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NEW SOUTH WALES.

AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM.

(REPORT FROM TRUSTEES FOR 1867.)

Presented to Parliament, pursuant to Act 17 Vict., No. 2, Sec. 9.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES OF THE AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM, FOR THE
YEAR ENDING 31ST OF DECEMBER, 1867.

TO HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-IN-CHIEF,
&c., &c., &c.

1. The Trustees of the Australian Museum have the honor to submit to Your Excellency this their Fourteenth Annual Report.

2. The Museum has been open to the public daily (Sundays excepted) during the past year, and has been visited by 83,610 persons.

3. The system of exchanging specimens of natural history with the principal Foreign Museums is still maintained by the Trustees, who have received several valuable collections during the past year, a list of which is appended. (*Appendix No. 2.*)

4. Numerous donations have been received during the year, a list of which is appended. (*Appendix No. 3.*)

5. In Appendix No. 4 will be found a list of the various objects sent in exchange, together with the names of the recipients.

6. Several valuable works, purchased out of the Endowment Fund, have been added to the Museum Library, a list of which is appended. (*Appendix No. 5.*)

7. Three experienced Taxidermists have been occupied during the year in preparing and mounting the following specimens:—

54 mammals,

143 birds,

10 reptiles,

23 skeletons of mammals and birds,—

and in cleaning, and preserving from decay, the collection already displayed for public inspection.

8. The Trustees have to record the re-election, as a Member of their Board, of Alexander Walker Scott, Esq., M.A.

9. The Trustees have to report that the work of forming a Catalogue of the Specimens in the Museum is still carried on, and that the part containing the Geological and Mineralogical Collection is ready for the press. They wish also to draw attention to paragraph 9 of last year's Report, stating that the first edition of the Catalogue was out of print, and that a second enlarged edition was urgently required. It would be very desirable to print such portions of the Catalogue as may be finished from time to time—in particular, the List of Minerals, Fossils, and Geological Specimens,

which would be of great assistance to persons interested in mining. The very limited sum placed at the command of the Trustees prevents them from carrying out this plan, and they suggest that application be renewed to the Government to have the Catalogue printed at the Government Printing Office free of expense.

10. The sum of £1,000 (one thousand pounds) voted by the Legislature will shortly be due to the contractor, for cabinets erected in the two north rooms on the ground floor; and a further sum of £1,000 (one thousand pounds) will be required to supply cases for the south rooms.

11. The first floor has been partly fitted up with cabinets, &c., for which a sum of £300 (three hundred pounds) was advanced from the Endowment Fund; so that the building was opened to the public during the Christmas holidays, when more than 10,000 (ten thousand) visitors passed through the Museum.

The space which the collection now occupies is more than twice the size of the old building; and to keep so large an addition clean and in repair, it will be necessary to provide additional funds.

12. The Trustees desire to point out the necessity of providing workshops for the taxidermists and carpenters outside the building, and of erecting quarters for the messenger.

13. Mr. George Masters, the Assistant Curator, has visited Tasmania, and collected a large number of valuable specimens; so that the Fauna of that Island is now well represented in the Museum. A list of the collections thus made during the year is appended. (*Appendix No. 6.*)

14. Appendix No. 1 contains an abstract of the receipts and payments of the Trustees on behalf of the Museum, for the year ending 31st December, 1867.

15. Appendix No. 2 contains a list of the specimens received in exchange.

16. Appendix No. 3 contains a list of the various donations during the year, with the names of the donors.

17. Appendix No. 4 contains a list of the specimens sent in exchange to various persons and institutions.

18. Appendix No. 5 contains a list of the books purchased for the Museum Library.

19. Appendix No. 6 contains a list of the specimens collected by Mr. George Masters, Assistant Curator.

20. The Trustees have the honor to submit this their Report for the year 1867; and, in testimony thereof, have caused their corporate Seal to be hereunto affixed, this 7th day of September, 1868.

(L.S.) W. B. CLARKE,
Chairman.

By order of the Board of Trustees,—

GERARD KREFFT,
Curator and Secretary.

APPENDIX No. 1.

CURRENT EXPENDITURE of the Trustees of the Australian Museum, during the Year 1867.

1867.		£	s.	d.	1867.		£	s.	d.	
Jan. 1	To Balance	70	1	2	Dec. 31	By Salaries during the year...	1,229	12	0	
" 8	" Cash, Col. Treasury...	208	6	8	"	" Requisites for Taxidermist's department	135	10	4	
" 5	" " Paris Exhibition	75	0	0	"	" Carriage, freight, postage, &c.	155	1	5	
" 14	" " Col. Treasury...	250	0	0	"	" Raw material, &c. for cabinets and fittings of New Wing of the Museum	184	9	0	
Mar. 5	" " "...	999	19	11	"	" Glass, and construction of do.	118	17	2	
Apl. 9	" " "...	250	0	0	"	" Stationery	32	1	10	
" 10	" " "...	324	19	11	"	" Books and periodicals	44	9	0	
July 10	" " "...	250	0	0	"	" Purchase of specimens	32	9	6	
Aug. 15	" " "...	166	13	3	"	" Travelling expenses	91	0	6	
Oct. 5	" " Sale of Catalogues	8	13	9	"	" Keeping grounds in order, and cleaning the Museum	50	14	0	
" 5	" " Col. Treasury	250	0	0	"	" Wood and coal	3	13	6	
Dec. 1	" per Dr. Mueller	10	0	0	"	" Photographic Lens	8	10	0	
					"	" Balance	777	6	5	
1868.		£	2,863	14	8					
Jan. 1	To Balance	£	777	6	5		£	2,863	14	8

Australian Museum,
Sydney, 7 September, 1868.

