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CHAPTER I

THE ROLE OF VISUAL MATERIALS IN EDUCATION

One of the most significant trends in education today is the accelerated use of audio-visual methods and materials. Visual education is the effort to help people to learn through seeing. Visual education seeks to increase the amount of desirable new experience which enters through the eyes.

Industries and educational groups are oftentimes called upon to serve educators and the general public in providing teaching aids. This service has become an integral part of present day understanding that learning is lasting when it is an experience. This is made possible through the use of audio-visual materials.

There is power in words when they are full of meaning for the hearer, but not when the hearer does not have them related with concrete experience of his own. Language is the great tool of the teacher. Through it he may bring the whole world of things, ideas, and feelings to his pupils. But language may also be the teacher's greatest stumbling block. For the teacher and the textbook may, and often do, use words which have no meaning for the pupil. He may hear
every syllable that the teacher speaks yet not understand what the teacher says.

A striking illustration of teaching without the use of visual aids is furnished by the following incident. For this story, the writer is indebted to Mr. B. A. Auginbaugh, formerly of the Ohio Department of Education:

I was principal of the school in __________, Ohio and stepped into a fourth grade room as a matter of routine. The class was having study period on fourth grade geography. Every now and then a pupil would ask the teacher about some portion of the text they were studying. One little boy raised his hand and asked what was a zebra, whereupon this dialog ensued:

Boy: What is a zebra?
Teacher: A zebra is a small animal something like a donkey.
Boy: What is a donkey?
Teacher: Didn't you ever see a donkey?
Boy: No.
Teacher: Well, did you ever see a Shetland pony?
Boy: No.
Teacher: Did you ever see a mule?
Boy: No.
Teacher: (Almost at the end of her string.) Well, you have seen a horse, haven't you?
Boy: Yes.
Teacher: Well, a zebra is sort of a small horse, only it has stripes on it.
Boy: Oh (a satisfied 'Oh')!
Interlude. Six months elapsed and a circus came to a nearby city. There I found the boy one afternoon in heated discussion with the menagerie keeper. The two stood before a cage containing two zebras and this dialog was in progress as I came up:

Keeper: Well, I don't care what you say, those critters are zebras no matter what your teacher said. I don't know whether they are black animals with white stripes or white animals with black stripes but they're zebras. What kind of stripes did your teacher say they had?

Boy: Red, white, and blue stripes!

I had been present when this pupil-teacher dialog took place and the teacher had said nothing about red, white, and blue stripes, but the boy had merely done what many do who are presented with verbal descriptions— he made his images from his incomplete store of knowledge and came out with some sort of half ox and half goat wound around with red, white, and blue bunting.¹

Recently an Evanston, Illinois teacher took into her class a small bundle of wheat and asked the pupils to tell her what it was. Only one called it wheat. Other suggestions ventured were: "corn-cob," "dried celery," "barley," "rye." The word, wheat, was familiar to all these children, but for most of them it was not attached to the real object for which it stands. Until such a tie-up was made, the use of the word was little more than verbalism.

Here is the purpose of visual education in a nutshell. It is to continue the process of keeping teaching allied as closely as possible with concrete experiences. It consists

¹Letter from B. A. Auginbaugh, Director of the Ohio Visual Education Department, Columbus, Ohio, January 6, 1955.
of all those efforts and activities by which one seeks to help the pupil to learn through seeing.

Visual aids should be interesting but their purpose is more than entertainment. The purpose of the lesson must come first. The visual aids chosen must always be secondary and contributory to that purpose. That visual aid should be chosen which represents the most direct available route to the goal. Unless it performs this function it is not an aid, but a hindrance. If the emphasis on the visual aid is such as to draw attention to itself and away from the objective, it has been incorrectly chosen or improperly used. If the mechanics of presenting the visual aid are so blundering or obtrusive as to blur out the sharpness of the object, it had much better be omitted.

Good lesson planning requires that, in the light of knowledge of the needs of the pupils, the teacher first determine the objective for a particular session. Only then is he ready to ask himself, "How can I best achieve this objective?" A part of the answer may be in the use of some form of visual aid. In practice, of course, the process may at times be reversed. A good visual aid may call to mind objectives which have already been chosen, or needs which have been recognized and which will be ministered to by this aid. But the accent is still on purpose.

Visual aids are not laborsaving devices. More, rather
than less preparation is necessary with their use, and usually such preparation must be made far in advance. Visual aids were never intended as laborsavers for teachers. Their purpose is to make the work of the conscientious teacher more effective.

There is one valid test of the effectiveness of visual aids: to what extent do they help to achieve the objectives of teaching? Teachers who have made a practice of using visual aids have no doubt as to their value. They have seen the heightened interest of their pupils.

The following figure substantiates that teaching with the use of visual aids is superior to teaching without them.

Tests Used

*Maximum possible score.

**Experimental Group received identical instruction as Control Group except for the use of visual aids.

Figure 1.--Comparative Achievement of two matched groups of students in eight social studies tests.
The columns in the diagram representing the group being taught with the aid of pictures (experimental group) are consistently higher than the nonvisual aid group (control group).

This experiment covered a semester's work in South American history during the 1954-1955 school year. It was conducted in a sixth grade classroom at Northbrook, Illinois with fifteen pupils in each experimental and control group, paired as to equate ability in the two groups. The results of eight tests are shown above. The purpose was to discover the lasting effectiveness of the use of photos and sketches as an aid in teaching history. In both groups, the teaching situation, the content of the course, the general methods of teaching, and all other factors were exactly the same except that the course for the experimental group included the showing of pictures.

Many commercial enterprises have allocated large sums of money to establish education and research departments under the direction of individuals who are well known in the field of education. Because of the intensive interest, much of the material is being made more attractive and better suited to the pupils of different grade levels. Teachers who are in need of supplementary material need not hesitate to supply their needs from industrially prepared teaching aids.
It has been estimated that the funds invested in the production and distribution of industrially prepared teaching aids each year exceed the annual school budgets of Delaware, Idaho, Nevada, New Hampshire, Vermont, and Wyoming combined.\footnote{Letter from Thomas J. Sinclair, Educational Director, Association of American Railroads, Washington, D. C., September 23, 1954.}

Whatever the total investment may be, it is known that many business firms and associations spend substantial sums of money every year on teaching aids, the use of which has reached significant proportions in American schools. In fact, teachers generally agree that these aids now constitute a potent force in the educative process.

So far as the writer has knowledge, the business organizations that cooperated in this study and that currently produce and distribute teaching aids, plan to continue the activity, and some of them hope to expand their program.

As one example, the American Petroleum Institute has distributed for many years a large volume of informative and educational material about petroleum in response to requests and inquiries from teachers and students. In 1950, the Institute made an intensive study to determine what types of industry-furnished aids were most useful to schools. The results of this study and subsequent surveys indicate, in brief, that industry-sponsored educational materials are of most value when they are specifically prepared for schools, when they reflect an enlightened social point
of view, and when they help to make classroom instruction more complete, more realistic, and more interesting. The study also indicated that materials should be objective and simple in presentation.¹

As a result of this study, a new group of materials is now being offered by the American Petroleum Institute for use in the schools. Every effort has been made to prepare the materials in accordance with these guiding principles.

The American Forest Products Industries developed a school packet about twelve years ago that continues to be popular. It offers a teacher's manual, several wall displays, and classroom quantities of graded student booklets which provide a complete line of forest conservation materials for grades four through twelve. The sponsor's records show that these materials have been requested by more than half the schools of the United States and requests this year reached an all time high.²

Why should business be interested in youth? The most obvious answer is that today's young people are tomorrow's stockholders and tomorrow's employees.

Business organizations which produce teaching aids may better serve the needs of education if they know the

¹Statement by Donald R. Waugh, personal interview, Oil Industry Information Committee of the American Petroleum Institute, Chicago, Illinois, September 14, 1954.

educators' views on these materials. Many of the organizations represented in this study have an educational department which compiles the information, plans the type of aid to be prepared, and has charge of distribution of materials. The materials prepared by such a plan tend to be of more value than those prepared by the advertising department for they tend to be contributions to the public, to education, and to children, while the material prepared by advertising departments tend to be weighted quite heavily with the product for sale. However, the writer feels that only about 4 per cent of the companies cooperating in this study produced materials with such an excess amount of advertising that these materials were objectionable for school use. A wise and creative teacher is able to direct the students' interests toward the primary purpose of these materials and will therefore be encouraging the consideration of a specific product as a secondary matter.

Commercial organizations have become increasingly aware of the value to them and to consumers from issuing authoritative educational material relating to their products. Many of these organizations employ well-trained and experienced persons to prepare such materials. Although the chief purpose of such material is to sell the company's product, in many cases advertising is kept at a minimum. Teachers can offset the emphasis on any one brand by giving students
the opportunity to compare a variety of brands.

Plant visits or tours are forms of industrial and business helps to education. Carefully planned tours can be very successful because students may see some of their schoolwork actually in use, and often what they see will capture their imagination to the extent that they will want to study more about that work. Alice Haggans, Educational Director of the Board of Trade, Chicago, Illinois says that her employers "feel that the best visual aid on the Board of Trade is actually seeing the Trading Floor in action."¹

Over a two-year period, the writer built up a list of several hundred firms and associations that were known to be distributing materials or were of the nature that there was a possibility of their producing materials. In compiling the list, there was a definite attempt to have a variety of types of business and organizations represented. Addresses were secured through telephone books, educational periodicals, and interviews.

In addition to gathering information by correspondence, the writer had personal visitations with representatives of business and education.

A form letter² was sent to 603 organizations requesting the following:

¹Statement by Alice Haggans, personal interview, Educational Director, Board of Trade, Chicago, Illinois, September 24, 1954.

²See Appendix, p. 120.
1. A complete packet of visual aids regarding your industry, designed for use in the elementary and junior high school (booklets, pictures, charts, displays, and the like).

2. The cost and to whom these materials are available.

3. Information regarding the expense of producing these materials in 1954.

4. Approximate number of educators you sent materials to in 1954.

Since the majority of organizations were unable to accurately determine the actual cost involved in point three inasmuch as personnel and postage expenses could not be figured accurately, and since it is not the policy of many organizations to divulge the yearly expense they incur to produce these materials, a fair conclusions could not be made on this point.

Regarding point four, most organizations supplied at least one hundred and many supplied as many as one hundred thousand, which would indicate an awareness on the part of teachers to the value of industry-sponsored teaching aids.

Many of the items provide general information of scientific, cultural, or historical value and have no specific relation to the sales interest of the firms producing them. Other items pertain to the products of the particular firms or associations which have produced them for distribution. It is naturally to be expected that materials relating to sales products will set forth the producers' claims in
somewhat the fashion of advertising as such.

The 455 business firms and organizations that supplied data for this study make educational materials available in the following forms: booklets, charts, comic books, exhibits, maps, models, leaflets, posters, and samples.

