CARNEGIE LIBRARY REPORT SOME INTERESTING STATISTICS

Submits Her of arth Annual Report to the Trustees of the Institution—The Books and Periodicals Catalogued and the Gifts During the Year Asre Set Forth—Needs of the Idhrary Presented—The Report of President Franklin is Also Submitted—Gifts That Are Prombed.

The Annual Report of the Trustees of the Institutions 107 volumes, 63 pamphilots and 600 odd numbers of periodicals. A complete list of gifts with names of donors in given in the tables.

SUMMARY.

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is an exceedingly interesting one. It 853 borrowers, shows that 5,383 volumes are now in the shelves, classified and catalogued and ready for instant use. logued and ready for instant use. During the year the doors of the library were open 306 days. The to-36,120 volumes. The number of reg- readers. istered borrowers at the close of the year was 3,853. The number added during the year was 600, an average of 50 per month. The recorded attendance in the reference room was 22,188, an increase of 2,010 over the previous year.

Reference is made to the handsome donation by Judge W. P. By-num, of his private library, contain-1,000 volumes. Many other gifts are recorded, prominent among the number being that of Mr. S. W. Cramer, of a number of technical periodicals. The urgent need of additional funds, especially for bookbuying, is referred to and the proposition of Mr. Andrew Carnegie to donate an additional sum of \$15,000 under the usual condition is mention-

The following-named were elected members of the board of trustees of the library to serve the ensuing term; Messrs, J. P. Carr, W. F. Dowd, T. W. Dixon, Dr. I. W. Falson, J. A. Fore, T. S. Franklin, H. son, J. A. Fore, T. S. Franklin, H. W. Harris, J. Hirshinger, S. S. Mc-Ninch, John R. Pharr, J. H. Weddington and J. F. Wilkes. Captain T. S. Franklin was re-elected presi-dent and Mr. J. Hirshinger vice president of the board. PRESIDENT FRANKLIN'S RE-PORT.

To the Trustees of the Carnegie Library:

ending December 31, 1906.

made a very marked and steady progress. While we have been very much handicapped on account of the lack of sufficient funds, yet the interest has increased. The books are being more generally used, not only by the children, but by all of our new.

The Thread spirits of the library at the Conference of the Library association at Marriagansett Pler, R. I. It was her pleasure to report that Asheville, N. C. had been selected as the place of the library at the Conference of the library at the Conference of the library at the Conference of the library association at library association at Marriagansett Pler, R. I. It was her pleasure to report that Asheville, N. C. had been selected as the place of Journal, Leslie's Weekly, Library stands indicted, and been wearing the name of Jennie Biggers since coming here. She was caught without trouble, and weekly, Independent, Ladies' Home Journal, Leslie's Weekly, Library Journal, Leslie's Weekly, Library Journal, Life, Lippincott, Liter-being more generally used, not only association at lional Review, Engineering Maga-fine, Etude, Forum, Harper's Ba-gar, Harper's Monthly, Harper's now in jail. She denies knowing Journal, Leslie's Weekly, Library Journal, Leslie's Weekly, Library Journal, Life, Lippincott, Liter-being more generally used, not only association at lional Review, Engineering Maga-fine, Etude, Forum, Harper's Ba-gar, Harper's Monthly, Harper's now in jail. She denies knowing Journal, Leslie's Weekly, Library Journal, Life, Lippincott, Liter-being more generally used, not only as a sociation at lional Review, Engineering Maga-fine, Etude, Forum, Harper's Ba-gar, Harper's Monthly, Harper's now in jail. She denies knowing Journal, Leslie's Weekly, Library Journal, Life, Lippincott, Liter-being more generally used, not only as a second magnetic form. by the children, but by all of our peoused either by the teachers or pupils, far beyond the city limits. The only reason why we have not been able to carry out the great work intended and desired on the part of the trustees is the lack of funds. The appropriation is barely sufficient to cover the actual expenses, and consequently, if it were not for the fact we would not have been able, during books and fibrary news number of volumes but very little. books could be added. Charlotte be-lieves in extension, and when the of the most popul and necestities of the library will in- 112 boys and girls were present. crease, and if the board of aldermen,

