

Additions to the Society's Museum and Library

During the Year 1898.

THE MUSEUM.

Colotype prints of Montacute House (two views); Lytes Cary, Barrington, Montacute Priory, and Brimpton d'Evercy (two views).—From Mr. PHELIPS.

Section of White Thorn Tree.

Small Earthen Vase containing documents found in the roof of the old Grammar School (now the Municipal Offices), Taunton, when the ceiling was removed in 1897.—Deposited by the TOWN COUNCIL.

Cast of a Stone in the porch of Holcombe Church.—From the Rev. ETHELBERT HORNE.

Plans of the Bell-chamber and Chime-chamber of the Tower of St. Mary's Church, Taunton.—From Mr. J. T. IRVINE.

Portrait of Joanna Southcott, engraved by Sharp, framed.—From the Rev. E. L. PENNY, D.D., R.N.

Portrait of Mr. E. A. Sanford, a past President of the Society, framed.—From Mr. C. TITE.

Crossbill, killed at Charlinch, September, 1898.—From the Rev. W. A. BELL.

Jubilee Medal, George III.—From Mr. H. B. INMAN.

Five Old Keys.—From Mr. THOMAS R. GREG.

Model in leather of the Tower of St. Mary's Church, Taunton, made by Wm. Weston, 1854.—From MAJOR WINTER.

Old Bench-end from Wotton Courtney (?)—From Mr. STANSELL.

Panel from the old Grammar School, Taunton, carved with the linen pattern.—From Mr. W. H. SMITH.

Three old Bottles, "J. Bicknell, Bradford," "R. Bricknel, 1768."—From Mr. S. LAWRENCE.

Bronze Celt.—(Purchased).

Powder Horn, early 19th Century.—From Mr. WILLIAM ADAMS.

THE LIBRARY.

List of Parish Registers and other Genealogical Works, edited by Fredk. A. Crisp.—From the Editor.

Leicester Literary and Philosophical Society, vol. iv, pts. 10, 11, 12 ; vol. v, pts. 1, 2.

The Retreat and other Poems ; Catalogue of Books in the Tavistock Library.—From the Rev. D. P. ALFORD.

On Terrestrial Saurians from the Rhætic of Wedmore Hill.—From Professor SEELEY.

Library Catalogue of the Surveyors' Institute.—From Mr. H. S. THOMPSON.

Calendar of Patent Rolls, Edw. IV, 1461—1467 ; Richard II, 1381—1385.—From the Deputy Keeper of the Public Records, in exchange.

Daily Weather Reports for 1897—1898 ; Report of the British Association, 1897.—From Dr. PRIOR.

Particulars of Sale of the Nunney Castle, and Langford Estates.—From Mr. WAINWRIGHT.

Reports on the Water Rights and Supply of Chard Borough.—From Mr. GILLINGHAM.

Three Manuscripts relating to the Tithes of Bridgwater, 1558 ; Accounts of the Water Bailiff of Bridgwater, 1550 ; Act for building a new Bridge over the River Parret at Bridgwater ; Plan and designs of New Bridge ; Articles of Agreement between the Coalbrookdale Iron Company, and the Corporation of Bridgwater, and sundry letters from the Company relating thereto, 1794-5 ; Turnpike Acts relating to Bridgwater, 1758, 1779 ; Turnpike Act, Minehead and West Somerset, 1765 ; Act for allotting certain Commons, called Chilton

Common, &c., 1798 ; Act for erecting a Market House, &c., at Bridgwater, 1779 ; a Bill for enlarging the Market House, Paving, Lighting, &c., the Streets of Bridgwater, 1820 ; an Act for Taxing Papists, 1723 ; an Act for the better regulation of Attorneys and Solicitors, 1729 ; an Act for Naturalising Princess Sophia ; several Acts on Excise Duties, on Coal, Cyder, &c., 1705 ; better security of Her Majesty's Person, 1705 ; Recruiting, 1705 ; Mutiny and Desertion, 1705 ; and others of a general public nature.—From the Rev. J. A. WELSH COLLINS.

Yorkshire Philosophical Society. *Report for 1897.*

Somerset Mediæval Libraries.—From the author, Mr. T. W. WILLIAMS.

Report of the Bureau of Agriculture, Montana.

Notes on the Romano-British Settlement of Chigwell, Essex.—From the author Mr. J. CHALKLEY-GOULD.

On a late Celtic Bronze Collar, from Wrazall, Somerset.—From Mr. A. C. PASS.

Norton-sub-Hamdon.—From the author Mr. C. TRASK.

