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REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES

OF THE

PUBLIC LIBRARY, MUSEUMS, AND NATIONAL GALLERY  
OF VICTORIA,

FOR 1910,

WITH A

STATEMENT OF INCOME AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE  
FINANCIAL YEAR 1909-10.

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# REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE PUBLIC LIBRARY, MUSEUMS, AND NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA.

TO THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF SECRETARY.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit the following report for the year 1910 :—

## I.—THE PUBLIC LIBRARY.

The year under review was notable for the large number of additions in the Reference Library, which contained at the end of the year 200,562 volumes, the total number in all branches of the Institution reaching 268,863. The difficulty of finding accommodation for so large a number of volumes has taxed the resources of the Institution very greatly, and it has been most difficult to prevent loss of time and confusion as a result of the over-crowding. The architects however, assure us that the new building will be completed next year, and it is confidently anticipated that, when once the books are moved into the new reading rooms, the storage accommodation provided will be sufficient for very many years to come.

In the Lending Department the number of borrowers was not so large as in the previous year, nor were so many books issued. The reduced number of works of fiction issued is itself sufficient to account for the difference in the figures. Current fiction can be cheaply obtained at various subscription libraries, and is also supplied to a considerable extent by some of the municipal councils in their town libraries.

## II.—THE NATIONAL GALLERY.

Several important additions were made to the collection, including examples of the work of Bastien Lepage, Puvis de Chavannes, and Jean Antoine Watteau. A picture by G. W. Lambert, who has taken a very high place amongst the Australian artists who are painting in London, was obtained from an exhibition of his work held in Melbourne. Mr. Bertram Mackennal's statue of Ciree, which had been lent to the Trustees in 1909, was acquired by purchase. All these works were acquired under the Felton bequest, as are almost all works obtained by purchase for the Gallery.

The trustees are indebted to Mrs. Brough-Bell for the gift of a marble group, "Tragedy enveloping Comedy," by Mr. Bertram Mackennal, and to Sir Thomas a'Beckett for a marble bust of Sir Archibald Michie, by Charles Summers.

His Excellency Sir Thomas Gibson Carmichael lent a collection of art curios, including a number of Greek coins, cameos, seals, &c., a loan which was much appreciated by visitors to the Art Museum.

Acknowledgments are also due to Col. Elliston, Dr. Felix Meyer, and Mr. W. Schmidt, for loans to the Gallery during the year; to Mrs. James Smith, for the gift of a portrait of the late James Smith; and to His Highness the Rajah Kumar Nawab Shyama Kumar Tagore, and to the Consul-General for China, for gifts to the Art Museum.

## III.—THE INDUSTRIAL AND TECHNOLOGICAL MUSEUM.

There is nothing to report in connexion with this Department. The curator points out that nothing can be done until room is available for displaying the collection.

## IV.—THE NATIONAL MUSEUM.

The details of the progress of the Museum in its different branches are fully set out in the attached reports of the curators.

## V.—GENERAL.

The Trustees regret the loss which they sustained by the death of Mr. James Smith, which took place on the 19th of March. Mr. Smith had been associated with the Institution as a Trustee since 1880, and had been Treasurer since 1887. He was also one of the members of the Commission on the Fine Arts appointed in 1863 to inquire into the subject of the promotion of Fine Arts in Victoria, and to submit a scheme for the formation and management of a Public Museum, Gallery, and School of Art.

The Hon. George Swinburne was elected a Trustee in July.

Mr. Henry Gyles Turner was re-elected as a representative of the Trustees on the Council of the Working Men's College.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

HENRY GYLES TURNER,

President.

30th March, 1911.

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PUBLIC LIBRARY, MUSEUMS, AND  
Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for

Dr.

| Division | Sub-division | Item.                                  | Amount. |       | Total. |       |
|----------|--------------|--|---------|-------|--------|-------|
|          |              |  | £       | s. d. | £      | s. d. |
| 54       |              | Salaries—                              |         |       |        |       |
|          |              | Public Library—                        |         |       |        |       |
|          | 1            | Professional ... ..                    | 3,197   | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 2            | Clerical ... ..                        | 1,148   | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 3            | General ... ..                         | 2,188   | 0 0   | 6,533  | 0 0   |
|          |              | Industrial and Technological Museum—   |         |       |        |       |
|          | 4            | Professional ... ..                    | 300     | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 5            | General Division ... ..                | 472     | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 6            | Exempt ... ..                          | 100     | 0 0   | 872    | 0 0   |
|          |              | National Museum—                       |         |       |        |       |
|          | 7            | Professional ... ..                    | 600     | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 8            | Clerical ... ..                        | 300     | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 9            | General ... ..                         | 1,317   | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 10           | Exempt ... ..                          | 254     | 0 0   | 2,471  | 0 0   |
|          |              | National Gallery—                      |         |       |        |       |
|          | 11           | General ... ..                         | 840     | 0 0   |        |       |
|          | 12           | Exempt ... ..                          | 1,082   | 0 0   | 1,922  | 0 0   |
| 55       |              | Ordinary Expenditure—General Items ... |         |       | 10,315 | 0 0   |
| 56       |              | Works and Buildings ... ..             |         |       | 25,000 | 0 0   |
|          |              |  |         |       | 47,113 | 0 0   |

ROBT. MURRAY SMITH,  
Treasurer.

NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA.  
Financial Year 1909-10.

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| Division | Sub-division.               | Item.  | Amount. |    |       | Total  |       |
|----------|-----------------------------|--|---------|----|-------|--------|-------|
|          |                             |  | £       | s. | d.    | £      | s. d. |
| 54       |                             | Salaries—                                      |         |    |       |        |       |
|          |                             | Public Library—                                |         |    |       |        |       |
|          | 1                           | Professional ... ..                            | 3,195   | 6  | 8     |        |       |
|          | 2                           | Clerical ... ..                                | 1,128   | 5  | 7     |        |       |
|          | 3                           | General ... ..                                 | 2,107   | 3  | 5     |        |       |
|          |                             | Industrial and Technological Museum—           |         |    |       | 6,430  | 15 8  |
|          | 4                           | Professional ... ..                            | 300     | 0  | 0     |        |       |
|          | 5                           | General ... ..                                 | 472     | 0  | 0     |        |       |
|          | 6                           | Exempt ... ..                                  | 75      | 5  | 4     |        |       |
|          |                             | National Museum—                               |         |    |       | 847    | 5 4   |
|          | 7                           | Professional ... ..                            | 600     | 0  | 0     |        |       |
|          | 8                           | Clerical ... ..                                | 300     | 0  | 0     |        |       |
| 9        | General ... ..              | 1,286  | 6       | 3  |       |        |       |
| 10       | Exempt ... ..               | 254  | 0       | 0  |       |        |       |
|          | National Gallery—           |  |         |    | 2,440 | 6 3    |       |
|          | General ... ..              | 770  | 16      | 5  |       |        |       |
|          | Exempt ... ..               | 1,068  | 15      | 6  |       |        |       |
| 55       |                             | Ordinary Expenditure—General Items ... ..      |         |    |       | 1,839  | 11 11 |
| 56       |                             | Works and Buildings ... ..                     |         |    |       | 10,256 | 0 1   |
|          |                             |  |         |    |       | 24,999 | 16 9  |
|          |                             | UNEXPENDED.                                    |         |    |       |        |       |
| 54       |                             | Salaries, Public Library—                      |         |    |       |        |       |
|          | 1                           | Professional ... ..                            | 1       | 13 | 4     |        |       |
|          | 2                           | Clerical ... ..                                | 19      | 14 | 5     |        |       |
|          | 3                           | General ... ..                                 | 80      | 16 | 7     |        |       |
|          |                             | Salaries, Industrial and Technological Museum— |         |    |       |        |       |
|          | 6                           | Exempt ... ..                                  | 24      | 14 | 8     |        |       |
|          | Salaries, National Museum—  |  |         |    |       |        |       |
| 9        | General ... ..              | 30   | 13      | 9  |       |        |       |
|          | Salaries, National Gallery— |  |         |    |       |        |       |
| 11       | General ... ..              | 69   | 3       | 7  |       |        |       |
| 12       | Exempt ... ..               | 13   | 4       | 6  |       |        |       |
|          |                             |  |         |    | 240   | 0 10   |       |
| 55       |                             | Ordinary Expenditure—General Items ... ..      |         |    |       | 58     | 19 11 |
| 56       |                             | Works and Buildings ... ..                     |         |    |       | 3      | 3     |
|          |                             |  |         |    |       | 47,113 | 0 0   |

E. LA T. ARMSTRONG,  
Chief Librarian and Secretary.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY, MUSEUMS, AND NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA.

## TRUSTEES' GENERAL ACCOUNT.

*Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for Financial Year 1909-10.*

DR.

|                           | £   | s.  | d.  | £     | s.  | d.  |
|---------------------------|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----|-----|
| To Balance from 1908-9    | ... | ... | ... | 1,856 | 18  | 10  |
| Fees, Painting School     | ... | ... | ... | 67    | 4   | 0   |
| Fees, Drawing School      | ... | ... | ... | 157   | 10  | 0   |
| Miscellaneous Receipts    | ... | ... | ... | 49    | 7   | 1   |
| Sale of Catalogues, &c.   | ... | ... | ... | 49    | 19  | 0   |
| Lending Library Receipts— |     |     |     |       |     |     |
| Fines                     | 197 | 1   | 9   | ...   | ... | ... |
| Damages to Books          | 12  | 5   | 11  | ...   | ... | ... |
| Sale of Postcards         | 4   | 10  | 3   | ...   | ... | ... |
| Sale of Catalogues        | 0   | 15  | 0   | 214   | 12  | 11  |
|                           |     |     |     | 2,395 | 11  | 10  |

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|   | £   | s.  | d.  | £     | s. | d. |
|---|-----|-----|-----|-------|----|----|
| Expenses in connexion with laying foundation stone of New Library | ... | ... | ... | 12    | 6  | 6  |
| Purchase of Postcards for sale                                    | ... | ... | ... | 4     | 3  | 4  |
| Insurance of Pictures on Loan...                                  | ... | ... | ... | 5     | 17 | 10 |
| Printing Supplement to National Gallery Catalogue                 | ... | ... | ... | 19    | 9  | 0  |
| Expenses in connexion with Students' Exhibition                   | ... | ... | ... | 4     | 5  | 6  |
| Legal Expenses  | ... | ... | ... | 4     | 4  | 0  |
| Petty Cash Expenditure  | ... | ... | ... | 2     | 0  | 0  |
| Balance   | ... | ... | ... | 2,343 | 5  | 8  |
|   |     |     |     | 2,395 | 11 | 10 |

ROBT. MURRAY SMITH,  
Treasurer.

E. LA T. ARMSTRONG,  
Chief Librarian and Secretary.



## TRAVELLING SCHOLARSHIP ACCOUNT.

*Statement of Receipts and Expenditure for Financial Year 1909-10.*

## DR.

|   | £   | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| To Balance from 1908-9  | 380 | 15 | 1  |
| Interest on Special Assets Trust, one year                                  | 46  | 1  | 0  |
| Interest on Debentures, £4,000 at 3½ per cent., less ½ per cent. commission | 135 | 0  | 0  |
| Interest on Deposit Receipts, £3,000 at 3½ per cent. for two years.         | 210 | 0  | 0  |

## NOTE.—Securities held by the Trustees 30th June, 1910.—

|   |     |    |   |
|---|-----|----|---|
| Victorian Government Debentures, £4,000, at 3½ per cent.                        |     |    |   |
| Special Assets Trust, Commercial Bank. £1,535 8s. 6d., at 3 per cent.           |     |    |   |
| Deposit Receipt, Commercial Bank, £3,000, at 4 per cent., due 10.10.1911.       |     |    |   |
| Deposit Receipt (Gilbee Bequest), £210 11s. 9d., at 3½ per cent., due 8.3.1912. |     |    |   |
|   | 771 | 16 | 1 |

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|   | £   | s. | d. |
|---|-----|----|----|
| By Allowance to Travelling Scholar for one year, including cost of drafts | 150 | 13 | 2  |
| Prizes awarded at Students' Exhibition, 1909                              | 123 | 0  | 0  |
| Landscape prize, April, 1910  | 10  | 0  | 0  |
| Balance   | 488 | 2  | 11 |
|   | 771 | 16 | 1  |

ROBT. MURRAY SMITH,  
Treasurer.

E. LA T. ARMSTRONG,  
Chief Librarian and Secretary.

I certify that the foregoing Statements of Accounts of the Public Library, Museums, and National Gallery of Victoria for the year 1909-10 have been examined and found correct, and that I have inspected the Deposit Receipts held by the Trustees and found them correct.

The Manager of the Royal Bank of Australia certifies that Victorian Government Debentures to the face value of £4,000 were held by the Bank on 25th March, 1911.

F. H. BRUFORD,  
Auditor-General.

Audit Office,  
Melbourne, 28th March, 1911.

## PUBLIC LIBRARY REPORT, 1910.

To the Chairman of the Library Committee.

The Chief Librarian has the honour to report as follows:—

## I.—THE REFERENCE LIBRARY.

The number of volumes added to the Library was much larger than usual, and probably represents the greatest number of volumes placed on the shelves in any one year. This large accession was mainly due to the fact that an opportunity was taken to fill in many gaps in the collection, and for this purpose some large sets were obtained, as well as an unusual number of volumes outside of the ordinary works published during the year. The sale of the Library of the late James Smith, a well-known collector in Melbourne, enabled the Trustees to fill in many lacunae in different sections. The total number of volumes in the Library is now 200,562, and of this number very few works are in duplicate, as all duplicate works obtained by presentation or otherwise are excluded as far as possible from the returns.

The amount spent in binding was approximately the same as in the previous year, the amounts being £1,532 10s. 9d. and £1,536 14s. 9d. respectively.

