

## HAMILTON PUBLIC LIBRARY.

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### *Leading Points from Librarian's Yearly Report for 1891.*

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Total number of volumes in the Library, 16,515.

Total days open during the year, 306.

Books given for home use during the year, 136,904 volumes.

Percentage of fiction, 54 per cent. of this number.

Books given for reference use during the year, 61,200.

Total use of books for the year, 210,704 volumes.

Percentage of fiction, 38 per cent. of this total.

Average daily use, 686 volumes.

Volumes bound during the year, 1,016.\*

Number of borrower's cards issued to date, 7,225.

Number of visitors to the building during the year (estimated)  
260,000.

Number of papers and periodicals on file in Reading Rooms, 175.