

Canadian colleges for library development through purchase of books. There is a wider diversity of colleges in this list, the Canadian academic pattern differing widely from that prevailing in the United States.

The chairman of the United States Group was Dr. W. W. Bishop, of the University of Michigan, who also served on the Canadian Group, of which the chairman was Dr. George H. Locke, of the Toronto Public Library.

*Endowment for College Libraries, Librarianships, etc.*

A very unusual group of grants was made in 1930 and 1931, when the Corporation voted grants of \$150,000 each to Lafayette, Oberlin, Swarthmore and Wesleyan, for endowment of the college librarianship. These endowments were intended chiefly to call attention of the academic and the gift giving world to the fact that the position of librarian is as important as a professorship in some more generally recognized field, where endowed chairs are common.

Endowment grants for general library support amounting to \$495,000 have been made to eight institutions. Not made as part of any specific unified program, they are scattered from 1921 to 1934, as Section 2 of the Appendix shows.

*Projects, Demonstrations, Special Groups, etc.*

Mention may here be made of grants which now seem to fall into clearly defined groups, though really they were scattered through the years. Just as library enterprises are but one part of the Corporation program, and must depend permanently upon support other than from organized philanthropy, so the American Library Association is but one part or agency through which grants for library purposes are directed. As a matter of fact, the Corporation has made available for specific library undertakings more than four times the total of its grants to the Association.