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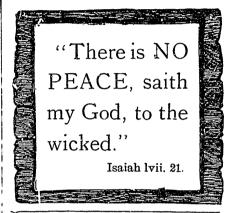
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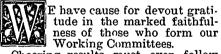
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THE WORK.



Cheering results must ever follow faithful work, and this rule has been clearly demonstrated in the success which has been vouchesafed our work

during the season.

Among the instrumentalities at work for reaching Young Men, (and especially strangers) is the Boarding House Committee. Although we have in the past referred to this work, it may not be out of place to refer again to the methods adopted. The city is divided into 10 districts, and to each is assigned a staff of workers varying in number Among the instrumentalities at work

from two to five. It is their duty to visit each Boarding House in the district, distributing therein copies of our Bulletin, Tracts and Invita-The workers are expected (as far as possible) to enter the house and see the young men personally. Of course this is the most difficult part of the work, needing as it does much sanctified common sense and tact. none can deny the fact that it is the most important part of the work. To show how far this has been successfully accomplished, it is only necessary to glance at the following summary, when it will be seen that since January, over 400 young men have been personally spiken to. It is pleasing to state that this committee is receiving many accessions to its list of workers, and that a spirit of consecration rests upon them. May the number and the zeal be increased yet more abundantly.

The following summary will convey some idea of the work of the committee

or the past four months.	
Visits to Boarding Houses, -	2,807
" " Hotels,	203
" " Fire Halls	- 105
" " Police Stations, -	27
" " Car Stables, -	- 48
Young Men spoken to -	418
Bulletins distributed -	19 259
Tracts, Books, distributed, -	16,794



"God is my salvation; I will trust, and not be afraid."

Isa. xii 2.