## Additions to the Museum and Libyary,

During the Year 1888.

## THE MUSEUM.

Carved Stone Shield, bearing the monogram "R.B.," found in a wall at 53, North Street, Taunton; from Mr. A. HAMMETT.

Russian Soldier's Water Bottle, found in Sabastopol; Bamboo Basket, from Shan States, Upper Burmah; Betel Box, from Tounghoo, Lower Burmah; from Major FOSTER.

Sword, formed of Chinese Copper "Cash," used as a charm against the entry of evil spirits; Figure of Budha, with Burmese inscription at base; from Mr. Thos. Jenner.

Old View of Taunton, about 1780; from Mr. CECIL H. Sp. Perceval.

Counterpart of the Indenture executed by the Sheriff of Somerset, by which Benjamin Hammett, Esq., is returned as Member of Parliament for the Borough of Taunton, and Receipt for the Indenture from the Mayor of Taunton, 1782; from Miss Melhuish.

Lias Fossils from Kilve and Lilstock; from the Rev. J. CREWDSON.

Skull of Andaman Islander and Lock of Hair; from the Rev. C. S. P. Parish.

Specimens of Hematite, found about 20 feet below the surface in Dinder Wood; Crystals and Bones from a quarry in Dulcote Hill; from Mr. A. F. SOMERVILLE.

Tokens of Bath, Glastonbury, Somerton, Sherborne, and a Medal of Admiral Vernon; from Mr. E. V. P. BARKER.

Borings from a Well, 400 feet deep, St. James Street, Taunton.

Deed relating to the parish of Kingsknympton, Devon; from Miss Sanger.

Water-colour Sketch of Langford House, Fifehead; from Mr. C. E. DARE.

Seven £1 Notes of the Bruton Bank, 1819-24; from Mrs. Puddy.

Piece of Stalagmite from Holwell Cavern.

Manuscript List of the Flowering Plants, etc., found within a radius of five miles of Wells; from the Misses MARY and FANNY LIVETT.

Small Brass Coin of Carausius; from Mr. R. TAPP.

Fifty-two Anastatic Prints of Architectural and Archæological Subjects; from the Rev. R. St. J. Gresley.

Tusk of Walrus, obtained during the Franklin search expedition; from Mr. DIMOND.

Drawings of a Chest in Minehead Church; from Mr. W. Newton.

Sketches of Low Ham and Swell Churches; from Mr. R. W. PAUL.

Two fragments of old Crock Street Pottery; from Mr. SLOPER.

## THE LIBRARY.

Western Antiquary, Jan., 1888 to Dec., 1888, and Index; from the Editor, Mr. W. H. K. WRIGHT.

On the Edible Acorns, called Bellotas; from the Author, Dr. PRIOR.

The Part Borne by Sergt. John White Paul in the Capture of Brig.-Gen. Richard Prescott, 1777; Gloucestershire Notes and Queries, parts 37—40; from the Rev. B. H. BLACKER.

Historic Collections Relating to the Monasteries of Devon; from the Rev. A. T. MICHELL.

On the Roman Walls of Chester; from the Author, Mr. C. ROACH SMITH.

The Episcopate of Reginald, Bishop of Bath, 1174—1191, and his share in the Building of the Cathedral Church of Wells; Some Account of Savaric, Bishop of Bath and Glastonbury, 1192—1205; from the Author, the Rev. Canon Church.

The Wedmore Chronicle, vol. i; vol. ii, no. 1; Wedmore Parish Registers, Marriages, 1561—1839; from the Rev. S. H. A. Hervey.

The Laws of Therapeutics, or the Art and Science of Medicine; from Mr. B. A. Peachey.

Memorials of the West, Historical and Descriptive; The Great Seals of England; A Collection of Pieces in the Dialect of Zummerzet; The Orders of Chivalry; from Mr. MARSHALL.

Leicester Literary and Philosophical Society's *Transactions*, parts 6, 7, 8.

A Chronicle of Leading Events in the History of Westonsuper-Mare; A True and Perfect Narrative of the late Extraordinary Snows, 1674 (reprint); from the Author, Mr. E. E. Baker.

Wicliff's Latin Works—Sermones, ii; from Mr. Stander-Wick.

The Architect of Salisbury Cathedral; from the Author, the Rev. J. A. Bennett.

