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REPORT.

OFFICE OF THE STATE LIBRARY,
TRENTON, N. J., Nov. 1st, 1887. }

To His Excellency Robert S. Green, Governor of New Jersey:

SIR—Permit me to submit the following report of the condition of the State Library for the fiscal year ending October 31st, 1887 :

At the time of my last annual report the whole number of books, papers, magazines and pamphlets in the Library was 31,970. During the past year the following additions have been made by exchange, donation and purchase :

By exchange from other States and Canada.....	249
By exchange from the United States.....	162
By individual donations, books, pamphlets, &c.....	104
By individual donations, newspapers.....	41
By subscription, papers and magazines.....	77
By purchase, miscellaneous books.....	129
By purchase, law books.....	356
From State Treasurer, bound volumes.....	220

Total additions..... 1,338

Making the whole number of books, pamphlets, magazines, &c., now in the Library..... 33,308

The 356 law books in the purchase account include 103 volumes of pamphlet laws of the various States, obtained to complete the sets in the Library, as shown in the Appendix.

During the year 181 books and 11 files of newspapers have been bound, and 48 books have been repaired, many others being in process of renovation.

In accordance with the increased interest of pottery decorators and others in the valuable art works in the Library, the Commissioners have added to the list "The Ornamental Arts of Japan," by George A. Andsley, at an expense of \$200. The work seems to be highly appreciated by those for whom it was obtained.

Permit me to make special mention of the fact, recorded in the Appendix, that the Library is particularly indebted to Judge James

M. Cassady, of Camden, for Philip Melancthon's copy of Livy, printed at Basel, Switzerland, in 1535. It is supposed to be the oldest printed book in America, except the celebrated Gutenberg Bible of 1457, purchased by Mr. Brayton Ives, of New York, for \$15,000. Aside from the date of the publication, however, this copy of Livy is peculiarly valuable, as it contains Melancthon's marginal notes and interlineations in Latin, Greek, Hebrew and German. The work was once the property of the Mickle family, of Camden, and is in a good state of preservation. It is a heavy folio and bound in embossed vellum.

During the month of July last I received a communication from Mr. Talbott H. Wallis, State Librarian of California, enclosing the following preamble and concurrent resolutions, passed by the Legislature of that State, February 24th, 1887:

ASSEMBLY CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 4, RELATING TO A
CONFERENCE OF STATE LIBRARIANS.

WHEREAS, The officers of the public libraries of the United States, other than State libraries, through the medium of the American Library Association, have succeeded in a large measure in securing uniformity of methods and administration among the libraries they have represented, have been greatly benefited by exchange of ideas and the publication of individual experience, in regard to cataloguing, binding, lighting, shelving, building, construction, circulation, exchanges, and disposition of duplicates; have derived great advantage from their joint and combined efforts to secure a liberal distribution of public documents, a reduction of postage rates, and freedom from duty on foreign books purchased for the use of public libraries, and have in other ways been able to accomplish much for the present and permanent good of library institutions; and whereas, we believe a similar organization on the part of State Librarians would result in similar benefit to State libraries, would place them on a higher plane, and add much to their character and general usefulness, and might and would be made the medium of securing similarity of laws relating to foreign exchanges, uniformity of public reports, and of printing, binding and indexing the same, and a more liberal and uniform policy of domestic exchange and distribution, to the end that each State may more readily profit by the experience of her sister States; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly of the State of California, the Senate concurring, That the State of California appeals to her sister States and Territories to join with her, through their legislatures, librarians,

library trustees, or executive officers, in the promotion of a conference of State Librarians, for taking such steps as in their judgment will result in permanent benefit to State libraries in the matters above mentioned; that in the judgment of this Legislature the expenses of each member at such conference should be borne by the State or library fund which he represents.

Resolved, That the Librarian of the California State Library be and he is hereby directed to communicate with the librarians of the various States, with a view of organizing such a conference, and providing for the time and place of meeting.

Resolved, That his Excellency Washington Bartlett, Governor of the State of California, be requested to forward to each State in the Union three copies of these resolutions, as follows: one copy to the Secretary of State, one to the Governor, and one to the State Librarian.

Permit me to suggest that the proposed conference of State Librarians is well calculated to meet many difficulties in the way of perfecting a much-needed uniform exchange of State laws, reports, journals, archives, &c., as stated in the preamble of the resolutions. Our law relative to State exchanges is all that could be desired, but in many of the States and Territories the matter seems to be utterly devoid of any reciprocal system, causing great confusion and unnecessary expense. It is thought the conference will be held in Washington, D. C., in May next, when, if the Library Commissioners approve, I will be pleased to attend and endeavor to have a uniformity of State exchanges established in accordance with the system contemplated by our law upon the subject.

