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TWELFTH ANNUAL REPORT.

GENTLEMEN—

It affords me much pleasure to lay before you the Twelfth Annual Report, and to say that the interest taken by the citizens of Toronto in the Library has been maintained throughout the year, the issue of books having again amounted to more than half a million volumes.

You will be pleased to learn that the circulation is contributed to uniformly by all Branches.

It is likewise gratifying to know that the reduction in the issue of fiction, which this Board has steadily aimed at, has continued, and now stands at 46.5 per cent. over the whole library, and 40.8 per cent. at the Central. In 1885 the issue of fiction amounted to 65.5 per cent. of the circulation. Following the reduction in the circulation of fiction, the books in the library, other than fiction, have increased more rapidly than light literature.

The difficulty of tracing new books through the half-dozen supplementary catalogues which the Board has issued from time to time, coupled with the immediate necessity for further cataloguing, led the Board to consider the question of consolidation of the catalogues, and while all were agreed as to the desirability of condensing the previous catalogues into one volume, it was found that the amount of funds at our disposal would not permit this to be done at present, and it was therefore resolved to print a second volume, which would incorporate all the supplements to the original catalogue, together with the titles of all new books to date,

under one alphabet. The work was thereupon undertaken, and it was decided to print 2,000 copies, at a cost not exceeding \$1000, and it is matter of congratulation that this second volume has been in the hands of the public since the month of November, and that the cost thereof has been kept within the sum of \$750.

In the Northern Branch a new catalogue was prepared and published in September. It contains the titles of 5,640 books, arranged on an elementary dictionary plan, which appears to be the most suitable for small libraries. A similar catalogue is urgently required for the Western Branch, the material for which has been prepared and now awaits the instructions of the Board.

In this Branch the register of ticket holders is in process of revision, and a considerable number of names have already been cancelled, on account of death or removal from the City.

The cancellation of all tickets for the Central Library not renewed on the First of February last, has reduced their number from 29,707 to 9,989, which represents those actually in frequent use, but as many tickets were held by persons who only occasionally used them, these are being rapidly renewed.

In the method of artificial light for the circulating library, the substitution of arc lamps for gas has proved of great advantage, and it will devolve upon our successors to consider the advisability of extending the system to improve the light over the receiving desk, catalogue and new books stands, which, even yet, is unsatisfactory in dull weather.

For the purpose of cleaning and painting the reading rooms and furniture, the Central Library was closed from Monday, the 3rd of June to Wednesday, the 5th of June, inclusive.

The cleaning and painting was proceeded with most expeditiously, and resulted very satisfactorily, at the small cost to the Board of \$96.

The reading room for the unemployed, opened in the season of 1894, has been continued this year. It is constantly filled, and is

thoroughly appreciated by working-men, as it affords them shelter and warmth, and entertainment in the shape of an abundance of interesting reading matter.

At the meeting of the Board in October, it was decided to hold an examination of candidates for the position of assistants in the Library, and this was done on the 27th of December. The following ladies were reported by the Chief Librarian to the Board as qualified: Miss Mabel Mason, Miss Maggie L. Simpson, Miss Jennie Corrigan, Miss Ella M. Arnoldi, Miss Edith G. Edwards, Miss Agnes P. O'Connor.

Among the more important books added during the year are :

Wild Flowers of America; Jeypore Portfolio of Architectural Details, Part 7, Folio; Banks, *Baronia Anglica*, 2 vols., 4to; Upper Canada Statutes, 1792-1828; Bougainville, *Voyages*, 4to; Faden, *Atlas of the World*, 1802, Folio; Canada Gazette, 1822-1858, 82 vols.; Russell and Price, *England Displayed*, 2 vols., 4to; Stodart, *Scottish Arms*, 2 vols., 4to; *Early Venetian Printing Illustrated*, 4to; Fraser, *The Frasers of Philorth*, 3 vols., 4to; Fraser, *Sutherland Book*, 3 vols., 4to; Robinson, *Eastern Carpets*, Folio; Fox-Davies, *Armorial Families*, 4to; Fürtwangler, *Masterpieces of Greek Sculpture*; *Hunt's Merchants' Magazine*, 1847-61, 26 vols.; *Scottish History Society Publications*, 15 vols.; Buller, *Birds of New Zealand*, 2 vols.; Graves, *Dictionary of Artists*, 1895; Sinclair, *Indigenous Flowers of the Hawaiian Islands*, 4to; Sargent, *Silva of North America*, Vols. 7-8; Stevens's *Facsimiles of American MSS.*, Vols. 23-24; Garran, *Picturesque Atlas of Australasia*, 3 vols., Folio; *New Spalding Club Publications*, 12 vols.; *Spenser Society Publications*, 9 vols.; Hakewill, *Picturesque Tour of Italy*, 4to; Blome, *Britannia*, 4to; *Scottish Text Society Publications*, 10 vols.; Ormerod, *History of Cheshire*, 3 vols.; *Index Kewensis*, 4 vols.

The accounts of the Board have been audited and statements of receipts and expenditures appended. The utmost economy has been practised throughout the year.

While this is so, it is matter of regret that for the first time in the history of the Board, circumstances compel us to carry forward an indebtedness to the next year. The estimates prepared by the Board and reported to the City Council, as provided by

Statute, in the month of May last, amounted to the sum of \$35,137. The Board subsequently received a request from the City Council to reconsider their estimates, with a view to reducing them, if at all possible, and at the meeting of the Board held in the month of May, a resolution was passed that the estimates, having been very carefully reconsidered, the Board regretted their inability to reduce them, and pointed out, in a resolution forwarded to the Executive Committee of the City Council, that "two years since the Board, with the view of reducing the expenditure, proposed the discontinuance of the Branch Libraries at St. Andrew's and St. Paul's Halls, thereby effecting a saving of from \$4,000 to \$4,500 per annum; and the Board still holds the same view of the matter. The City Council was adverse to the resolution, and threatened a large reduction of the annual Library rate if these Branches were closed. In consequence of this action the amount estimated by the Board is the very least that will properly maintain the Library, with its four Branches. The item of \$8,000, for the purchase of books, is one to which the Board has given much consideration, with the result that, while acknowledged too small, it has been retained in view of the necessity for rigid economy. During the last four years the Board has not asked for an amount equal to one-fourth of a mill, as allowed by the statute." Subsequently, and without consulting with the Board, and without their consent, the City Council arbitrarily reduced the said estimate by striking off the sum of \$5,000; and did so without even notifying the Board of their action, of which the Board received knowledge only from the newspaper reports of the meeting of Council.