GERARD KREFFT,
Curator and Secretary.

APPENDIX No. 2.

LIST OF SPECIMENS RECEIVED IN EXCHANGE, DURING THE YEAR 1867.

From India.

From Allan Hume, Esq., C.B., Agra.

Turtur pumilus	1	Anthropoides virgo	2
Lanius hardwickii	2	Urrua coromanda	3
Agrodroma sordida	2	Haliastur fulviventer	2
Pycnorhis sinensis	1	Falcinellus igneus	2
Cypselus affinis	1	Herodias alba	1
Ruticilla phœniceurides	1	Perdicula cambeyensis	4
Sturnus vulgaris	1	Hoplopterus ventralis	2
Dicrurus longicaudatus	1	Columba intermedia	1
Turtur cambeyensis	2	Graucalus macei	2
Coccyzus melanoleucos	3	Saxicola	1
Falco jugger	4	Motacilla maderaspatana	1
Urrua bengalensis	2	Hypotrionchis chicquera	2
Spatula clypeata	2	Chettusia leucura	2
Ketupa ceylonensis	1	Ceryle rudis	3
Grammatoptila striata	2	Querquedula ciria	1
Aquila fulvescens	1	Pterocles arenarius	1
Sterna javanica	1	Eudynamis orientalis	6
Actitis glareola	1	Yunx torquilla	3
Rhynchops albicollis	2	Dendrocygna awauree	2
Palæornis schisticeps	1	Pericrocotus brevirostris	4
Circus æruginosus	2	Parus cinereus	1
Cotyle concolor	1	Crocopus chlorogaster	1
Centropus rufipennis	1	Caprimulgus albonotatus	1
Corvus culminatus	2	Totanus calidris	2
Chettusia gregaria	2	Chibia hottentota	2
Corvus splendens	1	Chaulelasmus streperus	1
Strix javanica	1	Tephrodornis pontificiana	2
Dicrurus macrocerus	2	Turtur suratensis	2
Cursorius coromandelicus	2	Garrulus lanceolatus	2
Lanius erythronotus	1	Myiophorus temminckii	3
Philomachus pugnax	2	Anas clypeata	1
Dicrurus macrocerus	1	Merula boulboul	3
Querquedula crecca	2	Pycnorhis sinensis	1
Seena aurantia	2	Petrocoscyphus cyaneus	2
Ninox scutellatus	1	Tringa minuta	2
Sarcophorus bilobus	1	Orocetes erythrogastra	3
Haliastur indus	1	Brachypternus hurantius	3
Limosa regicephala	1	Glareola lactea	1
Himantopus candidus	2	Cyanops asiaticus	1
Edicnemus crepitans	1	Hirundo rustica	1
Eupodotis edwardsii	2	Saxicola picata	1
Graculus carbo	2	Tchitrea paradisi	4
Anastomas oscitans	1	Oticompa leucotis	2
Nisateus bonellii	3	Haleyon smyrensis	1
Casarca rutila	1	Actitis hypoleucos	2
Micronis badius	3	Sturnus vulgaris	1
Tinnunculus alaudarius	3	Ruticilla rufiventris	4
Anas boschas	2	Merops viridis	2

APPENDIX No. 2—continued.