This report seeks to list for ready reference and use some of the materials available from industries and educational organizations usable in today's ever-demanding curriculum. The materials have been annotated to aid teachers in their selection.

The basic objectives of this study are:

1. To present a general view of the great significance of visualizing modern education.

2. To set up criteria by which good materials may be selected.

3. To prepare an annotated listing of industries and educational organizations producing materials usable in the elementary and junior high grades.
CHAPTER II

TYPES OF INDUSTRY-SPONSORED VISUAL MATERIALS

What are the characteristics of visual materials which distinguish them from other materials? First, they have qualities of concreteness. Through combining the spoken or written word with the concrete image, educators can build a greater common denominator of understanding for a typical class.

Second, life today, with its high degree of specialization and its urban living, does not offer the concrete experiences of an earlier agricultural society. This makes some books harder to understand than they once were.

The movement in schools to make certain that concrete experiences are provided is not directed against abstraction or generalization. Indeed, intellectual life is impossible without abstractions. Those interested in visual education are looking two ways, toward a richer provision of concrete experiences, both in the development of abstractions and of generalizations.

Ralph Linton, the noted anthropologist, has pointed out that one of the reasons for the success of Confucius as a teacher was that he not only presented the abstraction
but in every case he gave a specific illustration of what he meant. Indeed, he often gave several illustrations. Thus, his abstractions were made concrete by example. It is this that brings one to the realization that learning is made lasting through example and visual perception. If the written word is not understood, then what is the value of that area of concentration? This leads up to the thought which Sir Walter Scott so well expressed in *Marmion*. It should bring teachers to the realization that they practice deception when they constantly present abstract verbalisms:

Oh what a tangled web we weave,  
When first we practice to deceive.  

There are many ways in which to visualize teaching. Each curriculum material has its own unique contribution to make to the pupils' educational development. In some instances a certain material is basic; in others, it is supplementary. Some types will serve one purpose best, some types another.

The choice of a visual aid to be used in a particular situation will depend on a number of factors. These include the nature of the subject to be visualized, the age of the

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pupils, the availability of visual material, the possibilities for visualization in the setting in which the lesson is to be taught, and the teacher's ability to use visual material. It is sensible to conclude that the well-prepared teacher should be familiar with various types of aids, their availability, and uses. These types of visual aids will be discussed in the following pages. They are means employed by business organizations in presenting information to students, teachers, and the general public:

1. Blackboard.
3. Charts.
4. Diagrams.
5. Posters.
6. Illustrated textbooks.
7. Booklets and leaflets.
8. Comics.
10. Specimens.

The blackboard, bulletin board, and illustrated text, as such, are not to be considered industry-sponsored teaching aids. They are included in this chapter as an indication of the need for effective usage of basic materials in an ordinary classroom and as a means for presenting and displaying visual aids.
Blackboard, Bulletin Board, Charts, Diagrams, and Posters

The blackboard and bulletin board are but a means for presenting and displaying visual aids effectively. A teacher need not be an artist to use a blackboard effectively. New and different words written on the blackboard where the pupils may see as well as hear them will be more readily learned.

A bulletin board provides a place where materials may be readily and easily posted for observation and study. Classes engaged in projects where newspaper clippings are useful will find a bulletin board invaluable. Specimens of the pupils' creative efforts may find their place on the bulletin board where other members of the class as well as parents and friends may see them.

A chart is used to present data for easy reference, for comparison, and for summarizing. It may be in the form of a table of figures or of line drawings showing relationships.

Diagrams, even though they be crude, showing relationships between persons, events in a time schedule, will help to make difficult subject matter clearer. Simple drawings, illustrating a presentation as it is being made, will give life to a story or lesson.

A poster is designed by both form and color to catch immediately the eye of the passerby and to hold his attention
long enough to impress upon him the particular message which
it is intended to portray. A good poster should make its
impression vividly enough so that not only will the atten-
tion be arrested and held but its story also will be
remembered.

A graph is a form of chart which readily attracts
attention and presents arrangements of data which are easily
read and remembered. Graphs are lines, diagrams, or pic-
tures arranged to show quality, development, function, or
relationships of factors. Graphs are constructed on definite
mathematical principles. They can effectively give the stu-
dent vivid pictures of comparative data.

Illustrated Textbooks, Booklets, Leaflets, and Comics

The schoolbook with pictures is so common in one's
experiences that the pictures are taken for granted. It
is difficult to realize that there was a time when there
were no pictures in books. It was John Comenius, a teacher
and minister, who developed the first picture textbook.
His *Orbis Sensualium Pictus*, that is, "The World of Sense
Objects Pictures," an illustrated primer and first reader
which appeared in 1658, was the first illustrated book ever
to be written for children. It was written in Latin but
later translated into many languages. Comenius not only
simplified the teaching of Latin, but he also shifted the
whole emphasis in instruction, from words to things and made
the teaching of scientific knowledge and useful world information, the keynote of his work.¹

Pictures are used in books in order to give reality and interpretation to the text. Often the caption under the picture presents further interpretation but the pictures remain an aid to the printed words. There is hardly a teacher who does not at some time or other, employ pictures in his teaching. Many times a teacher's use of pictures is haphazard, unplanned, and in total or partial ignorance of the rich picture resources which are available.

The picture presents the experience to the recipient, but the recipient must bring his own experience to the word! No statistics are needed to gauge the tremendous difference between the symbolic word and visual aids as qualitative gains to communication. Since communication is the major, if not the chief tool of education as it is also of many other fields of endeavor, the significance of these relationships should be easy to perceive.

Disadvantages in the use of printed pictures center mainly in the difficulty of getting pictures which are large enough, so that all the members of a class may clearly see.

Booklets and leaflets are the most widely distributed material by business organizations. They vary in size from

two pages to twenty-five and many are elaborately colored. They tend to give a very comprehensive summary of the subject they are intended to cover.

Approximately 4 per cent of the business organizations that make educational materials available to the public include in their packet of materials a comic. A comic is a continuous story with many separate but related cartoons. They are easy to read and tend to be exciting.

Objects, Specimens, and Models

A model is distinguished from an object in that it is not the real thing but an artificial representation of some object which is not present. What better way could a learning take place when a field trip is not possible?

An explanation and suggestions concerning the use of objects, specimens, and models are found in Dr. C. F. Hoban's monograph on Visual Education and the School Journey. They are generally considered to be of great value in educational procedure.

The object is the thing itself—plant, fruit, vegetable, bird, animal, etc.—that can be brought into the classroom for study. The specimen is a sample, a part intended to show quality, one of several things which represent all—for example, a piece of coal, wood, cloth, etc. The model is a small size representation, as for example, a building, engine, heart, lungs, globe, etc.

The best place to study cotton would be at a cotton plantation. But, children are not always able to go to a cotton field. The cotton plant, however, with its flower and fruitage, can be brought to the schoolroom, where the children, in addition to seeing
its arrangement in the boll, can handle the cotton, feel the fibers, pick out the seeds, go through the process of combining it and twisting it into strands. This exercise, supplemented with photographic material—showing the cotton field, method of planting, stages of growth and cultivation, and the process through which the cotton passes from the boll to the manufactured garment—will enable the child to understand the relationship between cotton as a plant and as an article of clothing. 1

Among many educators the term "teaching aids" is synonymous with audio-visual materials and equipment produced commercially for sale to schools. For many business representatives, and some educators, the term "teaching aids" means industry-sponsored teaching materials. However, there is some confusion between materials designed primarily for consumer education and other, more general types of sponsored teaching aids.

As defined by leaders in the field, the purpose of consumer education is "to help people become more intelligent, more effective and more conscientious consumers." 2

Many business representatives say that the teaching aids which their organizations sponsor, fall within the scope of this definition.

A significant study in the field of industry-sponsored educational materials is that reported by Kenneth Dameron.


In discussing industry-sponsored educational materials in the "Introduction" to his report, Dameron stated:

... the new interest of educators in the form, content and character of the advertising message in these materials, makes it imperative that the particular rules, principles or concepts which govern the teacher's use of commercial materials should be thoroughly understood and taken into consideration by national advertisers. The advertiser who ignores the new conditions under which commercial materials for the schools must be written and their distribution conducted, will find himself confronted with pitfalls and hazards which may prove disastrous to his program.

The key to the whole program for securing successful use of business-sponsored materials in the schools is, of course, the teacher. ¹

A wise and creative teacher is able to direct the students' interests toward the primary purpose of these materials and will therefore be encouraging the consideration of a specific product as a secondary matter.

A good teacher is one who uses books, maps, charts, specimens, models, motion pictures, the phonograph, the radio, television, and field trips, or whatever is available to put across most efficiently the lesson she is teaching. Recognizing the value of visual aids, their place in the evolution of human communication, and their efficiency with respect to man's psychological aspects and behavior, they may serve any teacher as master tools. It is logical, therefore, to advocate usage of industry-sponsored materials,

which are generally free or inexpensive, in the schools.

The function, acquisition, adoption, and utilization of audio-visual aids in schools, should be based upon definite psychological and pedagogical principles. Good teaching depends upon the understanding and techniques employed in breaking down abstractions. The abstract must be reduced to the concrete. Man is a social being. Through the ages, he has acquired rich experiences which he wishes to communicate to his fellows as each new generation appears. It is the teacher's task to know the child and begin to teach him "where he is." This is a process of communication and its effectiveness depends upon the tools of learning selected and used. The tools, then, of communicating vicarious experiences are words, pictures, objects, diaramas, motion pictures, recordings, radio, television, and all devices that help individuals transmit their thoughts and experiences to others. It is the responsibility of the teacher to know the techniques in the utilization of each aid in order to break down abstractions and to provide vicarious experiences for the learner.

Visual communication is the key to common, universal comprehension. Perhaps the following lines by Edgar A. Guest express the feelings of children as well as adults in view of a new learning situation:
I'd rather see a lesson than hear one any day. I'd rather you would walk with me than merely tell the way. The eye's a better teacher and more willing than the ear. And council is confusing, but example's always clear.

CHAPTER III

CRITERIA FOR SELECTION OF INDUSTRY-SPONSORED MATERIALS

The ever-increasing complexity of civilization has placed a great burden on educational institutions. Many schools have been confronted with the problem of extreme heterogeneity of interests and abilities of pupils. They have been faced with the spectrum of new social, physical, and technological developments which have necessitated the re-evaluation and continual readjustment of the curriculum.

An understanding of the factors which have contributed to the growth and development of this nation is an essential part of every student's education. One significant element of that understanding is an insight into the evolution of American industry and its effects upon lives. There are social studies books that touch upon the subject. Many teachers, however, have expressed a need for more materials describing how industry works, how it is managed, its labor relations, job opportunities, its products, and contributions to American life.