On the 10th of May the Library Committee reported to the Board as follows:—

"The estimate was prepared with the strictest regard to economy, and the amount now passed by the City Council being quite inadequate for the maintenance and management of the

Library and its four Branches, your Committee felt it their duty to carefully consider the position, and, having done so, they recommend that the Western and Northern Branches be closed on and after Monday, the 1st July next," which was concurred in by the Board.

After this was passed a special request was received by the Board from the City Council requesting the Board not to close these Branches; and at the meeting of the Board on the 22nd of May it was "resolved that the resolution passed by the Board on the 10th inst. relative to closing the Western and Northern Branches be rescinded, and that the said Branches be continued in accordance with the special request of the City Council; and it was likewise resolved that the City Council be notified that, in the opinion of the Board, the Council has no power or authority to reduce the amount estimated by the Board for the yearly expenses, and that the Board requires, and will require, the said amount, as estimated and forwarded by them to the Council, to be provided by the City Council for the current expenses of the present year, pursuant to the statutes in that behalf," special attention being directed to the Free Libraries Act, R. S. O., chap. 89, sec. 4, and also sec. 8, sub-sec. 1. These resolutions were communicated to the City Clerk.

Nothing further transpired until the month of October, when the Building and Finance Committee reported that, "In consequence of the reduction from the Library estimate made by the City Council, the Board will require the further sum of \$1,500 from the City Council to carry on the Library to the close of the year," and it was resolved that "the chairman of the Board interview the Executive Committee, and make application for the \$1,500 required as above," which was done. Subsequently the chairman reported that the Executive Committee of the City Council declined to pay the \$1,500 required by the Board, but were willing to allow payment of the rent of the Western and

Northern Branches, amounting to \$750, to stand over till the new year.

At a meeting of the Board in the month of December it was "resolved that the Board of Management of the Toronto Public Library regret the refusal of the Executive Committee of the City Council to provide this Board with sufficient funds to enable them to properly carry on the affairs of the Library, and to enable them to meet their financial engagements to the end of the present year. . . . That the City Council, without consulting with this Board, and without their consent, arbitrarily reduced the said estimates by striking off the sum of \$5,000 from the total estimate by the Board as required for the purposes of the Library for the year 1895. The Board respectfully submits that the hereinbefore recited action of the City Council was wholly unauthorized, and contrary to law.

"The Board cannot recognize the authority of the City Council to so revise their estimates, nor can this Board assume that any such attempt at revision relieves them from their responsibility of conducting the affairs of the Public Library in the manner deemed by this Board necessary and proper in the interests of the Library and of the public. This Board, therefore, requests that the City Council, pursuant to the Statute in that behalf, do at once provide this Board with the sum of \$1,500, in addition to the sum already appropriated by the City Council for the maintenance of the Public Library in the city estimates of 1895, to enable the Board to meet its financial liabilities for the remaining period of the current year." This resolution has likewise been forwarded to the City Council.

Under the circumstances it may be necessary for the next Board to assert their rights in the matter, as it cannot be denied that the amount appropriated yearly by this Board for the purpose of buying books has been very inadequate, and should be enlarged to meet the public demand. As the annual report is published

and goes to the citizens, I have thought it well, in the interests of the public, that this statement of facts should be incorporated therein for the general information of the citizens of Toronto.

I have pleasure in testifying to the constant care and vigilance of the Librarian and Secretary and assistants, and am informed that all the members of the staff continue to give entire satisfaction.

WM. DAVID McPHERSON,

Chairman.

JANUARY 31ST, 1896.

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE CENTRAL LIBRARY

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	414	379	432	440	247	217	277	247	225	360	404	304	3,946	1.2
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	500	457	497	496	364	271	306	355	314	399	445	433	4,837	1.4
Theology	370	302	415	329	314	257	254	273	253	273	309	309	3,718	1.1
Arts	911	944	1,151	858	701	548	667	681	629	777	839	919	9,625	2.9
General Literature and Collected Works	828	818	938	911	717	524	532	552	550	770	834	855	8,829	2.6
Geography and Travel	666	702	713	597	503	372	396	423	459	597	633	638	6,699	2.0
History	588	600	710	649	529	366	424	433	460	586	624	646	6,615	2.0
Biography	533	473	583	478	386	327	365	390	409	481	428	479	5,332	1.6
Poetry and the Drama	291	254	291	262	201	131	168	143	130	211	228	192	2,595	.7
Periodicals	740	674	809	691	640	572	592	647	583	724	846	790	8,308	2.5
Fiction	11,887	11,886	13,764	11,953	10,117	9,197	10,271	10,719	10,688	12,309	12,704	12,118	137,623	40.8
Juveniles	3,889	3,652	4,257	3,766	3,008	2,540	2,863	3,068	2,618	3,116	3,523	3,446	39,746	11.8
German Literature	125	92	146	106	94	97	69	89	87	96	93	79	1,173	.3
French Literature	88	103	114	110	111	101	102	111	105	122	107	119	1,293	.4
Italian Literature	4	10	7	4	5	.....	3	1	.....	5	5	1	45	.....
Magazines	6,146	5,840	6,525	5,231	4,239	3,838	4,652	5,556	5,116	6,831	6,587	6,687	67,248	1.9
Reference Books	3,075	3,189	3,241	2,968	2,261	1,950	2,064	2,188	1,728	2,349	2,468	2,353	29,534	8.8
Total	31,058	30,435	34,593	29,859	24,437	21,008	24,005	25,876	24,354	30,006	31,077	30,368	337,076	100.0