<i>Tringa cinclus</i>	2	<i>Angrodroma campestris</i>	2
<i>Pastor roseus</i>	3	<i>Carpodacus erythrinus</i>	3
<i>Pycnonotus hamorhous</i>	2	<i>Ploceus baya</i>	1
<i>Pratincola cuprata</i>	2	<i>Gallinago scolopacinus</i>	1
<i>Acridotheres ginginianus</i>	1	<i>Xanthiolema indica</i>	2
<i>Cercomela fusca</i>	2	<i>Saxicola picata</i>	2
<i>Totanus glottis</i>	2	<i>Graeculus javanicus</i>	2
<i>Branta rufina</i>	2	<i>Upupa nigripennis</i>	1
<i>Brachypternus chrysonotus</i>	1	<i>Trochalopteron erythrocephalum</i>	2
<i>Palaeornis schisticeps</i>	1	<i>Eumyias melanops</i>	2
<i>Hiorococcyx varius</i>	3	<i>Hydrophasianus chirurgus</i>	2
<i>Actitis ochropus</i>	1	<i>Turtur meena</i>	2
<i>Athene brama</i>	3	<i>Sarciophorus bilobus</i>	1
<i>Oriolus kundoo</i>	4	<i>Palaeornis alexandri</i>	2
<i>Palaeornis rosa</i>	3	<i>Querquedula cirica</i>	3
<i>Pipaster maculatus</i>	1	<i>Smyrniun ocellatum</i>	3
<i>Tephrodornis pondiceriana</i>	2	<i>Poliarius teesa</i>	1
<i>Chatarrhoea caudata</i>	3	<i>Merops philipensis</i>	1
<i>Budytes viridis</i>	1	<i>Merula bouboul</i>	2
<i>Sibia capistrata</i>	3	<i>Esacus recurvirostris</i>	1
<i>Pericrocotus speciosus</i>	3	<i>Grus cinereus</i>	2
<i>Garrulax albogularis</i>	1	<i>Herodias gazetta</i>	2
<i>Garrulus bispecularis</i>	1	<i>Circus swainsonii</i>	3
<i>Acridotheres tristis</i>	1	<i>Nycticorax griseus</i>	2
<i>Pericrocotus perigrinus</i>	4	<i>Totanus fuscus</i>	3
<i>Euspizia luteola</i>	1	<i>Ardea cinerea</i>	1
<i>Leucocerca albo-frontata</i>	2	<i>Platalea leucorodia</i>	1
<i>Copsychus saularis</i>	3	<i>Phenicopterus roseus</i>	1
<i>Sitta castaneiventris</i>	4	<i>Dafila acuta</i>	3
<i>Leucocerca</i>	1	<i>Anas pœclorhyncha</i>	2
<i>Lanius solitara</i>	1	<i>Anser indicus</i>	2
<i>Sturnapaster contra</i>	2	<i>Sarkidiornis melanotus</i>	3
<i>Saxicola deserti</i>	3	<i>Circetus gallicus</i>	2
<i>Eumyias melanops</i>	2	<i>Dendrocitta rufa</i>	1
<i>Pastor pagodarum</i>	1	<i>Elanus melanopterus</i>	2
<i>Turtur humilis</i>	2	<i>Gecinus occipitalis</i>	1
<i>Picus brunneifrons</i>	1	<i>Gallinago scolopacinus</i>	1
<i>Gloreola lactea</i>	2	<i>Poliornis teesa</i>	1
<i>Dicrurus corulecens</i>	1	<i>Cacabis chukor</i>	1
<i>Arochnechthira asiatica</i>	3	<i>Otus brachyotus</i>	1
<i>Munia malabarica</i>	1	<i>Erasmus recurvirostris</i>	1
<i>Alcedo bengalensis</i>	1	<i>Taccocua affinis</i>	1
<i>Trochalopteron lineatum</i>	2	<i>Sphenocercus sphenurus</i>	2
<i>Cryptolopha cinereo-capilla</i>	1	<i>Caprinulgus indicus</i>	2
<i>Picus maharattensis</i>	1	<i>Megalaima virens</i>	2
<i>Actitis ochropus</i>	1	<i>Meniceros bicornis</i>	3
<i>Egitelitis containus</i>	2	<i>Numenius arquata</i>	1
<i>Colobatas sulphurea</i>	1	<i>Urocissa occipitalis</i>	1
<i>Hirundo daurica</i>	4	<i>Anser cinereus</i>	2
<i>Thamnobia cambaiensis</i>	2	<i>Oreocincla dauma</i>	2
<i>Passer indicus</i>	2	<i>Vanellus cristatus</i>	1
<i>Passer flavicollis</i>	2	<i>Melophus melanicterus</i>	1

LIST OF BIRDS' EGGS RECEIVED FROM MR. C. BAUMEISTER, OF SACHSENRIED, BAVARIA.

<i>Aquila albicilla</i>	1	<i>Regulus flaviicapillus</i>	2
<i>Falco buteo</i>	13	<i>Cinclus aquaticus</i>	1
<i>Buteo lagopus</i>	1	<i>Motacilla alba</i>	18
<i>Pernis apivorus</i>	1	<i>Motacilla sulphurea</i>	5
<i>Astur palumbarius</i>	2	<i>Anthus pratensis</i>	3
<i>Astur nisus</i>	5	<i>Anthus arboreus</i>	5
<i>Milvus regalis</i>	1	<i>Emberiza militaria</i>	2
<i>Milvus ater</i>	1	<i>Emberiza citrinella</i>	12
<i>Falco cenchris</i>	1	<i>Alauda arvensis</i>	7
<i>Falco tinunculus</i>	3	<i>Fringilla coelebs</i>	12
<i>Strix scops</i>	1	<i>Fringilla domestica</i>	16
<i>Lanius rufus</i>	3	<i>Fringilla montana</i>	5
<i>Lanius excubitor</i>	5	<i>Fringilla chloris</i>	10
<i>Lanius collurio</i>	25	<i>Parus palustris</i>	5
<i>Pica varia</i>	6	<i>Parus ater</i>	12
<i>Corvus glandarius</i>	6	<i>Parus major</i>	24
<i>Corvus cornix</i>	1	<i>Parus cœruleus</i>	9
<i>Corvus corone</i>	5	<i>Certhia familiaris</i>	24
<i>Corvus frugilegus</i>	1	<i>Troglodytes parvulus</i>	12
<i>Corvus monedula</i>	3	<i>Hirundo riparia</i>	8
<i>Oriolus galbula</i>	4	<i>Hirundo urbana</i>	8
<i>Turdus viscivorus</i>	7	<i>Hirundo rustica</i>	10
<i>Turdus musicus</i>	10	<i>Coracias garrula</i>	2
<i>Turdus iliacus</i>	1	<i>Alcedo ispida</i>	1
<i>Turdus torquatus</i>	2	<i>Picus canus</i>	5
<i>Turdus merula</i>	14	<i>Picus martius</i>	1
<i>Saxicola rubetra</i>	4	<i>Picus medius</i>	2
<i>Sylvia tithys</i>	5	<i>Picus major</i>	12
<i>Sylvia phœnicurus</i>	11	<i>Columba ænea</i>	3
<i>Sylvia rubecula</i>	12	<i>Columba palumbus</i>	2
<i>Sylvia rufa</i>	9	<i>Tetrao tetrix</i>	1
<i>Sylvia trochilus</i>	3	<i>Perdix saxatilis</i>	1
<i>Sylvia sibilatrix</i>	2	<i>Perdix coturnix</i>	3
<i>Strix otus</i>	1	<i>Scolopax rusticola</i>	2
<i>Sylvia nisoria</i>	2	<i>Scolopax gallinago</i>	1
<i>Sylvia hortensis</i>	4	<i>Totanus calidris</i>	2

