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CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE CENTRAL LIBRARY.

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1898.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	395	447	529	416	375	287	208	261	254	472	368	281	4,293	1.
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	586	528	639	546	450	408	384	364	395	698	511	486	5,995	1.4
Theology	403	492	510	423	330	334	298	300	322	409	344	359	4,524	1.
Arts	1,048	1,049	1,079	853	765	683	623	707	812	1,389	924	870	10,802	2.5
General Literature and Col- lected Works	1,072	1,053	1,127	969	795	669	668	671	695	1,025	906	767	10,417	2.4
Geography and Travel	806	755	792	597	539	519	514	481	506	660	639	618	7,426	1.7
History	787	758	895	741	609	485	528	483	514	771	589	596	7,756	1.8
Biography	624	630	653	571	521	464	333	459	465	606	479	493	6,398	1.4
Poetry and the Drama	250	324	333	244	196	229	159	188	208	334	264	261	2,990	.7
Periodicals	786	1,052	1,112	965	852	805	684	757	770	1,019	826	768	10,396	2.4
Fiction	17,171	17,246	19,685	16,534	16,058	16,433	16,147	15,349	15,374	20,568	17,326	17,620	205,511	46.8
Juvenile	3,858	4,131	4,959	3,967	3,447	3,411	3,713	3,942	3,480	4,509	3,767	3,877	47,061	10.7
German Literature	123	105	118	120	115	80	68	65	73	86	54	69	1,076	.2
French Literature	117	152	142	138	101	79	80	107	94	133	122	80	1,345	.3
Italian and Spanish Literature	13	13	7	3	4	..			3		5	8	56	
Magazines Issued	982	1,022	1,371	1,184	1,125	1,188	1,038	1,158	1,074	1,379	1,232	1,174	13,927	3.2
Total number of Books Is- sued for Home Reading	29,021	29,747	33,951	28,271	25,282	26,074	25,545	25,282	25,039	34,058	28,353	28,327	329,973	77.5
Magazines Issued in Reading Room	6,441	6,094	6,458	5,481	5,375	5,576	4,464	5,075	5,702	7,781	6,191	7,132	71,770	16.3
Reference Books	2,773	2,647	2,959	2,191	1,907	1,716	1,713	1,812	1,865	2,770	2,596	2,253	27,202	6.2
Total	38,235	38,498	43,368	35,943	33,564	33,366	31,722	32,179	32,606	44,609	37,143	37,712	438,945	100.