

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE, BOOK CIRCULATION, &C., FOR LIBRARY YEAR
ENDING APRIL 30TH, 1882.

Locust Street Building.

Number of days open 309.

Whole number of persons using or visiting the Library :—

Members, males,	32,781	
“ females,	31,645	
		64,426
Visitors, males,	25,806	
“ females,	7,617	
		33,423
Messengers,	6,318	
Total,	104,167	

Largest monthly attendance, March, 1882, 14,998

Smallest “ “ August, 1881, 3,021

Average monthly attendance 8655+

Largest daily attendance, February 25th, 1882, 1,035

Smallest “ “ August 4th, 1881, 56

Average daily attendance 336+

Attendance for year ending April 30th, 1882, 104,167

“ “ “ “ “ 1881, 83,417

Difference in favor of this year, 20,750

Whole number of books taken out, 36,663

Daily average, 112+

Whole number of works added to the Library :—

By purchase, 1,308

By gift, 176

Total, 1,484

In all 1638 volumes.

Catalogue cards distributed, copied at Locust street, 6,321

“ “ “ “ Ridgway Branch, 7,337

Total, 13,658

Add for the duplicate at Ridgway Branch, 13,658

Number of cards written and distributed during the year, 27,316

Total cards in catalogue at each Library, 134,034