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE WESTERN BRANCH LIBRARY

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics.....	36	37	31	34	34	36	29	20	17	31	27	23	355	.9
Political, Social, and Medical Sciences.....	33	21	23	23	20	8	10	18	13	25	30	14	238	.5
Theology	17	15	29	19	15	9	18	9	5	8	4	7	155	.3
Arts.....	61	61	63	56	47	56	40	47	22	40	48	40	581	1.1
General Literature and Collected Works	78	51	57	66	45	23	35	29	34	38	44	37	537	1.1
Geography and Travel...	82	63	73	78	35	40	38	27	33	55	55	58	637	1.2
History.....	84	79	97	108	70	37	39	47	47	65	57	46	776	1.5
Biography	69	43	79	76	54	45	30	33	35	37	55	37	593	1.2
Poetry and the Drama...	25	24	28	34	16	13	16	14	18	21	20	17	246	.5
Periodicals	511	529	591	485	389	359	376	427	381	321	580	489	5,438	10.5
Fiction	2,971	2,799	3,200	2,854	2,200	2,210	2,474	2,516	2,030	2,281	2,329	2,143	30,067	58.2
Juveniles	1,176	1,122	1,259	1,093	947	703	781	819	662	853	982	977	11,374	22.0
German Literature.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	4	3	2	1	1	.....	.....	12	.....
French Literature.....	2	.....	1	2	1	1	.....	2	1	.....	.....	1	11	.....
Italian Literature.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Magazines	11	19	38	36	27	34	31	21	33	51	40	39	380	.7
Reference Books	34	28	26	28	23	20	14	25	18	39	24	15	294	.6
Total.....	5,190	4,891	5,595	4,992	3,984	3,598	3,934	4,056	3,350	3,866	4,295	3,943	51,694	100.0

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE NORTHERN BRANCH LIBRARY

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	20	28	31	26	19	14	9	11	9	11	10	13	201	.5
Political, Social and Medical Sciences.....	16	13	22	16	11	14	8	16	8	10	11	8	153	.3
Theology	9	9	18	17	4	4	6	7	9	6	12	7	108	.2
Arts.....	29	24	32	22	12	16	16	20	15	18	12	12	228	.5
General Literature and Collected Works	41	39	48	43	35	22	22	22	23	32	46	54	427	.9
Geography and Travel	41	62	38	56	21	24	16	19	21	35	31	38	402	.9
History	79	62	60	58	40	46	35	26	38	43	78	47	612	1.4
Biography	31	45	59	46	26	24	20	25	20	41	47	43	427	.9
Poetry and the Drama	14	21	35	17	24	12	14	15	19	26	34	28	259	.6
Periodicals	402	421	471	409	325	245	241	309	271	365	384	380	4,226	9.3
Fiction	2,331	2,381	2,838	2,573	2,323	2,056	2,242	2,462	2,248	2,503	2,676	2,405	29,038	63.8
Juveniles	950	878	919	916	691	509	590	642	565	704	755	673	8,792	19.3
German Literature	1	2	2	.....	3	3	1	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....
French Literature .....	.....	4	3	3	8	7	2	.....	5	5	1	3	41	.....
Italian Literature .....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Magazines	5	12	13	9	5	9	12	4	14	6	10	1	100	.2
Reference	51	71	63	41	25	45	52	45	53	39	23	17	525	1.2
Total	4,020	4,072	4,652	4,252	3,572	3,050	3,289	3,623	3,318	3,844	4,130	3,729	45,551	100.0

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE EASTERN BRANCH LIBRARY

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	10	20	20	19	17	8	12	8	6	3	7	8	138	.4
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	12	22	21	20	3	1	6	5	2	11	14	24	141	.5
Theology	5	9	9	5	4	8	3	4	6	7	5	2	67	.2
Arts.....	20	25	32	40	13	12	8	15	13	19	17	14	228	.7
General Literature and Collected Works	12	21	31	28	11	12	9	12	9	10	19	24	198	.6
Geography and Travel...	46	91	92	63	49	51	30	29	31	46	41	45	614	1.9
History	36	53	44	46	27	16	28	20	15	20	16	22	343	1.1
Biography	26	42	56	37	33	28	18	21	12	21	17	22	333	1.1
Poetry and the Drama	10	13	25	25	7	2	6	13	3	5	2	18	129	.4
Periodicals	395	350	413	342	265	263	278	267	228	248	285	275	3,600	11.3
Fiction	1,669	1,643	1,937	1,701	1,417	1,310	1,397	1,440	1,313	1,311	1,473	1,387	17,998	56.6
Juveniles	929	650	730	728	645	572	581	507	512	636	725	752	7,967	25.0
German Literature							1						1	.....
French Literature							1						1	.....
Italian Literature							1						1	.....
Magazines	1						3	3		2			7	.....
Reference Books		24	17	1	3	5	3	7	6	7	8	9	90	.2
Total	3,171	2,963	3,427	3,055	2,494	2,289	2,381	2,351	2,156	2,346	2,629	2,602	31,864	100.0

CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE DUNDAS STREET BRANCH LIBRARY

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

	January.	February.	March.	April.	May.	June.	July.	August.	September.	October.	November.	December.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics	41	45	64	47	49	29	43	24	25	30	30	31	458	1.2
Political, Social, and Medical Sciences.....	39	36	45	38	35	29	28	23	16	29	22	17	357	.9
Theology	27	24	40	30	24	14	12	10	13	20	23	22	259	.7
Arts.....	138	99	128	108	95	95	87	92	77	80	79	99	1,177	3.0
General Literature and Collected Works.....	70	61	70	85	65	41	26	33	38	50	57	45	641	1.6
Geography and Travel.....	78	95	87	82	63	43	33	42	32	40	42	51	688	1.8
History	58	73	81	58	60	48	35	37	28	54	48	47	627	1.6
Biography	35	47	56	54	38	32	37	28	27	41	48	34	477	1.2
Poetry and the Drama.....	17	23	16	18	17	8	7	15	8	15	20	11	175	.4
Periodicals	289	305	350	340	241	208	232	224	175	213	260	250	3,087	7.8
Fiction	1,794	1,739	2,094	1,791	1,570	1,476	1,606	1,578	1,388	1,953	1,836	1,670	20,195	51.3
Juveniles	939	976	1,136	957	847	776	835	756	669	808	950	934	10,583	26.9
German Literature.....	.....	2	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	4	.....
French Literature.....	11	4	8	5	8	6	4	8	6	3	7	3	73	.1
Italian Literature.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Magazines	98	99	104	36	10	21	29	16	11	16	15	20	475	1.2
Reference Books	10	17	9	21	8	.....	13	8	3	12	18	14	133	.3
Total.....	3,644	3,645	4,289	3,670	3,130	2,826	3,027	2,894	2,517	3,064	3,455	3,248	39,409	100.0