The following are some of the more important works added to the Library during the year:—"La Grande Encyclopédie"; Shackleton, Sir E. H., "Heart of the Antarctic" (with autographs of members of the expedition); Institution of Naval Architects, "Transactions," 1876-1905; De Quir, F., "Terra Australis Incognita" (the first edition of the first book in England on the discovery of Australia); "Madras Journal of Literature and Science," 1833-1881; Bronn, H. G., "Klassen und Ordnungen Thier-Reichs"; Sociedad Geografia de Madrid, "Boletin," 1876-1908; William Salt Archæological Society, Collection for a history of Staffordshire, 1880-1909; Journal of Botany, British and Foreign, 1871-1907; Brangwyn, F., Etched Work: Mortillet, G. de, *et al.*, "Materiaux pour l'histoire de l'homme"; Richter, J. P., "Mond Collection"; Voll, K., "Die Gemälde-Galerie des Prado in Madrid"; Spielmann, M. H., British Portrait Gallery; Société Zoologique de France, Mémoires, 1888-1907; Société Zoologique de France, Bulletin, 1876-1906; Harvard College Museum of Comparative Zoology, Bulletins, 1863-1905; Nichols, J., History and Antiquities of the County of Leicester, 1795-1811; Académie des Sciences de l'Institut Impérial de France, "Mémoires," 2e serie, 1816-1909; France, "Annales du Parlement," 1839-1906; More, Sir T., "Works," 1st ed., 1557; Clerck, C., Icones Insectorum Rariorum; Donovan, E., Insects of India, China, New Holland, &c.; Martyn, T., Psyche: Figures of Nondescript Lepidopterous Insects; Miscellanea Genealogica et Heraldica, 1868-1907; Great Britain, Parliamentary Register, 1774-1805; Great Britain, House of Commons, Journals, 1547-1819; Great Britain, House of Lords, Journals, 1509-1838; Buffon, G. L. L. de, Collection des Suites à Buffon.

The following schedules give in detail the usual statistical information:—

## SCHEDULE 1.

| Mode of Accession.                                | Volumes. | Pamphlets. | Maps. | Miscellaneous. | Newspapers.                                     | Approximate Value. |
|---|----------|------------|-------|----------------|---|--------------------|
|   |          |            |       |                |   | £ s. d.            |
| Purchase, including duplicates                    | 10,023   | 706        | 47    | 42             | { 3,541 separate<br>papers }<br>{ 157 volumes } | 4,995 5 6          |
| Donation, including duplicates                    | 1,866    | 919        | 143   | 5              |   | 16,394             |
| Copyright ... ..                                  | 282      | 124        | 112   | ...            | 24,505  | 395 1 8            |
| Pamphlets bound into volumes                      | 108      | ...        | ...   | ...            | ...   | ...                |
|   | 12,299   | 1,649      | 302   | 47             | 44,597  | 6,407 9 11         |
| Items of previous years withdrawn during 1910 ... | 21       | 56         | ...   | ...            | ...   | ...                |
| Totals ... ..                                     | 12,278   | 1,593      | 302   | 47             | 44,597  | 6,407 9 11         |

The total number of newspapers purchased is made up of 3,541 papers on the permanent purchase list, together with a special purchase of 81 bound and 76 unbound quarterly volumes of the *Argus*, 1864 (April) to 1905 (June) from the estate of the late Dr. Neild. A few volumes are wanting to complete this set.

## SCHEDULE 2.

CLASSIFICATION OF THE BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, ETC., RECEIVED DURING  
THE YEAR 1910.

| Classification. | Volumes. | Pamphlets. | Maps. | Miscellaneous. |
|-----------------|----------|------------|-------|----------------|
| Religion        | 465      | 69         | ...   | ...            |
| Philosophy      | 297      | 19         | ...   | ...            |
| Social Science  | 3,104    | 657        | 113   | 20             |
| History         | 3,135    | 254        | 63    | 20             |
| Science         | 1,795    | 147        | 123   | ...            |
| Fine Arts       | 628      | 138        | ...   | 2              |
| Arts and Trades | 997      | 157        | 3     | ...            |
| Philology       | 62       | 8          | ...   | ...            |
| Literature      | 1,662    | 112        | ...   | 5              |
| Fiction         | 76       | 5          | ...   | ...            |
| Bibliography    | 146      | 27         | ...   | ...            |
|                 | 12,278   | 1,593      | 302   | 47             |

## SCHEDULE 3.

TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF CASES AND PARCELS FROM SOCIETIES AND INSTITUTIONS IN VICTORIA, DISTRIBUTED THROUGH THE PUBLIC LIBRARY DURING 1910.

| How Distributed.                       | No. of Cases. | No. of Parcels. | No. of Publications. |
|--|---------------|-----------------|----------------------|
| Through the Agent-General for Victoria | 8             | 418             | 437                  |
| Through the Smithsonian Institution    | 6             | 262             | 223                  |
| By post                                | ...           | 275             | 283                  |
| By hand                                | ...           | 9               | 9                    |
| Total                                  | 14            | 964             | 952                  |

## SCHEDULE 4.

TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF CASES AND PARCELS FROM SOCIETIES AND INSTITUTIONS OUTSIDE OF VICTORIA, DISTRIBUTED THROUGH THE PUBLIC LIBRARY DURING 1910.

| Through whom sent.                        | No. of Cases. | No. of Parcels in Case. |
|---|---------------|-------------------------|
| Smithsonian Institution                   | 39            | 1,020                   |
| Minister of Public Instruction, France    | 4             | 108                     |
| New South Wales Government Exchange Board | 3             | 101                     |
| South African Department of Interior      | 1             | 1                       |
| Sociedad Científica, Mexico               | ...           | 6                       |
| Bibliothèque Nationale de Rio de Janeiro  | ...           | 2                       |
| Total                                     | 47            | 1,238                   |

## SCHEDULE 5.

## DONATIONS TO THE PUBLIC LIBRARY OF VICTORIA DURING 1910.

| Donor.  | Volumes | Pamphlets. | Miscellaneous. | Maps. | Newspapers. |
|---|---------|------------|----------------|-------|-------------|
| Académie Royale de Belgique ... ..                              | 2       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Académie des Sciences, Cracovic ... ..                          | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Adams Nervine Asylum ... ..                                     | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Adelaide—City of ... ..   | 4       | 3          | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Advocate—Proprietors of the ... ..                              | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | 52          |
| Agassiz Association, Ohio ... ..                                | 3       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Age—Proprietors of the ... ..                                   | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | 622         |
| Alberta—Government of ... ..                                    | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Albury Daily News—Proprietors of the ... ..                     | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | 308         |
| American Geographical Society... ..                             | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| American Irish Historical Society ... ..                        | 2       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| American Journal of Semitic Languages—Proprietors of the ... .. | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| American Library Association ... ..                             | 4       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| American Philological Association ... ..                        | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Anatomical Record—Proprietors of the ... ..                     | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Anonymous ... ..  | 10      | 16         | 1              | ...   | ...         |
| Anti-slavery and Aborigines Protection Society, London ... ..   | ...     | 1          | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Ararat Chronicle—Proprietors of the ... ..                      | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | 23          |
| Architectural Students' Annual—Proprietors of the ... ..        | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Arctowski, H. ... ..  | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Argentine—Government of ... ..                                  | ...     | 1          | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Argus—Proprietors of the ... ..                                 | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | 622         |
| Ashton-under-Lyme Public Library ... ..                         | ...     | 2          | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Associated Churches of Christ, Melbourne ... ..                 | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Auckland Institute and Museum ... ..                            | ...     | 1          | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australasian—Proprietors of the ... ..                          | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | 52          |
| Australasian Association for the Advancement of Science... ..   | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australasian Baker—Proprietors of ... ..                        | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australasian Good Health—Proprietors of ... ..                  | 3       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australasian Inter-Collegian—Proprietors of ... ..              | 2       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australasian Tailors' Art Journal—Proprietors of ... ..         | 2       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australia—Commonwealth of ... ..                                | 11      | 2          | ...            | 2     | ...         |
| Australian Catholic Truth Society ... ..                        | ...     | 12         | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australian Christian World—Proprietor of ... ..                 | ...     | 1          | ...            | ...   | 52          |
| Australian College of Theology, Sydney... ..                    | ...     | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australian Cordial Maker—Proprietors of ... ..                  | 2       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australian Garden and Field—Proprietors of ... ..               | 2       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australian Gardener—Proprietors of ... ..                       | 2       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australian Museum, Sydney ... ..                                | 4       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
| Australian Photographic Journal—Proprietors of ... ..           | 1       | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...         |
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| Register (Adelaide)—Proprietors of the ... ..           | ...      | ...        | ...            | ...   | 313          |
| Revue Scientifique—Proprietors of the ... ..            | 2        | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...          |
| Rhodesia Museum, Bulawayo ... ..                        | ...      | 1          | ...            | ...   | ...          |
| Richard, A. ... ..                                      | 1        | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...          |
| Richmond River Express—Proprietors of the ... ..        | ...      | ...        | ...            | ...   | 102          |
| Rijks-Universiteit, Utrecht ... ..                      | 13       | 12         | ...            | ...   | ...          |
| Riverina Recorder—Proprietor of the ... ..              | ...      | ...        | ...            | ...   | 52           |
| Riverine Grazier—Proprietor of the ... ..               | ...      | ...        | ...            | ...   | 104          |
| Robin, P. A. ... ..                                     | ...      | 5          | ...            | ...   | ...          |
| Rock Merenry—Proprietor of the ... ..                   | ...      | ...        | ...            | ...   | 5            |
| Rosenthal, J. ... ..                                    | 1        | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Agricultural Society of England ... ..            | 1        | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Dublin Society ... ..                             | 2        | ...        | ...            | ...   | ...          |



## SCHEDULE 5—continued.

| Donor.  | Volumes. | Pamph-lets. | Miscel-laneous. | Maps. | News-Papers. |
|---|----------|-------------|-----------------|-------|--------------|
| Royal Geographical Society, London ... ..                                 | 3        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Geographical Society of Anstrasia (South Aus-tralian branch) ... .. | 5        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Geographical Society of Australasia ... ..                          | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Scottish Academy ... ..   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Society of Canada ... ..  | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Society of London ... ..  | 3        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Society of New South Wales ... ..                                   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Society of South Australia ... ..                                   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Society of Tasmania ... ..  | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal United Service Institution ... ..                                   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Royal Zoological Society of New South Wales ... ..                        | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Rudders Ltd. ... ..   | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Rusden, G. W. ... ..  | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| St. Helen's Public Library ... ..   | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| St. Louis Mercantile Library Association ... ..                           | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| St. Louis Public Library ... ..   | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Salem Public Library ... ..   | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Samoaische Zeitung—Proprietors of the ... ..                              | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 51           |
| San Francisco Mechanics' Institute ... ..                                 | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Savings Bank of New South Wales ... ..                                    | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Scranton Public Library ... ..  | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Senckenbergische Naturforschende Gesellschaft, Frank-furt ... ..          | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Shipping Index—Proprietors of the ... ..                                  | 1        | 4           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Smith, H. K. ... ..   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Smith, Dr. L. L. ... ..   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Smithsonian Institution ... ..  | 6        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Sociedade de Geographia de Lisboa ... ..                                  | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Societas pro fauna et flora Fennica ... ..                                | 8        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Société Hollandaise des Sciences Harlem ... ..                            | 3        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Society of Antiquaries, London ... ..                                     | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Society of Antiquaries of Newcastle-upon-Tyne ... ..                      | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Society of the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, New York ... ..              | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| South Africa—Government of ... ..   | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| South African Philosophical Society ... ..                                | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| South Kensington Museum ... ..  | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| South Australia—Government of ... ..                                      | 10       | 7           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| South Australian School of Mines and Industries ... ..                    | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Sport and Playgoer—Proprietors of the ... ..                              | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 30           |
| Star (Sydney)—Proprietors of the ... ..                                   | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 156          |
| Stuart, H. A. ... ..  | ...      | 3           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Snu (Sydney)—Proprietors of the ... ..                                    | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 156          |
| Surveyor—Proprietors of the ... ..  | 3        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Sveriges Offentliga Bibliotek, Stockholm ... ..                           | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Sydney Mail—Proprietors of the ... ..                                     | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 52           |
| Sydney Morning Herald—Proprietors of the ... ..                           | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 313          |
| Table Talk—Proprietors of ... ..  | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 52           |
| Tasmania—Government of ... ..   | 10       | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Tasmanian Licensed Victuallers' Gazette—Proprietors of the ... ..         | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Tasmanian Mail—Proprietors of the ... ..                                  | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 52           |
| Technological Museum, New South Wales ... ..                              | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Texas State Historical Association ... ..                                 | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Teyler's Stichting, Harlem ... ..   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Thistle—Proprietors of the ... ..   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Tocumwal Guardian—Proprietors of the ... ..                               | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 51           |
| Tonic Sol-fa College, London ... ..                                       | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Toronto Public Library ... ..   | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Toronto University ... ..   | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Towa and Country Journal—Proprietors of the ... ..                        | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 52           |
| Twofold Bay Magnet—Proprietors of the ... ..                              | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 34           |
| Union Defence League, London ... ..                                       | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| United States—Government of the ... ..                                    | 527      | 186         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| United States National Museum ... ..                                      | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Universität Leipzig ... ..  | 2        | 2           | ...             | ...   | ...          |