The West Somerset Word Book; from the Author, Mr. F. T. ELWORTHY.

Catalogue of British Fossil Crustacea; Catalogue of Fossil Foraminifera; Catalogue of Fossil Mammalia, parts 1—5; Catalogue of Palæozoic Plants; Catalogue of the Blastoidea; Catalogue of Fossil Reptilia and Amphibia, part 1; from the Trustees of the British Museum.

Perspective Made Easy, by W. Halfpenny, 1731; from Mr. IRVINE.

On the Stature and Bulk of Man in the British Isles; On the Physical Characteristics of the Jewish Race; from the Author, Dr. J. Beddoe.

Johnson's Dictionary, 1785; Museum Brittannicum, 1791; Lewis's Topographical Dictionary, 1833; from Miss Harrison.

Wallace's Antitrinitarian Biography, 3 vols.; also Murch's History of Presbyterian and General Baptist Churches in the West of England; Mrs. Barbauld and her Contemporaries; Bath Physicians of Former Times; Ralph Allen, John Palmer, and the English Post Office; William Prynne; from the Author, Mr. Jerom Murch.

Catalogue of the Lepidoptera of the Bristol District; On a Romano-British Interment discovered at Farnborough; On some Architectural Remains of Deerhurst Priory Church; Notes on the Early History of Deerhurst; The Saxon Chapel recently discovered at Deerhurst; The Hospital of St. Katherine, Brightbow, near Bristol; from the Author, Mr. A. E. Hudd.

Poems on various subjects, by Henry Norris, of Taunton, 1774; Life of Bishop Ken, 1713; The Prose Works of Bishop Ken; A Second Letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury, by the Rev. C. S. Grueber; A Mirror of the Duchy of Nassau; The Otterford Book; from Mr. BARNICOTT.

On Some Optical Peculiarities of Ancient Painted Glass; from the Author, Mr. F. F. Tuckett.

Cyclopædia, or an Universal Dictionary of Arts and Sciences, 1741-3; Cosmographie of the World, 1669; History of Wirral; Notices of Sculptures in Ivory; History of the Convocation of the Province of Canterbury, 1702; Reasons for Abrogating the Test, 1678; Palestine Exploration Fund, Quarterly Statements, April and July, 1888; from Mr. SLOPER.

On a Hoard of Roman Coins found at East Harptree; from the Author, Mr. J. EVANS.

Three Successive Tours in the North of England and part of Scotland, 1795; Two Successive Tours throughout the whole of Wales, 1798; A General Account of all the Rivers of Note in Great Britain, 1801; all written by Henry Skrine, of Warley; from Mr. H. D. SKRINE.

Battleton Rectory.

Gerarde's Herball, 1636; The Booke of Common Prayer, 1604; The Workes of that famous Chirurgion Ambrose Parey, 1634; from Mr. Alford.

A Guide to Institutions for the Blind; Standing Orders of the First Somerset Militia; from Mr. Hammett.

Folio Bible, 1593; also, Seven Odes of Horace, turned into English; Seven more Odes; from the Author, Mr. SURTEES.

Poetical Amusement, by Wm. Meyler, of Bath, 1806; from Mr. Meyler.

Camden's Britannia, 1594; The Great Exemplar of Sanctity and Holy Life; XXVIII Sermons Preached at Golden Grove, by Jeremy Taylor, 1651; Military Memoirs of the Great Civil War; Eikon Bazilikæ; The Parable of the Pilgrim, by Simon Patrick; A History of Forde Abbey; Nightingale's Description of Somerset; from the Rev. J. W. WARD.

Rental Book of the Cistercian Abbey of Cupar Angus; Chronological Table and Index to the Statutes, 4th edition; from Mr. Chisholm-Batten.

The Taunton Gazette and Farmer's Journal, January to July, 1862; Journal of the Society of Arts, vols. xxii, xxv; from Mr. A. MAYNARD.

Dorsetshire: Its Ancient Remains; from Major NEWELL.

Captaine Martin Pringe, the last of the Elizabethan Seamen, from the Author, Dr. Pring.

The Cistercian Abbey of Stoneley-in-Arden; Some Account of Croyland Abbey; from the Rev. R. St. J. GRESLEY.

Anales del Museo Nacional Republica de Costa Rica, tomo. i, 1887.