BIRDS' EGGS—continued.

Totanus hypoleucus	5	Larus tridactylus	1
Tringa pugnax	1	Anas crecca	2
Hematopus ostralegus	2	Anas mollissima	1
Charadrius pluvialis	1	Anas tadorna	1
Charadrius minor	2	Anas penelope	2
Vanellus cristatus	8	Podiceps cristatus	2
Streptopelia interpres	1	Mormon fratercula	1
Circus cinerea	1	Numenius arquatus	1
Rallus crex	1	Perdix cinerea	2
Gallinula porzana	2	Alca torda	1
Gallinula chloropus	8	Strix aluco	1
Fulica atra	4	Larus melanocephalus	1
Lestris catarrhactes	1	Corvus corax	1
Sterna nigra	2	Podiceps minor	2
Sterna hirundo	40	Sitta cæsia	1
Sterna anglica	40	Sylvia atricapilla	2
Sterna minuta	3	Sylvia	1
Larus ridibundus	5	Sturnus vulgaris	12

Australian Museum,
Sydney, 7 September, 1868.

GERARD KREFFT,
Curator and Secretary.

APPENDIX No. 3,

DONATIONS TO THE AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM, DURING THE YEAR 1867.

MAMMALIA.

PRESENTED BY

A Dasyurus (<i>Dasyurus viverrinus</i>)	Mr. M'Intosh.
A Rat (<i>Hapalotis</i>)	Mr. R. D. Fitzgerald.
A small Pony (<i>Equus caballus</i>)	Mr. Burt.
A Black Wallaroo (<i>Osphranter robustus</i>)	Mr. Ed. S. Hill.
A Water Rat (<i>Hydromys leucogaster</i>)	Mr. J. Lemon.
A Tree Rat (<i>Hapalotis arboricola</i>)	Mr. F. Lemon.
A Dasyurus (<i>Dasyurus viverrinus</i>)	Mr. M'Intosh.
A Flying Fox (<i>Pteropus poliocephalus</i>)	Mr. Ed. S. Hill.
A Black Wallaby (<i>Halmaturus ualabatus</i>)	From Botanical Gardens.
A Ring-tailed Opossum (<i>Phalangista cookii</i>)	
A Dasyure (<i>Dasyurus maculatus</i>)	Dr. Ward.
A Water Rat (<i>Hydromys leucogaster</i>)	Mr. B. P. Rodd.
A large Bloodhound	Mr. Thos. Allen.
A Perameles (<i>Perameles nasuta</i>)	Mr. Ed. Hill.
A Flying Squirrel—white variety	Mr. J. W. Edwards.
A Flying Squirrel (<i>Belideus breviceps</i>)	Mr. J. E. Fassnidge.
A Porcupine Ant-eater (<i>Echidna hystrix</i>)	From Manly Beach.
A Porcupine Ant-eater (<i>Echidna hystrix</i>)	Mr. R. S. Watson.
Two Wallabys (<i>Halmaturus ualabatus</i>)	From Botanical Gardens.
A Dasyure (<i>Dasyurus viverrinus</i>)	Mr. Dumaresq.
A Tasmanian Tiger (<i>Thylacinus cynocephalus</i>)	Mrs. J. C. Cox.
Two Skulls of Australian Aborigines	Mr. W. Allen.

BIRDS.

Four Ducks (<i>Spatula rhyncotis</i> , <i>Malacorhynchus membranaceus</i>) and an Ibis (<i>Geronticus spinicollis</i>)	Mr. Josephson.
A collection of Parrots and Finches from Queensland	Mr. E. Eastway.
A Cassowary (<i>Casuarius johnsonii</i>)	Mr. J. R. Johnson.
A Pheasant	By the Council of the Acclimatisation Society, and from the Botanical Gardens.
An Adjutant Bird	
A Common Pheasant	
A Lemur	
A Parrot	
A pair of Soemmerring Pheasants	
Four Mandarin Ducks	
A Bustard (<i>Eupodotis australis</i>)	
A Parrot	
A Lyre Bird	
A Cockatoo	Mr. J. Ellery.
A Goatsucker	
An Indian Stork	
Two Pheasants	
A Duck (<i>Anas superciliosa</i>)	
A Fishing Eagle (<i>Ichthyatus leucogaster</i>)	
An Owl (<i>Athene connivens</i>)	
A Parrakeet (<i>Melopsittacus undulatus</i>)	
A Pelican (<i>Pelecanus conspicillatus</i>)	
A Musk Duck (<i>Biziura lobata</i>)	
A Parrakeet	Mrs. E. Whitfield.
Five Australian Ducks (<i>Spatula rhyncotis</i> , and <i>Malacorhynchus membranaceus</i>)	
A Canary	
A Black-necked Ibis (<i>Threskiornis strictipennis</i>)	
Two Hawks (<i>Astur nova-hollandia</i>) from Queensland, and (<i>Buza sub-cristata</i>)	
Ten Birds' Nests	
Two Birds (<i>Dicaeum hirundinaceum</i>)	
A Parrakeet (<i>Platycercus eximius</i>)	
An Apteryx (<i>Apteryx australis</i>)	
A rare variety of the Domestic Pigeon	

