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In passing we are glad to state that to Miss Ava Myatt, perhaps, more than any one else, is due great credit for the success of the undertaking. She has been faithful in keeping the library open on Friday, doing the work a large part of the time herself. Others who have assisted in the work of the library are Mrs. A. H. Rose, Miss Ione Abell, Miss Annie Ihrie Pou, and one or two others. They have begun a fine work and should have the heartiest encouragement. The library has reached the point where it needs more funds and better quarters. It also needs a better system of cataloguing the books.

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