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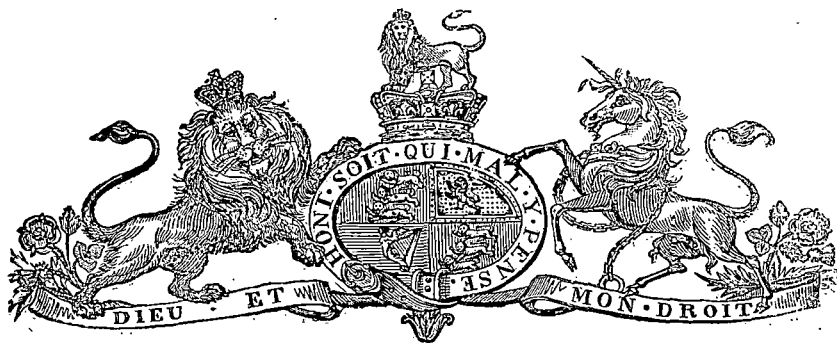
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PARLIAMENTARY LIBRARY.

REPORT.

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Laid upon the Table by Mr. Chapman, and ordered by the Council to be printed,  
July 21, 1874.



*Library of Parliament, 20th July, 1874.*

SIR,

In accordance with the Rules and Regulations of the Parliamentary Library, I have the honor to report :—

1. That stock has been taken of the 7416 volumes on the catalogue; and, with the exception of those entered in the Issue Book as having been taken out by Members, and the 47 volumes named in the Appendix, the Books are all in their places.

2. The Books are in good order and condition. It would be desirable, however, to have the occasional services of a bookbinder to repair slight damages to Books which may have been frequently issued from the Library.

3. The Parliamentary Library continues to exchange Journals with the various Australian Colonies and New Zealand; and also with the Legislatures of Canada, Ceylon, and Newfoundland.

4. Two of the Library Rooms are almost exclusively taken up by the Blue Books of the British Parliament, nearly 2000 volumes of which have been arranged and catalogued. Many of these Books are valuable for reference, whilst several hundreds of volumes are mere Election Reports, Wreck and Railway Accidents, and Turnpike Road Returns.

It would be well if during next recess a careful selection be made of such as were found useful, whilst the large remainder could be utilised in the Stores of the Administrator of Charitable Grants, or sold to fruit packers.

5. A Box of Patent Specifications has been received from the Patent Office since last Report; and the packages have been placed in the dark Vault where the others are stored, and where there is barely light enough to see the indexes.

6. A list of Books added to the Library by purchase since last Report is annexed, showing that 68 volumes have been obtained.

Up to this date the Library Committee have only expended £16 11s. 6d. out of the vote of £60 granted by Parliament for the purchase of Books during the year 1874.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient Servant,

HUGH M. HULL,

*Clerk of the House and Librarian.*

*The Hon. the Colonial Secretary.*

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*BOOKS added to the PARLIAMENTARY LIBRARY since 1st June, 1873.*

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| 2233. Wells on Taxation.<br>2234. The National Income.<br>2208. Goschen on Taxation.<br>2196. Dowell on Stamp Duties.<br>2192. Lombard Street, by Bagehot.<br>2195. Cairnes' Political Economy.<br>2235. May's Constitutional History, 3 vols.<br>2212. Palgrave on Banking.<br>2205. Hill's Children of the State.<br>2202. Smith on Foods.<br>2215. Digest of the Census.<br>2217. Relief of the Poor.<br>2236. Freeman on Politics.<br>2190. Trollope's Australia.<br>2207. Froude's Ireland, vol. 1.<br>2203. Freeman's England.<br>2194. Curtins's United States, 2 vols.<br>2237. Mounsey's Caucasus.<br>2229. Nicaragua.<br>2240. Ali's Life of Mahomet.<br>2219. Renan's Life of Jesus.<br>2239. Clarke's Natural Life.<br>2200. Milton's Life, 3 vols.<br>2201. Simpson's Life.<br>2206. Grote's Life. | 2211. Freeman's Comparative Politics.<br>2209. Robertson on Education.<br>2193. Men of the Time.<br>2198. Huxley's Critiques.<br>2214. Conflict of Studies.<br>2216. Muller's Science of Religion.<br>2218. Bright's Speeches, 2 vols.<br>2241. Reclus on the Ocean, 2 vols.<br>2242. Bourne on Trade.<br>2228. Hart on Public Health.<br>2244. Marshall's Physiology, 2 vols.<br>2230. Carpentier's Mental Physiology.<br>International Series of Scientific Works,<br>9 vols.<br>Cambridge Calendar, 1874.<br>Army List, 1874.<br>Dod's Peerage, 1874.<br>2204. Bagehot's English Constitution.<br>2210. Brassey's Life.<br>2158. Barneveldt's Life, 2 vols.<br>2213. The Money Market.<br>The Annual Register for 1872 and 1873.<br>National Association Report for 1873.<br>Blue Books of Mauritius, Ceylon, and<br>Hong Kong. |
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*Reported to be missing, August, 1869.*

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| 285. Earle's Australia.<br>288. Frost's Book of the Colonies.<br>299. My Home in Tasmania, by Mrs. Meredith.<br>302. Over the Straits, by Mrs. Meredith.<br>838. Mill's Undecided Questions. | 857. Fairholt's Nile.<br>951. De Tocqueville's France.<br>955. Queens of Society, 2 vols.<br>1389. Sugden on the Law of Fences. |
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*Reported to be missing, November, 1870.*

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| 42. Henslowe on Botany.<br>91. Potter on Taxation.<br>132. Christ Jesus, Life, by Neander. | 309. Cruise of the <i>Beacon</i> .<br>336. Sheridan's Works.<br>387. Mitchell's United States. |
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*Reported to be missing, June, 1872.*

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| 307. Thomson's New Zealand.<br>320. Lloyd's Tasmania.<br>2001. Mysteries of Vatican, vol. 2. | 2054. Lives of Engineers.<br>2057. Adderley on the Colonies.<br>2060. Fawcett on British Labourers. |
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*Not in their places, 16th July, 1874.*

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| 405. Greeley's War in America, vol. 2 & 3.<br>508. Gazetteer of the World, vol. 1.<br>836. Sismondi's Political Economy.<br>880. Todd on Government, 2 vols.<br>883. Pym's Pacific.<br>973. Hearn on Government.<br>995. Lawrie on Education.<br>996. Thring on Education.<br>2025. M'Culloch on Taxation.<br>2036. Lyndhurst's Life.<br>2042. Palgrave's House of Commons. | 2056. Martineau on Colonies.<br>2073. Mill on Subjection of Women.<br>2075. Therry's New South Wales.<br>2080. Trench's Irish Life.<br>2104. Noble's Queen's Taxes.<br>2125. Foss's Judges.<br>2149. Towle on United States.<br>2166. Higginson's Lectures.<br>2167. De Tocqueville, 2 vols.<br>2176. Young on Customs.<br>2186. Bisson's Our Schools. |
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