Experience with industry-sponsored materials for schools suggests that the following criteria should not only serve as the judgment basis for the educator, but should serve
as a guide to the organizations whose materials are available to the public. Industry-sponsored materials should:

1. Be accurate and reliable.
2. Be usable and acceptable.
3. Provide for individual growth and development.
4. Be pertinent.
5. Be accessible.
7. Be free of indoctrination.
8. Include timely information.
10. Be colorful.
11. Be free or inexpensive.
12. Be without obligation to the sponsor.
13. Be related to experiences of pupils.
14. Have a high level of durability and quality of item.

Commercial materials are used primarily for student reference, for classroom presentation, and as background information for the teacher. The teacher's purpose in utilizing such materials is to provide supplementary information which is not easily obtainable elsewhere in convenient form and thus to enrich the subject matter being covered.

The criteria have two obvious uses—to teachers, for checking on value and acceptability of material submitted to them, and to advertisers, who plan to use this form of
promotion, to serve as a guide as to what should and should not be included and how the material should be presented.

A large number of business firms and organizations prepare and produce but a single leaflet for local distribution; others have an extensive educational program involving special personnel, a variety of teaching aids, and widespread distribution. Most of the 391 business organizations represented in this study belong to the latter group.

With the cooperation of a few selected teachers in Evanston, Glencoe, Northbrook, and Skokie, Illinois, and Mr. S. E. Alkire, Director of Audio-Visual Education, Illinois Department of Education, who presided at the Illinois Audio-Visual Conference held in Springfield, November 19 and 20, 1954, data acknowledging some industries and organizations that provide materials of excellence to schools has been summarized and is given in Table I.\(^1\) Eighty-five persons opinions are represented.

The materials supplies by these organizations are listed in Chapter IV of this report. They are considered excellent materials for schools because they maintain the criteria standards stated henceforth.

No individual teacher has either the time or resources to assemble, classify, and catalogue all such materials as would be helpful to him. It is highly important, therefore, that in every school system a program be worked out whereby

\(1\)See Table I, p. 27.
INDUSTRIES AND ORGANIZATIONS, THAT IN THE EYES OF EDUCATORS, PROVIDE MATERIALS OF EXCELLENCE TO THE PUBLIC

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valuable educational materials of this kind are made readily available to the instructional staff.

Concisely, the criteria may be summarized with the following key words: pertinent, usable and acceptable, illustrated, free or inexpensive, no urging to buy, no indoctrination, accurate, and not one-sided. The statements must be reliable, materials prepared by trained experts with a modern educational point of view, timely information, apparent purpose social welfare more than commercial profit, principles of art applied, and provision for individual growth and development.

Teachers should recognize that the effective use of visual aids can help in bringing about these results:
1. Develop correct impressions.
2. Stimulate interest.
3. Dispel monotony.
4. Increase accomplishment.
5. Prolong retention.
6. Assist understanding.

There is no magic in visual aids. They are usually more understandable than certain textbooks which may not be detailed enough or not tied closely enough with pupil experiences. However, with teaching aids, teachers will still have to teach and students will still have to study. However, enthusiastic teaching with the aid of teaching aids should provide an atmosphere where meanings are clearer and richer and students will be studying in an atmosphere where what is learned will be clearer and more meaningful to them, more helpful to them in solving their own problems. This, after all, is the desired outcome of public school education.

Materials chosen for use in this study were selected on the basis of educational value according to the criteria previously stated. Three hundred ninety-one organizations supplied information which was tabulated and reported in this study. The writer is indebted to these organizations for their cooperation.¹

¹See Appendix, pp. 122-130.
CHAPTER IV

AVAILABILITY OF INDUSTRY-SPONSORED VISUAL MATERIALS

Many of the items listed in this section provide general information of scientific, cultural, or historical value and have no specific relation to the sales interest of the firms producing them. Other items pertain to the products of the particular firms or associations which have prepared them for distribution. It is naturally to be expected that materials relating to sales products will set forth the producers' claims in somewhat the fashion of advertising. However, of the materials reviewed for this study, less than 5 per cent was discarded as being heavily weighted with advertising. The listing in this report does not constitute an endorsement of any product. There is, therefore, the need for discriminatory consideration on the part of teachers.

Upon questioning numerous organizations as to why they prepare, promote, and distribute free teaching materials, they conclude with such purposes as these:

1. To serve the needs of teachers and students as best we can within the limits of our own objectives, which is the immediate or eventual sale of goods or services.¹

2. To foster good will.\(^1\)

3. To promote an appreciation of our accomplishments and an understanding of our problems.\(^2\)

4. To sell more products or services.\(^3\)

Who is responsible for the preparation of these aids? Persons who are recognized as authorities in particular subject areas or specialized fields, the educators in communities where the sponsors are located, a number of commercial companies, and several other organizations are set up to help business in one way or another on the planning, production, and distribution of free teaching aids.

Business employs a variety of means in presenting information to teachers and students through sponsored teaching materials. The three most commonly used means of materials represented in this study are booklets, leaflets, and charts.

There is evidence that not hundreds but thousands of business firms and associations prepare materials which they regard as teaching aids and which they make available

\(^1\)Letter from Alma Deane Fuller, Educational Director, American Forest Products, Inc., Washington, D. C., September 23, 1954.

\(^2\)Letter from John Edgar Hoover, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation, Washington, D. C., October 8, 1954.

\(^3\)Letter from Nathan Keats, Vice President, Brand Names Foundation, Inc., New York, New York, September 8, 1954.
as such. The activity varies in intensity from that of the local, independent merchant who produces a single leaflet for distribution within his own community to that of the large corporation or association which has an educational department that produces teaching materials.

There is a wealth of free materials available, but many teachers have only a vague notion where they are. The following guide will help the administrator, teacher, or student in effectively requesting materials from industries and organizations:

1. The request for materials should be made by teacher, principal, or superintendent.

2. Only school stationery should be used.

3. Order only enough to meet immediate needs.

4. Return borrowed materials when agreed upon, thereby insuring efficient use by others.

5. A brief evaluation of the materials should be sent to the sponsor to help in the preparation of better materials.

The materials are free of cost and available in classroom quantities unless otherwise indicated. Only items considered as exceptional instructional materials, judged by the standards for selection suggested in Chapter III, are listed in this report.
AGRICULTURE

American Curriedale Association, Inc.
108 Parkhill Avenue
Columbia, Missouri

Complete listing of booklets available on the subject of sheep and wool.

American Hereford Association
Public Relations Department
300 West 11th Street
Kansas City, Missouri

Packet of materials including a hereford photograph album available.

American Potash Institute, Inc.
1155 16th Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

16x21 inch charts: CORN STARVATION SYMPTOMS, PLANT-FOOD UTILIZATION, POTASH-STARVED LEGUMES.

J. I. Case Company
Advertising Department
Racine, Wisconsin

PAGEANT OF PROGRESS--This booklet is intended to be a guide to the movie with the same title, available from this company. It presents the historical development of plows, threshing machines, and tractors.

College of Agriculture
University of Illinois
Urbana, Illinois

VO-AG AIDS--This catalog contains a listing of numerous displays and materials available relating to the subject of agriculture.

Farm Credit Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

Catalog of publications available. Numerous items listed are usable in vocational agriculture classes.
International Harvester Company
Educational Services
180 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago 1, Illinois

LAND OF PLENTY--This booklet describes the progress of farming, from muscles to motors.
YOUR FARM EQUIPMENT--This booklet explains the proper care of farm equipment.

The National Fertilizer Association
616 Investment Building
Washington 5, D. C.

THE CONQUEST OF HUNGER--A color comic pointing out the importance of chemicals to the soil.
HOW TO TAKE A SOIL SAMPLE--This is a descriptive booklet.
ORGANIC MATTER--THE LIFE OF THE SOIL--This is a descriptive booklet.
MINERAL HUNGER IN LIVESTOCK--This is a descriptive booklet.

The Purebred Cattle Association
Columbus 5, Ohio

DAIRY COW SCORE CARD--8½ x 11 inches.

Swift & Company
Public Relations Department
Union Stock Yards
Chicago 9, Illinois

THE STORY OF MEAT ANIMALS--This booklet is designed for use in the elementary grades. Excellent material.
THE STORY OF DAIRY ANIMALS--This booklet explains the importance of dairy products as well as lists the states leading in production of dairy products. Excellent material.
THE STORY OF POULTRY.--This booklet gives a complete, easily understood description, from egg to fowl. Excellent material.

United States Department of Agriculture
Office of Information
Washington 25, D. C.

Catalog of publications available.
AIR CONDITIONING

Carrier Corporation
300 South Geddes Street
Syracuse 1, New York

The material from this organization is on the adult level but may be geared to the understanding of young children. Catalog of materials available.

ALABAMA

Bureau of Publicity and Information
State Capitol Building
Montgomery 5, Alabama

Packet of booklets and maps available.

ALASKA

U. S. Department of Interior
Office of Territories
Washington 25, D. C.

ALASKA—This leaflet describes the history, people, climate, and resources of Alaska.
ALASKA, 1952-1953—This booklet gives a fairly complete description of the people, climate, and resources of Alaska.

ALCOHOL EDUCATION

National Women's Christian Temperance Union
1730 Chicago Avenue
Evanston, Illinois

A complete listing of booklets, slide films, and motion pictures available.

ALUMINUM

Aluminum Company of America
Educational Service Section
818 Alcoa Building
Pittsburgh 19, Pennsylvania

A complete listing of materials available. Many excellent items.
THE A-B-C's OF ALUMINUM—This booklet contains information on the history, production, and uses of aluminum.

SONG OF AMERICA—This booklet explains the meaning of the song, "America."

OUR LAND—OUR SPIRIT—This booklet presents some startling information regarding erosion.

AMERICAN SAMOA

AMERICAN SAMOA—This descriptive leaflet tells about Samoa, an unorganized territory of the United States.

ALL ABOUT APPLES—This booklet includes information on types, origin of name, and the like.

Packet of booklets and maps available.
ARKANSAS

Arkansas Publicity and Information Department
162 State Capitol
Little Rock, Arkansas

Packet of booklets and maps available.

ART

The American Crayon Company
Educational Service
Sandusky, Ohio

EASY WAYS TO PAINT FABRICS--Descriptive booklet.
WINNING ART IDEAS--This folio contains suggestions for unique art projects.

American Reedcraft Corporation
417 Lafayette Avenue
Hawthorne, New Jersey

Catalog of inexpensive materials available.

Binney & Smith Company
Advertising Manager
380 Madison Avenue
New York 17, New York

CREATIVE CRAFTS WITH CRAYOLA--This booklet contains instructions for making gifts, games, and the like.
FINGER PAINTING--This booklet contains complete instructions on the preparation of the paint, the type of paper to be used and suggested designs.