As it has been determined to devote the third story of the new fire-proof front of the State House to the Library, it will be possible, probably during the coming year, to afford ample room, light and ventilation to the Law Department, together with greater convenience to those interested in the arts, or engaged in historical and patent research, as well as to the general reader.

During the past year there were 1,640 enrolled visitors at the Library, exclusive of members of the legal profession, State officials and other regular attendants.

The accompanying Appendix presents an itemized statement of the additions made to the Library.

Respectfully submitted,

MORRIS R. HAMILTON,
State Librarian.

APPENDIX.

ADDITIONS MADE TO THE STATE LIBRARY DURING THE YEAR 1887.

◆ BY PURCHASE.

MISCELLANEOUS.

History of Camden County, N. J.....	1
Bromley's Large Map of New Jersey. 1885.....	1
Admiral Porter's Naval History of the Civil War. 1886.....	1
Memoirs of Admiral Dahlgren. 1882.....	1
" Dolly Madison. 1886.....	1
" Eliza K. Gurney. 1886.....	1
Encyclopædia Britannica. Vols. 21 and 22.....	2
"McClellan's Own Story." 1886.....	1
Fallows' Supplementary Dictionary. 1886.....	1
"Notes and Queries." (6th series, 12 vols.; 7th series, 1 vol.).....	13
Memoirs of Gen. Robert E. Lee. 1886.....	1
"Ireland; Old and New." Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Hall. (New edition)...	3
Knight's England, from B. C. 56 to A. D. 1880.....	9
The Mexican War. G. C. Furber. 1849.....	1
Labberton's Historical Atlas.....	1
Cooper's American Politics. 1882.....	1
American Commonwealths. Scudder. (New York, 2 vols.; Conn., 1 vol.).....	3
Eclectic Magazine for 1849, '59 and '67. (To fill loss).....	3
Ben. Perley Poore's Reminiscences. 1886.....	2
Winsor's "Narrative America." Vol. 5.....	1
Mrs. Fremont's Memoirs. 1886.....	1
Century of Electricity. Mendenhall. 1887.....	1
History of Philadelphia. Scharf & Westcott. 1884.....	3
Gen. Logan's "Great Conspiracy." 1886.....	1
History of York County, Penna. John Gibson. 1886.....	1
New Princeton Review for 1886-87.....	4
Catholic Church in Colonial Days. J. G. Shea. 1886.....	1
Knox's Life of Beecher. 1887.....	1

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Supplement to Mommson's Rome, by Dickson. 1887..... 2
 " Leckey's England. 1887..... 4
 Appleton's Cyclopædia of American Biography. 1887..... 2
 Andsley's "Ornamental Arts of Japan." (4 parts)..... 4
 Appleton's Annual Cyclopædia for 1886..... 1
 "Keramic Art of Japan." Andsley & Bowes. 1881. (To fill loss)... 1
 Universities of America. "The College Book." 1878..... 1
 Lomb Prize Essays on Public Health. 1886..... 1
 "Voyagers' Tales," by R. Hakluyt. 1589..... 1
 "Voyages for a Northwest Passage." R. Hakluyt's Collections.
 1560..... 1
 Diary of Sam'l Pepys, from 1660 to 1666..... 5
 "Travels on Foot in England," by C. P. Moritz, in 1782..... 1
 "Blaine's Political Discussions." 1887..... 1
 Campbell's Lords Chancellor. Vols. 6, 8, 9 and 10. (To fill loss).. 4
 "Nelson Hornblower and the First Steam Engine"..... 1
 Putnam's "Story of the Nations." 1887. (16 vols.)..... 16
 Abbott's "Primitive Industry." 1881..... 1
 E. Boudinot's "Star in the West." 1816..... 1
 Charney's "Ancient Cities of the New World." 1887..... 1
 Pennypacker's Historical Sketches. 1883..... 1
 Shipp's "De Soto and Florida, from 1512 to 1568." 1881..... 1
 Wright's "Ancient Cities"..... 1
 Atlas of Morris County, N. J..... 1
 "Public Opinion," Washington, D. C. Vols. 1, 2 and 3..... 3
 "The Forum," New York. Vols. 1, 2 and 3..... 3
 "Princeton College in the Eighteenth Century." Rev. S. D. Alex-
 ander..... 1
 "Defense of Fundamental Truth." Rev. Dr. McCosh..... 1
 "Typical Forms in Creation." Rev. Dr. McCosh..... 1
 "Intuitions of the Mind." Rev. Dr. McCosh..... 1
 "Method of Divine Government." Rev. Dr. McCosh..... 1
 "Psychology—The Cognitive Powers." Rev. Dr. McCosh..... 1
 "Realistic Philosophy." Rev. Dr. McCosh. (2 vols.)..... 2
 "Christianity and Positivism." Rev. Dr. McCosh..... 1

LAW REPORTS.