TOTAL CLASSIFIED CIRCULATION OF BOOKS ISSUED FROM THE CENTRAL AND BRANCH LIBRARIES

FROM JANUARY 1ST TO DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

	Eastern.	Dundas Street	Northern.	Western.	Central.	Total.	Per Cent.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics.....	138	458	201	355	3,946	5,098	1.0
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	141	357	153	238	4,837	5,726	1.1
Theology	67	259	108	155	3,718	4,307	.9
Arts.....	228	1,177	228	581	9,625	11,839	2.3
General Literature and Collected Works	198	641	427	537	8,829	10,632	2.1
Geography and Travel	614	688	402	637	6,699	9,040	1.8
History	343	627	612	776	6,615	8,937	1.8
Biography.....	333	477	427	593	5,332	7,162	1.4
Poetry and the Drama	129	175	259	246	2,505	3,314	.7
Periodicals	3,609	3,087	4,226	593	8,308	24,668	4.9
Fiction	17,998	20,195	20,038	30,067	137,623	234,921	46.5
Juveniles	7,967	10,583	8,792	11,374	39,746	78,462	15.5
German Literature .....	.....	4	12	12	1,173	1,201	.2
French Literature	1	73	41	11	1,293	1,419	.3
Italian Literature	1	.....	.....	.....	45	46	.....
Magazines	7	475	100	380	67,248	68,210	13.5
Reference Books.....	90	133	525	294	29,534	30,576	6.0
Total.....	31,864	39,409	45,551	51,694	337,076	595,594	100.0

ADDITIONS AND DEDUCTIONS IN THE REFERENCE AND
CIRCULATING LIBRARIES DURING 1895.

Number of Books and Pamphlets in the Libraries on the 31st		
December, 1894.....		89,248
Deduct—Books lost and paid for.....	51	
" destroyed by H. D.	84	
" withdrawn	318	
" missing and lost	91	
	544	
		88,704
Added during the year:		
Purchased	3,368	
Donated	272	
Periodicals bound	499	
Manuscripts.....	6	
English Patents	311	
	4,456	
Total		93,160

TOTAL NUMBER OF VOLUMES IN THE REFERENCE AND
CIRCULATING LIBRARIES, DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

CIRCULATING LIBRARIES.	Central.	Western.	Northern.	Eastern.	Dundas St.	Total.
Natural Sciences and Mathematics..	1,165	78	88	17	9	1,357
Political, Social and Medical Sciences	1,477	40	70	6	7	1,600
Theology	1,498	67	67	5	5	1,642
Arts.....	1,964	78	66	7	25	2,140
General Literature and Collected Works	3,366	334	261	13	8	3,982
Geography and Travel	2,454	207	195	23	17	2,896
History	2,354	274	366	32	9	3,035
Biography	2,904	325	363	41	27	3,660
Poetry and the Drama	1,010	90	109	9	6	1,224
Periodicals	2,351	684	613	147	102	3,897
Fiction	11,828	2,602	2,734	384	342	17,890
Juveniles	3,729	544	636	135	198	5,242
German Literature	682	.....	.....	.....	.....	682
French Literature	781	.....	.....	.....	.....	781
Italian Literature	99	.....	.....	.....	.....	99
Spanish Literature	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	9
Books for the Blind.....	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	70
Total.....	37,741	5,323	5,568	819	755	50,206
Circulating Libraries as above						50,206
Reference Library—Central					28,140	
" " Western Branch					48	
" " Northern Branch					72	
" " Eastern Branch.....					19	
" " Dundas Street Branch					58	
					28,337	
Hallam Collection						2,034
Pamphlets						8,159
Manuscripts.....						51
Patents						4,373
Total						93,160

VALUATION OF THE LIBRARY, 31ST DECEMBER, 1895.

Valuation of the Library, 31st December, 1894		111,076 99
Books purchased during 1895	5,514 20	
Binding " "	1,751 97	
Periodicals bound " "	499 00	
Donations " "	287 75	
Unbound Magazines " "	436 50	
		<u>8,489 42</u>
		119,566 41
Deduct—Books lost and paid for	45 10	
" sold	38 01	
" destroyed by H. D.	61 50	
" withdrawn, etc.	284 55	
		<u>429 16</u>
		<u>\$119,137 25</u>

PLACED AT.

Central Library	111,130 55
Western Branch	3,185 44
Northern Branch	3,234 15
Eastern Branch	734 89
Dundas St. Branch	852 22
	<u>\$119,137 25</u>

BORROWERS' REGISTER, DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

CENTRAL.

Tickets issued in 1895		9,990
Deduct—Transferred to Western Branch	32	
" " Northern "	26	
" " Eastern "	12	
" " Dundas St. "	35	
" Lost and cancelled	720	
		<u>825</u>
Total		<u>9,165</u>

WESTERN BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1894		5,792
Issued during 1895		477
		<u>6,269</u>
Deduct—Transferred to Central	76	
" " Northern Branch	5	
" " Eastern "	2	
" " Dundas St. "	23	
" Lost and cancelled	49	
		<u>155</u>
Total		<u>6,114</u>

NORTHERN BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1894	3,588
Issued during 1895.....	425
	<u>4,013</u>
Deduct—Transferred to Central	67
“ “ Western Branch	2
“ “ Eastern “	1
“ “ Dundas St. “	3
“ Lost and cancelled	19
	<u>92</u>
Total	<u>3,921</u>

EASTERN BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1894	1,445
Issued during 1895.....	277
	<u>1,722</u>
Deduct—Transferred to Central.....	45
“ “ Western Branch	2
“ “ Northern “	3
“ “ Dundas St. “	6
“ Lost and cancelled	114
	<u>170</u>
Total	<u>1,552</u>

DUNDAS STREET BRANCH.

Tickets in use December 31st, 1894	2,256
Issued during 1895.....	404
	<u>2,660</u>
Deduct—Transferred to Central.....	57
“ “ Western Branch	23
“ “ Northern “	3
“ “ Eastern “	3
“ Lost and cancelled	56
	<u>142</u>
Total	<u>2,518</u>

TOTAL NUMBER OF TICKETS.

Central	9,165
Western Branch.....	6,114
Northern "	3,921
Eastern "	1,552
Dundas St. "	2,518
	<u>23,270</u>

NUMBER OF POST CARDS SENT FOR OVERDUE BOOKS.

Central	4,851
Western Branch.....	855
Northern "	733
Eastern "	398
Dundas St. "	435
	<u>7,272</u>

CIRCULATING DEPARTMENT, 1895.