Eugene Dietzgen
2425 N. Sheffield Avenue
Chicago 14, Illinois

USE AND CARE OF DRAWING INSTRUMENTS--This illustrative booklet is especially prepared for children in the elementary and junior high grades.
LETTERING CHART--3 x 7½ inches, showing the fundamental strokes in lettering.

The Handcrafters
Waupun, Wisconsin

Catalog of inexpensive craft materials available.
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass Company  
608 Madison Avenue  
Toledo 3, Ohio

Set of ten water colors by Joseph W. Jicha, portraying American life; 14 x 17 inches. One set per school.

National Soap Sculpture Committee  
160 5th Avenue  
New York 10, New York

Fifty-piece loan exhibit of soap sculpture.

SOAP CARVING—This booklet describes how simple objects may be made by all children.

Simonds Saw and Steel Company  
Advertising Department  
470 Main Street  
Fitchburg, Massachusetts

Information regarding the care and use of circular saws and files may be obtained from this company.

South Bend Lathe Works  
South Bend 22, Indiana

Booklets relating to the operation of different woodworking machines available.

Weber Costello Company  
Advertising Department  
Chicago Heights, Illinois

HOW TO USE PASTEL CHALK  
FINGER PAINTING  
HOW TO USE THE CHALKBOARD  
These are advertising materials but serve as good reference material to the teacher.

X-Acto, Inc.  
48-41 Van Dam Street  
Long Island City 1, New York

Hobby booklets on the following subjects available:  
WHITTLING  
INDIAN BEADCRAFT  
MODEL PLANES
AUSTRIA

Austrian Information Service
31 East 69th Street
New York 21, New York

Forty-eight by thirty inch colored map of the products of Austria.

AUSTRALIA--This booklet contains information on the geography, history, government, culture, and economy.

AUSTRALIA

Australian News & Information Bureau
636 Fifth Avenue
New York 20, New York

A LOOK AT AUSTRALIA--A most useful booklet which compresses into a few pages the Australian story from January, 1788, when the first settlers reached Sydney, until the present day. Excellent material.

FACTS AND FIGURES--This official account of the Australian economy and administration is issued quarterly. Excellent.

AUSTRALIA IN BRIEF--This is a small pocket-sized booklet, posing one hundred questions on phases of the Australian way of life and answering them simply. Excellent material.

AUSTRALIAN ANIMALS AND BIRDS--This brochure describes many of Australia's strange and most appealing birds and animals.

BIRD AND ANIMAL POSTER--This poster has twelve pictures of the kangaroo, platypus, koala, and other animals and birds of Australia. Excellent material.

AUSTRALIA: NATURAL AND INDUSTRIAL RESOURCES--Wall map, 23 x 32 inches, in color, illustrating Australia's principal climatic zones, and details of industries and resources in all areas. Excellent.

AUSTRALIAN WILDFLOWERS--This brochure illustrates some of Australia's most interesting and attractive wildflowers. The materials supplied by this organization are excellent.
AUTOMOBILES

Automobile Manufacturers Association
Public Relations Department
320 New Center Building
Detroit 2, Michigan

A BIBLIOGRAPHY OF AUTOMOTIVE LITERATURE--This booklet contains a listing of books about the automotive industry.

A CAR TRAVELING PEOPLE--An illustrated booklet on how the automobile has changed the lives of Americans.

A CHRONICAL OF THE AUTOMOTIVE INDUSTRY--A chronological listing of automotive historical facts.

AUTOMOBILE FACTS AND FIGURES--Annual fact book on automobile production and use, highway data, and the like.

HORSES TO HORSEPOWER--This booklet explains the effect of the truck on American living.

THE WORK CARS DO--This booklet contains highlights of a national survey on how Americans use their automobiles.

WHAT IT TAKES TO MAKE YOUR CAR--This booklet describes automotive production.

General Motors Corporation
Department of Public Relations
Post Office Box 177 - North End Station
Detroit 2, Michigan

Catalog of materials available.

International Harvester Company
Educational Services
180 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago 1, Illinois

HISTORICAL FACTS ABOUT EARLY INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER AUTOMOTIVE VEHICLES--This booklet contains highly technical information but the pictures are excellent.

AVIATION

Aircraft Industries Association
610 Shoreham Building
Washington 5, D. C.

OUR JETS--This booklet contains pictures and information on each type of jet.
U. S. AVIATION TODAY--This booklet contains complete information on more than fifty United States' planes and engines produced during the fiftieth anniversary year of flight.

FLIGHT--This booklet describes aviation's first fifty years through the use of sketches.

HELICOPTER FACTS--This booklet gives a complete description of how the helicopter operates, what it can do, and what it means to a community.

JETS--This booklet gives a complete description of how a jet operates, what it can do, and what it means to a community.

LOOK TO THE SKY--This is a picture booklet of aviation for boys and girls with questions to discuss.

FIFTY YEARS OF AVIATION PROGRESS--This booklet presents background information on aviation's first fifty years.

Beech Aircraft Corporation
Public Relations Department
Wichita 1, Kansas

Ten by eight inch glossy picture of model B-50 Twin-Bonanza Beechcraft. Numerous pamphlets and pictures usable as reference material. Send for a complete listing of materials available.

Boeing Airplane Company
Advertising Department
Seattle 14, Washington

Catalog of materials available.

Delta-C & S Air Lines
Information Services
Municipal Airport
Atlanta, Georgia

THE STORY OF HOW AN AIRLINE OPERATES
Nineteen by thirteen inch posters showing actual pictures of different planes in color.

Pan American World Airways
Educational Director
28-19 Bridge Plaza North
Long Island City 1, New York

Complete listing of materials available.
AVIATION IN THE ELEMENTARY GRADES--This packet of materials is designed for use by elementary teachers.

TIME AND PLACE: AVIATION FOR SECONDARY SCHOOLS--This packet of materials is designed for secondary teachers and the material is suitable for study by junior and senior high school students.

United Air Lines
School and College Service
5959 S. Cicero Avenue
Chicago 38, Illinois

MIKE AND NANCY TAKE A FLIGHT--This is a reader usable in the elementary grades.

HISTORY OF PLANES--Sixteen pictures, 8½ x 11 inches.

HISTORY OF MAIL--Sixteen pictures, 8½ x 11 inches.

Complete listing of materials and services available.

U. S. Department of Commerce
Civil Aeronautics Administration
Washington 25, D. C.

AVIATION EDUCATION SOURCES--This booklet contains a listing of free and low cost materials.

PICTURE STORY OF HONEY PRODUCTION--This booklet contains a most interesting story of honey production. Twenty copies per teacher.

BELGIUM

Belgian Government Information Center
630 Fifth Avenue
New York 20, New York

Numerous publications available on the Belgium Congo. Send for a complete listing.
OFFICIAL BELGIAN TOURIST BUREAU
422 Madison Avenue
New York 17, New York

A CHRONOLOGY OF BELGIAN HISTORY—This is a date line of historical events in Belgium. Complete listing of materials available.

BERMUDA

Bermuda Trade Development Board
620 Fifth Avenue
New York 20, New York

Packet of booklets and maps available.

BICYCLE

Aetna Life Affiliated Companies
Public Education Department
Hartford 15, Connecticut

FUN ON WHEELS—This booklet contains information on bicycle safety and care. Excellent material.

Bicycle Institute of America, Inc.
122 East 42nd Street
New York 17, New York

Send for a complete listing of posters, leaflets, and booklets available.

Lumbermen’s Mutual Casualty Company
Public Relations Department
Mutual Insurance Building
Chicago 40, Illinois

BIKES—This booklet describes bicycle safety and care.

BIOGRAPHY

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Boston, Massachusetts

STEPHEN DAYE—This booklet contains a brief story of the life and work of Stephen Daye. Excellent material.
EDISON AND ELECTRICITY--This booklet contains a condensed biography of Thomas Edison, relating some of his many contributions to science and to better living. Excellent material.

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Boston, Massachusetts

THOMAS A. EDISON--BENEFACTOR OF MANKIND--This booklet contains a brief story of the life and work of Thomas A. Edison. Excellent material.

Thomas A. Edison, Incorporated
Advertising Department
Storage Battery Division
West Orange, New Jersey

EDISON--INSPIRATION TO YOUTH--This booklet contains the life and work of Edison in pictorial form.
EDISON AND HIS STORAGE BATTERY--This booklet describes the development of the storage battery by Edison.

University of Pittsburgh
Office of the Curator of the Foster Hall Collection
Pittsburgh 13, Pennsylvania

SONGS OF STEPHEN FOSTER--This book is full of pictures and stories of events in the life of this musician. It also contains over fifty of his compositions. Fifty copies per school. Excellent material.

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Boston, Massachusetts

BENJAMIN FRANKLIN--This booklet contains a brief story of the life and work of Benjamin Franklin. Excellent.

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Boston, Massachusetts

JOHN HANCOCK--This booklet contains a brief story of the life of John Hancock. Excellent material.
John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Boston, Massachusetts

JOHN PAUL JONES—This booklet contains a brief story of the life of John Paul Jones. Excellent material.

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Boston, Massachusetts

ROBERT E. LEE—This booklet contains a brief story of the life and work of Robert E. Lee.

The Lincoln National Life Insurance Company
Personal Service Bureau
Fort Wayne, Indiana

LINCOLN BOOKLET SERIES—One set per school:
ABRAHAM LINCOLN—A CONCISE BIOGRAPHY
LITTLE KNOWN LINCOLN HUMOR
LITTLE KNOWN LINCOLN EPISODES
LITTLE KNOWN FACTS ABOUT THE GETTYSBURG ADDRESS
LITTLE KNOWN FACTS ABOUT THANKSGIVING AND LINCOLN'S PROCLAMATION
LITTLE KNOWN BOYHOOD ADVENTURES OF ABRAHAM LINCOLN
SCOUT LINCOLN
LINCOLN'S DIVERSIFIED OCCUPATIONS
COLLECTING LINCOLN PENNIES
LINCOLN'S POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY
THREE LINCOLN MOTHERS
LINCOLN, THE POSTMAN
LINCOLN COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
LINCOLN AND THANKSGIVING DAY

Thirteen by eight inch facsimile of Lincoln's "Gettysburg Address."
All materials from this organization are excellent.

Horace Mann Insurance Companies
216 E. Monroe Street
Springfield, Illinois

HORACE MANN—This booklet contains a brief story of the life and work of Horace Mann.

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Boston, Massachusetts

ROBERT MORRIS—This booklet contains a brief story of the life of Robert Morris. Excellent.
PAUL REVERE--This booklet contains a brief story of the life of Paul Revere.

PAUL REVERE HISTORICAL PRINTS--Four 12 x 11 inch colored prints. Excellent material.

STEINMETZ: LATTER DAY VULCAN--This booklet presents the story of Charles Proteus Steinmetz, an immigrant who rose to acclaim as a mathematical wizard and creator of man-made lightning. Excellent.

