

Nebraska Public Library Commission

Lincoln, 3 Mr. 1904.

To librarians of Nebraska libraries:-

You will find herewith enclosed a supplement to the "Suggestive list", buying lists nos. 9 and 10, and our new "List of books for school libraries". These are designed for the use of your books committees. Please see that the attention of your Board is called to these valuable aids in book selection. A new edition of the "Suggestive list" is promised for the near future.

In order that you may be of some assistance to us, I enclose a traveling library application blank and our circulars of information. As the summer season comes on our traveling libraries accumulate in our office. Schools are through with them and many rural communities cannot use them in the busy season. We are anxious to have them in use, even if the number of loans from them is very small. The state does not provide us any adequate place to keep the libraries, so we ask you to help us find "summer resorts" for them. Will you kindly search out some community where the books would be welcome, and give the blank and circulars to some one who will take interest in the matter? We shall appreciate any efforts that you may make in this direction.

We have for distribution to libraries, four excellent little books entitled "Poisons-Remedies", "Emergencies", "Care of invalids", "Accidents". These are published by the Mutual life insurance company of N.Y. through whose courtesy we have enough copies to supply Nebraska libraries. Upon receipt of ten cents for postage, the four books will be sent to any library in the state.

A more general response to our request for photographs of Nebraska libraries would be greatly appreciated. These should be sent in at once.

Sincerely,

Edna D. Bullock, Sec'y.