It is not intended that this report should contain any specific or detailed information, as all of this is embodied in the very extended report of the librarian. I, therefore, only wish to say, in conclusion, that the Carnegie Library is fortunate in having at its bend Mrs. Annie Smith Boss. whose heart and soul are enlisted in Sallie Adams and Mes Annie Pierce The only regret we can have by that we are not in position to compensate

T S FHANKLIN President

the year ending leasants r 31 1906 ment of 2 cents per day.

On January 1 1906 Care were in the meets the needs of those who care m. Mrs. Ed., Charlotte, the library, charlend and catalogue, are imported to read a new novel.

The library "assection to the public

year. A larger number of books than usual were withdrawn on the builty worn for circulation, but her the care

The 500 Hadley backs were discontinued, making a shortage of nearly scape of the library and give it larger Free Public Library, Evans-

The number of registered horrow ers at the close of the year was 3 month.

REFERENCE DEPARTMENT is steadily growing. The recorded at- writers. tendance in the reference room for CHRCULATION AND REGISTRA- Mercer University, Macon, grease of 2,010 over the previous year. Reference lists have been pre-eral readers. Reference lists and bulletins were displayed in the reading room on the following subjects: Architecture, Christman, chrysanthe-South, "The:" Tennyson, Western Biogram mums, Easter, forestry, Lee 11 E ; The telephone which was installed

FROM THE ANTILLES.

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Mr. W. O'Reilly Fogarty, who is a nember of the City Council at Kingston,

Jamusles. West Indies, writes as allows: "One bottle of Chamberiain's Cough Remody had good effect on a bough that was giving me trouble and I bink I should have been more quickity lieved it i had continued the remedy. The stronger me there is no doubt and it is to take a dome of Chamberiain's WHAT TO DO WIECN HILJOUS.

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The annual report of Mrs. Annie
Smith Ross, librarian in charge of
the local Carnegie Library, which
was submitted to the board of trustransition of people using the library, as the tees at its annual meeting Saturday, total registration to date shows 3,-

During the year 1906 the number

It is a gratifying assurance of the care taken in the selection of books for purchase that scarcely a volume tal issue of books for home use was is bought that does not speedily find

Year by year the usefulness of the library wil increase along educational

lines. of increased local pride will extend the influence of the library to a larger number of people. Co-operation with the schools, local societies and clubs has ever been the policy of the library, and many clubs send their programmes and club papers for the reading rooms. Through the generosity of Mr. S. W. Cramer, the library has a list of trade periodicals in keeping with the importance of the work it has to do in this community, placing within reach of the workman, or man who is engaged in any local trade, the best selection of the most essential technical periodicals,

The work for the coming year will of necessity be limited unless we receive an adequate appropriation for the book fund. The appropriation of Religion the city cannot be applied to the purchase of books, as much is required to maintain the building and grounds Natural science . in good condition, and to keep up the efficiency of the administrative de- Fine arts partment.

The librarian reports with pride that during the life of the library, with a circulation of 131,276 volumes. only 5 books have been unaccounted for. This satisfactory result was not accomplished without effort.

Your librarian would express grateful acknowledgement of the courtesy Gentlemen: It is my pleasure and interest which you, as members to submit herewith the annual report of the board, took in the work of the of the Carnegie Library for the year librarian for the North Carolina Library Association, granting her leave An examination of the librarian's of absence to attend the State meeting at Raleigh, N. C., and to represent the library has the library at the Conference of the library has the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at the library at the Conference of the library at t

junct of our public schools, and not a letters received that the library expasses but that the books are tends the boundaries of its usefulness Respectfully submitted,

ANNIE SMITH ROSS, Librarian.

Our principal and most effective neans of reaching the people has Quarterly, Success, been through the newspapers. library is under deep obligation to the that some of our people have very local press for the large amount of generously donated money and books, space that has been given to lists of

CHILDREN'S ROOM.