Wincanton Field Club, Eighth and Ninth Annual Reports.—From Mr. SWEETMAN.

Wyclif's Latin Works: De Logica, vol. iii.—From Mr. STANDERWICK.

Journal of the Oxford Brass Rubbing Society, Nos. 1, 2, 3.

Records of the Rawle Family.—From the author Mr. E. J. RAWLE.

Archæologia, vols. 1, 13, 14, 15, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 36 (ii), 37 (i), 37 (ii), 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45.—From Lt.-Col. BRAMBLE.

Revista do Museu Nacional do Rio de Janeiro, vol. i.

Ceylon Handbook and Directory, 1894.—From Mr. KNIGHT.

Royal Societies Club, Rules and Members.—From the SECRETARY.

British Record Society: Bristol Wills, 1572 to 1792 ; and Wills in the Great Orphan Books, 1379 to 1674.

Wedmore Chronicle, vol. ii, no. 6.

Famous Houses of Bath and their Occupants.—From the author, Mr. J. F. MEEHAN.

Castle Cary Visitor, January to December, 1898, 12 nos.—From Mr. MACMILLAN.

Instincts and Habits of the Solitary Wasps; Forestry Conditions of Northern Wisconsin.—From the Wisconsin Geological and Natural History Survey.

Received from Societies in Correspondence for the Exchange of Publications.

Royal Archæological Institute—*Archæological Journal*, nos. 216, 217, 218, 219.

British Archæological Association—*Journal*, new series, vol. iii, pts. 3, 4; vol. iv, pts. 1, 2, 3.

British Association—*Report*, 1897.

Society of Antiquaries of Scotland—*Proceedings*, vol. xxxi.

Royal Irish Academy—*Transactions*, vol. xxxi, pts. 1–6; *Proceedings*, vol. iv, nos. 4, 5; vol. v, no. 1; *List of Members*.

Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland—*Journal*, vol. vii, pts. 3, 4; vol. viii, pts. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Suffolk Institute of Archæology and Natural History—*Proceedings*, vol. ix, pt. 3; vol. x, pt. 1.

Associated Societies—*Reports and Papers*, vol. xxiii, pt. 2; vol. xxiv, pt. 1.

Sussex Archæological Society—*Collections*, vol. xli.

Surrey Archæological Society—*Collections*, vol. xiv, pt. 1.

Lancashire and Cheshire Historic Society—vol. xii.

Wiltshire Archæological and Natural History Society—*Magazine*, nos. 88, 89, 90; *Abstract of Wiltshire Inquisitiones Post Mortem, Charles I*, pts. 5, 6; *Catalogue of Drawings, Prints, and Maps in the Library at Devizes*.

London and Middlesex Archæological Society—*Transactions*, vol. i, pt. 2.

Plymouth Institution and Devon and Cornwall Natural History Society—*Report*, vol. xii, pt. 4.

- Kent Archæological Society—*Archæologia Cantiana*, vol. xxiii.
- Bristol and Gloucestershire Archæological Society—*Transactions*, vol. xx, pt. 2; *Catalogue of Books, etc., in the Library.*
- Powys Land Club—*Montgomeryshire Collections*, vol. xxx, pts. 1, 2.
- Shropshire Archæological and Natural History Society—*Transactions*, vol. x, pts. 1, 2, 3, 4.
- Hertfordshire Natural History Society—*Transactions*, vol. ix, pts. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9.
- Essex Archæological Society—*Transactions*, vol. vi, pt. 4; vol. vii, pts. 1, 2.
- Leicestershire Architectural and Archæological Society—*Transactions*, vol. viii, pt. 5.
- Royal Institution of Cornwall—*Journal*, vol. xiii, pts. 2, 3.
- Yorkshire Archæological Society—*Journal*, pts. 56, 57, 58; *List of Members; Catalogue of Library.*
- Northamptonshire Naturalists' Society—*Journal*, nos. 69, 70, 71, 72.
- Geologists' Association—*Proceedings*, vol. xv, pts. 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10; *List of Members, Feb., 1898.*
- Royal Dublin Society—*Transactions*, vol. v, pt. 13; vol. vi, pts. 2—13; *Proceedings*, vol. viii, pt. 5.
- Bristol Naturalists' Society—*Proceedings*, vol. viii, pt. 2; *List of Members.*
- Liverpool Literary and Philosophical Society—*Proceedings*, vol. 52.
- Manchester Literary and Philosophical Society—*Proceedings*, vol. xlii, pts. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5; *List of Members.*
- Essex Field Club—*Essex Naturalist*, vol. x, nos. 5—16.
- Society of Antiquaries of Newcastle-upon-Tyne—*Archæologia Æliana*, vol. xix, pt. 3; *Warkworth Parish Registers*, pt. 2.
- Cambridge Antiquarian Society—*The Priory of St. Radegund, Cambridge; List of Members, 1898; Communications*, no. 39; *Index to Reports and Proceedings, 1840-97.*

