraries.		3,24,90,258	73,16,742	1,05,32,502	4,94,555

ANNEXURE-IX-C.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE STATISTICS OF AIDED LIBRARIES FOR THE YEAR 1983-84.

Sl. No.	Name of the District	No. of aided libraries	No. of libraries which furnished information.	No. of readers.	No. of books consulted.	No. of books lent for home reading.	No. of registered borrowers.
(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)
(Figures in lakhs).							
1.	Adilabad.	42	Nil.	..	..	..	..
2.	Anantapur.	129	13	1.34	0.64	0.58	9471
3.	Chittoor.	95	42	2.13	1.41	1.04	..
4.	Cuddapah.	119	40	2.06	..	0.26	3922
5.	East Godavari.	333	102	4.47	1.97	..	2,3733
6.	Guntur.	77	13	0.93	0.15	0.36	1,3177
7.	Hyd. City.	184	Nil.	..	..	..	..
8.	Karimnagar.	111	1	0.32	Nil.	0.02	455
9.	Khammam.	39	3	0.14	..	0.04	1101
10.	Krishna.	485	291	8.46	0.77	2.90	6,4911
11.	Kurnool.	68	Nil.	..	..	..	..
12.	Mahabubnagar.	55	6	1.18	0.12	0.26	1,0055
13.	Medak.	45	5	0.24	0.08	0.06	2565
14.	Nalgonda.	149	21	0.67	..	0.32	7811
15.	Nellore.	68	12	1.01	0.20	0.22	5501
16.	Nizamabad.	34	Nil.	..	..	-	-
17.	Prakasam.	12	11	0.77	0.64	0.63	1,0301
18.	Rangareddy.	15	Nil.	..	-	-	-
19.	Srikakulam.	20	2	0.03	0.05	0.03	1201
20.	Vizianagaram.	7	3	0.03	-	-	691
21.	Visakhapatnam.	21	9	1.54	0.26	0.70	1,7341
22.	Warangal.	20	2	0.34	0.09	0.05	451
23.	West Godavari.	203	55	2.27	0.03	0.59	9761
Total :		2,331	631	27.93	6.41	8.06	18,241

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