Should we be able to accept Mr. Car-negie's proposition to donate an ad-ditional \$15,000.00 for the purpose behavior and the good use of the Journal, Christian Science Society; The children have shown appreclaof enlarging the library and erecting books. The "Story Hour" is held christian Science a lecture room, the income would be every Friday afternoon, and during such that each year a large number the year more than 1,500 children Ladies' Review, Publishers; Louisiana

limits are extended the opportunities shown, when told the second time Two "Special Days" in the children's

through the people, will give us a barely sufficient income, they will be more than compensated in the splendid results.

Two "special Days in the Washington's room were George Washington's bitchday and an "Exhibit of flugs" made at Penchland, N. C., by school children, lbaned by Mr. D. A. Tomp-The policy of lending the children's

favor the Woman's Club. the Day Nur-favor the Woman's Club. the Day Nur-Art Critic.

Delmary Teacher's Associa- Alexander, Miss Julia room for club meetings has met with tion and the Engineering Society of har meetings, the room was used 65 Bain, Rev. J. times by societies or committees and Bishop, Mr. William Warner, nund meeting here

. DUPLICATE COLLECTION. One of the most difficult problems Bryant, Mr. C. B.-

these ladies in the proper manner for that confronts the librarian is how Burns, Mr. W. F. their very valuable and excellent to meet the demand for current fic-

The duplicate collection, adopted by many of the large libraries, has been Carnegle REPORT OF THE LIBEARIAN. successful with us. This is an entire-The board of trustees of the Carnegle by Separate collection from the main Carnegle Library, Duquesna, library, made up of duplicates of Library of Charlette Centlemen I have the honor to popular books, the demand for which the Carnegle Library of Charlette for to this collection are issued on pay-

4,618 volumes | During the year 6x3, and at the same time it relieves the Clemson College, S. C. were added by purchase and 80 by library from purchasing a large num-gift, 75 rebeated and 785 mended in her of copies of a novel which is very the library - and 333 volumes with perpular to day, but which within a Cox, Miss Ethel Louis year may be forgotten.

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120 volumes. The initiation has de to be made under the usual condi- Educational Conference, Cocreased somewhat from that of has tions. This liberal donation will make it Edwards, Mr. Ogden

possible to add to the present build- Planer, Dallis ing of a lecture hall, a museum, a Florence Pub. Co., Florful mending many volumes stouts children's room and other much need-

That Judge W. P. Hynum's private Free Public Library, Louislibrary of about 1,000 volumes is to find place on our sherves was made Haywood, W. S. & Abble B. ... year was 600, an average of 50 per known to us in October. The value Irwin, Mrs. A. C. of this donation is in the classical John Crerar Library, Chithe highest literary standard, and Jordon, Mrs. R. H. The usefulness of this department represent most of the great English Lytle, Mr. John J. 3

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REGISTRATIONS Number of books worn out ... 316 Number of books in library Jan. 1, 1906 ... 4,618 Number added by purchase ... 685 Number added by gift 80 The details of the year's work will total additions for the year.... WITHDRAWALS.

Books unaccounted for Total withdrawals for year Number of books in library Dec. 31, 1906 BINDING.

Number of books rebound PERIODICALS. Periodicals subscribed for Periodicals donated

NUMBER OF BOOKS BY CLASS IN LIBRARY. 1903, 1904, 1905, General works 181 429 434 Philosophy Religion 187 Sociology 113 Language 10 Natural science 53 Useful arts 20 Fine arts 36 Literature 312 History 871 Travel 160

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The "broad spirit" of the library ing Age, London News, McClure's,

Times), Scientific American Supple- livered and the other 3,000,000 are South Atlantic being felled. Scribner's. ment. World's Work, The Youth's Companion GIFTS-PERIODICALS.

Advocate of Peace, Publishers; American Cotton Manufacturer, Publishers; American Monthly Magazine, D. A. R. Society; Charlotte Mill News, Beall, a Salisbury boy and osn of Capwere entertained.

