additions to the Society's Huseum and Library.

During the Year 1896.

THE MUSEUM.

Bristol Tokens—Shilling Dollar Silver, 3 dwt., W. Sheppard, Exchange (sixpence), R. Tripp & Co. (sixpence), Patent Sheathing Nail Manufactory (halfpenny), Earl Howe, George Prince of Wales, Fredk. Duke of York, Hull and Leeds halfpennies, payable in Bristol.—Purchased.

Photographs of the exterior and interior of Compton Martin Church, and of the remains of the Bishop's Palace at Chew Magna.—From Mr. F. A. WOOD.

Tokens of John Bush, Bath; W. Goodridge, Bridgwater; Bruton Town Piece; Jeffrey Grove, Christopher Cooke, T. Lovedell, G. Treagle, and John Tubb, of Taunton; C. Allembridge, and N. Carye, of Yeovil.

Inn Check, J. Stay, Trooper Inn, Wincanton, 1846.—From Rev. E. H. BATES.

Thirteen specimens of coal fossils ; Tail of a Yak, mounted as a fly-wisk.—From Mr. TITE.

Egyptian greenstone bowl, and old Watchman's rattle.— From Mr. W. DE C. PRIDEAUX.

Broadside, "Bridgwater Diversions," 1788,—From Mrs. LOVIBOND.

A collection of Geological specimens, containing representatives from most of the formations, from Gravel to Silurian, in a glass case.—From the Rev. W. S. TOMKINS.

Two Boxes of fossils.-From Col. HELYAR.

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A small collection of Cornish Minerals. — From Mr. JERVOISE.

Map of Stanton Drew, an original survey by P. Crocker, 1817.

Map of 24 miles round Bath, 18th cent.

Plan of the city of Bath, by B. Donne, 18th cent.

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Portrait of Sydney Smith.-From Mr. S. J. REID.

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