The Circulating Department was open for the delivery of books 304 days during the year. The daily average circulation was 1,338 volumes, and the total issue for home reading, 406,825. The largest number of books issued on any one day was 3,403, on April 13th, and the smallest, 1,051, on May 30th. The amount of \$959.60 was received for fines.

Month.	Days.	Circulation.	Daily Average.
January	26	37,652	1,448
February	24	36,707	1,529
March	26	42,520	1,635
April	25	37,477	1,499
May	26	31,016	1,193
June	24	27,148	1,131
July	26	29,766	1,145
August	26	30,927	1,189
September	24	28,711	1,196
October	27	33,774	1,251
November	25	36,392	1,456
December	25	34,735	1,389
Total	304	406,825	1,338

DR. STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE

RECEIPTS.

To Balance 31st December, 1894	3 81
" Library Rate.....	30,137 00
" Legislative Grant.....	180 00
" Rent	145 82
" Borrowers' Tickets	379 35
" Catalogues.....	111 82
" Fines	959 60
" Damages to Books	14 98
" Books lost and paid for	45 10
" Books sold.....	7 51
" Waste paper, etc.....	34 37
" Interest on Bank Account	15 65

\$32,035 01

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31ST DECEMBER, 1895.

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EXPENDITURE.

Account owing on 31st December, 1894, paid during 1895.

By Salary..... 216 66

EXPENDITURE FOR 1895.

By Interest on Debentures	2,368 00	
" Sinking Fund	500 00	
		2,868 00
" Books purchased	5,374 74	
" Duty on Books	14 58	
" Freight on Books	124 88	
		5,514 20
" Newspapers and Magazines		2,211 05
" Binding		1,751 97
" Catalogues		1,001 46
" Printing		46 25
" Stationery		341 73
" Postage		183 00
" Electric Lighting		854 61
" Gas		750 98
" Fuel		681 58
" Water		70 61
" Rent of Branches		1,050 00
" Delivering books to Branches		420 00
" Furniture and Fittings		212 75
" Rent of Telephone		45 00
" Repairs		414 67
" Salaries		12,593 09
" Insurance		217 70
" Law charges		5 00
" English Patents		355 41
" Petty expenses		159 58
" Balance in Bank		69 71
		<u>31,818 35</u>
		<u>\$32,035 01</u>

Audited and found correct.

WM. ANDERSON, }
W. W. JONES, } *City Auditors.*

JANUARY 23, 1896.

STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES, DECEMBER 31ST, 1895.

ASSETS.	LIABILITIES.
The site at the corner of Church and Adelaide Streets, with the Library Buildings thereon	Outstanding Debentures 60,496 80
The Lot on Lombard Street, 52 x 90	Less Sinking Fund 3,623 75
" " 16 x 90	Rent of Western Branch 450 00
The Fencing to the Lots 98 78	" Northern Branch 300 00
Furniture and Fittings—	Balance 159,214 64
Central Library 7,902 95	
Western Branch 338 63	
Northern Branch 407 57	
Eastern Branch 531 86*	
Dundas Street Branch 1,181 07	
Books, Pamphlets, etc.—	
Central Library 111,130 55	
Western Branch 3,185 44	
Northern Branch 3,234 15	
Eastern Branch 734 89	
Dundas Street Branch 852 22	
Catalogues on hand 119,137 25	
Portraits, Engravings, Medals, etc.	
English Patents Account 428 00	
Outstanding Accounts 2,149 60	
Cash in Bank 22 00	
	69 71
	<u>\$216,837 69</u>

List of Newspapers, Periodicals and Transactions.

*Those marked * are presented.*

CENTRAL READING ROOM.

Academy.		*Belleville Intelligencer.	<i>Daily.</i>
*All the World.	<i>Monthly.</i>	Biblical Archæology, Society of, Transactions and Proceedings.	
Alt-Celtischer Sprachschatz.		Bicycling.	<i>London.</i>
*Alvinston Free Press.		Bicycling News.	<i>London.</i>
American Anthropologist.		Black and White.	<i>London.</i>
American Architect.	<i>Boston.</i>	Blackwood's Magazine.	
American Bookmaker.		*Bobcaygeon Independent.	
*American Bookseller.		*Bolton Enterprise.	
American Catholic Quarterly.		Bookman.	<i>London.</i>
American Dialect Society Notes.		Bookseller.	<i>London.</i>
American Folk Lore.	<i>Quarterly.</i>	Boston Herald.	<i>Daily.</i>
American Gardening.		Botanical Magazine.	<i>London.</i>
*American Grocer.		Boy's Own Paper.	<i>Monthly.</i>
American Hatter.	<i>New York.</i>	*Bracebridge Gazette.	
American Historical Association Transactions.		*Brampton Banner.	
American Historical Review.		*Brampton Conservator.	
	<i>Quarterly.</i>	*Brantford Courier.	
American Naturalist.	<i>Quarterly.</i>	British Lithographer.	
*Ancient Forester.		*Brockville Times.	
*Animal's Guardian.		*Bruce Herald.	
Animal World.		Buffalo Express.	<i>Daily.</i>
Annals of Botany.	<i>Quarterly.</i>	Builder.	<i>London.</i>
Antiquary.		*Canada Gazette.	
Archæologia Oxoniensis.		*Canada Lumberman.	
Architect.	<i>London.</i>	Canadian American.	
Arena.	<i>Boston.</i>	Canadian Antiquarian.	
Army and Navy Gazette.		*Canadian Bookseller.	
Art Amateur.	<i>New York.</i>	Canadian Entomologist.	
Art Decorator.	<i>London.</i>	*Canadian Evangelist.	
Art Interchange.	<i>New York.</i>	*Canadian Institute Proceedings.	
Art Journal.		*Canadian Methodist Magazine.	
Astronomical and Physical Society Transactions.		Canadian Military Gazette.	
Astrophysical Journal.		*Canadian Military Institute Proceedings.	
Atalanta.	<i>London.</i>	Canadian Mining Review.	<i>Ottawa.</i>
Athenæum.		*Carleton Place Herald.	
Atlantic Monthly.		Carpenter and Builder.	<i>London.</i>
Auk.	<i>Quarterly.</i>	Carriage Monthly.	
Badminton Magazine.		Cassell's Magazine.	
Banner of Israel.		Century.	
*Banner of Light.		Chambers's Journal.	
*Barrie Examiner.		Chapbook.	
*Barrie Gazette.		Chapman's Magazine.	
Belfast Whig.		*Charlottetown, P.E.I., Examiner.	
Belgravia.		*Charlottetown, P.E.I., Herald.	