Blatchford's U. S. Circuit Court Reports. Vol. 23..... 1
 Abbott's New Cases—N. Y. Decisions. Vols. 16, 17 and 18..... 3
 Myer's Federal Decisions. Vols. 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 24 and 25... 7
 American and English Railroad Cases. Vols. 25, 26, 27 and 28... 4
 " " Corporation Cases. Vols. 13, 14 and 15... 3
 Bradwell's Illinois Reports. Vol. 19..... 1
 Southern Law Review. (6 vols., to fill set)..... 6
 The Reporter. Vol. 7. (To fill set)..... 1

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U. S. Supreme Court Reports. Vols. 118, 119, 120, 121 and 122.. 5
 Sharswood & Budd's Leading Cases. Vol. 3..... 1
 New Brunswick Reports. Vols. 2, 3, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23 and
 24. (To fill set)..... 9
 Sawyer's U. S. Circuit Court Reports. Vol. 11..... 1
 Back Vols. of Reporters.—S., 1; S. E., 1; S. W., 1, 2, 3 and 4;
 Pac., 12 and 13; At., 7, 8 and 9; N. E., 9, 10 and 11; N.
 W., 30, 31 and 32..... 17
 Law and Equity Reporter. (4 vols., to fill set)..... 4
 The Western Jurist. (10 vols., to fill set)..... 10
 Alabama Supreme Court Reports. Vol. 36..... 1
 MacArthur & Mackey's Reports, D. C..... 1
 Mackey's Reports. Vols. 2, 3 and 4..... 3
 Wilson's Texas Appeal Civil Cases. (2 vols.)..... 2
 Posey's Texas "Unreported" Cases. Vol. 1..... 1
 English.—Carey's Reports..... 1
 " Neville & MacNamara (R. R. and Canal) Cases. Vols.
 3 and 4..... 2
 " Oliver, Bevan & Lafoy (R. R. and Canal). Vol. 7..... 1
 " Fonblanque's Bankruptcy Reports..... 1
 " De Gex's Bankruptcy Reports. Vol. 2..... 1
 " Bourke's Parliamentary Precedents..... 1
 " Moore's Indian Appeal Cases. (14 vols.)..... 14
 " Ferguson's Consistory Reports..... 1
 " Indian Appeals—Law Reports. Vols. 6 to 13 and sup., 9
 " Cababe & Ellis' Reports. Vol. 1..... 1
 " Lee's Ecclesiastical Reports. (2 vols.)..... 2
 " Phillimore's Ecclesiastical Reports. (3 vols.)..... 3
 " Addams' Ecclesiastical Reports. (3 vols.)..... 3
 " Haggard's Ecclesiastical Reports. (3 vols.)..... 3
 " Curtis' Ecclesiastical Reports. (3 vols.)..... 3
 " Haggard's Consistory Reports. (2 vols.)..... 2
 " Manning & Ryland's K. B. Reports. (5 vols.)..... 5
 " Neville & Manning's K. B. Reports. (6 vols.)..... 6
 " Reports—Moore & Scott. (4 vols.) Scott's. (8 vols.)... 12
 " Wollaston's Reports. (1 vol.)..... 1
 " Marshall's Reports. (2 vols.)..... 2
 " Bankruptcy and Insolvent Reports. (2 vols.)..... 2
 " Manning & Ryland's Magistrate Cases. (3 vols. in 2)..
 " Cases and Opinions. (Dublin, 1791)..... 1
 " Baron & Arnold's Election Cases..... 1

DIGESTS.