The "Lonesomest Doll" proved one of the most popular stories, as was of the most popular stories, as was till Excelsion, Publishers.

Planter, Publishers, Red and White, but it was a fortunate move.

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GIFTS, 1906. Aberdeen Association Agricultural & Mechanical

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by Forshee & Curren—Mr. Salceby Goes to Virginia.
Sallsbury, Jan. 21.—Livingstone's Colege suffered its worst fire this afternoon when Stanford Seminary was burned down and a loss of \$6,000 or more was sustained. The fourth story caught first and the fiames shot downward with great rapidity. Livingstone is outside the corporate limits and the firemen had a mile to run before planting their hose. Then the pressure of the water was very feeble and the stream ineffectual so far as putting out the places caught were concerned. A portion of the second and first floors was saved, but the loss was complete, barring a small the loss was complete, barring a small This is the same building which caught a year ago and suffered a

loss of several hundred dollars. The fourth floor and story was of wood, the remaining three of brick. The 24 fire companies did their best, but the It is not known how the fire originated. Dr. Goler, the president, very unwell man for 10 days, and thinks a stove caused it. The semi-will try that famous water. He will Total3,203 4,009 4,618 Library, which was donated by An- leaf, one of the best-known farmers

> tions to celebrate the 25th anniversary of their college and were great-ly distressed when the fire broke in-to their plans. Dr. Goler has served 13 of the years as head of the college and Dr. Joseph C. Price the other There is real sympathy for them

Editor John M. Julian, one of Rowan's Representatives in the General Assembly, is at home for several days and to-night went to Morganton to go over the insane asylum with a

ple in almost every walk of life. The encouraged by the board of trustees in Art. National Geographithe celebrated Williams families, of library has become a necessary ad- is shown in the increasing number of call Magazine North American Re- Yadkin 4,000,000 feet of lumber of

one of the board of county commisstoners. He has dealt largely in lumber and successfully combated the old saw that the financial milistone about a man's neck. General Passenger Agent John M.

tain and Mrs. T. R. Beall, of this city, race summarise

ca last week and would have landed in Kingston just a short time before the earthquake. What caused lift.

What caused lift. him to abandon the trip is not told,

TO ATTEND MURDER TRIAL. A. B. Saleeby, the confectioneer, letf this morning for Dandron, where 2, Pgh. Vol. he will attend the trial of the four negroes charged with the murder several weeks ago of his cousin,
Joseph Saleeby. The negro who
crushed the head of the dead man with a blackjack has not been caught,

but four are now held and the evidence against them is from several colored eye-witnesses. The trial is set for Surry county

Miss Lillie Hellig, on Fulton street, and bridge was played. The club then indulged itself-in refreshments and the division of the honors. The young ladies composing this, the smartest and sprightliest of the card organizations of youth, are soon to have unusual honor bestowed upon them by their men admirers,

GOES TO JACKSON SPRINGS. Mayor Boyden leaves to-morrow morning for Jackson Springs, where where he has been several days on Our Improved Lever Trees, price 75c.

te will spend a week in recovery of Scott, Mr. W. D., Ottawa, Canada 1. Seawell, Mrs. Luke, ... Periodicals Shuford, Mrs. Sue-Stms, Mr. Clough Smith, Mr. W M Spong, Mrs. A. M. State Library, Indiana 1 State Library, Montana 2

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Trinity College, Durham, N. C. ... University of North Carolina 1 University of Tennessee 1 Watson, Mr. John C., Char-lotte, N. C. Whitnett, Mr. N. C. 1 Willcox, Mr. H. R., text

books in foreign languages-Wilmington Institute Wilmington Delaware 1 Anonymous TECHNICAL PERIODICALS, GIFT

OF Mr. S. W. CRAMER. American Cotton Manufacturer, American Field, Army and Navy Journal, Cotton, Electrical Review, Engineer, Horseless Age, Manufac-turers' Record, Plumbers' Trade Journal, Power, Railway & Engineering Review, Southern Engineer, Tex-tile Excelsior, Textile Manufacturers' Journal, Textile Mercury