## SCHEDULE 5—continued.

| Donor.  | Volumes. | Pamph-lets. | Miscel-laneous. | Maps. | News-papers. |
|---|----------|-------------|-----------------|-------|--------------|
| Universität, Rostock ... ..                               | ...      | 2           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Université, Egyptienne ... ..                             | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| University of Adelaide ... ..                             | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| University of Cincinnati ... ..                           | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| University of Melbourne ... ..                            | 5        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| University of Sydney ... ..                               | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| University of Tasmania ... ..                             | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Uppsala University ... ..                                 | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Uruguay—Government of ... ..                              | 4        | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Verein für Naturkunde, Cassel ... ..                      | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Verein für Naturwissenschaft, Braunschweig ... ..         | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Verein für Vaterländische Naturkunde, Württemberg ... ..  | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Victoria—Government of ... ..                             | 56       | 25          | ...             | 7     | ...          |
| Victorian Institute of Engineers ... ..                   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Volker Museum, Frankfurt ... ..                           | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Walch and Sous ... ..                                     | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Weekly Courier—Proprietors of the ... ..                  | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 53           |
| Weekly Times—Proprietors of the ... ..                    | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 52           |
| Western Australia—Government of ... ..                    | 23       | 1           | ...             | 3     | ...          |
| West Australian—Proprietors of the ... ..                 | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 310          |
| Western Australia—Chamber of Mines ... ..                 | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| West Australian Mining Journal ... ..                     | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| West Australian Record—Proprietors of the ... ..          | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 56           |
| Western Mail—Proprietors of the ... ..                    | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 53           |
| Western Pacific Herald—Proprietors of the ... ..          | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 103          |
| Whitehead, J. ... ..                                      | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Whitley, T. ... ..  | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Wickepin Argus—Proprietors of the ... ..                  | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 7            |
| Wide Bay and Burnett News—Proprietor of the ... ..        | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 156          |
| Wild River Times—Proprietors of the ... ..                | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 50           |
| Wilkinson, W. P. ... ..                                   | 13       | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Windsor (Canada) Public Library ... ..                    | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Wine Trade Review—Proprietors of the ... ..               | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Wisconsin Natural History Society ... ..                  | 3        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Worcester Public Library ... ..                           | ...      | 1           | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Worker—Proprietors of the ... ..                          | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 137          |
| Working Men's College, Melbourne ... ..                   | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Yass Courier—Proprietor of the ... ..                     | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 104          |
| Zeehan and Dundas Herald—Proprietor of ... ..             | ...      | ...         | ...             | ...   | 307          |
| Zeeuwsch Genootschap der Wetenschappen, Middleburg ... .. | 1        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Zion's Watch Tower—Proprietors of ... ..                  | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |
| Zionistische Organization ... ..                          | 2        | ...         | ...             | ...   | ...          |

## II.—THE LENDING LIBRARY.

The number of books issued was less than in the previous year, the difference being mainly accounted for by the reduced number of works of fiction that were lent during the year. There was a steady increase shown in the issue of works on history, and in the section classed as Useful Arts. The number of volumes issued was 167,445, whilst the number for the previous year reached a total of 177,996. The number of borrowers enrolled was 9,414 as against 9,692 for the year 1909.

The number of volumes bound and repaired during the year was 1,198, at a cost of £164 9s. 3d. At the yearly stocktaking, only two books were found to be missing. This is a very satisfactory record considering that the Library was used by more than 9,000 borrowers. In referring to the small loss in this respect last year, the newspapers were inclined to attribute it to the higher tone of morality amongst the public. This may be so, but a probable factor is the better supervision that is possible in the present building than was possible in the former Lending Library.

TABLE SHOWING THE ADDITIONS TO THE LENDING LIBRARY DURING THE YEAR 1910.

| Mode of Acquisition. |     |     |     |     |     |     |       | No. of Volumes. | Value.  |
|----------------------|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-------|-----------------|---------|
| Purchase             | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 2,055 | £ 595 11 0      |         |
| Donation             | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3     | 0 10 0          |         |
| Total                |     |     |     |     |     |     |       | 2,058           | 596 1 0 |

\* Includes 897 copies to replace worn-out books.

TABLE SHOWING THE NUMBER OF BOOKS IN THE LENDING LIBRARY ON 31ST DECEMBER, 1910, AND THE NUMBER BORROWED DURING 1910.

| Subject.                      | No. of Volumes in the Library. | No. of Volumes Borrowed. | Percentage of Books Lent. |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|
| 0. General works of reference | 109                            | 94                       | 05                        |
| 1. Philosophy                 | 761                            | 3,223                    | 1.02                      |
| 2. Religion                   | 1,851                          | 4,994                    | 2.97                      |
| 3. Sociology                  | 2,264                          | 6,258                    | 3.70                      |
| 4. Philology                  | 144                            | 560                      | 0.33                      |
| 5. Natural Science            | 1,720                          | 8,207                    | 4.88                      |
| 6. Useful Arts                | 2,683                          | 15,246                   | 9.05                      |
| 7. Fine Arts                  | 1,274                          | 7,689                    | 4.53                      |
| 8. Literature                 | 3,762                          | 15,836                   | 9.37                      |
| 9. History                    | 8,072                          | 20,337                   | 18.13                     |
| Fiction                       | 5,081                          | 75,001                   | 44.99                     |
|                               | 27,721                         | 167,445                  | ...                       |

## III.—TRAVELLING LIBRARIES.

## BOOKS LENT TO MECHANICS' INSTITUTES AND FREE LIBRARIES, 1910.

| Name of Institute                                     | No. of Volumes Lent. | Name of Institute.                                    | No. of Volumes Lent. |
|---|----------------------|---|----------------------|
| Amphitheatre Free Library ...                         | 95                   | Brought forward ...                                   | 4,096                |
| Ararat Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 50                   | Lancefield Free Library ...                           | 190                  |
| Avoca Free Library ...                                | 55                   | Lang Lang Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 50                   |
| Ballan Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 87                   | Lower Gellibrand Library ...                          | 48                   |
| Becac Public Library ...                              | 183                  | Macclesfield Mechanics' Institute ...                 | 96                   |
| Beechworth Free Library ...                           | 98                   | Maldon Athenæum ...                                   | 98                   |
| Bendigo School of Mines ...                           | 89                   | Meeniyah Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 97                   |
| Birregurra Mechanics' Institute ...                   | 47                   | Monbulk Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 195                  |
| Blackwood Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 90                   | Mooroopna Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 194                  |
| Bilgolong Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 52                   | Mortlake Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 91                   |
| Brighton Free Library ...                             | 97                   | Narracan Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 46                   |
| Brother Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ...     | 95                   | Narrawong Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ...   | 189                  |
| Bulu Bulu Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 96                   | Nhill Free Library ...                                | 200                  |
| Bunyip Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 99                   | Numurkah Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 189                  |
| Byaduk Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 97                   | Orbost Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 199                  |
| Calivil Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 98                   | Ormond Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 201                  |
| Camperdown Mechanics' Institute ...                   | 142                  | Pomona Progress Association ...                       | 97                   |
| Carrum North Free Library ...                         | 105                  | Port Melbourne Free Library ...                       | 192                  |
| Chiltern Athenæum and Free Library ...                | 93                   | Portland Free Library ...                             | 139                  |
| Coblen Free Library ...                               | 52                   | Quambatook Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ...  | 100                  |
| Cobram Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 92                   | Ringwood Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ...    | 185                  |
| Colac Free Library ...                                | 95                   | Romsey Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 274                  |
| Cowes Free Library ...                                | 94                   | Rosebud Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 94                   |
| Croydon Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 237                  | Rutherglen Public Library ...                         | 280                  |
| Dandenong Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 89                   | Sandringham Institute and Free Library ...            | 191                  |
| Dixie Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ...       | 52                   | Shepparton Free Public Library ...                    | 183                  |
| Drouin West Mechanics' Institute ...                  | 50                   | Smeaton Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 97                   |
| Ellerslie Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 92                   | Stanley Athenæum ...                                  | 94                   |
| Ebuhurst Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 49                   | Sunshine Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 186                  |
| Emerald Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 96                   | Talbot Public Library ...                             | 44                   |
| Garvoc Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 95                   | Tallygaroopna Mechanics' Institute ...                | 47                   |
| Geelong East Free Library ...                         | 190                  | Tatura Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 100                  |
| Geelong West Free Library ...                         | 93                   | Violet Town Mechanics' Institute ...                  | 91                   |
| Glen Thompson Mechanics' Institute ...                | 49                   | Warrnambool Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ... | 191                  |
| Hamilton Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ...    | 89                   | Webster's Hill Free Library ...                       | 48                   |
| Healesville Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ... | 96                   | Welshpool Mechanics' Institute ...                    | 197                  |
| Heidelberg Public Library ...                         | 184                  | Womerah Mechanics' Institute and Free Library ...     | 50                   |
| Horsham Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 98                   | Woodend Mechanics' Institute ...                      | 182                  |
| Illowa Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 98                   | Wycheproof Mechanics' Institute ...                   | 57                   |
| Jallukar Free Library ...                             | 106                  | Yarragon Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 184                  |
| Kew Literary Institute and Free Library ...           | 184                  | Yarram Mechanics' Institute ...                       | 56                   |
| Kinglake Mechanics' Institute ...                     | 48                   | Yarrowonga Mechanics' Institute ...                   | 196                  |
| Carried forward ...                                   | 4,096                | Total ...   | 9,734                |

There is a steady demand for cases of books as shown by the above list, and the policy of endeavouring to supply a few recent standard works suitable to the needs of any particular district has met with appreciation.

E. LA T. ARMSTRONG,  
Chief Librarian.

## NATIONAL GALLERY.

The National Gallery,  
Melbourne, 21st March, 1911.

Sir,—

I have the honour to submit to you the following report on the work of the National Gallery for the year 1910:—

During the year, in all, £9,940 12s. has been expended on additions to the Art collections, of which sum all except £31 7s. was supplied by the Felton Bequest Funds. This is the largest annual expenditure in the history of the Gallery, with the exception of that in 1888, when the total reached over £12,000.

It will be observed that out of this sum £1,957 3s. was expended upon the work of Australian artists. Of the gross amount, only £72 6s. was spent upon objects for the Art Museum, which reads a little like the "half-pennyworth of bread to this intolerable deal of sack," in Falstaff's reckoning at the "Garter Inn."

The number of students in the painting classes was 21 in the first term, and 21 in the second. In the drawing classes, there were 42 males and 54 females in the first term; and 49 males and 59 females in the second.

I enclose a list of awards made by the gentlemen appointed to act as judges at the Students' Annual Exhibition, while the accompanying schedules give full particulars of the permanent additions and loans made to the collection during the year.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

L. BERNARD HALL,

Director of the National Gallery.

To the President of the Trustees.

National Gallery,  
14th December, 1910.

Gentlemen,—

We have much pleasure in submitting the list of awards in connexion with the Students' competition for this year. We consider the exhibition, as a whole, a marked improvement upon that of last year.

Esther Paterson was awarded first place for a carefully executed Still Life painting, decidedly the most satisfactory of those exhibited. C. W. Honey was again awarded first place for painting the figure from the nude, E. Singleton being placed second for a carefully executed study which suffered somewhat from the character of its flesh-colour. The study which, in our opinion, stands out as the best piece of work in the collection, is the full-length drawing from life by L. McCubbin. The character and quality of this study impressed us as excellent. The one study in monochrome shown is, perhaps, equal to the average of previous years.

We are,

Yours faithfully,

P. M. CAREW SMYTH.

A. PATTERSON.

ALBERT ENES.

The Trustees,

Public Library, Museums, and National Gallery of Victoria,  
Melbourne.

## PRIZE LIST STUDENTS' EXHIBITION.

|                                    |     |     |     |  |
|------------------------------------|-----|-----|-----|--|
| Antique School—                    |     |     |     |  |
| Hand and Foot                      | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Miss Mary Allen<br>2. A. Hodgetts.                                    |
| Head                               | ... | ... | ... | { 1. N. W. Major.<br>2. Chris. Murray.                                     |
| Anatomical Figure                  | ... | ... | ... | { 1. J. M. Patterson.<br>2. Kay Edmunds.                                   |
| Antique Figure                     | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Miss M. Sowden.<br>2. Miss R. Trumble.                                |
| Antique Figure (Painting Students) | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Miss C. W. Honey.<br>2. Miss G. M. Stanley.                           |
| Painting and Life School—          |     |     |     |  |
| Hands and Feet                     | ... | ..  | ... | { 1. L. McCubbin.<br>2. Granville Dunstan.                                 |
| Drawing Head from Life             | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Granville Dunstan.<br>2. Miss Bird Thomson.                           |
| Drawing Full Figure from Life      | ... | ... | ... | { 1. L. McCubbin.<br>2. Laurie Tayler.                                     |
| Still Life                         | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Miss Esther Paterson.<br>2. R. W. Sturgess.                           |
| Monochrome                         | ... | ..  | ... | { 1. Miss Esther Paterson.   |
| Head from Life (painting)          | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Miss Olave Anderson.<br>2. Miss Olave Anderson.                       |
| Portrait Study                     | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Laurie Tayler.<br>2. Miss C. W. Honey.<br>3. Miss J. I. Marshall.     |
| Painting Full Figure from Nude     | ... | ... | ... | { 1. Miss C. W. Honey.<br>2. Miss E. Singleton.<br>3. Miss J. I. Marshall. |