GEORGE WASHINGTON--This booklet contains a brief story of the life and work of George Washington. Excellent.

THE STORY OF WOODROW WILSON--This booklet contains a brief story of the life and work of Woodrow Wilson. Excellent.

Series of two packets containing fifteen realistic colored prints in each. Three by two inches with description on back of each card. Excellent material.

Church & Dwight Company, Inc.
70 Pine Street
New York 5, New York

Dwinell-Wright Company
68 Fargo Street
Boston 5, Massachusetts
BIRD BOOK—Contains twenty-four pages of colored pictures and a description of each bird. Excellent material. One copy per building.

The R. T. French Company
One Mustard Street
Rochester 9, New York

ALL ABOUT YOUR CANARY—This booklet contains thirty-six beautifully colored plates and information on the care of canaries.
PARRAKEETS ARE FUN!—This booklet contains information on the care and feeding of parrakeets.

BLOOD

The American National Red Cross
Office of Publications
Washington 13, D. C.

TEACHER'S KIT on blood information. This packet of materials includes posters, booklets, and pictures. Exceptionally well presented materials.

BRAZIL

Brazilian Government Trade Bureau
551 Fifth Avenue
New York 17, New York

FACTS ABOUT BRAZIL—This booklet contains information on the government, history, geography, and cultural activities of Brazil.

BREAD

American Institute of Baking
Consumer Service Department
400 E. Ontario Street
Chicago 11, Illinois

INFORMATION ON BREAD AND FLOUR ENRICHMENT—This folder contains ten questions and answers on the subject of bread and flour enrichment.
Continental Baking Company, Inc.
Home Economics Department
630 5th Avenue
New York 20, New York

THE STORY OF A LOAF OF BREAD--This workbook contains pictures and different types of seatwork for children in the primary grades.
BREAD TO HELP BUILD STRONG BODIES--This is a workbook designed for use in the intermediate grades.

BRITAIN

British Information Services
30 Rockefeller Plaza
New York 2, New York

Catalog of materials available.
Have your name placed on the mailing list for periodicals from this organization.

CALIFORNIA

Sacramento Chamber of Commerce
Sacramento, California

Packet of printed material, pictures, and maps available.

CAMERAS

Argus Cameras, Inc.
Sales Service Division
Ann Arbor, Michigan

HOW CAMERAS ARE MADE--This is a pictorial story of the intricate process of making a camera.

Bell & Howell Company
7100 McCormick Road
Chicago 45, Illinois

Listing of materials available.
CANADA

Canadian Embassy
1746 Massachusetts Avenue, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

CANADIAN HANDICRAFTS

CANADA IN PICTURES—This booklet pictorially gives one a general idea of Canada. It includes information on national emblem, coat of arms, and the like.

THE CANADIAN RED ENSIGN—This booklet contains information about the flag.

Thirty-six by twenty-five inch colored map of Canada.

Canadian Government Travel Bureau
67 College Street
Ottawa, Canada

Thirty-six by twenty-two inch highway map of Canada and northern states.

HOT MINERAL SPRINGS IN CANADA'S NATIONAL PARKS

RECIPE BOOK—This booklet contains different recipes from all the provinces.

HOW TO ENTER CANADA—Information booklet for visitors.

CATTLE (See AGRICULTURE)

CEMENT

American Education Publications
400 South Front Street
Columbus 15, Ohio

THE CEMENT STORY—This booklet presents in an easily understandable manner, the composition and uses of cement.

CHEESE

Krafts Foods Company
Consumer Service Department
500 Peshtigo Court
Chicago 90, Illinois

THE WORLD OF CHEESE—This booklet contains information on the history, kinds, and nutritional value of cheese.
CHICKENS (See AGRICULTURE)

CHINA

The China Society of America
125 East 65th Street
New York 21, New York

CHINA AND WHAT CHINA PRODUCES--This booklet contains some very fine material on this subject.

CHOCOLATE

The Nestle Company, Inc.
Department of Home Economics
2 William Street
White Plains, New York

THE HISTORY OF CHOCOLATE AND COCOA--This is a descriptive booklet.

FAVORITE COOKIES FROM OTHER LANDS--This booklet contains numerous unique recipes.

CLUBS

Boy Scouts of America
Visual Education Service
2 Park Avenue
New York 16, New York

Visual aids catalog available.

Camp Fire Girls, Inc.
National Public Relations Director
16 East 49th Street
New York 17, New York

CAMP FIRE GIRLS--PURPOSE AND PROGRAM--This booklet describes the basic program of this organization.

Girl Scouts of the United States of America
155 East 44th Street
New York 17, New York

Visual aids catalog available. Many free and inexpensive items listed.
HOW TO ORGANIZE A TEEN AGE CLUB—This booklet offers a wealth of good suggestions.

SUGGESTED CONSTITUTION AND BY-LAWS FOR YOUTH ORGANIZATIONS—This booklet contains some very fine material on this subject.

Victor Animatograph Corporation
Advertising Manager
Davenport, Iowa

STUDENT OPERATED PROJECTIONIST CLUB—This booklet contains some worth-while suggestions on this subject.

CLOTH

Pepperell Manufacturing Company
160 State Street
Boston 2, Massachusetts

THE MAGIC OF TEXTILES—This booklet shows the steps in the preparation of cloth, from the picking of cotton to the finished products.

COAL

Bituminous Coal Institute
Educational Department
Southern Building
Washington 5, D. C.

Send for a complete listing of materials, including displays, available. The materials are of excellent quality. Official order blank is enclosed with catalog of materials.

Koppers Company, Inc.
Public Relations Department
Pittsburgh 19, Pennsylvania

Twenty-two by seventeen inch chart—COAL CARBONIZATION AT A GLANCE
Sinclair Coal Company  
114 W. Eleventh Street  
Kansas City 6, Missouri

COAL, WORLD'S GREATEST TREASURE--This booklet contains a series of magazine advertisements revealing the amazing importance of coal in daily lives.  
THE GENIE STORY--A comic book dealing with material on the uses of coal.  
OUR LAND, OUR SPIRIT--This booklet shows how land must be cared for after mining operations or erosion will ruin the land.

COFFEE

Brazilian Government Trade Bureau  
551 Fifth Avenue  
New York 17, New York

THE LITERARY TRADITION OF COFFEE--This booklet describes the development of coffee.  
COFFEE--This leaflet is a botanical study of the coffee plant.  
HOW COFFEE CAME TO AMERICA AND ITS PART IN AMERICAN HISTORY--FACTS ABOUT COFFEE--This is a descriptive booklet about the coffee industry and the procedures for exporting it.

Pan-American Coffee Bureau  
Educational Department  
120 Wall Street  
New York 5, New York

COFFEE--Excellent material for children, including map work, music, crafts, art, and the like of Latin America.  
HOW TO MAKE GOOD COFFEE--Forty by twenty-six inch chart.  
A TWO-WAY STREET BETWEEN THE AMERICAS--Twenty-five by forty inch colored chart. The materials this organization provides are very fine.

COLORADO

Denver Chamber of Commerce  
1301 Welton Street  
Denver, Colorado

Packet of booklets and maps available.
CONNECTICUT

Hartford Chamber of Commerce
Hartford, Connecticut

Packet of printed material, pictures, and maps available.

CONSERVATION

American Plant Food Council
Director of Information
910 17th Street, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

OUR LAND AND ITS CARE—This booklet explains the procedures to follow in preventing soil erosion. Valuable statistics are presented.

The Garden Club of America
Conservation Committee
15 E. 58th Street
New York 22, New York

THE WORLD AROUND YOU—This packet contains a natural resources study guide, questionnaires, charts, and numerous items on conservation. Excellent materials. Limit one per school.

J. I. Case Company
Advertising Department
Racine, Wisconsin

IT'S YOUR TOP SOIL—This booklet describes how erosion ruins the land and offers suggestions regarding what to do about it.
DOWN THE RIVER—This booklet explains how water may steal the soil that feeds the people.
CREED OF THE SOIL CONSERVATIONIST—Eight and one-half by eleven inch poster. Excellent.

National Audubon Society
1130 Fifth Avenue
New York 28, New York

List of publications available. This organization provides many worthwhile inexpensive materials.
Conservation Leaflet Series:

- CONSERVATION OR ELSE!
- WAKE UP AMERICA!
- SONG BIRDS
- MAMMALS
- UPLAND GAME BIRDS, WATER FOWL, AND SHORE BIRDS
- MARINE FISH, FRESH WATER FISH
- WILD FLOWERS
- SOIL, WATER AND YOU
- POLLUTION
- LIST OF STATE TREES, BIRDS AND FLOWERS
- SAVE AMERICA--This is a series of booklets containing thirteen approaches to conservation.

United States Department of Agriculture
Forest Service
Division of Information and Education
Washington, D. C.

MATERIALS TO HELP TEACH FOREST CONSERVATION
WHAT THE FORESTER DOES FOR WILDLIFE
HOW MAN STARTS NEW FORESTS
SUGGESTIONS FOR INTEGRATING FORESTRY IN THE MODERN CURRICULUM
RANGER ARITHMETIC--This booklet contains problems that sixth grade children enjoy working out. Excellent.
FOREST INSECTS AND DISEASE
THE BIG THREE--A play on water, grass, and trees, usable in the elementary grades.
WHAT WE GET FROM TREES--Forty by forty-eight inch chart of products from trees. Excellent.
HOW A TREE GROWS--Sixteen by twenty-one inch poster illustrating the different part of a tree. Excellent.

COPPER

Copper and Brass Research Association
420 Lexington Avenue
New York 17, New York

ROMANTIC COPPER--MAN'S OLDEST AND MOST USEFUL METAL--
This booklet describes the development in mining and uses for copper.
CORK

Armstrong Cork Company
News Bureau
Lancaster, Pennsylvania

THE STORY OF CORK--This booklet contains information on the properties of cork and a description of its many uses.
THE STORY OF LINOLEUM--This booklet describes the production procedure of linoleum.

CORN

Funk Brothers Seed Company
Belle Plaine, Iowa

THE GREAT STORY OF CORN--This booklet presents the story of corn in a most interesting manner. Excellent material.

Iowa Development Commission
708 Central National Building
Des Moines, Iowa

CORN--This booklet contains information on corn products and their uses.

COTTON

Bibb Manufacturing Company
Director of Sales Development
Macon, Georgia

THE STORY OF COTTON--This booklet describes the process of producing textiles. Well illustrated.

Cluett, Peabody & Company, Inc.
Advertising Department
10 East 40th Street
New York 16, New York

THE STORY OF COTTON--This booklet includes statistics of cotton production, exporting, weaving, dyeing, and the like.
A BRIEF DISCUSSION OF THE HISTORY OF COTTON, ITS CULTURE, BREEDING, HARVESTING AND USES—Excellent. Sample of cottonball, cottonseed, and lint of cotton are available.