BIRDS—continued.

A Quail	PRESENTED BY His Excellency Sir John Young, Bart., K.C.B.
A Hawk (<i>Hieracidea occidentalis</i>).....	Master Blaxland.
A Honey-eater (<i>Ptilotis</i>)	Miss Wyatt.
A Parrot (<i>Psittacus</i>)	Mr. E. Dunn.
Nests and Eggs of Australian Birds	Mr. W. Allen.
A collection of Eggs—Australian Birds	

REPTILES.

A Tree Snake (<i>Dendrophis punctulata</i>).....	Mr. B. C. Rodd.
A Collection of Reptiles from Hunter's Hill	Mr. J. Seymour.
A Banded Snake (<i>Vermicella annulata</i>)	Mr. J. Cook.
A Diamond Snake (<i>Morelia spilotes</i>)	Mr. Burt.
A Snake (<i>Diemenia psammophis</i>)	Mr. G. Fitzhardinge.
A Black and White Banded Snake (<i>Vermicella annulata</i>).....	Mr. S. Woodroffe.
Four Australian Reptiles (Lizards)	Mr. E. Dunn.
A Sea Snake	Mr. G. Strong.
A Diamond Snake (<i>Morelia spilotes</i>)	Mr. M. Clarke.
A Black Snake (<i>Pseudechis porphyriacus</i>)	Mr. Creeg.
A Collection of Reptiles.....	Mr. J. F. Josephson.
A Lizard (<i>Grammatophora barbata</i>).....	Mr. F. R. Firth.
A Black Snake (<i>Pseudechis porphyriacus</i>)	Mr. J. E. Fassnidge.
A Lizard (<i>Hinulia whitei</i>)	Mr. J. L. Dole.
A Small Ring Snake (<i>Vermicella annulata</i>).....	Mr. W. C. Shorland.
A Collection of Lizards' Eggs.....	Mr. J. S. Bray.
A Sleeping Lizard (<i>Cyclodus gigas</i>)	Mr. Bradley.
A Sleeping Lizard (<i>Cyclodus gigas</i>)	Mr. W. Davison.
A Lizard (<i>Hydrosaurus varius</i>)	Mr. J. Crossley.
A Brown Snake (<i>Diemenia superciliosa</i>)	Mr. J. B. Holdsworth.
A Lace Lizard (<i>Hydrosaurus varius</i>)	Mr. Thos. Patterson.
Four Lizards (<i>Hinulia</i>)	Mr. S. Pierce.
A Lizard (<i>Phyllurus</i>)	Mr. A. W. Scott, M.A.

FISHES.

A young Angel Shark	Mr. L. Assenheim.
A Fish (<i>Prichanthus</i>)	Mr. W. Buchanan.
A Silver Eel (<i>Muraena</i>)	Mr. J. Islay.
A Fish	Mr. W. Emlyn.
A Fish (<i>Prichanthus</i>)	Mr. E. Lander.
A Fish	Captain Geo. Banks.
A Fish (<i>Caranx</i>)	Mr. John Hubaw.
A Fish (<i>Prichanthus</i>)	Mr. W. Macleay, M.L.A., F.L.S.
A Shark (<i>Carcharias</i>).....	Mr. Ed. Seymour.
A Fish (<i>Serranus</i>)	Mr. J. S. Andrews.
Two rare Fishes (<i>Fistularia</i>)	Mr. F. O'Brien.
A Fish (<i>Prichanthus</i>)	Mr. G. H. Jones.
A Shark (<i>Carcharias</i>).....	Mr. Dobson.
A Fish (<i>Batrachus</i>).....	Mr. Hargraves.
A Shark (<i>Squatina vulgaris</i>)	Mr. Fitzhardinge.
A Fish (<i>Diodon</i>)	Mr. Centy.
Two Golden Carp (<i>Cyprinus aurantius</i>)	Mrs. Harrison.
Two Fishes (<i>Centropomus</i>)	Mrs. Harrison.
A Golden Carp (<i>Cyprinus aurantius</i>)	Mr. G. Sirkitt.
A Golden Carp (<i>Cyprinus aurantius</i>)	Mrs. J. Gorrick.
Jaw of a Shark (<i>Carcharias</i>).....	Mrs. W. Wright.
A Fish (<i>Centropogon</i>).....	Mr. J. Duffy.
A Port Jackson Fish (<i>Julis</i>)	Mr. E. Dunn.
A Golden Carp (<i>Cyprinus aurantius</i>)	Mr. L. Hordern.

