

The income from this source, as appears from the statement below, was \$556. The number of persons, neither members nor subscribers, who, especially on Sunday afternoons, avail themselves of the liberal provisions of the Company's rules to consult its books in the rooms, also exhibits a gratifying increase. The following is the detailed

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE, BOOK CIRCULATION, &c.

Locust Street Building.

Number of days open, 273.	
Number of persons using or visiting the library :	
Members, males,	31,780
" females,	31,892
Visitors, males,	30,307
" females,	9,687
Messengers,	8,092
Total,	111,758
Largest monthly attendance, March 1884,	16,021
Smallest " " July 1883,	5,238
Average monthly attendance, 10,159+	
Largest daily attendance, March 1st, 1884,	827
Smallest " " Sept. 19th, 1883,	118
Average daily attendance, 409+	
Attendance for year ending April 30th, 1884,	111,758
" " " " " " 1883,	111,186
Difference in favor of this year,	572

NOTE.—The library was closed during the month of August, making a difference in the attendance of about 4,000
 Whole number of books taken out, 37,360
 Daily average, 136+

Number of works added to the library :	
By purchase,	1,393
" gift,	291
Total,	1,684
In all 2039 volumes.	