National Cotton Council of America
P. O. Box 18
Memphis 1, Tennessee

Write for a catalog of educational material on cotton and cotton products. Very complete.

Pacific Mills
Promotion Department
1407 Broadway
New York 18, New York

List of publications available.

DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE

John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
200 Berkeley Street
Boston 17, Massachusetts

FRAMING THE DECLARATION OF INDEPENDENCE—This booklet contains an excellent background story of the Declaration of Independence.

DELAWARE

Delaware State Chamber of Commerce, Inc.
1112-14 King Street
Wilmington, Delaware

A SURVEY OF THE INDUSTRIAL ADVANTAGES OF THE PORT AND CITY OF WILMINGTON ON THE DELAWARE—This is a very usable statistical survey.

MAP OF WILMINGTON AND VICINITY—Sixteen by Seventeen inches.

DELAWARE—This booklet contains descriptions and pictures of the historical landmarks of this state.
DENMARK

Danish Information Service
588 Fifth Avenue
New York 36, New York

DENMARK--A folder containing travel information.

DICTIONARY

Funk & Wagnalls Company
153 East 24th Street
New York 10, New York

HOW WORDS GET INTO THE DICTIONARY--This is a descriptive booklet.

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Development and Research Division
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Chicago 1, Illinois

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Human Nutrition Research Branch
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100 Hudson Street
New York 13, New York

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Ohio Development and Publicity Commission
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Oil Industry Information Committee
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50 West 50th Street
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Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce
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Oregon State Highway Department
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The Oyster Institute of North America
6 Mayo Avenue, Bay Ridge
Annapolis, Maryland

THE STORY OF OYSTERS--This booklet contains information on the biology and food values of oysters.
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Pittsburgh Plate Glass Company  
632 Fort Duquesne Boulevard  
Special Activities Section  
Pittsburgh 22, Pennsylvania

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PAKISTAN IN PICTURES—This is a folio of sixteen pictures, 5½ x 3½ inches. Limit one set per school.  
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Pan American Union  
Office of Public Information  
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Advertising Department  
Erie 6, Pennsylvania
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Strathmore Paper Company
West Springfield, Massachusetts

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The Esterbrook Pen Company
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Commonwealth of Pennsylvania
Department of Public Instruction
Harrisburg, Pennsylvania

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American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation
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Huntington Laboratories, Inc.
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SEAL-O-SAN BASKETBALL COACHES' DIGEST--This magazine contains an annual digest of all the more important basketball articles appearing in the various athletic publications.

Indiana State Board of Health
Information Director
1330 West Michigan Street
Indianapolis, Indiana

ELEMENTARY PHYSICAL EDUCATION--This booklet lists teaching aids, games, and relays for grades one through six.
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Department of Home Economics
Chicago 9, Illinois

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Union Stock Yards
Chicago 9, Illinois

THE STORY OF PLANTS--This booklet presents the story of the life cycle of plants. Excellent material.

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Director of Public Relations
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Office of Territories
Washington 25, D. C.

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National Broadcasting Company, Inc.
Department of Information
RCA Building
Radio City, New York 20, New York

EVENTS IN RADIO'S HISTORY--This booklet describes the developmental period of radio.
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Radio Corporation of America
Educational Services
RCA Victor Division
Camden 2, New Jersey

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THE KITE AND THE KEY--This booklet gives a brief history of electronics and a nontechnical description of how radio and television work. One copy per teacher.

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Association of American Railroads
Public Relations Department
School and College Service
Transportation Building
Washington 6, D. C.

TEACHER'S KIT--This is a set of materials especially prepared for use by teachers in organizing and conducting railroad transportation units. Distributed only to in-service teachers. Set consists of fifty-six railroad pictures, which are photographic reproductions, 10½ x 7½ inches; The Stories Behind the Pictures, a booklet containing background material for each of the fifty-six pictures. Test questions are included; Teacher's Manual, a booklet that contains outlines and work procedures for units; map of the American Railroad System. The numerous other items included are units for study, songs, poetry, visual aids, a listing of important dates in railroad history, recordings on railroad subjects, and an extensive reference list of books.

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THE HUMAN SIDE OF RAILROADING—This booklet describes vocational and organizational aspects of the railroad industry.

RAILROADS DELIVER THE GOODS—This is a comic describing train operations and freight service.

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MAP LIST—This is a list of maps of the United States and individual states showing railroad lines. Limit one copy.

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THE RAILROAD—This booklet explains the development and necessity of railroad transportation. Teacher's suggestion sheet to accompany this booklet.

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New York 20, New York

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135 East 11th Street Place
Chicago 5, Illinois

CHICAGO--CROSSROADS OF AMERICA--This folder describes the development of the railroad metropolis, Chicago.
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Union Pacific Railroad Company
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Advertising Manager  
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Bicycle safety posters available. Send for a complete listing of educational materials available.

The B. F. Goodrich Company
Public Relations Department
Akron, Ohio

**TOMMY GETS THE KEYS**--This is a comic book pointing out that sportsmanship, plus courtesy and skill are the basic ingredients of good driving.

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425 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago 11, Illinois

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Indian State Board of Health
Information Director
1330 West Michigan Street
Indianapolis, Indiana

**HOW TO PREVENT ACCIDENTS IN YOUR HOME**--This booklet describes the numerous common household hazards and gives suggestions for accident prevention.
Lumbermen's Mutual Casualty Company
Public Relations Department
Mutual Insurance Building
Chicago 40, Illinois

ACCIDENTS ARE PREVENTABLE--From the experiences of a policeman, this booklet describes courtesy and safety on the highway.

PLAY EXPERTS--This booklet contains highway safety questions and answers. Excellent.

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CHILDREN'S SAFETY LESSONS--This is a comic for young children, stressing safety.

Ohio Department of Highway Safety
Columbus 5, Ohio

BIKE BEHAVIOR--This booklet contains a discussion of bicycle safety rules.

Sportsmen's Service Bureau
250 East 43rd Street
New York 17, New York

Complete listing of safety posters and booklets available.

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Morton Salt Company
120 South La Salle Street
Chicago, Illinois

A HISTORY OF SALT--This booklet describes the history, background, and harvesting of salt.

SASKATCHEWAN

Province of Saskatchewan
Bureau of Publications
Legislative Building
Regina, Saskatchewan, Canada

SASKATCHEWAN--This booklet contains a brief, general account of the Province of Saskatchewan, its history, economy, and development. Available only to principals or superintendents.
SASKATCHEWAN, ITS RESOURCES AND INDUSTRY—This booklet contains an outline of the industries in Saskatchewan. Available only to principals or superintendents.

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Fels & Company
Consumer Service
73rd Street & Woodland Avenue
Philadelphia 42, Pennsylvania

SOAP—This is a three page history of soap. Send for a complete listing of educational materials available.

SOIL

Swift & Company
Public Relations Department
Union Stock Yards
Chicago 9, Illinois

THE STORY OF SOIL—This booklet contains the story of soil formation and soil conservation. Excellent.

International Harvester Company
Educational Services
180 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago 1, Illinois

MAKE THE SOIL PRODUCTIVE—The statement, "We can't grow good crops on poor land" is explained in this booklet.
MORE PRODUCTIVE GARDENING—This paper-bound book contains information on the planting of numerous vegetables. Good reference material.

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State Development Board
Post Office Box 927
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Packet of maps and folders available.
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State Highway Commission
Publicity Department
Pierre, South Dakota

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SOYBEANS

The Chicago Board of Trade
141 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago 4, Illinois

THE STORY OF SOYBEANS--This booklet gives information on the historical background, production, and consumption of soybeans.

SPONGES

Schroeder & Tremayne, Inc.
1711 Delmar Boulevard
Saint Louis 3, Missouri

THE STORY OF SPONGES AND CHAMOIS--This is a well illustrated booklet on the origin and types of sponges and chamois.

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American Iron and Steel Institute
Public Relations Department
350 5th Avenue
New York 1, New York

THE MAKING OF STEEL--This is a ninety-six page illustrated book describing in detail the making of iron and steel. One copy per school.
STEEL FACTS--This is an informative bulletin about current affairs in iron and steel. It is issued six times a year.
THE PICTURE STORY OF STEEL--This is a description of steel-making in elementary terms. Very well presented.
STEEL--FROM MINE TO YOU--This is a diagram of the main iron and steel-making operations.
STEEL-MAKING ILLUSTRATED--This is a series of flow charts on steel-making. Limit one copy per teacher.
Bethlehem Steel Company
Bethlehem, Pennsylvania

IRON ORE SAMPLE KIT—This kit contains a lump of magnetic iron ore, a bottle of iron filings, a horseshoe magnet, and a sample of polished steel rod.

STEEL IN THE MAKING—This booklet shows the evolution in this industry and gives a comprehensive explanation of the chemical process.

Inland Steel Company
38 South Dearborn Street
Chicago 3, Illinois

HOW STEEL IS MADE—This booklet explains the steel-making process, from ore to the finished product.

STEEL—This comic shows the steel-making process, from ore to the finished product.

United States Steel Corporation
Educational Director
71 Broadway
New York 6, New York

HOW STEEL IS MADE—This display contains samples of different minerals which when combined produce steel. A filmstrip is included. Excellent material. One display per building.

THE RETURN OF JOE, THE GENIE OF STEEL—This comic describes the historical development of railmaking.

JOE, THE GENIE OF STEEL—This comic presents the legendary story of the steel industry.


HOW STEEL IS MADE—This 35 x 45 inch wall chart shows the steel-making process, from raw materials to the finished products.

STEEL MAKING IN AMERICA—This booklet contains information on the historical development, the process of making steel, and the final use of it.

THE STORY OF WIRE—This booklet contains information on iron ore and one of its finished products, wire.
SUGAR

The American Sugar Refining Company
120 Wall Street
New York 5, New York

THE STORY OF CANE SUGAR--This is a well illustrated booklet. It is available in reference quantity.

Department of Agriculture and Immigration
541 St. Ann Street
New Orleans 16, Louisiana

A BRIEF DISCUSSION OF THE HISTORY OF SUGAR CANE--This is a descriptive booklet. A sample of sugar cane is available from November through March.

Sugar Information, Inc.
52 Wall Street
New York 5, New York

SUGAR--This booklet contains an illustrated story of the production and processing of a natural food and useful chemical. SUGAR--This booklet describes what sugar is, how it is made and why it is important.

United States Sugar Beet Association
920 Tower Building
Washington 5, D. C.

WE LEARN ABOUT SUGAR BEETS--This is a pupil folder and is accompanied by a teacher's manual.

Western Beet Sugar Producers, Inc.
461 Market Street
San Francisco 5, California

LET'S TALK ABOUT SUGAR--This booklet presents the history and legend of sugar.