MOLLUSCS.

A Collection of Shells.....	Mrs. Dido.
A Shell (<i>Tridacna</i>).....	Captain Fairclough.
A Collection of Shells.....	Mr. W. Allen.
A Nudibranchiate Mollusc.....	Mr. L. Hordern.
A Collection of Shells.....	Mr. J. Brazier.

INSECTS.

A Phasma	Captain Fairclough.
A Phasma	Mr. D. D. Rutledge.
Three Beetles	Mr. Fassnidge.
A Phasma.....	Mr. R. Cooper.

RADIATED ANIMALS.

A piece of Coral	Mr. Higginbotham.
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POLYPI.

A Species of Pennatula	Mr. H. B. Dobson.
A Sea Feather (<i>Pennatula</i>)	Mr. J. Brazier.

GEOLOGY AND MINERALOGY.

A piece of Copper Ore	Dr. George Bennett.
The Ear-bone of a Fossil Whale, from East Suffolk	Mr. J. A. Edwards.
A Collection of Fossils	Mr. J. Wallis.
Two fossil teeth of a species of Shark	Mr. J. Brazier.
A piece of a tusk of an extinct Elephant (probably <i>Elephas primigenius</i>)	Captain Crook.
A fossil Shell	Mr. G. R. Drovers.
A specimen of Quartz.....	Mr. R. A. Catter.
Specimens of Silver and Copper Ore from the Burnett District	Mr. G. Walker.

ETHNOGRAPHICAL SPECIMENS.		PRESENTED BY
A Fiji man's Wig	}	Mr. J. Harman.
A gigantic Feasting Bowl, and a Collection of Weapons and Implements from the South Sea Islands		Mr. Thos. Brown.
Two Carved Ornaments		Captain J. W. Clarke.
A Seal-gut Jacket		Mr. V. Dowling.
Two Stone Implements from the Paroo		

COINS.

A Collection of Silver and Copper Coins.....	Mr. Delarue.
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MISCELLANEOUS.

The Model of a Church	Mr. W. H. Cross.
Samples of Silk	Miss M. H. Moore.

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APPENDIX No. 4.

LIST OF SPECIMENS SENT IN EXCHANGE TO VARIOUS INSTITUTIONS,
DURING THE YEAR 1867.

To the Institute Museum, Adelaide.

MAMMALS.

Halmaturus bennettii.....	1	Perameles gunnii	1
Halmaturus billardieri	1	Phascolomys wombat.....	1
Bettongia cuniculus	1	Sarcophilus ursinus	1
Phalangista fuliginosa	1	Thylacinus cynocephalus (skull)	1

BIRDS.

Alcyon diemenensis	1	Calamanthus fuliginosus	1
Pardalotus affinis	2	Ptilotis flavigula	1
Gymnorhina organiceum.....	1	Anthochaera inauris	1
Graucalus parvirostris	1	Acanthorhynchus dubius	1
Colluricincla selbii	1	Melithroptus melanocephalus	2
Petroica fusca	2	Platycecus flaviventris	1
Malurus longicaudus	2	Tribonyx mortieri	1
Acanthiza diemenensis	2		

INSECTS.

Species.....	37	Specimens	73
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To the Government Museum at Christchurch, New Zealand.

BIRDS.

Astur approximans	1	Pomatorhinus temporalis	1
Astur novæ-hollandiæ	1	Ptilotis chrysostis	1
Jeracidea berigora	1	Ptilotis chrysops.....	1
Podargus humeralis	1	Ptilotis plumulus	1
Eurystomus australis	1	Ptilotis auricomis	1
Halcyon macleayi	1	Xanthomyza phrygia	1
Artamus leucopygialis	1	Anthochaera carunculata	1
Pardalotus punctatus.....	2	Myzomela sanguinolenta	1
Cracticus nigrogularis	1	Entomyza cyanotis.....	1
Graucalus hypoleucos	1	Dicaeum hirundinaceum.....	1
Campephaga karu	1	Climacteris scandens	1
Pachycephala gutturalis.....	1	Scythrops novæ-hollandiæ.....	1
Colluricincla rufogaster	1	Eudynamys flindersii	1
Dicrurus bracteatus	1	Calyptorhynchus funereus.....	1
Gerygone albogularis.....	2	Aprosmictus scapulatus	1
Petroica multicolor	1	Platycecus palliceps	1
Petroica bicolor	1	Platycecus barnardii	1
Psophodes crepitans	1	Trichoglossus concinnus.....	1
Malurus lambertii	1	Melopsittacus undulatus	1
Malurus melanocephalus	1	Ptilinopus swainsonii.....	1
Anthus australis	1	Geopelia humeralis	1
Sphæneacus galactotes	1	Geopelia cuneata	1
Estrela temporalis	1	Phaps chalcoptera	1
Donacola castaneothorax	1	Turnix melanogaster	1
Pitta strepitans	1	Hiaticula ruficapilla	1
Cinclosoma punctatum	1	Rallus pectoralis	1
Oreocincla lunulata	1	Scolopax australis	1
Chlamydera maculata	1	Tribonyx mortieri	1
Sericulus chrysocephalus	1	Ardea novæ-hollandiæ	1

SHELLS.