Chitty's Equity Index-Digest. (4th edition.) Vols. 3, 4 and 5... 3
 Jacob's Fisher's Digest. Vol. 11..... 1

Welsh's Digest, Ohio Reports.....	1
Digest of American and English Corporation Cases, from 1st to 10th vol.....	1
American and English Encyclopædia of Law. Vols. 1 and 2.....	2
Abbott's New York Digest for 1886.....	1
Dale & Lehman's English Digest, Overruled Cases. (2 vols.).....	2
Supplement to Bigelow's Overruled Cases. (1 vol.).....	1
Pritchard's Admiralty Digest. (2 vols.).....	2
U. S. Annual Digest (Williams & Paul). Vol. 17.....	1
Stark's Missouri Digest. (3 vols.).....	3
Iowa Digest. (2 vols.).....	2
Index-Digest, Albany Law Journal.....	1
Abbott's Digest of Cases Criticised.....	1
Supplement to U. S. Revised Statutes. 1878.....	1
Hopkins & Morgan's Arkansas Digest. (2 vols.).....	2
Hennen's Louisiana Digest. (2 vols.).....	2
Louque's Louisiana Digest. (1 vol.).....	1
Myer's Texas Digest (2 vols.).....	2

TEXT-BOOKS.

Patterson's Railway Accident Law.....	1
Freeman on Co-Tenancy.....	1
Randolph on Commercial Paper. Vol. 2.....	1
Washburn on Real Property. (3 vols.).....	3
Tideman's Police Power of U. S.....	1
Hare on Contracts.....	1
Shouler on Wills.....	1
Murfree on Sheriffs.....	1
Cook on Stocks and Stockholders.....	1
Taylor on Landlord and Tenant. (8th edition, 2 vols.).....	2
Von Holst's Constitutional Law.....	1
Elm's Customs Law.....	1
Black's Constitutional Prohibitions.....	1
Corbin's Corporation Acts. (4th edition).....	1
Phillips' U. S. Court Practice. (5th edition).....	1
Angell on Highways. (3d edition).....	1
Bishop's Criminal Law (7th edition, 2 vols.).....	2
" Practice. (3d edition, 2 vols.).....	2
" Statutory Crimes. (2d edition).....	1
Drake on Attachment. (6th edition).....	1
Perry on Trusts. (3d edition, 2 vols.).....	2
Shouler's Domestic Relations. (3d edition).....	1
Newson on Pilotage, &c.....	1
Williams & Bruce on Admiralty Practice. (2d edition).....	1
Rapalje's Law of Witnesses.....	1

Carver's Carriage by Sea.....	1
Lowndes' Marine Insurance.....	1
Montague & Chitty on Bankruptcy.....	1
Arnold's Marine Insurance. (2 vols.).....	2
Abbott's Practice and Forms.....	1
Dickinson's Chancery Precedents. (2 copies).....	2
Horr & Bemis on Police Ordinances.....	1
Work's Removal of Causes.....	1
Vroom & Lanning's Municipal Corporations in New Jersey. (2 copies).....	2
Devlin on Deeds. Vol. 2.....	1
Dickson's Law of Evidence in Scotland. (2 vols.).....	2
E. L. Campbell's "Science of Law." 1887.....	1
Lloyd's Law of Divorce.....	1
Alexander on Life Insurance.....	1
Morrill on City Negligence.....	1
Wharton's Criminal Evidence. (9th edition).....	1
Rawle's Covenants for Titles. (5th edition).....	1
Ewell's Medical Jurisprudence.....	1
Lawson's Defenses to Crime. (5 vols.).....	5
High on Injunctions. (2d edition, 2 vols.).....	2
Bishop on Contracts. (2d edition).....	1
Beach on Receivers.....	1

STATUTES OF OTHER STATES.