- Chemical News. *Weekly.*
 Chicago Grocer. *Weekly.*
 Chicago Tribune. *Daily.*
 *Christian Alliance.
 *Christian Register.
 Church Quarterly Review. *London.*
 Church Times. *London.*
 Civil Engineers, Proceedings of the
 Institute of.
 *Clarksburg Reflector.
 *Collector. *New York.*
 Contemporary Review.
 *Cook's Excursionist.
 Cornhill.
 Cosmopolitan.
 Critic. *New York.*
 Decorative Art. *London.*
 Decorator and Furnisher. *New York.*
 *Deer Park Recorder.
 *Delhi Reporter.
 *Deliverer. *London.*
 Detroit Free Press. *Daily.*
 Dictionary of Political Economy. *London.*
 *Disciple of Christ.
 *Drapers' Record.
 *Drumbo Banner.
 Dublin Freeman. *Weekly.*
 Dublin Review. *Quarterly.*
 Dublin Warder. *Weekly.*
 *Dundas Star.
 *Dundas True Banner.
 *Durham Chronicle.
 Early English Text Society.
 Early English Text Society. *Extra*
 Series.
 Economic Review. *London.*
 Economist. *London.*
 Edinburgh Review.
 Edinburgh Scotsman. *Weekly.*
 Educational Monthly.
 *Educational Record.
 Electric Power.
 Electrical Review. *London.*
 Electrical World. *New York.*
 Electrician. *London.*
 Engineer. *London.*
 Engineering. *London.*
 Engineering and Mining Journal. *New York.*
 *Engineering Society of the School of
 Practical Science.
 English Dialect Society.
 English Historical Review. *Quarterly.*
 English Illustrated Magazine.
 English Mechanic.
 *Englishwoman's Review.
 *Essex Free Press.
 Ex Libris Society's Journal.
 Family Herald.
 Fanciers' Gazette.
 Field. *London.*
 Forest and Stream. *Weekly.*
 Fortnightly Review.
 *Fort William Journal. *Bi-Weekly.*
 Forum. *Monthly.*
 *Fredericton (N.B.) Herald.
 Fun. *Weekly.*
 Furniture Gazette. *London.*
 Furrier. *Monthly.*
 Garden. *London.*
 Garden and Forest. *New York.*
 Gartenlaube.
 Gentleman's Magazine.
 Gentlewoman. *Weekly.*
 *Geological Society's Journal.
 Glasgow Herald. *Weekly.*
 *Goderich Huron Signal.
 Good Words.
 Graphic. *Weekly.*
 Green Bag. *Monthly.*
 Hakluyt Society, Publications.
 Halifax Chronicle. *Daily.*
 *Halifax Nova Scotian. *Weekly.*
 Hall's Journal of Health.
 Hamilton Spectator. *Daily.*
 *Hamilton Templar.
 Harper's Bazar.
 Harper's Monthly.
 Harper's Round Table.
 Harper's Weekly.
 *Harriston Review.
 *Hartford Seminary Record.
 *Herald of Life. *Springfield.*
 *Hillsbury Beaver.
 Household Words.
 Ibis.
 Illustrated London News.
 Illustrirte Zeitung.
 Imperial Institute Journal.
 *Independent Forester.
 *Industrial Record.
 *Ingersoll Sun.
 Inland Architect, Photo Edition. *Chicago.*
 Insurance and Finance Chronicle. *Montreal.*
 *Ironmonger. *London.*
 Iron Trade Review. *Cleveland.*
 Johns Hopkins University Studies. *London.*
 Journal of Gas Lighting. *London.*
 *Journal of the Society of Arts. *London.*
 *Kamloops Sentinel.
 Kennell Gazette.
 *Kincardine Review.

- Knowledge.
 *Labor Co-Partnership.
 Ladies' Home Journal. *Philadelphia.*
 Lady's Pictorial.
 *Lanark Era.
 Lancet. *London.*
 La Revue Nationale.
 Leisure Hour.
 Le Monde Illustré. *Paris.*
 Leslie's Illustrated.
 Library,
 Library Journal.
 Lippincott's Magazine.
 Literary News. *New York.*
 Literary Opinion. *Boston.*
 Literary World. *London.*
 Littell's Living Age. *Weekly.*
 Liverpool Post. *London.*
 Live Stock Journal. *London.*
 Lloyd's Weekly News. *London.*
 London (Ont.) Free Press. *Daily.*
 London Society.
 Longman's Magazine.
 *L'Original Advertiser.
 *Los Angeles Investor. *Weekly.*
 Macmillan's Magazine. *London.*
 Magazine of Art. *Buffalo.*
 Magazine of Poetry.
 *Mahabharata, Translated.
 *Manitoba Gazette. *Weekly.*
 *Manitoulin Expositor. *London.*
 *Manufacturer.
 *Markdale Standard.
 *Markham Economist.
 *Markham Sun.
 Meehan's Monthly.
 *Melbourne (Austr.) Illustrated News. *Weekly.*
 *Mercantile Guardian. *London.*
 *Minden Echo. *London.*
 Mining World.
 *Mitchell Advocate.
 *Moncton Times.
 Monthly Illustrator. *Daily.*
 Montreal Gazette. *Daily.*
 Montreal Herald. *Daily.*
 *Montreal Le Cultivateur. *Weekly.*
 *Montreal Le Monde. *Daily.*
 Montreal Star. *Daily.*
 Musical Courier. *New York.*
 *Musical Herald. *London.*
 Nation. *New York.*
 *Natural Food. *London.*
 Nature. *London.*
 Navy List. *Quarterly.*
 *New Brunswick Historical Society,
 Transactions.
- New Review. *London.*
 *Nelson (B.C.) Miner. *Weekly.*
 New York Herald. *Daily.*
 New York Independent. *Weekly.*
 New York Shipping List.
 New York Tribune. *Daily.*
 *New Zealand Gazette.
 Nineteenth Century.
 North American Review.
 *North Ontario Times.
 *Norwich Gazette.
 Notes and Queries.
 Nova Scotian Historical Society, Col-
 lections.
 Nova Scotian Institute of Natural
 Science, Proceedings.
 *Ontario California Record. *Weekly.*
 *Ontario Gazette. *Weekly.*
 *Ontario Land Surveyors, Proceedings
 of Association of.
 *Orangeville Sun.
 *Orillia Packet.
 *Oshawa Vindicator.
 *Ottawa Citizen. *Daily.*
 Ottawa Journal. *Daily.*
 *Our Boys.
 Our Home. *London.*
 *Our Monthly. *New York.*
 Outing. *Baltimore.*
 *Owen Sound Times.
 *Painters' Journal. *Baltimore.*
 Pall Mall Magazine.
 *Parliamentary—
 Debates of the House of Commons,
 Dominion of Canada.
 Sessional Papers, Dominion of
 Canada.
 Sessional Papers, Ontario.
 Sessional Papers, Quebec.
 Statutes of New Zealand.
 Votes and Proceedings, House of
 Commons, Dominion of Canada.
 Votes and Proceedings of the Legis-
 lative Assembly, North-West Ter-
 ritories.
 Votes and Proceedings, Senate, Do-
 minion of Canada.
 Patent Gazette, Official. *United States.*
 Patent Journal, Official. *British.*
 *Patent Record, Official. *Canadian.*
 *Path. *Monthly.*
 *Peel Brampton Banner.
 *Philadelphia Carpenter. *Daily.*
 Philadelphia Record.
 Philological Society, Journal.
 Photography, Journal of. *London.*
 Plumber and Decorator. *London.*