13 species. | 40 specimens.

INSECTS.

62 species. | 112 specimens.

To Allan Hume, Esq., C.B., Agra.

BIRDS.

Climacteris scandens	3	Myzomela sanguinolenta	2
Climacteris picumnus	2	Petroica goodenovii	2
Sittella chrysoptera	4	Artamus sordidus	2
Cuculus cinereus	4	Sittella leucocephala	1
Meliphaga novæ-hollandiæ	4	Calamanthus campestris	1
Meliphaga australasiana	3	Campephaga humeralis	2
Ptilotis auricomis	4	Glyciphila fulvifrons	2
Ptilotis chrysops	3	Malurus cyaneus	1
Ptilotis fusca	2	Meliphaga sericea	1
Anthus australis	3	Melithreptus cruralis	1
Pardalotus punctatus	3	Xerophila leucopsis	2
Falcunculus frontatus	3	Rhipidura motacilloides	2
Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris	3	Artamus leucopygialis	1
Cinclosoma punctatum	3	Pelecanus conspicillatus	1
Chthonicola minima	3	Crysococcyx lucidus	2
Eopsaltria australis	3	Myiagra plumbea	1
Acanthiza nana	2	Zosterops dorsalis	1
Pomatorhinus temporalis	1	Hiaticula ruficapilla	4
Pomatorhinus ruficeps	1	Hiaticula monacha	1
Pomatorhinus superciliosus	2	Schenckia albescens	2
Pachycephala olivacea	1	Gerygone albugularis	2
Graucalus melanops	1	Seisura inquieta	1
Graucalus hypoleucos	1	Pachycephala gutturalis	3
Acanthylis caudacuta	2	Amadina castanotis	2
Acanthorhynchus superciliosus	2	Donacola castaneothorax	2
Anthochaera lunulata	3	Amadina modesta	1
Rhipidura albiscapa	1	Smicromis brevirostris	1
Porzana fluminea	1	Acanthiza lineata	1
Porzana immaculata	1	Ptilotis leucotis	1
Platalea flavipes	1	Hylacola pyrrhopygia	1
Poephila cincta	1	Synoicus australis	1
Ptilotis chrysotis	1	Sericornis humilis	1
Eurystomus australis	1	Merops ornatus	1
Melopsittacus undulatus	1	Sarcophorus pectoralis	1
Synoicus diemenensis	2	Platycercus eximius	3
Corvus coronoides	1	Platycercus flaviventris	3
Strepera arguta	1	Platycercus barnardii	2
Calyptrorhynchus xanthonotus	1	Trichoglossus concinnus	3
Anthochaera inauris	1	Trichoglossus pusillus	1
Scolopax australis	1	Polytelus melanura	1
Tribonyx mortierii	2	Polytelus barrabandii	1
Jeracidea berigora	4	Petroica fusca	1
Falco frontatus	2	Estrela bella	2
Astur approximans	3	Petroica phoenicea	2
Botaurus australis	1	Acanthiza chrysorrhoa	2
Spatula rhynchotis	2	Ptilotis flavigula	2
Malacorhynchus membranaceus	1	Pachycephala glaucura	2
Menura superba	1	Accipiter torquatus	1
Nycticorax caledonicus	2	Corcorax leucopterus	1
Podiceps gularis	2	Elanus axillaris	2
Chlamydera nuchalis	1	Gymnorhina tibicen	1
Haliastur sphenurus	1	Biziura lobata	1
Haliastur leucosternus	1	Milvus affinis	1
Tadorna radjah	2	Megapodius tumulus	1
Falco melanogenys	1	Strepera anaphonensis	1
Nymphicus novæ-hollandiæ	1	Eudynamis flindersii	1
Geopelia humeralis	1	Podiceps poliocephalus	1
Astur novæ-hollandiæ	2	Callocephalon galeatum	1
Athene connivens	2	Ptilonorhynchus holosericeus	1
Elanus scriptus	2	Porphyrio melanotus	1
Jeracidea occidentalis	2	Thalasseus poliocercus	1
Strix delicatulus	2	Hematopus longirostris	1
Platalea regia	1	Lobivanellus lobatus	2
Petroica bicolor	4	Glottis glottoides	2
Petroica multicolor	4	Astur cruentus	2
Colluricincla harmonica	2	Astur novæ-hollandiæ	1
Acanthogenys rufogularis	1	Strix castanops	1
Grallina australis	1	Aquila fucosa	1
Xanthomyza phrygia	4	Podargus humeralis	1
Pachycephala pectoralis	2	Cacatua leadbeateri	1
Tropidorhynchus corniculatus	1	Herodias symmatophorus	1
Stipiturus malachurus	1	Ardea novæ-hollandiæ	2
Micreoca macroptera	1	Bernicla jubata	1
Myzantha garrula	2	Ardetta flavicollis	1
Anthochaera carunculata	2	Plotus novæ-hollandiæ	1
Phaps chalcoptera	2	Phalacrocorax carboideus	1
Meliphaga longirostris	1	Anseranas melanoleuca	1
Pardalotus affinis	2	Cygnus atratus	1
Dicaeum hirundinaceum	2	Geronticus spinicollis	1
Chelidon arborea	1	Threskiornis strictipennis	1
Hirundo neoxena	2		

To Captain R. H. Beddome, Official Conservator of Forests, Madras.

