Assessed valuation...... $9,641,805
Total population........ 36,078
White population........ 20,470

Although the town of Greenwood had been served by a free public library since a Carnegie Building was secured in 1916 the county had no service until 1935.

In that year the County Council of Farm Women took the initiative in a movement for the establishment of rural library service. A bookmobile was secured through cooperation of W.P.A. with the county delegation. In 1937 circulation and bookstock in the city and county library system had grown until the board found it necessary to create a County Department and a Cataloging Department.

The W.P.A. Library Project provides workers to aid with routine work and to serve on the truck with a trained librarian.

Library Statistics

Bookstock.............. 13,128
Borrowers.............. 6,145
Circulation........... 106,922
Tax: One mill secured in 1937