## SCHEDULE I.

## PURCHASES MADE DURING THE YEAR 1910.

| Name of Artist.          | Name of Picture.                                  | How acquired.     | Price.    |
|--------------------------|---|-------------------|-----------|
| OIL PAINTINGS.           |   |                   | £ s. d.   |
| Wilkie, Sir David ..     | "The Gentle Shepherd" .. ..                       | Felton Bequest .. | 30 0 0    |
| Moore, Henry, R.A. ..    | "Outside the Harbour" .. ..                       | " .. ..           | 200 0 0   |
| Wilson, Richard, R.A. .. | "Lake Nemi" .. ..                                 | " .. ..           | 85 0 0    |
| Charles, James ..        | "Milking Time" .. ..                              | " .. ..           | 400 0 0   |
| Lepage, Bastien ..       | "Les Bergers" (The Annunciation to the Shepherds) | " .. ..           | 1,365 0 0 |
| Chavannes, Purvis de ..  | "L'Hiver" (Winter) .. ..                          | " .. ..           | 2,000 0 0 |
| Latour, H. Fantin ..     | "La Source" .. ..                                 | " .. ..           | 120 0 0   |
| Delacroix, E. ..         | "Confession du Giaour" .. ..                      | " .. ..           | 180 0 0   |
| Streeton, Arthur ..      | "Sydney Harbour" .. ..                            | " .. ..           | 262 10 0  |
| Laubert, George W. ..    | "Lotty and the Lady" .. ..                        | " .. ..           | 210 0 0   |
| Watteau, Jean Antoine .. | "Les Jaloux" .. ..                                | " .. ..           | 3,000 0 0 |
| Wheeler, C. ..           | "The Poem" .. ..                                  | " .. ..           | 250 0 0   |
| WATER COLOUR DRAWINGS.   |   |                   |           |
| Hunt, William ..         | "The Industrious Pupil" .. ..                     | Felton Bequest .. | 42 0 0    |
| Swau, J. M., R.A. ..     | "The Leopard's Siesta" .. ..                      | " .. ..           | 52 10 0   |
| Bonington, R. P. ..      | "The Waggon" .. ..                                | " .. ..           | 239 0 0   |
| Swau, J. M., R.A. ..     | "A Lioness Resting" .. ..                         | " .. ..           | 60 15 0   |

PURCHASES MADE DURING THE YEAR 1910—*continued.*

| Name of Artist.            | Name of Picture.  | How acquired.             | Price.  |
|----------------------------|---|---------------------------|---|
| MINIATURE PAINTINGS.       |   |                           | £ s. d.                                       |
| Smart, John .. ..          | Portrait of Lord Carteret (afterwards Earl Granville), Minister of the Crown. Reign of George II., signed J.S., and dated 1766      | Felton Bequest ..         | 63 0 0  |
| .. ..                      | Portrait of Lord Carteret's daughter, signed J.S., and dated 1766   | .. ..                     |   |
| Norriss, Bess, R.M.S. ..   | "Judie" .. ..   | .. ..                     | 15 15 0                                       |
| .. ..                      | "Coralie" .. ..   | .. ..                     | 18 18 0                                       |
| PENCIL DRAWING.            |   |                           |   |
| Swan, J. M., R.A. ..       | "A Lion Walking" .. ..  | Felton Bequest ..         | 36 15 0                                       |
| JAPANESE COLOUR PRINTS.    |   |                           |   |
| Hiroshige and Utamaro ..   | Thirty-six Prints .. ..   | Felton Bequest ..         | 37 3 0  |
| STEEL ENGRAVING.           |   |                           |   |
| Scotin, G. .. ..           | After Picture by J. A. Watteau, "Les Jaloux"  | Felton Bequest ..         | Included in purchase of picture, "Les Jaloux" |
| STATUARY.                  |   |                           |   |
| Mackennal, Bertram, A.R.A. | "Circe." Bronze statue ..   | Felton Bequest ..         | 1,200 0 0                                     |
| FURNITURE.                 |   |                           |   |
|                            | Sheraton Cupboard .. ..   | Felton Bequest ..         | 11 11 0                                       |
|                            | William and Mary Mirror .. ..   | .. ..                     | 29 8 0  |
| METAL WORK.                |   |                           |   |
|                            | Battle Axe, with (hammer) armour-breaker, 16th and 17th Century   | Purchased by the Trustees | 4 0 0   |
|                            | Short Sword, English, of the time of Henry VIII., saw-back, inscribed "Johannes Hoppie" on one side, and "Feit London" on the other | .. ..                     | 4 0 0   |
|                            | Sword, Spanish, about 1588 ..   | .. ..                     | 2 15 0  |
|                            | Thumbikin or Thumbscrew, about time of James II., 1688, brass   | .. ..                     | 1 10 0  |
|                            | Hunting Sword, silver-mounted, 18th century, French or German   | .. ..                     | 5 0 0   |
|                            | Lady's Spur, Elizabethan period ..  | .. ..                     | 1 0 0   |
|                            | Leith Battle-axe, Period of Flodden (16th century)  | .. ..                     | 6 0 0   |
|                            | Small Spontoon or Spear Head, 16th century, screw plug tang   | .. ..                     | 0 17 0  |
|                            | Spear Head, about 16th century, round plug tang   | .. ..                     | 0 15 0  |
|                            | Court Sword, Spanish, 16th or early 17th century  | .. ..                     | 3 0 0   |
|                            | Long Sword, antique blade with armourer's marks (hilt restored)   | .. ..                     | 2 10 0  |

SCHEDULE II.  
DONATIONS MADE DURING THE YEAR 1910.

| Description.   | Name of Donor.  |
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| OIL PAINTING.  |   |
| Portrait of James Smith, by Robert Dowling .. ..   | Mrs. Smith  |
| STATUARY.  |   |
| Marble Bust of Sir Archibald Michie, by Charles Summers ..   | Sir Thomas a'Beckett                                      |
| Marble Group—"Tragedy enveloping Comedy," by Bertram Mackennal, A.R.A., Pedestal executed by C. Web Gilbert  | Mrs. Brough-Bell  |
| CERAMICS.  |   |
| Bowl, porcelain, manufactured in the Imperial Chinese kiln in the reign of Emperor Kin-Loong, A.D. 1736-1796, style used exclusively by members of the Imperial family                             | Consul-General for China                                  |
| STATUETTES.  |   |
| Image of Hindu God Sri Krishna, brass. Found in the ruins of Chandra Mera in one of the donor's estates in Bengal, and supposed to be worshipped by the Raja Chandraketa early in the 16th century | His Highness the Rajah Kumar<br>Nawab Shyama Kumar Tagore |
| Image of Badha (Sri Krishna's Consort), brass. Found and worshipped as above   | " " " "   |
| Image of Chaitannya, the great religious reformer. Born in Bengal more than 400 years ago, brass. Found and worshipped as above  | " " " "   |
| NUMISMATICS.   |   |
| Medal in commemoration of the Tercentenary of the Founding of Quebec by Champlain. Crown H. IV. Crown E. VII.  | National Battlefields Commission                          |

SCHEDULE III.

First Picture—Study from the Nude, painted by Miss Constance Jenkins, under the terms of the Travelling Scholarship awarded to her in 1908.

SCHEDULE IV.  
LOANS TO THE GALLERY DURING THE YEAR 1910.

| Description.  | By whom Lent.  |
|---|--|
| OIL PAINTINGS.  |  |
| Portrait of His Majesty King Edward VII., copy of the portrait by Sir Luke Fildes, R.A. | Government of Victoria   |
| Portrait of Her Majesty Queen Alexandra, copy of the portrait by Sir Luke Fildes, R.A.  | " "  |
| Landscape (title unknown), by Charles Conder .. ..                                      | Dr. Felix Meyer  |
| BLACK AND WHITE DRAWING (PENCIL).   |  |
| Two Heads, by Adolf von Menzel .. ..  | W. Schmidt   |
| MINIATURE.  |  |
| Portrait of R. W. Elliston, about 1820, artist unknown ..                               | Lieut.-Col. E. C. Elliston   |
| STATUARY.   |  |
| Bronze Statuette, "Salome," by Bertram Mackennal, A.R.A.                                | Dr. Felix Meyer  |
| NUMISMATICS AND CURIOS.   |  |
| 19 Greek Coins .. ..  | His Excellency the Governor, Sir<br>Thomas Gibson Carmichael, Bart.,<br>K.C.M.G. |
| Collection of Art Curios, &c., 143 pieces .. ..   | " " " "  |
| Seals, &c., 25 pieces .. ..   | " " " "  |



## SCHEDULE V.

## LOANS BY THE GALLERY DURING THE YEAR 1910.

| Description.  | To whom Lent.                                      |
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| OIL PAINTING.   |  |
| On the Ice, Stockholm, by P. W. Cedergren.. ..                            | Beechworth Free Public Library<br>and Burke Museum |
| Memories of the First Palm Sunday, by Edith Courtauld ..                  | " " " "  |
| WATER COLOUR DRAWINGS.  |  |
| One of the Falls on the Apsley, by C. Martens .. ..                       | Beechworth Free Public Library<br>and Burke Museum |
| The Nephew, by Provaggi .. ..   | " " " "  |
| Boscastle Harbour, by W. Severn .. ..                                     | City Council of Prahran                            |
| Windsor Castle, by D. Law .. ..   | " "  |
| Corrie Echen, by F. M. Richardson .. ..                                   | " "  |
| Death of Jean Goujon, by E. H. Weluert .. ..                              | " "  |
| Flower Painting, by Mrs. E. Rowan .. ..                                   | " "  |
| Admiral Blake, blockading Royalist Fleet, by Sir O. W. Brierly,<br>R.W.S. | " "  |

## PUBLIC LIBRARY, MUSEUMS, AND NATIONAL GALLERY OF VICTORIA.

Industrial and Technological Museum,

Melbourne, 17th February, 1911.

*To the Chairman, Industrial and Technological Museum.*

SIR,

I have little to report in connexion with the Museum for the year 1910.

My work of examining and reporting upon minerals submitted for determination has been continued during the year, and the facilities for gaining such information have been availed of by the public to a considerable extent.

Frequent inquiries have been made in regard to certain exhibits, and, although I have given such opportunities for inspection as were possible, many regrets have been expressed that the collections should continue to be stored in the basements, and almost wholly inaccessible to the public.

The storage of the specimens in the basement, although carried out with due care, necessarily renders the objects liable to deterioration, through the want of access to them. The danger grows with time, and it is most desirable that they should be removed to better quarters as soon as possible.

I wish to express the sincere hope that the scheme submitted by me to the Trustees in 1908, but since left in abeyance, will again be seriously considered as a basis upon which to reconstruct the institution, and that steps will be taken without further delay to carry out such recommendations as may be adopted. Meanwhile, as the new library building is within measurable distance of completion, it would be decidedly advantageous to consider the question of utilizing the present reading room for the Museum, pending the acquisition of more suitable premises, so that preparations may be well in hand when the rooms are vacated, in the event of this course being decided upon.

To one having the interests of the institution at heart, the unsatisfactory position of our Museum is very discouraging. In notable contrast is the Sydney Museum, which is highly spoken of as a live and active concern, undoubtedly serving as a valuable agent in aiding the development of the natural resources of the country and in the general scheme of technical education adopted in New South Wales.

The schedule of donations for the year is attached.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. HENRY WALCOTT,

Curator.

## DONATIONS FOR THE YEAR 1910.

| Donor.   | Description.  |
|--|---|
| New South Wales: Department of Mines and Agriculture     | <i>Agricultural Gazette</i> of New South Wales, Vol. 20 (Index), 21                 |
| Smithsonian Institution, Washington                      | Report on the United States National Museum, 1908-9                                 |
| South Australia: Department of Mines                     | Review of Mining Operations, Nos. 11, 12  |
| South Australia: Public Library, Museum, and Art Gallery | Report of Board of Governors for 1908-9   |
| Technological Museum, Sydney..                           | Annual Reports for 1908, 1909   |
| Twentyman, H. . . . .                                    | Delta Metal Lathing   |
| Victoria: Department of Agriculture                      | <i>The Journal of the Department of Agriculture of Victoria</i> , Vol. 7 (Index), 8 |

## NATIONAL MUSEUM.

To the President,  
National Museum, Melbourne,  
29th March, 1911.

SIR,

I have the honour to forward herewith reports from the Curators of the Zoological, Mineralogical, Geological, and Ethnological Departments for the year 1910.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Yours, &c.,  
W. BALDWIN SPENCER,  
Hon. Director.

## REPORT ON THE ZOOLOGICAL DEPARTMENT.

National Museum, 21st February, 1911.

To the Director, National Museum.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit the following report, dealing with the Zoological Department for the year 1910:—

The condition of the collections, both on exhibition and in the reference rooms, continues very satisfactory. The usual regular examinations have been continued, and all suspicious cases quarantined.

In the Australian Hall, which abuts on Russell-street, the excessive amount of dust has been a cause of annoyance for some time. This is especially noticeable in the gallery, where it penetrates the wall cases to the detriment of the specimens, and necessitates the frequent cleaning of the glass shelves. A cover over the large ventilators opening into the street would, no doubt, prevent this trouble.

Attention is further directed to the altogether inadequate lighting of the gallery in this hall during the winter months, which renders this portion of the building almost useless to the public. This could be overcome to some extent by the use of the electric light above and below the gallery.

The reference and duplicate collections of foreign mammals having outgrown the accommodation provided, the store room on the top floor has been fitted up for the larger Ungulates. During the rearrangement of the collection, the opportunity was taken to properly catalogue the specimens. The extra space obtained will meet our requirements for some years.

During the year several new cases were constructed for special exhibits. One of these will contain a large group of squirrels, and another the New Zealand Kiwi, or Apteryx, arranged with their natural surroundings. These will be ready for exhibition early in the year.

The old wall case containing the foreign sea birds has been replaced by one of the new type.

An interesting group of the Japanese Giant Spider Crabs (*Macrochelia kamptera*), which had been stored in the basement for some years, was placed on exhibition, and has attracted much attention. This is believed to be the largest Crustacean in existence, sometimes spanning from tip to tip of the outstretched foremost limbs as much as 11 feet. Our largest specimen measures nearly 10 feet.

The mounting of the skeleton of the Indian Elephant "Rance" was completed, and it was placed in the centre of the main hall, adjacent to the stuffed specimen; while still another valuable addition is the skeleton of the celebrated race horse "Redleap," which died at Bacchus Marsh. The skeleton was presented to the Museum by the owner of "Redleap," Mr. Albert Miller.