Hoplocephalus curtus. Tasmania.
Hoplocephalus curtus. N.S. Wales.
Hoplocephalus variegatus.
Vermicella annulata. N.S. Wales.
Diemenia superciliosa.

Diemenia superciliosa (young).
Diemenia psammophis.
Brachyoma diadema.
Dipsas fusca.
Tropidonotus picturatus.

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APPENDIX No. 5.

LIST OF BOOKS PURCHASED FOR THE LIBRARY OF THE AUSTRALIAN MUSEUM.

2 parts, folio.—Gould: Birds of Great Britain.	12 numbers of the Athenæum.
12 parts.—Annals of Natural History.	3 vols., 8vo.—Newton: "The Ibis"; Ornithological Journal.
3 parts, 4to.—Diggles: Australian Ornithology.	3 vols.—"Iconica."
1 vol.—Exotic Butterflies.	
2 vols.—Zoological Records.	

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APPENDIX No. 6.

LIST OF SPECIMENS COLLECTED BY MR. GEORGE MASTERS, ASSISTANT CURATOR, FROM DECEMBER, 1866, TO MARCH, 1867.

At Tasmania.

MAMMALIA.

Placentalia.			
Vespertilio tasmaniensis	1	Perameles gunnii	7
Scotophilus microdon	2	Perameles obesula	4
Nyctophilus unicolor	1	Phalangista fuliginosa	7
Mus tasmaniensis	3	Phalangista vulpina	4
Hydromys chrysogaster	3	Phalangista viverrina	7
		Dromicia gliriformis	3
Implacentalia.		Antechinus swainsonii	1
Phascalomys wombat	11	Dasyurus viverrinus	15
Halmaturus bennettii	50	Dasyurus maculatus	13
Halmaturus billardieri	74	Sarcophilus ursinus	43
Bettongia cuniculus	13	Thylacinus cynocephalus	25
Hypsiprymnus apicalis	4	Ornithorhynchus anatinus	3
		Echidna setosa	3

BIRDS.

ORDER—RAPTORES.

Fam. Falconidæ.		Fam. Strigidæ.	
Aquila audax	2	Strix castanops	1
Falco lunulatus	2	Athene maculata	2
Hieracidea berigora	6		
Astur novæ-hollandiæ	2		
Astur approximans	2		

ORDER—INCESSORES.

Fam. Caprimulgidæ.		Fam. Maluridæ.	
Podargus curvieri	4	Malurus longicaudus	5
Fam. Hirundinidæ.		Sericornis humilis	2
Acanthylis caudacuta	1	Acanthiza diemenensis	7
Fam. Alcedinidæ.		Acanthiza chrysorrhoa	3
Aleyone diemenensis	2	Calamanthus fuliginosus	3
Fam. Ampelidæ.		Fam. Motacillidæ.	
Pardalotus punctatus	4	Anthus Australis	1
Pardalotus affinis	11	Fam. Fringillidæ.	
Pardalotus quadrigintus	1	Estrelida bella	6
Fam. Laniidæ.		Fam. Merulidæ.	
Strepera fuliginosa	1	Cinclosoma punctatum	7
Strepera arguta	5	Fam. Meliphagidæ.	
Gymnorhina organiceum	6	Meliphaga novæ-hollandiæ	1
Cracticus cinereus	3	Meliphaga australasiana	11
Fam. Campephaginæ.		Ptilotis flavigula	10
Grauculus parvirostris	3	Anthochaera inauris	9
Pachycephala glauca	9	Acanthorhynchus tenuirostris	4
Pachycephala olivacea	1	Melithreptus validirostris	2
Colluricincla selbii	6	Melithreptus melanocephalus	8
Fam. Muscipidæ.		Myzantha garrula	5
Rhipidura rhodinogaster	10	Fam. Psittacidæ.	
Petroica multicolor	17	Calyptrorhynchus xanthonotus	7
Petroica phoenicea	6	Platycercus flaviventris	16
Petroica fusca	11	Platycercus eximius	16
		Euphema chrysostoma	1
		Pezoporus formosus	1
		Lathamus discolor	2
		Trichoglossus concinnus	6

BIRDS—continued.

ORDER—RASORES.

<i>Fam. Columbidae.</i>		<i>Fam. Scolopacidae.</i>	
Phaps chalcoptera	1	Gallinago australis	1
<i>Fam. Perdidae.</i>		<i>Fam. Ardeidae.</i>	
Synoicus australis	4	Ardea novæ-hollandiæ	1
Synoicus diemenensis	5	Botaurus australis	1
<i>Fam. Charadriidae.</i>		<i>Fam. Rallidae.</i>	
Sarciophorus pectoralis	7	Tribonyx mortierii	19
Histicula ruficapilla	1	Rallus lewinii	1
<i>Fam. Tringidae.</i>			
Schœnielus albescens	1		

ORDER—NATATOES.

<i>Fam. Anatidae.</i>		<i>Fam. Pelecanidae.</i>	
Spatula rhynchotis	1	Phalacrocorax novæ-hollandiæ	1

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