- Political Science Quarterly.
 Popular Astronomy.
 Popular Science Monthly.
 *Port Arthur Herald. *Weekly.*
 Portfolio. *London.*
 Positivist Review. *London.*
 Poultry Journal. *Wallaceburg.*
 Power. *New York.*
 Practitioner. *London.*
 *Prince Albert Advocate. *Weekly.*
 Process Photogram. *London.*
 Public Opinion.
 Publishers' Circular. *London.*
 Publishers' Weekly. *New York.*
 Punch.
 Quarterly Review.
 Quebec Chronicle. *Daily.*
 *Quebec Literary and Historical Society, Transactions:
 *Quebec Societe de Geographie.
 Queen. *London.*
 Queen's Quarterly. *Kingston.*
 Quiver.
 *Rat Portage News.
 *Reflector. *Boston.*
 Reliquary and Illustrated Archæologist
London.
 Review of Reviews. *London.*
 Revue des Deux Mondes. *Bi-Monthly.*
 *Richmond Hill Liberal.
 Royal Statistical Society, Journal.
 *Rural Canadian.
 *St. Andrew's Cross.
 *St. Hyacinthe Courier. *Daily.*
 St. James's Budget. *London.*
 *St. Jean d'Iberville le Canada Francais.
 *St. Jean d'Iberville le Franco-Canadien.
 St. John's (N.B.) Telegraph. *Daily.*
 *St. Louis Courier.
 St. Nicholas.
 *Sarnia Canadian.
 Saturday Review.
 *Sault Ste. Marie Courier.
 Science.
 Scientific American.
 Scientific American Supplement.
 Scientific American, Architects' and Builders' Edition.
 Scottish History Society, Publications.
 Scottish Review.
 Scottish Text Society, Publications.
 Scribner's Magazine.
 *Seaboard. *New York.*
 *Select Knights of Canada Journal.
 *Shelbourne Economist.
 *Sherbrook Examiner.
 *Simcoe Norfolk Examiner.
 *Smithsonian Contributions to Knowledge.
 *Smithsonian Miscellaneous Collections.
 *Smithsonian Reports.
 *Society of Arts Journal.
 *Southampton Beacon.
 Spectator. *London.*
 Sporting and Dramatic News. *London.*
 Sporting Life. *Daily, London.*
 Staats Zeitung. *Chicago.*
 Statist. *London.*
 *Stouffville Free Press. *Weekly.*
 Strand.
 *Strathroy Age.
 *Strathroy Despatch.
 Street Railway Review.
 *Sturgeon Falls Enterprise.
 *Summerside (P.E.I.) Agriculturist.
 *Summerside (P.E.I.) Journal.
 Sunday at Home.
 Surtees Society, Publications of the Tablet.
 Tailor and Cutter.
 *Temperance Chronicle. *London.*
 *Templar. *Weekly.*
 Temple Bar.
 Theatre.
 *Thessalon (Algoma) Advocate.
 Times. *Daily, London.*
 Toronto
 *All the World.
 *Ancient Forester.
 Athletic Life.
 *Baker and Confectioner.
 Biological Review of Ontario.
 *Books and Notions.
 *Bookseller and Stationer.
 *Bulletin.
 *Canada Lancet.
 Canadian Architect.
 Canadian Bookseller.
 *Canadian Churchman.
 Canadian Engineer.
 *Canadian Grocer.
 *Canadian Independent.
 Canadian Magazine.
 Canadian Manufacturer.
 *Canadian Philatelic Magazine.
 Canadian Photographic Journal.
 Catholic Register.
 *Christian Guardian.
 *Church Evangelist.
 *Congregationalist.
 *Cycling. *Bi-monthly.*
 *Dry Goods Review.

Toronto Electrical News.		Toronto Week.	
*Evangelical Churchman.		World.	<i>Daily.</i>
Evening News.	<i>Daily.</i>	*Trenton Advocate.	
Evening Star.	<i>Daily.</i>	Truth.	<i>London.</i>
Evening Telegram.	<i>Daily.</i>	*United States Department of Agriculture, Publications.	
Globe.	<i>Daily.</i>	*Uxbridge Times.	
*Hardware.		Vancouver News-Advertiser.	<i>Daily.</i>
Kennel Gazette.	<i>Weekly.</i>	Vanity Fair.	<i>London.</i>
*Lumberman.		Veterinary Journal.	<i>London.</i>
*McMaster University Monthly.		Victoria (B.C.) Colonist.	<i>Daily.</i>
Mail and Empire.	<i>Daily.</i>	*Victoria (B.C.) Commercial Journal.	
Massey's Magazine.		Victoria (B.C.) Province.	
*Merchant.		Walkerton Herald.	
Monetary Times.	<i>Weekly.</i>	*War Cry.	<i>London.</i>
*Onward.		Washington Anthropological Society, Transactions.	
Sentinel.	<i>Weekly.</i>	*Wentworth Historical Society, Transactions.	
*Shoe and Leather Journal.		Westminster Review.	
*Star in the East.		*Wingham Times.	
*Trinity University Review.		*Winnipeg Commercial.	<i>Weekly.</i>
Truth.		Winnipeg Free Press.	<i>Daily.</i>
University of Toronto Quarterly.		*Winnipeg Tribune.	<i>Daily.</i>
Walsh's Illustrated Monthly.		World.	<i>London.</i>
*War Cry.		World's Progress.	
*Weather Review.	<i>Monthly.</i>		

WESTERN BRANCH.