These additions necessitated a rearrangement of several of the large cases in the main hall, which can now be seen to better advantage.

A considerable improvement has been made in the general collection of birds, by re-grouping and mounting them on the new type of stands. In many instances this has effected a saving of space, and has permitted of some additional species being shown. There are, however, a large number of birds already mounted in the store rooms which cannot be shown owing to want of space.

The large additions made to the collection of Australian eggs during the last few years has rendered it necessary to rearrange them so as to incorporate the additional species. Frequent use is made of this collection by the public.

As mentioned in my report for last year, a representative collection of Australian Insects is being prepared for exhibition in the gallery of the Australian hall. The need of such an exhibition has long been recognised, but until recently no suitable space was available. The specimens are being arranged in a series of airtight cases, which will be provided with suitable covers to exclude the light. The general collection arranged in the cabinets will still be available to students. Very satisfactory progress has been made in the rearrangement of this latter collection, which is being carried out by Mr. Spry, under my personal supervision. The work, involving, as it does, the handling, re-labelling, and resetting of many thousands of very delicate specimens, has been necessarily slow, but this is more than compensated for by the marked improvement made. During the past year much more use has been made of the collection for purposes of reference by specialists, especially from the other States, than for many years past. We are again indebted to Messrs. A. M. Lea, H. J. Carter, and other well-known entomologists for valuable assistance and donations of specimens in special sections.

In my report for last year, mention was made of the facilities afforded to the Education Department for obtaining photographs of all the species of Victorian birds in the Museum, for the purpose of illustrating a book on the subject. This has been continued throughout the past year. As it was further decided to publish a series of coloured illustrations of a number of the birds, permission was given the artist to do the work in the Museum, where both the specimens and the Museum library were made available.

During the year I visited the Capricorn Group of Islands, off the Queensland coast, in conjunction with members of the Royal Australasian Ornithologists' Union. In accordance with your request, I devoted my attention chiefly to marine zoology, and succeeded in obtaining a large amount of material for the Museum collections. On my return journey, I devoted a few days to the sub-tropical scrubs on the mainland, where further specimens were obtained, a number of which have proved to be new to our collection.

In December last, I visited the Hopkins River, near Warrnambool, and was fortunate in securing a number of photographs of young eels (*cleers*) in the act of climbing the vertical rocks at the falls. The migration of eels in Australia has been a subject of considerable interest in Victoria for some years, and, I believe, these photographs are the first of the kind obtained in Australia. The results of my investigations have recently been published in the Journal of the Field Naturalists' Club of Victoria.

The taxidermists and articulator have been kept busy throughout the year. In addition to the usual examination of the collections, and the mounting of the elephant skeleton already referred to, eighty mammal skins and one hundred and seventy-seven skeletons or parts were prepared, and four stuffed. Of birds, twenty-six skins and seven skeletons or parts were prepared, and twelve stuffed.

Among the donations received are a number deserving of special mention. Of these, seven types and five cotypes of Australian and Gilbert Island Polyzoa were received from Mr. C. M. Maplestone, together with some fine examples of *Cellepora verticalis* from South Australia. Five cotypes of Australian *coleoptera* from Mr. C. French, and seven cotypes of Australian and Tasmanian *coleoptera* from Mr. A. M. Lea. From Mr. H. Quiney, of Mortlake, were received two living specimens of young Platypus (*Ornithorhynchus anatinus*), obtained from a Platypus burrow in the Western district. These latter are of special interest, as, although this Museum is the fortunate possessor of two eggs, these are the first examples of the young yet received.

Mr. J. A. Leach, M. Sc., donated a fine specimen of the Yellow-webbed Storm Petrel (*Oceanites oceanica*), obtained near Geelong, a species not previously represented in the collection.

From the Director of Fisheries, Mr. H. C. Dannevig, was received a collection of fishes, &c., obtained by the Commonwealth trawler *Endeavour* in Bass Strait.

Among the donations received from the Council of the Royal Zoological and Acclimatisation Society of Victoria may be mentioned: Polar Bear (*Ursus maritimus*); Hog Deer (*Cervus porcinus*), Pigmy deer (*Tragulid meminna*), Fox, albino (*Canis vulpes*), Coypu (*Myocaster coypu*), Tree Kangaroo (*Dendrolagus lumholtzi*), Viscacha (*Lagostomus trichodactylus*), &c.

By purchase were received, among others, a fine example of the Sun Fish (*Mola mola*), which was captured at St. Kilda. This has since been stuffed, and will be placed in the Australian gallery. Several living specimens of the almost extinct Bass Strait Wombat (*Phasciolomys ursinus*), described in the latest issue of the Memoirs of the Museum, were also acquired, as well as an example of Grant's Bird of Paradise (*Paradisaea grantii*), and a number of valuable additions to our Queensland Lepidoptera.

By exchange were received eight cotypes of Northern Queensland marine shells from Mr. C. J. Gabriel.

The accompanying schedules show the additions to the collections during the year.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

JAS. A. KERSHAW,

Curator of the Zoological Collections.

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NATIONAL MUSEUM.—REPORT ON THE GEOLOGICAL, MINERALOGICAL,  
AND ETHNOLOGICAL COLLECTIONS.

To the Director of the National Museum.

National Museum,

14th February, 1911.

SIR,

I have the honour to submit the Annual Report on the above sections for the year 1910:—

MINERALOGICAL AND GEOLOGICAL COLLECTIONS.

In regard to the Mineralogical collections, an additional show case was constructed, on an improved pattern to those in use, for the display of large, attractive specimens, to accommodate similar specimens which had been accumulating for some time past.

Labelling is being slowly carried on, as opportunity offers, and the above collections, including gems and ornamental stones, are now practically complete in this respect.

For the purpose of making the Victorian rock collection more instructive, it has been split into two sections, one classified stratigraphically, and now properly arranged and labelled; and the other classified lithologically, but, pending the acquisition of a representative set of some of our igneous rocks, still in an unfinished condition. It is proposed to add to the former of these sections a general label for each stratigraphical division, giving on an outline map of the State the geographical distribution, besides a list of the characteristic fossils and principal kinds of rocks.

The balance of the Victorian rock specimens not required for exhibition, as well as specimens from other Australian localities, have been placed in cabinets in the mineral gallery, where they are readily accessible, if required. All the duplicate foreign rocks, of which we possess a great number, are now stored in boxes in the basement.

The collection of structural geology is being added to from time to time, but some specimens desired to illustrate specific features are most difficult to obtain, even by one in the field. During a visit to the country I was glad to be able to secure a number of specimens required to form the nucleus of a set showing the weathering of rocks. We were fortunate in obtaining also for this collection some very fine examples of ripple-marked sandstone from Salt Creek, near Woorndoo, for which, as mentioned in the previous year's report, we were greatly indebted to Mr. H. Quiney, of Mortlake.

The photographic enlargements illustrative of certain geological structures were augmented by six, taken from negatives kindly lent to us for the purpose by Dr. T. S. Hall.

The physical relief map of Victoria, for many years exhibited in the old Technological Museum, but stored since the removal of that building, was placed on view, after being cleaned and repaired, and covered with glass to prevent injury from visitors.

Owing to the fact that Mr. Chapman had been making a palæontological examination of the cores from the bores put down in the Mallee by the Department of Agriculture, and at the request of the Department of Mines, our arrangement with the latter, concerning the determination of fossils, was varied, to enable our palæontologist to deal with the Tertiary material from the Sorrento bores, and also to further the work he had in hand in connexion with the Mallee material.

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Mr. F. Chapman reports upon the palæontological work of the year:—

A considerable amount of time during the year has been devoted to sorting, determining, and labelling the richly fossiliferous Tertiary sands and clays from the Mallee bores. The results are now being worked into a report, and will well repay this expenditure of labour, since the Museum fossil collection has been greatly enriched by the large and valuable series of smaller shells, many of which are still undescribed.

The labelling of the foreign fossils contained in the table cases in the gallery is now completed. This collection forms a valuable adjunct to the Australian fossil collection for purposes of general comparison of the southern with northern types. Several new legends and diagrams have been inserted in the exhibited collections, notably a legend descriptive of the Dodo.

The number of fossils registered during the year was 1,347, making a total of 11,984 determinations of exhibited specimens.

An unusually large number of determinations, dealing with 785 specimens, have been made for the public during 1910, many of the more important of which have been presented to the Museum.

Notable additions to the collections are, an almost unique example of *Ancylloceras flindersi*, the type specimen of which was named by Sir F. McCoy in 1867, and a fine example of *Nautilus hendersoni*, both from the Flinders River district, donated by Mr. J. S. Lyon; and also a choice collection of Tertiary fossils from Table Cape, obtained by purchase.

Official visits were paid to the Altona Bay colliery, and also to Sorrento, where a boring was put down by the Department of Mines. From the former locality a representative series of fossils was obtained, including a new species of molluscan shell. The Sorrento bore-cores are awaiting a detailed examination, a rapid survey having been taken to ascertain the nature of the Tertiary clays and sands passed through.

Some of the results arrived at in connexion with certain material obtained by members of the Shackleton Antarctic Expedition have been placed in Prof. David's hands. I have reported on "A New Species of Calcareous Algae from the Cambrian Limestone Breccia, from 85° S"; and have also described the fossil microzoa from raised beaches in the Antarctic (four reports).

The interesting series of Trilobite remains from the Dolodrook River, collected and presented by Mr. E. O. Thiele, has been studied, and described in a paper dealing with this Cambrian fauna, and read before the Royal Society of Victoria.

Owing to the unsatisfactory state of the recorded Tertiary species of the genus *Limopsis*, I have availed myself of the opportunity of examining and describing all the known types in our Tertiary strata, from the series in the Survey and Dennant collections in the National Museum. These results are embodied in a paper shortly to be published by the Royal Society.

A number of fossils have been examined and reported upon for the Department of Mines, and I have written reports on the following, now in the press :—

“On the Occurrence of *Scaldicetus* in Victoria.”

“Report on Silurian and Devonian Fossils from the Mitta Mitta District, N.E. Gippsland.”

“Report on Middle Devonian Fossils of the Buchan District.”

“Notes on Metamorphosed Limestones from near Casterton.”

The following palæontological papers on Museum material have been published by me during the year 1910 :—

“On the Microscopical Structure of an *Luoceramus* Limestone in the Queensland Cretaceous Rocks.” *Jour. R. Micr. Soc. Lond.*, pp. 1–4, pl. 1.

“New or Little-Known Victorian Fossils in the National Museum, Melbourne, Part X.—Some Palæozoic Worms and Crustacea.” *Proc. Roy. Soc. Vict.*, vol. XXII. (N.S.), pt. 2, pp. 101–112, pls. 27–29.

“New or Little-Known Victorian Fossils in the National Museum, Melbourne, Part XI.—On an Impression of a Bird’s Feather in the Tertiary Limestone of Redruth, Victoria.” *Ibid.*, vol. XXIII., pt. 1, pp. 21–26, pls. 4, 5.

“A Synopsis of the Silurian Fossils of South Yarra and the Yarra Improvement Works.” *Victorian Naturalist*, vol. XXVII., No. 4, pp. 63–70.

#### ETHNOLOGICAL COLLECTIONS.

We were fortunate in securing, by the liberality of Mr. G. R. Hill, a most interesting collection of about fifty articles manufactured by the natives of Northern Nigeria, and collected by his son, Mr. W. H. F. Hill, which had been lent to the Museum since September, 1909. In addition to this, Mr. W. H. F. Hill very kindly agreed to purchase on our behalf further examples of native workmanship from the same place, and these, to the number of nearly 200, were received last November. Temporary cases have been put up in a bay in the Ethnological Gallery to display a selection. Many of these specimens are now represented in the Museum for the first time.

Acquisitions to the general section of ethnology have now to be stored, neither case nor floor space permitting any further exhibition of specimens. It is to be hoped that the completion of the new Library Building will free space now otherwise occupied to provide for a more worthy and extensive display of this section.

The public collection of Australian ethnology has not been added to, but the reserve and duplicate specimens, especially in stone implements and erania, continue to increase rapidly. For this reason further facilities had to be provided for their accommodation, by the construction of racks, boxes, &c.

Mr. A. S. Kenyon, to whom the Museum has been largely indebted, very kindly proffered his services, in December, in regard to an expedition to the Koorong, South Australia, for the purpose of collecting ethnological and anthropological specimens. Mr. F. P. Spry accompanied Mr. Kenyon, and the search, though disappointing, was energetically prosecuted.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your obedient servant,

R. HENRY WALCOTT,

Curator of the Geological, Mineralogical and Ethnological Departments.

