



Uses Explained

Librarian Mrs. Joanne Jensen shows pupils in the Title I program how to use facilities at the Lansing Public Library. On their cultural visit they learned to use the card catalog and reference centers.

Library Expands Service For Title I Program

LANSING — The public library has become more than just a place to store and circulate books.

The modern library today is continually adding library related programs to serve the entire community.

The Lansing Public Library at Ridge Rd. and Chicago Ave. is not an exception. This month the library extended its services to include the government's Title I summer program.

Students in the program at District 171's Nathan Hale School and District 158's Reavis School visited the library during the morning hours when the library was not open to the general public.

THE LIBRARIAN, Mrs. Joanne Jensen, volunteered her services to acquaint the children with the cultural enrichment available at the library. Students were instructed in the use of the card catalogue and the location of the various reference centers.

Mrs. Jensen showed the students the recently added record collection which includes language records—French, Rus-

sian, and Spanish for both children and adults.

All the students were given the opportunity to check out the records and books. Those who did not have a library card filled out registration forms so they will have a card for future trips to the library.

THIS MONTH THE library extended its facilities to the Lansing Junior Woman's Club for the annual summer story-hour held from 1 to 2 p.m., each Thursday in July. Mrs. Jensen assists by selecting the films and books for the club's readers.

The library in the Fall and Spring offers pre-reading classes for 4 year olds and films in the winter for all ages.

Mrs. Jensen also keeps the public informed on books and the library through her many speaking engagements at clubs and schools and by reading 5 to 10 books herself a week.

She formerly had a weekly radio program on books but this was discontinued because of a time conflict. Mrs. Jensen is hopeful that the program will be rescheduled in the future.