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Thomas J. Lipton, Inc.
Consumer Service Department
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THE LORE AND LURE OF TEA--This booklet is designed for adult reading but many items may be used in the grades. Limit one copy per building.

TEA IN MANY LANDS--This is a unit of study on tea, with correlated activities included.

TEETH

American Dental Association
Division of Education
222 East Superior Street
Chicago, Illinois

Catalog of free and inexpensive dental health education material available.

Bristol-Myers Products Division
Educational Service Department
45 Rockefeller Plaza
New York 20, New York

HOW I BRUSH MY TEETH--This is a workbook on the care of teeth. Teacher's manual included.

SOME GOOD FRIENDS WHO HELP YOU KEEP YOUR TEETH HEALTHY--This is a 32 x 48 inch chart.

TOOTHBRUSHING MODEL--This model, when constructed, is about 4 x 3 x 2 inches.

Indiana State Board of Health
Information Director
1330 West Michigan Street
Indianapolis 7, Indiana

TOOTHBRUSHING--This folder contains information on the type of toothbrush desirable, how and when teeth should be brushed.

TELEPHONE

Illinois Bell Telephone Company
Information Manager
208 W. Washington Street
Chicago 6, Illinois

Send for a complete listing of excellent materials.
TENNESSEE

Division of State Information
115 State Office Building
Nashville 3, Tennessee

Packet of pictures and maps available.

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Texas Highway Department
Department of Information
Austin 14, Texas

OUTSTANDING FACTS OF TEXAS—This booklet contains a listing of facts about the climate, population, agriculture, natural resources, people, and the like.

TEXAS, OUR TEXAS—This is a song sheet with the state song.

TEXAS NATIONAL FORESTS—This booklet describes the policies of the state in regard to forest conservation and use of forest lands. Excellent material. One copy per school.

TREES

American Forest Products Industries, Inc.
1816 N Street, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

WHERE WE GROW OUR TREES—This is a 25 x 36 inch map of the United States with the location of major areas where different kinds of trees are found. Excellent.

PRODUCTS OF AMERICAN FORESTS—This 25 x 30 inch chart shows graphically how man uses wood today. It classifies the ways in which wood is consumed and lists many of the approximately four thousand forest products. Excellent material.

GROWING WOOD FOR AMERICA—This booklet answers such questions as how much timber we have, the amount of timber that is destroyed by fire each year, and the like. Excellent material.
TREES FOR TOMORROW--This is a booklet dealing with the history, nature, extent, and ownership of forest land in the United States. Excellent material.

THE STORY OF PULP AND PAPER--This pamphlet tells the story of man's long struggle to find a plentiful source of paper and of his eventual success in making it from wood. Excellent material.

THE STORY OF LUMBER AND ALLIED PRODUCTS--This pamphlet traces the history of America's lumber and wood using industries from colonial days up to the present. With photographs and charts, it tells the story of how trees are harvested, transported to mills and made into finished lumber, veneer, plywood, and other useful products. Excellent material.

THE FOREST ADVENTURES OF MARK EDWARDS--This is a conservation reader designed for use in the upper elementary grades. Excellent.

A TEACHER'S MANUAL--This manual outlines effective ways of using forestry aids in the classroom. Excellent material.

Southern Pine Association
Post Office Box 1170
New Orleans 4, Louisiana

THE SOUTHERN PINE STORY--This booklet describes the history and properties of white pine.

Western Pine Association
Yeon Building
Portland 4, Oregon

Send for a complete listing of free and inexpensive materials.

Weyerhaeuser Timber Company
Department of Public Information
Tacoma 1, Washington

MEN, MILLS AND TIMBER--FIFTY YEARS OF PROGRESS IN THE FOREST INDUSTRY--This is a descriptive booklet.

THE NATION'S WOOD SUPPLY--This is a descriptive booklet.

A VISIT TO THE FOREST WITH WOODY--This comic deals with forest fire conservation.

FOREST FOREVER--This booklet contains a story about tree farming.

Photo packet containing sixteen 11 x 14 pictures on the subject of tree farming. One set per school. Excellent.
THE STORY OF WEST COAST LUMBER—This booklet describes the process of growing, cutting, logging, milling, and the final uses of different woods.

TYPING

Educational Research Committee
777 Fourteenth Street, N. W.
Washington, D. C.

Complete listing of materials relating to the value of typing instruction in the elementary school.

International Business Machines Corporation
Department of Information
590 Madison Avenue
New York 22, New York

Complete listing of materials available.

Royal Typewriter Company
School Department
Two Park Avenue
New York 16, New York

THE HISTORY OF THE TYPEWRITER—This booklet contains a most interesting story of the typewriter.

Underwood Corporation
Public Relations Department
One Park Avenue
New York 16, New York

Complete listing of materials available.

UNITED NATIONS DAY—October 24th

United States Committee for United Nations Day
816 21st Street, N. W.
Washington 6, D. C.

Packet of observance materials available.
UTAH

Department of Publicity & Industrial Development
P. O. Box 2136
Salt Lake City, Utah

Packet of pictures and maps available.

VERMONT

Development Commission
Publicity Director
200 State House
Montpelier, Vermont

Packet of pictures and maps available.

VIRGIN ISLANDS

U. S. Department of Interior
Office of Territories
Washington 25, D. C.

VIRGIN ISLANDS--This leaflet contains general information on the Virgin Islands.

VIRGINIA

Department of Conservation & Development
914 Capitol Street
Richmond 19, Virginia

Packet of pictures and maps available.

VOCATIONAL INFORMATION

American Dietetic Association
Public Relations Director
620 North Michigan Avenue
Chicago 11, Illinois

DIETETICS AS A PROFESSION--This is a descriptive booklet. Complete listing of materials available.
INVITATION TO YOUTH -- CAREERS IN LIFE INSURANCE -- This is a descriptive booklet.

National Association & Council of Business Schools
601 13th Street, N. W.
Washington 5, D. C.

Complete listing of materials available.

WASHINGTON

Department of Conservation & Development
Olympia, Washington

Packet of booklets and maps available.

WEATHER

Taylor Instrument Companies
95 Ames Street
Rochester 1, New York

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT THE WEATHER? -- This booklet contains thirty fascinating questions and answers about the weather. Reference quantity.

WHAT IS THIS THING CALLED HUMIDITY? -- This booklet contains thirty fascinating questions and answers about humidity. Reference quantity.

U. S. Department of Commerce
Weather Bureau
Washington 25, D. C.

Complete listing of free and inexpensive materials available.

WEST VIRGINIA

West Virginia Industrial & Publicity Commission
State Capitol
Charleston 5, West Virginia

Packet of booklets and maps available.
RALSTON PURINA COMPANY
Nutrition Service
Saint Louis 2, Missouri

WHOLE WHEAT—This is a 23 x 35 inch chart. The same material is available in 8½ x 11 inch notebook sheets. Display card, 11 x 15 inches, with samples showing structure, composition, and nutritive values of whole wheat. Excellent.

SUNSHINE BISCUITS, INC.
Publicity Department
29 - 10 Thomson Avenue
Long Island City 1, New York

THE STORY OF WHEAT—This is a most interesting informative booklet. Available in reference quantity.

WHEAT FLOUR INSTITUTE
309 West Jackson Boulevard
Chicago 6, Illinois

EAT TO LIVE—This is a teacher reference booklet on nutrition and food information.
DESIGN FOR BETTER LIVING—This is a chart showing the Basic Seven Food Groups and other factors important to good health.
MY GUIDE—This is a teacher's source book suggesting how a nutrition education program may be developed through activities effective in the classroom, school, and community.
DICK'S PLAN AND HOW IT GREW—This is a pupil reader that presents the broad story of foods.
WE WORK TOGETHER—This is a 34 x 22 inch poster that shows some of the major steps taken by Dick and his classmates in carrying out a food study program. It is in color. Excellent.
A MODERN HEALTH EXPERIMENT—This is a chart picturing the steps in a modern health survey and emphasizing the important part nutrition plays in the health of people.
LET'S CONDUCT A RAT-FEEDING EXPERIMENT—This is a guide outlining the steps in an animal feeding experiment.
WHEAT IN THE U. S.—This is a map of the U. S. showing the regions where different kinds of wheat are grown.

A KERNEL OF WHEAT—This is a 25 x 37 inch chart showing the parts of the wheat kernel that are used in making flour.

HOW FLOUR IS MILLED—This is a small illustrated chart showing the steps in breaking wheat and the different grades.

WHITE HOUSE

Dwinell-Wright Company
68 Fargo Street
Boston 5, Massachusetts

THE STORY OF THE WHITE HOUSE—This is a well presented booklet with excellent pictures. One copy per building.

WISCONSIN

Conservation & Recreation Department
State Capitol
Madison 2, Wisconsin

Packet of booklets and maps available.

WOOL

Botany Mills, Inc.
Director of Education
1412 Broadway
New York 18, New York

A WOOL PRIMER—This booklet contains the history and uses of wool.

Swift & Company
Public Relations Department
Union Stock Yards
Chicago 9, Illinois

ABOUT WOOL—This booklet contains the history and uses of wool.
AUSTRALIAN WOOL PRODUCTION--These 15 x 18 inch wall charts are available on a loan basis. Set of three charts showing Australian:
1. Wool production.
2. Worsted manufacturing process.
3. Woolen manufacturing process.

HISTORICAL POSTERS--These 13 x 17 inch colored posters depict historical wool events: Britain's woolen cloth brought to Rome, the Bayenx tapestry, woolsacks in Parliament, Edward I declares Sandwich a staple town. Available on a loan basis. Many other wool exhibits and materials available, either free or on a loan basis. Write for a catalog.
CHAPTER V

SUMMARY AND CONCLUSIONS

The underlying purposes of this study have been to discover the viewpoints of business representatives, teachers, and school administrators on current practices in the production, distribution, and utilization of industry-sponsored materials and to formulate a listing of free and inexpensive materials usable in the elementary and junior high grades.

Industry-sponsored teaching materials are available in a variety of forms. Booklets, leaflets, and charts are the most frequently distributed materials.

Educators and business representatives generally agree that the main reason business organizations provide free teaching materials is to serve the needs of teachers and students the best they can within the limits of their own objective, which is the immediate or eventual sale of goods or services. However, over one-half of the organizations represented in this study state their motive as fostering good will.

Business ranks the characteristics of a good teaching aid as follows: readable, factual, illustrated, current, colorful, experimentally tested, graded, documented.
educator-edited, and inexpensive. Educators rank the characteristics in the same order except that they placed "illustrated" ahead of "documented."

There is a "wealth" of free teaching materials but many teachers have only a vague notion where they are and how to get them. Business calls attention to the availability of free teaching aids mainly through coupons in magazines, exhibits at teachers' conventions, and unsolicited sample copies of teaching aids. Chapter IV of this report seeks to list the subjects most likely to be studied in the elementary and junior high grades and lists organizations which supply free industry-sponsored materials of quality to educators.