## SCHEDULE A.—DONATIONS TO THE NATIONAL MUSEUM DURING THE YEAR 1910.

## I.—Publications.

| Donor.  | Publications.  |
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| Académie des Sciences et Lettres de Montpellier                   | Bulletin Mensuel, 1909 (4), 1910 (1-7); Memoires, 2 ser. v. 4 (1, 2).  |
| Académie des Sciences, Inscriptions et Belles Lettres de Toulouse | Memoires, ser. 10, v. 8.   |
| Académie Impériale des Sciences de St. Petersburg                 | Bulletin, 1909 (16-18), 1910 (1-14); Annuaire du Musée Zoologique, v. 14 (3, 4, beil.), 15 (1, 2, beil.); Travaux du Musée Géologique de Pierre le Grand, v. 3 (2-4); Travaux du Musée Botanique, No. 7  |
| Academy of Natural Sciences, Philadelphia                         | Proc. v. 61 (2, 3), 62 (1)   |
| Auckland University College ..                                    | Calendar, 1910   |
| Australia, Commonwealth of ..                                     | Papua: Report for Year 1909-1910   |
| Australian Museum, Sydney ..                                      | Records, v. 7 (5), 8 (1); Memoirs, 4 (12)  |
| Bristol Museum and Art Gallery                                    | Report, 1910.  |
| California Academy of Sciences, San Francisco                     | Proc. 4 ser. v. 3 (pp. 49, 72)   |
| Cambridge Philosophical Society                                   | Proc. v. 15 (3-6); Trans. v. 21 (10-14)  |
| Cape Colony ..  | Marine Investigations in South Africa, v. 5  |
| Carnegie Institute, Pittsburg, U.S.A.                             | Founder's Day, 1910; Annals of Carnegie Museum, v. 5 (4), 6 (1); Memoirs of Carnegie Museum, v. 4 (4); 12th Annual Report of Director of Carnegie Museum   |
| Chapman, Fredk., National Museum                                  | New or Little-Known Victorian Fossils in the National Museum, Melbourne, pts. 1-10   |
| Chicago Academy of Sciences ..                                    | Bulletin, v. 3; Natural History Survey; Bulletin 7 (1)   |
| Cincinnati Museums Association                                    | 29th Annual Report; Art Exhibition Catalogues  |
| Colombo Museum ..   | Spolia Zeylanica, v. 6 (23-25)   |
| Comité de Patronage des Etudiants Étrangers, Paris                | French University Degrees, 2 ed.   |
| Connecticut Academy of Arts and Sciences                          | Trans. v. 14 (pp. 291-466), 16 (117-245)   |
| Conservatorium der Zoologischen Staatssammlung, Munich            | Beiträge zur Naturgeschichte Ostasiens: Japanische Antipatherien, J. Medusen, J. Cephaloden, J. Pennatuliden; Kenntnis der Gattung Anthomastus verr; Ostasiatische Stomatopoden. Beiträge zur Herpetologie Kameruns; Bericht über eine von Dr. E. Zugmayer in Chinesisch-Turkestan, Westtibet und Kaschmir, zusammengebrachte Vogelsammlung. Verhandlung der Ornithologischen Gesellschaft in Bayern, v. 9 |
| Dominion Museum, Wellington, N.Z.                                 | Hand List of Birds inhabiting New Zealand, &c.; Hand List of New Zealand Lepidoptera, pts. 1, 2  |
| Dyson, A, Northcote ..  | Journal of an Overland Expedition in Australia from Moreton Bay to Port Essington, Leichardt   |
| Edinburgh Geological Society ..                                   | Trans. v. 9 (special part)   |
| Field Naturalists' Club of Victoria, Melbourne                    | Victorian Naturalist, v. 26 (9-12), 27 (1-18)  |
| Fulton, Sydney W., Purnong Landing, S.A.                          | Annual Report of Otago Institute, 1908-9   |
| Geelong Field Naturalists' Club                                   | Geelong Naturalist, 2 ser. v. 4 (2, 3)   |
| Geological Institution, University of Uppsala                     | Bulletin, v. 9, 10; Index to vols. 1-10  |
| Guatemala: Government of ..                                       | Guia del Immigrante; Minerva en America, address by J. C. Chocano  |
| Hornell, Jas., Tuticorin ..                                       | Report to the Government of Baroda on the Marine Zoology of Okhamandel in Kattiwar, pt. 1  |
| India, Geol. Surv.: Calcutta ..                                   | Palaeontologia Indica, v. 3 (1); Fossil Flora of Gondwana System, v. 1 (3, 4), 3 (1-3, supp.), 2 (1, 2), 4 (1), ser. 15, v. 4 (2)  |
| Indian Museum, Calcutta ..  | Annual Report, Nat. Hist. Sect. 1908-9; Records, v. 2 (index), 3 (1-3); Memoirs, v. 14 (index), 2 (1-3); Echinoderma of the Indian Museum, pt. 5, Asteroidea (1); Annotated List of the Asiatic Birds in Indian Museum, pt. 1  |
| K. Bayerischen Akad. Wissenschaften, Munich                       | Sitzungsberichte, jahrg. 1910 (5-9)  |

SCHEDULE A.—DONATIONS TO THE NATIONAL MUSEUM DURING THE  
YEAR 1910—continued.

1.—*Publications*—continued.

| Donor.   | Publications.  |
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| K. Leop.-Carol. Deutschen Akad. Naturforscher, Halle-a-Saale                     | Nova Acta, v. 93 (1)   |
| Kosminsky, Isodore, Melbourne<br>Linnean Society of New South<br>Wales: Sydney   | <i>Antiquarian Gazette</i> , v. 1 (1-3)<br>Proc. 1909, v. 34 (4); 1910, v. 35 (1-3)  |
| Madras Government Museum ..  | Castes and Tribes of Southern India, Thurston  |
| Mexico: Instituto Geologico ..   | Paregonos, v. 3 (3-5); <i>Bolletín</i> , 25  |
| Museum Comparative Zoology at<br>Harvard, Cambridge, U.S.A.                      | <i>Bulletin</i> , v. 9, 33, 38-52 (1-10, 15-17), 53 (1-2), 54 (1); Annual<br>Report of Curator, 1908-9   |
| Monaco, S. A. S. Prince Albert de  | <i>Bulletin de l'Institut Océanographique</i> , Index to Nos. 131-155,<br>Nos. 154-184   |
| Museo Nacional Arqueología,<br>Historia y Etnología, Mexico                      | <i>Anales</i> , v. 1 (7-13), 2 (1-5)   |
| Museo Nacional, Montevideo ..  | <i>Anales</i> , v. 5 (Flora Uruguaya, v. 4 (2)   |
| Natal Government Museum,<br>Pietermaritzburg                                     | Cat. Rocks and Minerals from Natal and Zululand  |
| New South Wales, Department<br>of Mines  | Annual Report, 1909; (Geol. Surv., Memoirs (Geology), Nos. 2, 3,<br>5; (Palaeontology), No. 5; Records, v. 9   |
| New South Wales, Department<br>of Public Instruction: Techno-<br>logical Museums | Annual Report, 1908, 1909  |
| New South Wales Naturalists'<br>Club   | Sydney Australian Naturalist, v. 2 (1-3)   |
| New Zealand, Department of<br>Mines and Survey                                   | <i>Geol. Bulletin</i> , n.s. no. 8-10  |
| Nitsche, Dr. Lehmann, Buenos<br>Aires  | Photos. Tipos Indigenas de Sudamerica  |
| Nova Scotian Institute of Science,<br>Halifax                                    | Proc. and Trans. v. 12 (2)   |
| Ohio State University, Columbus  | <i>Bulletin</i> , v. 13, (4, 25, 28), 14 (6, 7, 18, 25)  |
| Otago University Museum ..   | Curator's Report, 1909-10  |
| Peru: Cuerpo de Ingenieros de<br>Minas   | <i>Boletín</i> , No. 75  |
| Philippines: Bureau of Science,<br>Manila  | <i>Philippine Journal of Science</i> : A.—Gen. Science, v. 4 (4, 6), 5<br>(1-4); C.—Botany, v. 4 (4-6), 5 (1-4); D.—Ethnology, v. 5<br>(1-3). Mineral Resources of Philippine Islands  |
| Provinciaal Museum, Victoria, B.C.   | Guide to Anthropological Collections   |
| Public Library, Museum, and Art<br>Gallery of South Australia,<br>Adelaide       | Report of Board of Governors, 1908-9   |
| Queensland, Department of Mines  | <i>Geol. Surv.</i> ; <i>Bulletin</i> , 2, 11, 18   |
| Rhodesia Museum, Bulawayo ..   | 8th Annual Report  |
| Rhodesia Scientific Association,<br>Bulawayo                                     | Proc. v. 8 (1-3)   |
| Rijks Ethnographisch Museum<br>te Leiden   | Verslag van den Directeur, 1908-9  |
| Royal Anthropological Society<br>of Australasia, Sydney                          | <i>Science of Man</i> , n.s., v. 11 (9-12), 12 (1-3), 13 (4, 5, 7)   |
| Royal Australasian Ornitholo-<br>gists' Union                                    | <i>Emu</i> , v. 9 (2-4), 10 (1-3)  |
| Royal Society of South Australia,<br>Adelaide                                    | Trans. and Proc. and Report, v. 33; <i>Memoirs</i> , v. 2 (2)  |
| Royal Society of Victoria ..   | Proc. v. 22 (n.s.) pt. 2; Trans. v. 5  |
| Simpson, Dr. C. C., Melbourne ..   | Five photographs of New Guinea Native Life   |
| Smithsonian Institution, Wash-<br>ington   | U.S. National Museum: <i>Bulletin</i> 63-69, 71-2; Contributions from<br>United States National Herbarium, v. 12 (10, index), 13 (1-5),<br>14 (1); Report on Progress and Condition of United States<br>National Museum, 1909; Proc. United States National Museum,<br>v. 36 |
| Société Neuchateloise des Sciences<br>Naturelles, Neuchatel                      | <i>Bull.</i> , v. 36   |



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1.—*Publications*—*continued.*

| Donor.  | Publications.  |
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| South African Museum, Cape Town                 | Report, 1909; Annals, v. 5 (8)   |
| South Australia, Department of Crown Lands      | Intelligence Department: Bulletin 11, 12, special, 13, 14  |
| South Australia, Department of Mines            | Review of Mining Operations, No. 11, 12; Government Geologist's Report on Tanami Gold Country  |
| Städtischen Volker Museum, Frankfurt a Main     | Veröffentlichungen, 1 Strehlow, die Aranda und Loritja-stämme in Zentral-Australien, theil 3   |
| Tasmanian Field Naturalists' Club, Launceston   | Tasmanian Naturalist, v. 1 (2, 3)  |
| Tokyo Zoological Society, Tokyo                 | Annotationes Zoologicae Japonensis, v. 7 (3)   |
| Transvaal Museum, Pretoria ..                   | Annals, v. 2 (1, 2)  |
| Tufts College, Mass., U.S.A. ..                 | Tufts College Studies, Science Series, v. 2 (3), 3 (1)   |
| U.S.A., Department of Agriculture               | Monthly List of Publications, Nos. 677, 697  |
| Victoria, Dept. Agriculture ..                  | Journal, v. 7 (index), 8; Report for Years 1907-10   |
| Victoria, Dept. Education ..                    | Photos. of Victorian Birds in National Museum  |
| Victoria, Dept. Mines ..                        | Geological Map of Victoria; Mineral Map of Victoria. Geol. Surv., Victoria; Progress Report, No. 8; Bulletin 23; Memoirs, No. 9. Report on Artesian Boring in the Mallee, 1907 |
| Victoria, National Herbarium ..                 | Various Reprints, &c.  |
| Walcott, Chas. D., Washington, U.S.A.           | Smithsonian Collections, v. 53 (2-5)   |
| Western Australia, Dept. Mines                  | Western Australian Geol. Surv.; Bull. 33, 36, 38; Annual Progress Report, 1909   |
| Western Australia, Government Statistician      | Copy Plans City Perth and Town of Fremantle; Plan early Swan River Settlement  |
| Western Australia Museum and Art Gallery, Perth | Records, v. 1 (1)  |
| Zoological Society of London ..                 | Reports of Council and Auditors, 1909  |

2.—*Specimens (Zoology).*

| Donor.   | Specimens.   |
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| Amos, Jas., Chillingoolah ..   | Lygosoma (Rhodona) sp.   |
| Archer, Jno. K., Wonthaggi ..  | Lower Jaw of Otaria forsteri   |
| Armitage, R. W., Continuation School, Melbourne                        | Stenocotis corticalis; Larva of Colussa denticulata; Mesosternus albopictus; Phoracantha aberrans; Larva of Tenebrionid beetle; Pupa of Limacodes longerans; Darala ocellata                           |
| Australia, Commonwealth of: Dept. Trade and Customs (Fisheries Branch) | Collection Fish, Echinoderms, Alcyonaria, Sponges, and Crustacea obtained by F.I.S. <i>Endeavour</i>   |
| Baker, F. H., Richmond ..  | Micro. Slides: Dimeloped spicata, catenicella plogiostoma, Halicomopsis avicularis, Radula of Turbo undulatus  |
| Beckwith, W. E., Malvern ..  | Uroaetus audax   |
| Bell, F. U., Ilawthorn ..  | Helaeus moniliferus, Calomela coelestia  |
| Billinghurst, Capt. F. L., Baechus Marsh                               | Nycticorax caledonicus   |
| Briggs, Arthur G., Balranald, N.S.W.                                   | 2 Macropus giganteus var. melanops   |
| Cameron, Mrs., Gisborne ..   | 7 Tectocaris lineola   |
| Carter, H. J., B.A., Sydney ..   | 2 Stigmodera helmsi, 2 Pterohelaeus septemeostatus, 2 Adeliium nitidum, A. rotundum, 2 A. depressum, 2 Cardiothorax pygmaeus Platydema victoriae, Amarygmus convexus, A. exilis A. rotundatum (cotype) |
| Chandler, L. G., Malvern ..  | Nests: Artamus personatus, Acrocephalus australis  |
| Chapman, Fredk., National Museum                                       | Colussa denticulata  |
| Christian, E. J., Milloo ..  | Notechis seutatus  |

