Additions to the Library.

From January 1st, 1912, to December 31st, 1912.

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A large number of volumes by Somersetshire authors to be added to the donor's collection of books in Taunton Castle.—Presented by Mr. CHARLES TITE.

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