## was included in the Thesis.

Conclusion. A broad testing program, consultant supervisory service to special classes, psychological service to public and parochhal schools, in-service training for teachers and home-school-community relations development, all form the broad program of the Bureau of Research".

## Part 3 -- Visual Education --7 therine Broderick

1. Background. Organized in 1936, the Fort Wayne Public School Visual Education Department has now progressed to the point that materials from a central Materials Library circulate to all public school buildings. Until 1940 most film materials were rented from outside sources, but today a majority of locally used educational fills come from the school administration building. These materials include: 237 sound and silent motion pictures, 312 35mm. filmstrips and 72 units of  $3\frac{1}{4}$ " x 4" glass slides. Total separate units checked out to schools during 1950-51 schools year was 6445. This was an increase of 860 items over the 1949-50 school year. All school buildings are equipped with at least one motion picture projector, at leastone 35mm strip film projector and most buildings own lantern slide projectors and post-war model opaque projectors.

2. Content areas served include social studies, physical and natural science, art, music, language, arts, physical education, health, safety, junior-high arithmetic, juniorhigh home economics and junior-high shop.

3. Procedure for securing materials. Teachers consult the catalog of annotations available in each building and make written requests at any time to the central office. In addition, at the beginning of each semester a general request is submitted from each building. Then, each school receives for posting on a main bulletin board a schedule-cilendar of materials due each week in that school. Manuals containing complete marration and teaching suggestions are available on request. Delivery of materials is handled on the regular dray service: Tuesday mornings (north) and Thursday mornings (south).

4. New Materials are added annually. Upon the basis of teachers recommendations, preview committees, and frequently class try-outs, new materials are added to the central library.

5. Care of interials. Materials are inspected and repaired between check-in and check-out. Once each year all films are treated with a preservative solution. A summary of times a film has been run is being kept as a guide toward replacement and future purchase. Fractice-reel film has been made