

Report of Young Women's Christian Association.

IN PLACING before you the records of another year's work we cannot but feel that though the work has been carried on under many limitations, yet that it has been signally blessed. That our efforts to provide the young women of our city with a pleasant meeting place and to surround them with an atmosphere which, true to the aims of the Y. W. C. A., shall develop their physical, social, mental and spiritual life are appreciated, encourages us to go hopefully forward into the future with its great possibilities for this work for young women by young women. The marked increase in the number of those who avail themselves of the privilege of spending their lunch-hour in our pleasant apartments, testifies to the growing popularity of this phase of our work and to its filling an urgent need.

Our ranks have been more than usually depleted this year by the removal to other cities of several of our active and most interested members, and by the marriage of others, so that though new members have been added each month to our list, yet the membership remains, for this reason, not much in advance of that of last year. The business meetings of the Association have been held on the first Saturday evening in each month when new members are received, reports of the