AN ACT to amend article ten, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, by adding thereto sections eleven and twelve, relating to the acceptance by the state of West Virginia of any future federal appropriations in aid of local library service, and providing for the custody and disbursement of such federal funds.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

That article ten, chapter eighteen of the code of West Virginia, one thousand nine hundred thirty-one, be amended by adding sections eleven and twelve to said article, to read as follows:

Article X. Federal Aid and Gifts for Education.

Section 11. Acceptance of Future Federal Library Aid Appropriations. The West Virginia Library Commission, es-
Established by section twelve of article one of chapter ten of this code, is hereby authorized and empowered to accept for the state of West Virginia any appropriations of money for rural library service and for similar library purposes, that may hereafter be made out of the federal treasury by an act or acts of congress.

Should the appropriation provided by the legislature for the purpose prove insufficient in amount to meet the requirements of the federal government relative to library purposes, the governor may supplement, from his contingent fund or from any other funds available for the purpose, said legislative appropriation by an amount sufficient to meet the said requirements of the federal government.

Sec. 12. Custody and Disbursement of Federal Library Aid Funds. The treasurer of this state shall be the custodian of all moneys received by the state from appropriations made by any of the original or supplemental acts of congress mentioned or referred to in section eleven of this article, and specifically of all moneys received by the state from appropriations for such library purposes that may hereafter be made by any act or acts of congress; and he is authorized to
receive and to provide for the proper custody of the same.

He shall also be the custodian of such library moneys received by the state from any other agencies, private and/or otherwise; and he is similarly authorized to receive and provide for the proper custody of these funds. The treasurer shall keep an accurate account of the moneys so received from whatever source, shall place the same to the credit of the West Virginia Library Commission; and, unless a different method is provided by law, he shall make disbursements therefrom upon warrants of the state auditor issued on requisitions of the West Virginia Library Commission approved by the State Board of Control. The said library commission shall make by-laws, rules and regulations for the allocation and administration of all library funds, and for the establishment of an adequate system of auditing and reporting such disbursements. The treasurer shall include in his biennial report to the governor a statement of his receipts and disbursements under the provisions of this section.
The Joint Committee on Enrolled Bills hereby certifies that the foregoing bill is correctly enrolled.

Chairman Senate Committee

Chairman House Committee

Originated in the Senate

Takes effect...passage.

Clerk of the Senate

Clerk of the House of Delegates

President of the Senate

Speaker House of Delegates

The within...this the...

day of...1939.

Governor.

Filed in the office of the Secretary of State of West Virginia. MAR 16 1939

Wm. S. O'Brien, Secretary of State