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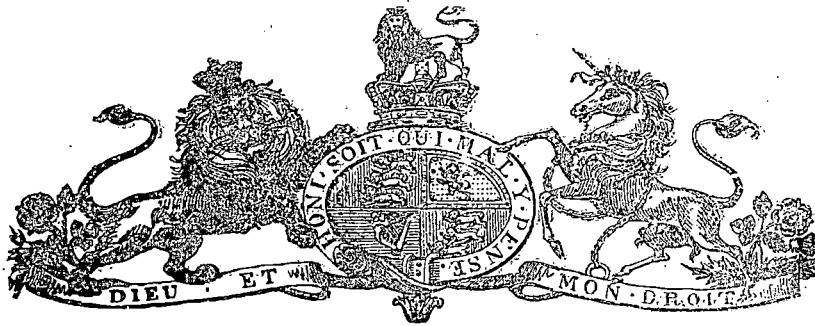
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*House of Assembly, 25th October, 1893.*

SIR,

I HAVE the honor of furnishing the Annual Report on the Library of Parliament.

The under-mentioned Books have been added to the Library since the last Meeting of the Committee:—

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| 3452. English Religion : Henry Morley.<br>Shorter Prose Works : Henry Morley.   | 3483. Achievements in Engineering : L. C. Vernon Harcourt.  |
| 3454. Shorter English Poems : Henry Morley.   | 3484. The Realm of Nature : H. R. Mill.                     |
| 3455. Longer Works in Verse and Prose : Henry Morley.   | 3485. A Footnote to History : R. L. Stevenson.              |
| 3456. English Plays : Henry Morley.   | 3486. Historical Records of New South Wales (Presented.)    |
| 3457. Seas and Lands : Sir Edwin Arnold.  | 3487. The Emancipation of Industry : G. V. Crosbie.         |
| 3459. Diplomatic Reminiscences : Lord Augustus Loftus, 2 Vols.<br>The State, and Pensions in Old Age : J. A. Spender. | 3488. Workshop Receipts for Manufacturers.                  |
| CL-G. Commercial Crises of the 19th Century : H. M. Hyndman.  | 3489. Imperial Federation : G. R. Parkin.                   |
| 3462. Journeys in Persia and Turkistan : Mrs. Bishop, 2 Vols.   | 3490. Lectures and Literature : T. Carlyle.                 |
| 3463. Among the Greater Andes : E. Whympfer.  | 3491. Letters on Literature : A. Lang.                      |
| 3464. Bush Friends in Tasmania : L. A. Meredith : continuation of Part I.   | 3492. Letters to Dead Authors : A. Lang.                    |
| 3455. Stephens' Book of the Farm : J. Macdonald.  | 3493. Old Friends : A. Lang.                                |
| 3467. Electricity in the Service of Man.  | 3494. A Sketch of English Literature : A. Lang.             |
| 3468. Australian Horticulture : H. A. James.  | 3495. Representation : Thomas Hare.                         |
| 3469. Californian Fruits : Wickson.   | 3496. Public Finance : C. F. Bastable.                      |
| 3470. Happy Thoughts : F. C. Burnand.   | 3497. Insanity of Genius : J. F. Nisbett.                   |
| 3471. Quite at Home : F. C. Burnand.  | 3498. Abraham Lincoln : a History. N. Hay.                  |
| 3472. Very much Abroad : F. C. Burnand.   | 3499. Fifty Years of Australian History : Sir Henry Parkes. |
| 3473. Rather at Sea : F. C. Burnand.  | 3500. Industrial Freedom : B. R. Wise.                      |
| 3474. The Caliphate, its Rise, Decline, and Fall : Sir William Muir.  | 3501. Potiphar's Wife, and other Poems : Sir Edwin Arnold.  |
| 3476. Men, Mines, and Animals of South Africa. Lord Randolph Churchill.   | 3502. The Foresters : Lord Tennyson.                        |
| 3477. Trade Policy of Imperial Federation : H. M. Herbey.   | 3503. Death of Ænone, and other Poems : Lord Tennyson.      |
| 3478. Dawn of Radicalism : J. Bowles Daly.  | 3504. Melanesian Anthropology : R. H. Codrington.           |
| 3480. Co-operative Movement in Great Britain : Beatrice Potter.   | 3505. Studies in Arthurian Legend : John Rhys.              |
| 3491. Government : M. Arthur.   | 3506. New Fragments : John Tyndall.                         |
| 3481. Domestic House Planner and Sanitary Architect.  | 3507. Historical Geography of the British Colonies.         |
| 3482. Barrack Room Ballads : Rudyard Kipling.   | 3508. Poems of John Ruskin : W. G. Collingwood.             |
|   | 3509. Buried Cities of Ceylon : S. M. Burrows.              |
|   | 3510. Life of William Pitt : Lord Rosebery.                 |
|   | 3511. The Great Barrier Reefs : Saville Kent.               |
|   | 3512. Free Exchange : Sir Louis Mallet.                     |
|   | 3513. New Zealand Official Hand Book, 1893.                 |
|   | 3514. Historical Essays : E. A. Freeman.                    |

A complete and careful classification and reorganisation of the whole Library has been accomplished during the recess, cognate subjects being placed together so as to be under observation at a glance. I brought this important matter before the Committee some years ago, and the great necessity for effecting this most important change has frequently been referred to, but it could not be undertaken until more shelving accommodation was available and the necessary time and attention could be given to the work. By the wish of the Hon. the Speaker, who has taken very great interest in this matter, the classification and rearrangement has now been accomplished under the immediate superintendence of the Clerk Assistant (Mr. H. T. Maning), who devoted much time and energy in carrying it out.

It is satisfactory to report that the rearrangement has given great satisfaction to Hon. Members of both Houses, many of whom have expressed their cordial approval of the great improvements effected, especially as to affording means for ready reference.

The usual exchanges have been duly forwarded and received.

FRED. A. PACKER, *Clerk of the House and Librarian.*

*The Hon. the Chief Secretary.*