The annual meeting of the board of trustees of the Carnegie Library was held Saturday, January 19, at 12 c'clock. Mr. T S, Franklin was 12 o'clock. Mr. T. S. Franklin was re-elected president, and Mr. J. Hir-shinger, vice president. The mem-bers of the board are: Mr. J. P. Carr, Mr. W. F. Dowd, Mr. T. W. Dixon, Dr. I. W. Fulson, Mr. J. A. Fore, Mr. T. S. Franklin, Mr. H. W. Har-ris, Mr. J. Hirshinger, Mr. S. S. Mc-Ninch, Mr. John R. Pharr, Mr. J. H. Weddington, Mr. J. Frank Wilkes.

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drew Carnegie two years ago and (the county, is very ill at his home which is nearly completed. This as the result of an accident sustainbullding was in no danger. The students were making prepara- by a fall and yesterday Dr. Caenault Cleveland, and Dr. Heathman, of

Sporting News

ORMOND-DATONA RACES TO-DAY

tournament is to-morrow. Racing will begin at 8 o'clock in the morning with five-mile events, mile events, record triuls and a five-mile test on the programme. This programme is subject to change, de-pending on weather conditons. Mr. Curren is a Rowan man, and

The Race at New Orleans. New Orleans, La., Jan. 21.—The races went to the Fair Grounds to-day for two weeks. Jockey Hennesy was suspended for six days for disobedience at the post when he rode Dr. Sprulli in the fifth

Second race, 3 furlongs: Shirley Ross-more, 3 to 1, won; Dew of Dawn, 40 to 1, second; Ruby Wick, 4 to 1, third. Time, Third race, 6 furlongs: Fantastic, 1 to

2. won; Mortiboy, 10 to 1, second; Daegin, 15 to 1, third. Time, 1:14.
Fourth race, mile and 70 yards: Beau Brummel, 3 to 5, won; Besterling, 20 to 1, second; Missouri Lad, 17 to 10, third. Time, 1:443-5.
Fifth race, mile and 20 yards: Flavigny, 5 to 1, won: Rickey, 9 to 2, second; Bonart, '18 to 5, third. Time, 1:422-5.
Sixth race, mile and 20 yards, selling: Campaigner, 6 to 5, won; Oberon, 7 to 1, second; Zick Abrams, 8 to 1, third. Time, 1:42.
Seventh race, mile and 20 yards, selling: Time, 1:44 3-5.

leeby had visited here.

The Saturday Atternoon Club held its last card session at the home of Miss Lillie Hells An Fallance of Like and Lillie Hells An Fallance of Little Littl

MAJOR MOREHEAD CONFIDENT. Believes Appropriation for Guilford

Special to The Observer. Greensboro, Jan. 20.-Major Jos. M. Morehead, president of the Guil- Miller's Patent Extension Trees, price ford Battle Ground Company, returned last night from Washington, D. C., Ground Association. The major is looking hale and hearty, and expressed himself as being greatly pleased with his trip. The bill relative to the appropriation for the historic site 'ass passed the Senate, but has not as yet passed the House. While in Washington Major Morehead was the guest for a part of his stay of Speaker While the Speaker did not commit himself and while the major did not ask for a definite answer, Major Morenead is sure that his visit will be productive of good.

Guilford Superior Court adjourned yesterday afternoon, after a session of one week. The last case tried was that of J. R. Joyner, against the North Carolina Railroad Company, which resulted in a victory for the plaintiff. The amount of damages was fixed at \$4,000. Mr. Joyner was injured on the yards of the Southern in the city several months ago, one leg being cut off by shifting cars. Dr. Henry E. Shepherd, who spoke in Charlotte at the Lee centennial exercises yesterday, will speak to Greensboro people in the lecture room of the Carnegie Library to-morrow evening. Dr. Shepherd has visited Greensboro before, and his speech will be heard with interest. He was a Confederate soldier and was paroled here when General Johnston sur-

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