Alabama—1836, 1841, 1842-3, 1847-8; January, 1861; October, 1861, 1863, 1875-6.....	8
Connecticut—Public, 1837; Private, 1838, 1865; Special, 1872, 1873, 1876.....	6
Delaware—Acts, 1822.....	1
Florida—1845, 1846-7, 1860-1, 1862, 1865, 1872, 1873, 1875....	8
Louisiana—Code Practice, 1839; Laws, 1845.....	2
Maine—Resolutions, 1826, 1830, 1831, 1834, 1835; Public and Private, 1820; Smith, 1821, 1834.....	8
Maryland—Acts, 1808, 1809, 1810.....	3
Massachusetts—Laws, April, 1821; January, 1822; Statutes, 1823; Acts and Resolutions, 1842.....	5
New Hampshire—Acts, 1871, 1878.....	2
New York—Revised Statutes, 1875. (6th edition).....	3
North Carolina—Private, 1860-1, 1862-3, 1864-5; Public, 1860-1, 1862-3, 1864-5.....	6
Pennsylvania—Dallas' Compilation (4 vols.), Acts, 1802, 1805, 1806, 1808, 1812, 1814-15, 1815-16, 1816-17.....	12
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 Times, Trenton. Daily..... 2
 Advertiser, Newark. Daily..... 2
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 *Graphic, New York. Daily..... 2
 Eclectic Magazine, New York. Monthly..... 2
 Magazine of American History, New York. Monthly..... 2
 Johns Hopkins' Historical Studies, Baltimore, Md. Monthly..... 2
 American Journal of Science, New Haven, Conn. Monthly..... 2
 Library Journal, New York. Monthly..... 1
 United States Supreme Court Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly... 2
 *Eastern Reporter, Albany, N. Y. Weekly..... 2
 Federal Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Atlantic Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Pacific Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Northeastern Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Southeastern Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Northwestern Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Southwestern Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Southern Reporter, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Monthly Digest, St. Paul, Minn. Weekly..... 2
 Central Law Journal, St. Louis, Mo. Weekly..... 2
 The Reporter, Boston, Mass. Weekly..... 2
 Criminal Law Magazine, Jersey City. Bi-Monthly..... 2
 American Law Review, St. Louis, Mo. Bi-Monthly..... 2
 New Jersey Law Journal, Somerville. Monthly..... 1
 American Law Register, Philadelphia, Pa. Monthly..... 1
 Law Quarterly Review, London, England..... 1
 *Blackstone Publishing Co., Philadelphia, Pa. Monthly..... 12

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 Public Opinion, Washington, D. C. Weekly..... 2
 New Princeton Review. Bi-Monthly..... 1
 Business Directory, Trenton. Yearly..... 1
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Edward S. Wyckoff, Beverly, N. J.
 History Masonic Grand Lodge of Pennsylvania, 1730 to 1809.
 Vol. 1. 1877..... 1
 Dedication Memorial Masonic Temple, Philadelphia. 1875... 1
 Catalogue of Library of Masonic Grand Lodge, Pennsylvania. 1880..... 1
 Walter Baker & Co., Dorchester, Mass.
 Production and Use of Cocoa and Chocolate. 1886..... 1
 Dr. John R. Steveson (Author), Haddonfield, N. J.
 Medical History of Camden County, N. J. 1886..... 1
 F. Rawle, Esq., 402 Walnut st., Philadelphia.
 Annual Report American Bar Association. Vol. 9..... 1
 Mr. Harry Hakes, Wilkesbarre, Pa.
 "The Hakes Family." 1886..... 1
 James M. Cassady, Esq., Camden, N. J.
 Melancthon's copy of Livy, with autograph annotations in Latin, Greek, Hebrew and German, and bound in embossed vellum. Printed in Basel, Switzerland, in 1535... 1
 Indiana Historical Society, Indianapolis.
 Society Pamphlet, No. 3. "Acquisition of Louisiana," by Judge Cooley..... 1
 Messrs. Matthews, Crane, Donohue and Young, Assembly Committee on Elections.
 Testimony in Haines-Turley Election Case. 1887..... 1
 Trustees Peabody Institute, Baltimore, Md.
 Catalogue of Institute Library. Part 3, H-L. 1887..... 1
 Mr. John B. Johnston, Trenton, N. J.
 Evidence in Lewis Will Case. 1887. (Bound)..... 4
 Dr. Alexander Wilder, Newark, N. J.
 Transactions National Eclectic Medical Association. Vol. 14. 1886-7..... 1
 S. F. Haven (Librarian), Boston, Mass.
 Proceedings American Antiquarian Society (No. 64), 1875.... 1
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 Catalogue of University and Agricultural College. 1886-7... 1
 Hon. Andrew J. Rider, Trenton, N. J.
 Proceedings 8th Annual Convention Business Educators of
 America. N. Y. July, 1886..... 1
 Prof. J. T. Duffield, Princeton, N. J.
 Catalogue Princeton College from 1747 to 1886..... 1
 Mr. H. R. Pierson (Chairman), Albany, N. Y.
 Report Regents' Commission N. Y. and Pa. Boundary..... 1
 J. P. Dunn, Jr. (Rec. Sec'y), Indianapolis, Ind.
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 McDonnell Bros., Chicago, Ill.
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 Hon. P. T. Quinn, Newark, N. J.
 19th Annual Report of Newark Board of Trade. 1887..... 1
 Gen. J. Madison Drake, Elizabeth, N. J.
 "Across the Continent," by the Veteran Zouaves. 1886..... 1
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 Hon. Henry B. Stanton, Tenafly, Bergen county, N. J.
 "Random Recollections of Eighty Years." 1886..... 1
 Mr. John M. Maisch, Philadelphia, Pa.
 34th Annual Meeting American Pharmaceutical Association.
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 Mr. R. H. Vansant, Trenton, N. J.
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 Robert Clark & Co., Cincinnati, O.
 Bibliotheca Americana. 1886..... 1
 Mr. C. L. Traver, Trenton, N. J.
 Illustrated Christmas Catalogue of Choice Works..... 1
 Fac-Simile Minutes Constitutional Congress New Jersey,
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 Mr. Alfred E. Whitaker, San Francisco, Cal.
 34th Annual Report Mercantile Library Co. 1886..... 1