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2.—*Specimens (Zoology)*—*continued.*

| Donor.                                      | Specimens.  |
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| Chubb, J. E., National Museum..             | Diaphonia dorsalis, 2 Stigmodera variabilis, 2 Lamprima rutilans, 8 Onthophagus kershawi, Paropsis, Lanestes lanceolatus, Trogodendron fasciculatum, Melampsalta denisoni, Bombilius, Bone of Scpia, Bracon capita, Epithora dorsalis, Phoracantha fallax, Hydrobius absimilis  |
| Clark, R. M., Brunswick ..                  | Labidura truncata   |
| Coles, A., Melbourne ..                     | Marine Worm; bodies Petauroides volans, 2 Ornithorhynchus anatinus, Phascolumys mitchelli   |
| Davidson, F. W. and Hocknell, R., Sydney    | Dorippe japonica  |
| Dodd, F. P., Cairns, Queensland             | 2 Cerura australis, 3 Miletus apelles, 3 Danis arinia, 3 D. seraphis, Attacus   |
| Fisher Bros., Lower Tarwin ..               | Vertebra of (?) Orea gladiator  |
| French, Chas., F.L.S., Hawthorn             | 3 Tretothorax cleistostoma (cotypes); coll. Snakes, Scorpions, Shells, &c. (Endeavour Rivor, Queensland); 3 Odontomachus (?) coriarius, coll. Australian Coleoptera (29 species), Hecatesia thyridion, Chalcoxybelus bispinosus var. australis, Rhytiphora sp. 2 Attacus hercules, 1 Delinius essingtoni, 1 Philoscaphus Barnardi, 2 Elmis tasmanicus, 1 Trox crotchii, 1 Palaestra, 1 Apion microscopium (cotype), 2 Prosyleus sublineatus (cotype), 2 Merimnetes fugi (cotype), 1 Catasarcus, 2 Paropsis, 1 Helacus, 1 H. frenchi, 4 Coccinella transversoquattata, 2 Hippodamia convergens, Monohammus, Rosalia alpina, 2 Coccinella, 3 fasciata |
| French, Chas., jun., Melbourne..            | Manophyes nigrovarius, 3 Storeus, 2 Gorynassa nodnlosa, Gecko Lizard, Sminthopsis crassicaudata   |
| Fulton, S. W., Purnong Landing, S.A.        | 2 Astacopsis  |
| Gatliff, J. H., Carlton ..                  | Stigmodera menalca  |
| Gilbert, Edwd. J., Ultima ..                | Strix flammea   |
| Hall, Dr. T. S., M.A., Melbourne University | Pompilius pictipennis   |
| Harding, Chas., National Museum             | Ctenomorpha marginipennis   |
| Hardy, A. D., Dept. Forests ..              | Utethesia (Deiopeia) pulchella  |
| Harriott, Geo., Wickliffe ..                | Sminthopsis crassicaudata, with young in pouch  |
| Hart, W. C., Melbourne ..                   | Gordius Worm  |
| Hauschildt, H. J., Warrnambool              | Sula serrator; Sps. Poeciloptera  |
| Hawley, W. H., Tallangatta ..               | Typhlops polygrammicus  |
| Helpman, E. L., Koyuga ..                   | 2 Sminthopsis crassicaudata   |
| Hopkins, Hy., Public Library ..             | Brown Snake; Moloch horridus  |
| Horne, Dr Geo., Melbourne ..                | Polyplectron cinquis  |
| Ingle, Arthur P., Rosedale ..               | 2 Hinulia quoyi, 2 Egernia whitii, Nest and 3 eggs of Acanthiza lineata, Nest Acanthiza nana, 3 eggs Sisura inquieta, 2 eggs Psophodes crepitans, Pardalotus assimilis, 2 Mus. Ptilonorhynchus violaceus, Ægotheles novae-hollandiae, 5 Achetidae   |
| Jackson, T. A., Cobar, N.S.W. ..            | Shells  |
| Keartland, G. A., Melbourne ..              | Polytelis barrabandi  |
| Kenyon, A. F., Richmond ..                  | Polychaete Worms; Diptera, &c.; Ischnotes bakewelli   |
| Kenyon, A. S., Dept. Agriculture            | Insects, Reptiles, &c.  |
| Kershaw, J. A., National Museum             | Robin, 2 Taeniopygia castanotus, Melopsittacus undulatus, Pooj hila cineta  |
| King Bros., Kinnabulla ..                   | Malformed Lamb  |
| Lea, A. M., Hobart, Tasmania ..             | Cotypes: Rhybaxis hirsuta, R. variabilis, 2 R. bryophila, Euplectops conicicornis, E. castor, 2 Eupines mira, Macrolestes quad-rifoviatu, Selected entomological specimens  |
| Leah, J. A., Education Dept. ..             | Oceanites oceanicus, 3 Galaxias attenuatus  |
| Macdonald, Donald, Argus, Melb.             | Phascogale penicillata, P. flavipes, Sminthopsis crassicaudata, Notechis scutatus   |
| McLennan, Chas., National Park              | Antheraea helena  |
| McFarlane, Rev. J. H., Camperdown           | Cnemoplites edulis, Pompilius pictipennis   |
| Main, J. M., Omeo ..                        | Strix flammea, var. delicatula  |
| Mann, W., Narracan ..                       | 3 Ialmenus evagorus   |

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2.—Specimens (Zoology)—continued.

| Donor.   | Specimens.   |
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| Maplestone, C. W., Eltham ..                             | Recent Polyzoa, cotrycs: <i>Bipora biarmata</i> , <i>B. multiarmata</i> , <i>B. magniarmata</i> , <i>B. ampulla</i> , <i>Zeuglopora lanceolata</i> ; types. <i>Schizoporella porifera</i> , <i>S. perarmata</i> , <i>S. granulata</i> , <i>S. nitida</i> : <i>Mucronella umbonata</i> , <i>M. rugata</i> , <i>Cellepora creulata</i> . <i>Parmularia obliqua</i> |
| Mattingley, A. E. H., H.M. Customs                       | <i>Pygopus lepidopus</i> , <i>Amphiholurus muricatus</i> , <i>A. pietus</i> , 3 young <i>Dromicia</i> (?) <i>nana</i>  |
| Menly, Eric, Sandringham ..                              | Nest of (?) <i>Corcorax melanorhamphus</i>   |
| Michau, W., Melbourne ..                                 | <i>Gordius</i> Worm  |
| O'Halloran, C. A., Glenferrie ..                         | <i>Antheraea eucalypti</i>   |
| Oke, H. J., Wangaratta ..                                | Beetle Larva with fungus (? <i>Cordyceps</i> ) growing from head   |
| Pellas, H. J., Harcourt ..                               | <i>Hippocampus foliatus</i>  |
| Philp, H. N., Carlton ..                                 | 8 Snakes   |
| Quiney, Hy., Mortlake ..                                 | (?) <i>Lymnodynastes dorsalis</i> , 2 young <i>Ornithorhynchus anatinus</i>  |
| Robinson, Isaac, North Melbourne                         | South African Insects  |
| Royal Zoological and Acclimatization Society of Victoria | 51 Mammals, 22 Birds, 7 Reptiles   |
| Sauer, Carl, Prahran ..                                  | Nest of <i>Pelopaeus laetus</i>  |
| Schaeffer, A. C., Tocumwal, N.S.W.                       | <i>Uroaetus audax</i>  |
| Scott, Jno., Melbourne ..                                | <i>Parma squamipennis</i> . <i>Lepidotrigla vanessa</i> .  |
| Searle, Jas., Melbourne ..                               | <i>Synenon plana</i> , <i>Bathilda ruficauda</i> , <i>Taeniopygia castanotis</i> <i>Rhipidura albiscapa</i>  |
| Sloane, T. G., Young, N.S.W. ..                          | <i>Cicindela darwini</i> , <i>C. iosceles</i> , <i>Paranurus macleayi</i> <i>P. petri</i>  |
| Southgate, G., Auburn ..                                 | Termites and Mud cells, 2 Fire Fly   |
| Spry, F. P., National Museum ..                          | 6 <i>Eucnemes</i>  |
| Thorn, W., Dept. Mines ..                                | 12 <i>Paryplanta compacta</i>  |
| Vercoo, Dr. J. C., Adelaide ..                           | 8 <i>Cellepora verticalis</i>  |
| Victoria: Education Department (Nature Study Branch)     | Various small collections Insects, <i>Zonaeginthus bellus</i> , <i>Acrobates pygmaeus</i>  |
| White, J., Carlton ..                                    | <i>Hippocampus</i>   |
| White, M., State School, Long ..                         | <i>Phascogale penicillata</i> , Shelter Bag of <i>Teara contraria</i> .  |
| White, H. L., Seone, N.S.W. ..                           | Eggs: 2 <i>Glyciphila albifrons</i> , <i>Heteromyias cinereifrons</i> , 4 <i>Pandion leucocephalus</i> , 2 <i>Ælurodes maculosus</i> , <i>Orthonyx spaldingi</i>   |
| Williamson, H. B., Geelong ..                            | <i>Chloris chloris</i> , <i>Pardalotus ornatus</i>   |
| Wilson, H. W., Training College                          | 3 <i>Porina australis</i>  |
| Young, M. B., Camberwell ..                              | Egg-case of <i>Cestracion phillipi</i> , collection Marine Shells  |

2.—Specimens (Geology and Mineralogy).

| Donor.   | Specimens.   |
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| Allardyce, W. L., H.E., C.M.G. Falkland Islands                        | Kerosene Shale   |
| Annear, R. H., Glenferrie ..   | Silicious Limestone with (?) <i>Isocardia</i> and <i>Nucula</i> , Red Clay with (?) Worm-Borings, <i>Stromatoporoid</i> , 3 <i>Spirifer</i> , 2 <i>Strophonella euglyphoides</i> , 1 <i>Actinopteria boydi</i> , <i>A. asperula</i> var. <i>croynonensis</i> , 2 <i>Thinnfeldia odontopteroides</i> , <i>Sagenopteris</i> , <i>Taeniopteris</i> , <i>Chonotes</i> , <i>Stropheodontia</i> , <i>Cypricardium</i> , <i>Enomphalus</i> , <i>Cyathophyllum</i> , <i>Nautilus</i> |
| Australia, Commonwealth of: Dept. Trade and Customs (Fisheries Branch) | Miocene Limestone Rock containing <i>Cucullaea</i> , <i>Venus</i> ( <i>Chione</i> ) and <i>Dosinea</i>   |
| Baker, Hy., Northcote ..   | Green Chalcedony encrusting <i>Sphaerosiderite</i> on Basalt   |
| Bell, Fredk., Auburn ..  | Hematite   |
| Bell, F., Upper Hawthorn ..  | <i>Corbula ephamilla</i> , <i>C. scaphoides</i> , 2 <i>Glycimeris halli</i> , <i>Maetra hamiltonensis</i> , <i>Natica cunninghamensis</i> , 2 <i>Marginella muscardioides</i> , <i>Balanus</i> , <i>Liopyrgia quadricingulata</i> , Gypsum, Limestone Concretion   |

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| Bennett, Wm., Burwood ..                       | Ironstone Concretion  |
| Chapman, Fredk., National<br>Musoum            | Lepidocyclus Limestone, containing <i>Lepidocyclus tournoueri</i> ,<br><i>L. martini</i> , <i>L. marginata</i> and <i>Polyzoa</i> ; Quartz Felsite; Decom-<br>posed Dyke Rock; <i>Chonetes melbournensis</i> , 2 Quartz rock;<br>Crumpled Silurian Mudstone   |
| Chapman, Wilfrid D., Kilcunda..                | Sandstone, with <i>Taenioptera spatulata</i> and <i>T. spatulata</i> var.<br><i>daintreei</i> , 7 sps.; Calcite; Eruptive rock; 8 Jurassic Rocks,<br>with plant remains   |
| Clerko, S., Kilcunda .. ..                     | Concretionary deposit of carbonaceous Carbonate of Lime   |
| Cudmore, Frank, South Yarra ..                 | Coll. Silurian Fossils (S. Yarra), Limonitic replacement of woody<br>tissue, <i>Anstraliu (Imperator) hudsonianum</i> , <i>Cellepora</i> cf.<br><i>papalosa</i>   |
| Dunn and Stone, Melbourne ..                   | Alunite   |
| Dunn, E. J., F.G.S., Dept. Mines,<br>Victoria  | Corundum (Sapphire) in Mica Schist  |
| Francis, H. V., Kilcunda ..                    | Phosphate Rock, Calcite, Silver-lead Ore, Cassiterite, Gold Ore<br>("Banket")   |
| French, Chas., jun., Melbourne ..              | Ennerin limestone, Chalcopyrite   |
| Green, Sidney, Hawthorn ..                     | <i>Cardiola cornucopice</i> , Remains of Crustacean, <i>Cardium</i> , <i>Tellina</i><br><i>albinelloides</i> , <i>Donax</i> , <i>Mastra</i> , <i>Zenatiopsis angustata</i> , (?) <i>Cirripede</i> ,<br><i>Deltocyathus vereonis</i> , <i>Proctus</i> , <i>Homalaxis</i> , <i>Dicotyledonous</i><br>leaf, Cast of <i>Cirripede</i> , Cast of (?) <i>Acmaea</i> or <i>Patella</i> , Impression<br>of valve of <i>Turrilepas</i> , Casts of <i>Crania</i> and <i>Turbo</i> , <i>Donax</i><br><i>depressa</i> , <i>Mastra howelini</i>  |
| Grogan, P., Fyansford ..                       | Portions of <i>Linthia mooraboolensis</i> and <i>Cidaris (Leiocidaris)</i>  |
| Hall, Dr. T. S., Melb. University              | 6 <i>Cyclammina complanata</i>  |
| Jackson, T. A., Cobarr, N.S.W. ..              | Collection Minerals and Fossils   |
| Joshua, E. C., Armadale ..                     | <i>Lekythopora hystrix</i> , <i>Meretrix eburnea</i> , <i>Nassa tatei</i> , <i>Dentalium</i><br><i>aratum</i>   |
| Keble, R. A., Camberwell ..                    | <i>Voluta hannaefordi</i> , <i>Volutilithes antiscalaris</i>  |
| Kenyon, A. S., Dept. Agriculture               | Obsidianite, Pink Halite  |
| Lardner, W., Windsor ..                        | Black Sandstone, containing casts of <i>Pentamerus</i>  |
| Leach, A. T., Surrey Hills ..                  | 7 <i>Arca (Anadara) trapezia</i> , 8 <i>Venus (Chione) strigosa</i> , 3 <i>Potamides</i><br><i>australis</i> , <i>Natica plumbea</i> , White-coated Flint, containing<br>remains of <i>Polyzoa</i> and <i>Foraminifera</i> , 3 sps. <i>Aragonite</i>  |
| Leonard, J. H., Caulfield ..                   | Mineral Concretion  |
| Lyon, J. S., Albion Downs, North<br>Queensland | <i>Nantilus hendersoni</i> , <i>Ancyloceras findersi</i> , Iron concretions with<br>cavities of (?) organic origin  |
| Maine, J., Training College,<br>Carlton        | Limestone with <i>Tryplasma</i>   |
| McCormack, W. Yarra Junction                   | Stream Tin, Rutile Sand. (?) <i>Monazite</i>  |
| MacDonald, H., Willaura ..                     | Obsidianite, Common Opal  |
| McIntosh, Capt. W. G., Albert<br>Park          | 3 sps. "Banket"   |
| Merry, A. J., Terang ..                        | Piece of skull of Marsupial   |
| Maplestone, C. M., Eltham ..                   | <i>Selenaria otwayensis</i> (paratype), 40 Microscope Slides of types and<br>plesiotypes of Victorian Tertiary <i>Polyzoa</i>   |
| Mitchell, S. R., Melbourne ..                  | <i>Magellania garibaldiana</i> , <i>Actinostroma</i> , tooth of (?) <i>Carcharoides</i>   |
| Neal, H., Surrey Hills ..                      | Fragment of (?) <i>Crinoid</i>  |
| Parr, W. J., Yarraville ..                     | Tooth of (?) <i>Squalodon</i> , <i>Murex triforis</i> , <i>Ostrea manubriata</i> , 2 con-<br>iferous Wood, <i>Ancilla pseudaustralis</i> , <i>Siliquaria oclusa</i> , <i>Pteria</i><br><i>papilionacea</i> , <i>Platytrochus curvatus</i> , <i>Brissopsis tatei</i> , <i>Ostrea</i> ,<br>Fragments <i>Ostrea hyotidoidea</i> , <i>Cypraea gastropax</i> , <i>Margaritifera</i><br><i>crassicardia</i> , <i>Newtoniella</i> , <i>Turbo</i> , <i>Meretrix eburnea</i> var., (?) <i>Copro-</i><br><i>lite</i> , (?) <i>Kionoceras</i> , hydroid Coral or <i>Stromatoporeid</i> , with<br>"caunopora" tubes, tooth of (?) <i>Carcharias</i> or <i>Lamna</i> , portion<br><i>rugoso</i> Coral, impression of (?) <i>Rhynchonellid</i> <i>Brachiopod</i> ,<br><i>Fibularia gregata</i> , <i>Ceratotrochus exilis</i> , <i>Conocyathus scrobien-</i><br><i>latus</i> , <i>Ballanophyllia basedowi</i> , <i>Trematotrochus complanatus</i> ,<br><i>Ballanophyllia</i> , <i>Ditrupea</i> . |