One educator who has critically examined industry-sponsored teaching materials states that the content of the material is generally reliable.

Since many of the sponsors represented in this study are obviously sincere in believing that the teaching aids distributed by their organization are genuine contributions to the public welfare, it is recommended that sponsors study the requirements of schools and furnish

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teaching materials that meet the needs of education, whatever those needs may be. Sponsors should visit schools as often as possible and study textbooks and make sponsored materials truly supplementary for specific grades or courses.

Many business firms and associations have built for themselves excellent reputations as sponsors of educationally sound instructional materials. Because of their efforts, industry-sponsored teaching materials generally have achieved respectability.

Visual communication is the key to common, universal comprehension. Today's expanding visual education programs are qualitative as well as quantitative gains to communication—the ultimate goal—to see rather than to seem to see.
Letter Sent to 604 Organizations

1856 Kiest Avenue
Northbrook, Illinois

Dear Sir:

In partial fulfillment for the degree of Master of Science in Education at Drake University, Des Moines, Iowa, I am developing an up-to-date listing of teaching aids, companies producing and distributing them.

This listing should prove useful to educators and valuable to you. If your materials are available only to principals or superintendents, this information will be made known in my study.

The following materials and information will make my data complete and accurate:

1. A complete packet of visual aids regarding your industry, designed for use in the elementary and junior high school (booklets, pictures, charts, displays, etc.).
2. The cost and to whom these materials are available.
3. Information regarding the expense of producing these materials in 1934.
4. Approximate number of educators you sent materials to in 1934.

I shall appreciate your cooperation in sending me these materials. I am pleased to have your company represented in the listing of "Industrially Prepared Teaching Aids."

Respectfully,

Mandy J. Graffen
Dear Sir:

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This listing should prove useful to educators and valuable to you. If your materials are available only to principals or superintendents, this information will be made known in my study.

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(1) A complete packet of visual aids regarding your industry, designed for use in the elementary and the junior high school (booklets, pictures, charts, displays, etc.).
(2) The cost and to whom these materials are available.
(3) Information regarding the expense of producing these materials in 1954.
(4) Approximate number of educators you sent materials to in 1954.

I shall appreciate your cooperation in sending me these materials. I am pleased to have your company represented in the listing of "Industrially Prepared Teaching Aids."

Respectfully,

Nancy J. Graffam
Cooperating Organizations
Aetna Life Affiliated Companies
Aircraft Industries Association
Alabama Bureau of Publications & Information
Aluminum Company of America
Aluminum Wares Association
Alvin Silversmiths, The
American Association for Health, Physical Education and Recreation
American Bottlers of Carbonated Beverages
American Crayon Company, The
American Curriedale Association
American Dental Association
American Dietetic Association, The
American Dry Milk Institute, Inc.
American Education Publications
American Forest Products Industries
American Friends Service Committee
American Guernsey Cattle Club, The
American Hearing Society
American Heart Association, Inc.
American Institute of Baking
American Iron and Steel Institute
American Meteorite Museum
American Music Conference
American National Red Cross, The
American Optical Company
American Petroleum Institute
American Plant Food Council, Inc.
American Potash Institute, Inc.
American Reedcraft Corporation
American Social Hygiene Association
American Sugar Refining Company, The
American Textbook Publishers Institute
American Viewpoint, Inc.
Annapolis Chamber of Commerce
Ansu1 Chemical Company
Appalachian Hardwood Manufacturers, Inc.
Argus Cameras, Inc.
Armstrong Cork Company
Arkansas Publicity & Information Department
Associated Bulb Growers of Holland, Inc.
Association for Childhood Education International
Association of American Playing Card Manufacturers
Association of American Railroads
Association of Casualty and Surety Companies
Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway System, The
Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company
Augusta Chamber of Commerce
Australian News & Information Bureau
Austrian Information Service
Automobile Manufacturers Association
Bausch & Lomb Optical Company
Becton, Dickinson and Company
Beech Aircraft Corporation
B. F. Goodrich Company
Belgian Government Information Center
Belgian Tourist Bureau
Bell & Howell Company
Bermuda Trade Development Board, The
Bethlehem Steel Company
Better Vision Institute, Inc.
Bibb Manufacturing Company
Bicycle Institute of America, Inc.
Binney & Smith Company
Bituminous Coal Institute
Black & Decker Manufacturing Company, The
Boeing Airplane Company
Boise Chamber of Commerce
Borden Company, The
Boston Chamber of Commerce
Botany Mills, Inc.
Boy Scouts of America
Brand Names Foundation
Brazilian Government Trade Bureau
Brazil Nut Association
Bristol-Myers Products
British Information Services
Brown & Sharpe Company
Buescher Band Instrument Company
Burroughs Corporation
California Olive Association
Camp Fire Girls, Inc.
Canadian Department of Travel and Information
Canadian Embassy
Carrier Corporation
Carson City Chamber of Commerce
C. G. Conn, Ltd.
Chase National Bank, The
Chesapeake and Ohio Railway Company, The
Chicago Board of Trade
Chicago Crime Commission
China Society of America, The
Church & Dwight Company, Inc.
Club Aluminum Products Company
Cluett, Peabody & Company, Inc.
Coats & Clark, Inc.
Coca-Cola Company
Columbian Rope Company
Concord Chamber of Commerce
Connecticut Department of Education
Continental Baking Company
Copper and Brass Research Association
Corning Glass Company
Corn Products Refining Company
Cream of Wheat Corporation, The
Credit Union National Association, Inc.
Crown Zellerbach Corporation

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Denoyer-Geppert Company
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Dessert Book Company
De Vilbiss Company, The
Diamond Match Company, The
Dietzgen Company
Dr. Salsbury's Laboratories
Du Pont Company, The
Durene Association of America
Dwinell-Wright Company

Eaton Paper Corporation
Embassy of France
Embassy of Pakistan
Embassy of Poland
Empire State Observatories
Employers Mutuals of Wausau
E. P. Jungman Corporation
Esterbrook Pen Company, The
Evaporated Milk Association

Farm Credit Administration
Federal Trade Commission
Fels & Company
Field Enterprises, Inc.
Firestone Tire & Rubber Company, The
Florida Department of Publicity & Convention Information
Ford Motor Company
Frank H. Fleer Corporation
French Government Tourist Office
French National Railroads
Funk and Wagnalls Company
Funk Brothers Seed Company
Garden Club of America
G. B. Lewis Company
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General Electric Company
General Mills, Inc.
General Motors Corporation
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Georgia Department of Commerce
Girl Scouts of the United States of America
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Goodyear Tire & Rubber Company, The
Gorham Company, The
Great Northern Railway Company
Grocery Manufacturers of America, Inc.

Hamermill Paper Company
Handicrafters, The
Hartford Chamber of Commerce
Hawaii Press Bureau
Health Information Foundation
Helena Chamber of Commerce
Higgins Ink Company, Inc.
Hillerich & Bradsby Company
Hoover Company, The
Horace Mann Insurance Companies
Household Finance
Huntington Laboratories, Inc.

Illinois Bell Telephone Company
Illinois Central Railroad
Illinois Department of Finance
Illinois State Geological Survey Division
Illinois State Natural History Survey Division
Independent Petroleum Association of America
Independent Steel Company
Indian Rights Association
Indiana State Board of Health
Indianapolis Chamber of Commerce
Institute of Life Insurance
Institute of Makers of Explosives
International Business Machine Corporation
International Cellucotton Products Company
International Harvester Company
International Nickel Company, Inc., The
International Paper Company
Iowa Development Commission
Irish Tourist Information Bureau
Israel National Tourist Center
Israel Office of Information
J. I. Case Company
John Hancock Mutual Life Insurance Company
Junior Town Meeting League
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Kennecott Copper Corporation
Koppers Company, Inc.
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Kraft Foods Company
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Legation of Finland
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Libby-Owens-Ford Glass Company
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Louisiana Department of Agriculture and Immigration
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Missouri Division of Resources and Development
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Morton Salt Company

Narcotic Education Bureau
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National Association and Council of Business Schools
National Association of Manufacturers
National Association of Margarine Manufacturers
National Audubon Society
National Board of Fire Underwriters
National Broadcasting Company
National Canners Association
National Cotton Council of America
National Dairy Council
National Electric Manufacturers Association
National Federation of Textiles, Inc.
National Fertilizer Association, The
National Foot Health Council
National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, The
National Forum
National Live Stock and Meat Board
National Needlecraft Bureau, Inc.
National Safety Council
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National Wildlife Federation
National Women's Christian Temperance Union
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Navy Department
Nebraska Resources Foundation, Inc.
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Nestle Company, The
Netherlands Information Service, The
Netherlands West Indies Tourist Commission
New York Central System
New York Convention & Visitors Bureau
New York Department of Commerce
New York Stock Exchange
Niagara Falls Convention & Visitors' Service
North Carolina Department of Conservation & Development
North Dakota Research Foundation
Norwegian Embassy
Norwegian Information Service
Nova Scotia Bureau of Information

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O. F. Mossberg & Sons, Inc.
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Ohio Development and Publicity Commission
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Ohio State University
Oklahoma City Chamber of Commerce
Oregon State Highway Department
Oyster Institute of North America, The

Pacific Finance Corporation
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Pan-American Union
Pan-American World Airways System
Paper Cup and Container Institute
Pennsylvania Department of Public Instruction
Pennsylvania Grade Crude Oil Association
Pennsylvania Salt Manufacturing Company
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Pet Milk Company
Phoenix Chamber of Commerce
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Rhode Island Development Council
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Row Peterson Company
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Royal Typewriter Company
R. T. French Company, The

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Simonds Saw and Steel Company
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Sonotone Corporation
South Bend Lathe Works
South Carolina Development Board
South Dakota State Highway Commission
Southern Pine Association
Sportsmen's Service Bureau
Standard Brands
Standard Oil Company
Stanley Tools
Strathmore Paper Company
Sugar Information, Inc.
Sunshine Biscuits, Inc.
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Tennessee Division of Information
Texas Highway Department
Thomas A. Edison, Inc.
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Topeka Chamber of Commerce
Trans World Airlines
Trenton Chamber of Commerce
Twentieth Century Fund, The

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United States Committee for United Nations Day
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United States Government Printing Office
United States Office of the Postmaster General
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Utah Department of Publications and Industrial Information

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Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States
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Virginia Department of Conservation and Development
Vita Food Products, Inc.
Wakefield Brass Company
Washington Department of Conservation and Development Commission
Weber Costello Company
West Coast Lumbermen's Association
West Virginia Industrial and Publicity Commission
Western Beet Sugar Producers, Inc.
Western Pine Association
Westinghouse Electric Corporation
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