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 Mr. Chas. H. Burbank, Lowell, Mass.
 Annual Report City Library for 1886..... 1
 Mr. F. M. Crunden, St. Louis, Mo.
 Annual Report St. Louis Public Library. 1885-6..... 1
 Mr. E. A. Arnold, Taunton, Mass.
 21st Annual Report City Public Library. 1886..... 1
 Capt. Albert Delano, Newark, N. J.
 1st Reunion Thirteenth Regiment New Jersey Volunteers, at
 Orange. 1886..... 1
 Mr. Stephen M. Wright, 18 East Sixteenth street, New York.
 101st Annual Report General Society Mechanics and Trades-
 men of New York City. 1887..... 1
 Mr. Henry Drisler (Secretary), New York.
 38th Annual Report Astor Library. 1886 1
 Miss L. O. Callis (Librarian), Indianapolis, Ind.
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 Mr. R. C. Ingraham, New Bedford, Mass.
 35th Annual Report Free Public Library. 1887..... 1
 Mr. F. H. Hedge, Jr., Lawrence, Mass.
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 Wm. S. Potter, Esq., Somerville, N. J.
 Catalogue People's Reading Room and Library. 1886..... 1
 Miss Minta J. Dryden, Dayton, Ohio.
 Annual Report Dayton Public Schools for 1886..... 1
 Mr. M. B. Cummings, Librarian Dept. Justice, Washington, D. C.
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 Mr. W. A. Bardwell (Librarian), Brooklyn, N. Y.
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 Miss Hannah P. James, Newton, Mass.
 Report Trustees of Free Library. 1886..... 1
 Mr. Wm. F. Phelps (Secretary), St. Paul, Minn.
 Annual Report Chamber of Commerce. 1886 1
 Mr. W. T. Peoples (Librarian), Clinton Hall, N. Y.
 66th Annual Report New York Mercantile Library Associa-
 tion. 1887..... 1
 Mr. J. C. Zachos (Curator), New York.
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 "Digest of the International Law of the United States."
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Maverick National Bank, Boston, Mass.
 Manual of Financial Statistics. July 1st, 1887..... 1

Dr. G. W. Boskowitz (Dean), 111 E. 25th street, New York.
 27th Catalogue of New York Eclectic Medical College. 1887.. 1

W. B. Bevill (Passenger Agent), Roanoke, Va.
 "Through Virginia on the Norfolk and Western Railroad."
 1887. (Illustrated)..... 1

Dr. W. E. Krewson (Secretary), 1829 N. Eighth street, Phila., Pa.
 23d Annual Report Alumni Association, Philadelphia Col-
 lege of Pharmacy. 1887..... 1

Hon. Frederick Cook, Secretary of State, Albany, N. Y.
 General Sullivan's Indian Expedition, 1779. Auburn, N. Y.,
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Dr. F. B. Kilmer (Secretary), New Brunswick, N. J.
 17th Annual Meeting New Jersey Pharmaceutical Association,
 Paterson. 1887..... 1

Mr. Henry J. Budd (Corresponding Secretary), Mt. Holly, N. J.
 Programme, &c., of 41st Annual Fair Burlington County
 Agricultural Society. 1887..... 1

Dr. W. N. Stem, S. W. cor. 20th and Callowhill streets, Phila., Pa.
 23d Annual Report Alumni Association, Philadelphia Col-
 lege of Pharmacy. 1887..... 1

Mr. Sidney D. Maxwell (Superintendent), Cincinnati, O.
 38th Annual Report Chamber of Commerce. 1886..... 1

Mr. George E. Howard (Secretary), Lincoln, Neb.
 Transactions Nebraska Historical Society. Vol. 2. 1887.... 1

Hon. M. Romero (Mexican Minister), Washington, D. C.
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