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YEAR 1910—*continued.*

2.—*Specimens (Geology and Mineralogy)*—*continued.*

| Donor.                           | Specimens.  |
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| Philp, H., North Carlton ..      | Calcite var. Satin Spar   |
| Quincy, Hy., Mortlake ..         | 3 Hyalite in basalt, Volcanic Bombs and Tuff, Fossiliferous Limestone, Stalactitic Basalt, Oligoclase, 3 Sandstone, Eruptive Rock, Fine Sand, 2 Arenaceous Mudstone, 3 Agate, Calcite, Lydian Stone, Arenaceous Limestone, Common Opal, Fossiliferous Limestone |
| Reid, Wm., Glenmaggie ..         | Portion of stem of Lepidodendron  |
| Robertson, A., Woorndoo ..       | 7 slabs Ripple-marked Sandstone   |
| Rogers, Chas., Richmond ..       | 2 Tasmanite   |
| Rowe, F. W., Richmond ..         | Cust (?) Lindstroemia, 3 Dalmanites meridionalis, (?) Slag, Dendrites, 2 Aragonite, 2 Calcite, Magnesite  |
| Shearsby, A. J., Vass, N.S.W. .. | Arenicolites, slide containing casts of, (?) Orthis, Modiolopsis and Gasteropods  |
| Spry, F. P., National Museum ..  | Decomposed Older Basalt, 2 sps. Wood, Pyrite in Quartz, 12 Tertiary Ironstone with Haliotis and Tellina   |
| Stubbs, J., Melbourne ..         | Collection Minerals   |
| Sumner, E. (Miss), Prahran ..    | Malachite   |
| Tadiel, M. S., Richmond ..       | Ironstone Concretion  |
| Tasmania—Government Geologist    | sps. Trachy-Dolerite  |
| Thiele, E. O., London ..         | Collection Cambrian Fossils (North-east Gippsland)  |
| Trevor, J., Matlock, Victoria .. | Dolomite with Carbonate of Iron   |
| Walcott, R. H., National Museum  | Fossil Wood, 12 sps. illustrating the weathering of Granite, 3 Quartz Breccia, 2 Dacite, 2 Columnar Clay  |
| Wills, Arthur, Kew ..            | Collection of Crystals  |
| Wilson, H. W., Training College  | Clonograptus  |
| Wright, Samuel, Landshorouh      | Sandstone concretion  |
| Young, Jas., Meredith ..         | Collection Graptolites, Glassy Augite, Taehylyte, Tufa  |
| Young, M. B., Camberwell ..      | Flint, Collection Ochreous Clays  |

3.—*Specimens (Ethnology).*

| Donor.  | Specimens.   |
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| Baragwanath, W., Ballarat ..                    | Stone (?) Aboriginal Implement   |
| Burford, L. W., Essendou ..                     | Resinous material used by natives, N. Territory  |
| Christison, Robt., Louth, England               | Fire Stick; Queensland   |
| Fogarty, E., Ringwood ..                        | 5 Flaked Stones; Ringwood  |
| Gill, W. H., Canterbury ..                      | 6 Maori Adzes  |
| Henderson, H. C., Tallangatta ..                | Aboriginal Skeleton; Lake Boga   |
| Hill, G. R., Windsor ..                         | Collection Brassware, Baskets, Garments, Leatherwork, Coins, Ironwork, &c., made by natives of Northern Nigeria  |
| Hutchings, J. C., Gleuorchy ..                  | Aboriginal Grooved Wedge; Newington  |
| Jackson, T. A., Cohar, N.S.W. ..                | 4 Aboriginal Skulls  |
| Kenyon, A. S., Dept. Agriculture                | Various collections Aboriginal Implements and Flakes; C. Bridgewater, Tailem Bend, Winneke Berrick Springs, Adelaide, Providence Ponds, Portland Heath, Tasmania. Bone Implements; Port Fairy. Large Nardoo Mill; Belcher's Isd.; Lower Jaw of Aboriginal; Tailem Bend |
| Merry, A. J., Terang ..                         | Aboriginal Stone Flakes; Chatsworth  |
| Pinniger, J. R., Bainsdale ..                   | Aboriginal Axe; Lake Omco. Aboriginal Sharpening Stone; Lake Omco  |
| Philp, H., North Carlton ..                     | Wooden Dolang; Bwool., N. Celebes  |
| Quincy, Hy., Mortlake ..                        | Large Basalt Aboriginal Mill   |
| Quincy, H. J., Laver's Hill ..                  | 2 Aboriginal Pounding Stones, near Cape Otway  |
| Sehaefer, Fritz H., Melbourne ..                | Aboriginal Stone Axe   |
| Southgate, G., Auburn ..                        | Clay Drinking Bowl: Natal.   |
| Wills, Arthur, Kew ..                           | 2 Aboriginal Grindstones, 2 Aboriginal Axes  |
| Young, N., Winton North ..                      | Broken Stone Axe, Pounding Stone   |
| Victoria—Police Dépôt, per Sergt. Corry, Echuca | Fragments of Aboriginal Child's Skeleton   |

SCHEDULE B.—SPECIMENS PURCHASED FOR THE NATIONAL MUSEUM DURING  
THE YEAR 1910.

1.—*Zoology.*

| From whom purchased.              | Specimens.  |
|-----------------------------------|---|
| Armstrong, J., Flinders Island .. | Phascolomys ursinus (Flinders Island)   |
| Cockbain, H., Melbourne ..        | Lepidoptera (Java)  |
| Coles, A., Melbourne ..           | 5 Cypraea sp. C. umbilicata, 2 C. argus, Petroeca rhodinogaster, Aegialitis cucullatus, 3 Voluta mammila, V. roadknighti, V. sp. Phascogale flavipes, Small coll. various Shells, 2 Ornithorhynchus anatinus, 2 Hydromys, 1 Indian Dove, Tringa canutus, Macropus giganteus, var. melanops Dromaeus novae hollandiae, Dacelo gigas (semi-albino), Blackbird (semi-albino), 4 Potauroides volans |
| Coles, C., Sydney ..              | 2 Troides urvilliana, 2 T. victoria   |
| Damon, R. F., Weymouth, Eng.      | Casts of Foot and Hand of Orang and Chimpanzee  |
| Dodd, F. P., Kuranda, Queensland  | Selected specimens rare Lepidoptera (Queensland)  |
| Evans, Jas., Cudgeo ..            | Collection young Eels (Cudgee)  |
| Ferguson, J. H., Flinders Island  | 4 living Phascolomys ursinus (Flinders Island)  |
| Hammond, George, Flinders Island  | 6 living Phascolomys ursinus (Flinders Island)  |
| Harrison, A., Bluff, New Zealand  | Kiwi, 6 Rail, 6 Tui, 3 Quail, 2 Kingfisher  |
| Hill, G. R., Windsor ..           | Collection Birds and Mammals (N.W. Australia)   |
| Kenyon, A. F., Richmond ..        | Cypraea tessellata  |
| Pearce, Ernest, Melbourne ..      | Piked Dog-fish  |
| Schaefer, Fritz H., Melbourne ..  | Sundry Marine Shells  |
| Sharp, George, Sydney ..          | 4 Dendrolagus   |

2.—*Geology and Mineralogy.*

| From whom purchased.             | Specimens.                                     |
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| Annear, R. H., Glenferrie ..     | Spirifer (Martiniopsis) subradiatus, Orthonota |
| Atkinson, R. N., Melbourne ..    | Collection Fossils (Table Cape)                |
| Bishop, Albin, Queensland ..     | Collection Fossil Bones (Queensland)           |
| Canterbury Museum, New Zealand   | Leg Bones of Meionornis                        |
| Green, S., Auburn ..             | Australium                                     |
| Mortlake Museum ..               | Fossils  |
| Saupe, August, Richmond ..       | Cast of Warrnambool Footprints                 |
| Schaefer, Fritz H., Melbourne .. | Collection Precious Opal, Crystals of Beryl    |
| Wishart, Alex., Melbourne ..     | Obsidianite                                    |

3.—*Ethnology.*

| From whom purchased.              | Specimens.   |
|-----------------------------------|--|
| Coles, A., Melbourne ..           | 6 Australian Fish Spears, 2 Native Clubs, 11 Melville Island Spears, Aboriginal Skull and Bones, 38 Aboriginal Skulls, 2 Stone Clubs (New Guinea), Spear |
| Hill, W. H. F., London (per) ..   | Collection Ethnological specimens from Northern Nigeria  |
| Johns, A. H., Melbourne ..        | 8 Human Skulls   |
| Mortlake Museum ..                | Collection Aboriginal Stone Implements   |
| Nelson, J. S., Hawthorn ..        | Collection Native Weapons, &c. (Northern Territory and Melville Island)  |
| Oxley, W. C., Melbourne ..        | Fish Bag   |
| Ramsay, Rev. F. W., N. Carlton    | Disc Club, 8 Necklaces, 1 Net, 1 Rough Basket, 4 Pottery Vessels   |
| Schaefer, Fritz H., Melbourne ..  | Dance Shield, Wooden Vessel  |
| Stanton, Austiu (Mrs.), Melbourne | Native Bag, Various Australian Aboriginal Implements, "Ula" (Throwing Club), Canoe or House Ornament (Solomon Islands)                                   |
| Tuckett and Styles, Melbourne ..  | Aboriginal Skull   |
| Twist, J., Coondah ..             | Collection Ethnological specimens (Australia, New Guinea, Solomon Islands, Fiji, &c.)  |
| Walkenden, H. W., Brunswick ..    | Aboriginal Eel Net   |
|                                   | Maori Kilt   |

SCHEDULE C.—NATIONAL MUSEUM.—EXCHANGES DURING THE YEAR 1910.

- Received from Chas. J. Gabriel, Abbotsford—Selection of Victorian Marine Shells; in exchange for duplicate copy of publication.
- Received from Wm. DuBoulay, Melbourne—1 *Metallesthes* sp. (Western Australia); in exchange for 2 *Stigmodera cruentata*, 1 *S. delectabilis*.
- Received from Miss M. K. Andrews, Belfast, Ireland—Orbicular Granite, normal Granite, Dyke in Granite; in exchange for Victorian Zeolites.
- Received from Chas. Mitchell, Fitzroy—Collection of Japanese Insects; in exchange for Australian species.
- Received from A. C. Stone, Sale—Aboriginal Stone Implements and 2 imperfect Human Skulls; in exchange for 17 Arrows (Oceania).
- Received from A. Cole, Melbourne—12 Aboriginal Skulls; in exchange for 4 *Macropus* and 2 *Dromaeus*.
- Received from A. Baragwanath, Richmond—Aboriginal Engraving Tool (N. Queensland); in exchange for Spear-thrower.