- Clifton Antiquarian Club—*Proceedings*, vol. iv, pt. 1.
- Thoresby Society—vol. vii, pt. 3 ; vol. viii, pt. 1 ; vol. ix, pt. 1.
- The Reliquary and Illustrated Archæologist—vol. iv, nos. 1, 2, 3, 4 ; vol. v, no. 1.
- Royal University of Christiania—Four publications.
- Smithsonian Institution, Washington, U.S.—*Report of the U.S. National Museum, 1895 ; Proceedings of the U.S. National Museum*, vol. xix.
- Bureau of American Ethnology—*Sixteenth Report, 1897*.
- Essex Institute, Salem, Mass.—*Bulletin*, vol. xxvi, nos. 4—12 ; vol. xxvii, nos. 1—12 ; vol. xxviii, nos. 1—6 ; vol. xxix, nos. 1—6.
- New England Historic Genealogical Society, Boston, U.S.—*Register*, nos. 205, 206, 207, 208 ; *Proceedings, 1898 ; Index to Testators in Waters's Genealogical Gleanings in England*.
- Academy of Natural Sciences, Philadelphia, U.S.—*Proceedings, 1897*, pts. 2, 3 ; 1898, pts. 1, 2.
- University of California—*Report, 1896 ; Register, 1896-7* ; and various pamphlets on Agriculture and Vine Culture.
- Canadian Institute—*Transactions*, no. 10, vol. v, pt. 2 ; *Supplement to no. 9*, vol. v, pt. 1 ; *Proceedings*, vol. i, pts. 4, 5, 6.
- Novia Scotian Institute—vol. ix, pt. 3.
- Société Vaudoise des Sciences Naturelles, Lausanne—*Bulletin*, nos. 125, 126, 127, 128, 129.
- University of Upsala—*Bulletin of the Geological Institution*, vol. iii, pts. 1, 2.
- Société Archéologique de Bordeaux—*Bulletin*, tome xxi, fas. 1, 2, 3, 4.

Purchased :

- Harleian Society—*Registers of St. George's, Hanover Square*, vol. iv ; *Visitation of Cambridge*.
- Oxford Historical Society—*Hearne's Collections*, vol. iv ; *Epistolæ Academicæ, Oxon*, 2 vols.

Palæontographical Society, vol. lii, 1898.

Ray Society, vol. for 1895—*Tailless Batrachians of Europe*,
pts. 1, 2.

Early English Text Society, nos. 110, 111.

Pipe Roll Society, vol. xxiii.

Somerset and Dorset Notes and Queries, pts. 40, 41, 42, 43, 44.

Somerset Record Society—*Somersetshire Pleas, Civil and
Criminal*.

Whitaker's *Almanack*, 1898.

Glastonbury: An Address by the Bishop of Stepney.

Illustrated Guide to St. Dunstons Drew.

The Last Abbot of Glastonbury.

History of Northumberland, vol. iv.

*Monastic Remains of the Religious Houses of Witham, Bruton
and Stavordale*, by Sir R. C. Hoare.

The Antiquary, vol. 23 to 35.

*Gentleman's Magazine Library, Shropshire and Somersetshire
volume.*

Burke's *Extinct Peerages and Extinct Baronetcies*, 2 vols.

The Note Book of Tristram Risdon, 1608-28.

Thring's Addresses.

The Ancient Cornish Drama, by Edwin Norris, 2 vols.

British Birds, with Illustrations by Frohawk, 6 vols, 4to.

Barrett's *Highways, Byways and Waterways.*

Somerset Parish Registers, vols. i, 2.

English Dialect Dictionary, pts. 1 to 6.

Second Letter to the Archbishop of Canterbury, being an exposure
of the Rev. W. Goude's Book, by Rev. C. S. Grueber.

Poems and Letters by Miss Bowdler, Bath, 1809.

Webster's Elements of Mechanical and Chemical Philosophy,
Taunton, 18—

Butcher's Excursion from Sidmouth to Chester, 1803.

Pen Pictures of Popular English Preachers, Rev. W. Jay,
Bath.

Crutwell's Universal Gazetteer, 4 vols., Bath, 1808.