The Dramatic Works of Edwin Atherstone; from the Editor, Miss M. E. ATHERSTONE.

Archaelogical Handbook and Map of Gloucestershire; from the Rev. W. E. BLATHWAYT.

Days Departed, or Banwell Hill; from Mr. J. TAYLOR. Sunlight; from the Author, Mr. H. P. MALET.

Received in Exchange for the Society's Preceedings:-

The Royal Archæological Institute of Great Britain and Ireland—Archæological Journal, nos. 175-8.

The British Archæological Association—Journal, vol. xliii, pt. 4; vol. xliv, pts. 1, 2, 3.

The Society of Antiquaries of London—Proceedings, vol. xi, no. 4; vol. xii, nos. 1, 2.

The Society of Antiquaries of Scotland-Proceedings, vol. xxi.

The Royal Irish Academy—Transactions, vol. xxix, pts. 1—4; Proceedings, vol. iv, ser. ii, pt. 6; vol. ii, ser. ii, pt. 8; vol. i, ser. iii, pt. 1. List of published papers. Cunningham Memoirs, no. 4.

The Royal Historical and Archæological Association of Ireland *Journal*, nos. 73-6.

The Associated Architectural Societies—Reports and Papers, 1887.

The Sussex Archæological Society—Collections, vols. xxviii, xxix, xxxvi.

The Suffolk Institute of Archæology and Natural History— Proceedings, vol. vi, pt. 3.

The Historic Society of Lancashire and Cheshire—Transactions, vols. xxxiii, xxxvi, xxxvii.

The Wiltshire Archæological and Natural History Society— Magazine, nos. 69, 70. The Flowering Plants of Wilts.

The London and Middlesex Archæological Society—Transactions, pt. 20.

The Plymouth Institution and Devon and Cornwall Natural History Society—Report, vol. x, pt. 1.

The Kent Archæological Society—Archæologia Cantiana, vol. xvii.

- The Bristol and Gloucestershire Archæological Society— Transactions, vol. xii; Analysis of the Domesday Survey of Gloucestershire.
- The Powys Land Club—Montgomeryshire Collections, vol. xxii, pts. 1, 3, 2.
- The Derbyshire Archæological and Natural History Society Journal, vol. x.
- The Shropshire Archæological and Natural History Society
   Transactions, vol. xi, nos. 2, 3.
- The Hertfordshire Natural History Society—Transactions, vol. ii, pts. 1—9; vol. iv, pt. 8; vol. v, pts. 1, 2, 3.
- The Essex Archæological Society—Transactions, vol. iii, pt. 3.
- The Leicestershire Architectural and Archæological Society
  —Transactions, vol. vi, pt. 5.
- The Royal Institution of Cornwall-Journal, vol. ix, pts. 2, 3.
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  —Records, vol. vi, no. 2.
- The Northamptonshire Naturalists' Society Journal, nos. 30-1-2.
- The Bath Natural History and Antiquarian Field Club— Proceedings, vol. vi, no. 3.
- The Geologists' Association—Proceedings, vol. x, nos. 3—8.
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- The Bristol Naturalists' Society—Proceedings, vol. v, pt. 3.
- The Literary and Philosophical Society of Manchester— Memoirs, vols. x, xxxi; Proceedings, vols. xxv, xxvi.
- The Barrow Naturalists' Field Club-Proceedings, no. 4.
- The Essex Field Club—Essex Naturalist, vol. i, no. 12; vol. ii, nos. 1—10.
- The Cambridge Antiquarian Society—Report, 1885-6; Mr. Essex's Journey through Flanders and France, 1773.

Chester Archæological and Historic Society—Journal, new series, vol. i.

Folk-Lore Society-Publications, vols. i-xxi.

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British Oribatidæ, vol. ii (Ray Society, 1887).

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Copy of the Commission of the Peace for the County of Somerset, 17th March, 1841.

Visitation of Worcestershire (Harleian Society).

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Strictures on Mr. Parkinson's Observations on the Nature and Cure of Gout, by Robt. Kinglake, 1807.

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Woodward's Geology of England and Wales.

Palæontological Memoirs of Hugh Falconer, two vols.

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History of the Old Church of St. John, Frome.

Whitaker's Almanack, 1889.

Woodforde's Treatise on Dispepsia.

Guide to Minehead.