*All the World.		Harper's Bazar.	
American Cabinet Maker.		Harper's Monthly.	
American Machinist.		Harper's Weekly.	
*Ancient Forester.		Harper's Round Table.	
Animal World.		Household Words.	
Belfast News.		Illustrated London News.	
Belgravia.		Ladies' Home Journal.	
Blackwood's Magazine.		Leisure Hour.	
Boy's Own Paper.		Leslie's Illustrated.	
*Canadian Forester.		Lippincott's Magazine.	
Carpenter.	<i>Philadelphia.</i>	Literary World.	
Carpenter and Builder.		Littell's Living Age.	
Cassell's Magazine.		Lloyd's Weekly News.	<i>London.</i>
Cassell's Saturday Journal.		Longman's Magazine.	
Century.		Macmillan's Magazine.	
Chambers's Journal.		Metal Worker.	
Cornhill.		Montreal Herald.	<i>Daily.</i>
Daily News.	<i>London.</i>	Moonshine.	
Demorest's Monthly.		New York Herald.	<i>Daily.</i>
Edinburgh Scotsman.	<i>Weekly.</i>	Nineteenth Century.	
Engineer.	<i>London.</i>	*Ontario Christian Magazine.	
English Illustrated Magazine.		Our Home.	
English Mechanic.		*Painters' Journal.	<i>Monthly.</i>
Family Herald.		Public Opinion.	
Forest and Stream.		Punch.	
Good Words.		Quiver.	
Graphic.		Review of Reviews.	
*Hamilton Templar.		*St. Andrew's Cross.	

St. James's Budget.		Toronto Evening Star.	<i>Daily.</i>
St. Nicholas.		Telegram.	<i>Daily.</i>
Saturday Review.		Globe.	<i>Daily.</i>
Scientific American.		Mail and Empire.	<i>Daily.</i>
Scientific American Supplement.		Massey's Magazine.	
Scottish American.		*Our Monthly Insurance.	
Scribner's Magazine.		*Trinity University Review.	<i>Monthly.</i>
*Single Tax Courier.			
Spectator.	<i>London.</i>	*War Cry.	
Strand.		Week.	
Times, Weekly.	<i>London.</i>	World.	<i>Daily.</i>
Toronto Athletic Life.		*War Cry.	<i>London.</i>
Canadian Magazine.		World.	<i>London.</i>
Evening News.	<i>Daily.</i>	*World's Progress.	<i>Monthly.</i>

NORTHERN BRANCH.

American Agriculturist.		New York Times.	<i>Daily.</i>
Animal World.		Our Home.	
Art Amateur.		Our Monthly.	
Athenæum.		*Painters' Journal.	
*Bee Journal.	<i>Chicago.</i>	Public Opinion.	
Belfast Whig.		Punch.	
Belgravia.		Quarterly Review.	
Blackwood's Magazine.		Queen.	<i>London.</i>
Boy's Own Paper.		Quiver.	
*Canadian Forester.		Review of Reviews.	<i>London.</i>
*Carpenter.	<i>Philadelphia.</i>	St. Nicholas.	
Cassell's Magazine.		Saturday Review.	
Cassell's Saturday Journal.		Scientific American.	
Catholic World.		Scientific American Supplement.	
Century.		Scottish American.	
Chambers's Journal.		Scribner's Magazine.	
Cornhill.		*Select Knights of Canada, Journal and Advocate.	
Daily News.	<i>London.</i>	*Single Tax Courier.	<i>St. Louis.</i>
Edinburgh Review.		Spectator.	<i>London.</i>
Edinburgh Scotsman.	<i>Weekly.</i>	Standard.	<i>Daily, London.</i>
English Illustrated Magazine.		Strand.	<i>London.</i>
Family Herald.		Sunday at Home.	
Good Words.		Times.	<i>Weekly, London.</i>
Graphic.		Toronto	
Hamilton Spectator.	<i>Daily.</i>	*All the World.	
*Hamilton Templar.		Athletic Life.	
Harper's Bazar.		*Ancient Forester.	
Harper's Monthly.		Canadian Magazine.	<i>Monthly.</i>
Harper's Round Table.		Evening News.	<i>Daily.</i>
Harper's Weekly.		Evening Star.	<i>Daily.</i>
Household Words.		Evening Telegram.	<i>Daily.</i>
Illustrated London News.		Globe.	<i>Daily.</i>
Judy.		Mail and Empire.	<i>Daily.</i>
Ladies' Home Journal.		Massey's Magazine.	
Leisure Hour.		*Trinity University Review.	
Leslie's Illustrated.		*War Cry.	
Lippincott's Magazine.		Week.	
Literary World.	<i>London.</i>	World.	
Littell's Living Age.		*War Cry.	<i>London.</i>
Lloyd's Weekly News.		Westminster Review.	
Longman's Magazine.		World.	<i>London.</i>
Montreal Gazette.	<i>Daily.</i>		

EASTERN BRANCH.

American Hatter.		New York World.	<i>Daily.</i>
*Ancient Forester.		Public Opinion.	
Boy's Own Paper.		Punch.	
*Canadian Forester.		Queen.	<i>London.</i>
*Carpenter.	<i>Philadelphia.</i>	Quiver.	
Carpenter and Builder.		Review of Reviews.	
✓Cassell's Magazine.		St. James's Budget.	
Cassell's Saturday Journal.		St. Nicholas.	
Century.		Scientific American.	
Chicago Grocer.		Scientific American Supplement.	
Demorest's Monthly.		Scientific American, Architects' and	
Engineer.		Builders' Edition.	
English Illustrated Magazine.		Scottish American.	
English Mechanic.		Scribner's Magazine.	
Family Herald.		*Single Tax Courier.	
Forest and Stream.		Spectator.	
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