

A

BRITISH MUSEUM.

RETURN to an Order of the Honourable The House of Commons,
dated 10 May 1887 ;—*for*,

ACCOUNT “ of the INCOME and EXPENDITURE of the BRITISH MUSEUM
(SPECIAL TRUST FUNDS) for the Year ending the 31st day of March 1887.”

“And, RETURN of the Number of PERSONS admitted to visit the MUSEUM in each Year from 1881 to 1886, both Years inclusive ; and the BRITISH MUSEUM (NATURAL HISTORY) in each Year from the Date of Opening to 1886, inclusive ; together with a STATEMENT of the PROGRESS made in the ARRANGEMENT and DESCRIPTION of the COLLECTIONS, and an ACCOUNT of OBJECTS added to them, in the Year 1886.”

Treasury Chambers, }
30 June 1887. }

W. L. JACKSON.

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- I.—ACCOUNT OF THE RECEIPT AND EXPENDITURE OF THE BRIDGE-WATER FUND, for the Year ended 31st March 1887.
 - II.—ACCOUNT OF THE FARNBOROUGH FUND, for the same period.
 - III.—ACCOUNT OF THE SWINEY FUND, for the same period.
 - IV.—ACCOUNT OF THE BIRCH FUND, for the same period.
 - V.—ACCOUNT OF THE WHITE BEQUEST, for the same period.
 - VI.—RETURN of the Number of PERSONS admitted to visit the BRITISH MUSEUM in each Year from 1881 to 1886, both Years inclusive ; and the BRITISH MUSEUM (NATURAL HISTORY) in each Year from the Date of Opening to 1886, inclusive.
 - VII.—STATEMENT of GENERAL PROGRESS at the MUSEUM (Bloomsbury).
 - VIII.—STATEMENT of PROGRESS made in the ARRANGEMENT and DESCRIPTION of the COLLECTIONS, and ACCOUNT of OBJECTS added to them, in the Year 1886 (Bloomsbury).
 - IX.—Ditto - - - ditto - - - (Natural History).
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(Sir John Lubbock.)

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I.—AN ACCOUNT of the RECEIPT AND EXPENDITURE of the BRIDGEWATER

	CASH.	Stock, 3 p'Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
To BALANCE on the 1st April 1886 - - - - -	118 18 3	13,117 17 2
- DIVIDENDS received on 13,117 l. 17 s. 2 d. Stock in 3 per Cent. Consols, bequeathed by the Earl of Bridgewater, viz.:		
On the 6th July 1886 - - - £. 106 15 4		
,, 6th January 1887 - - - 106 15 4		
	303 10 8	
- ONE YEAR'S RENT OF A REAL ESTATE, bequeathed by the Earl of Bridgewater, received 17th May 1886 - - - - -	24 14 3	
£	537 3 2	13,117 17 2

II.—AN ACCOUNT of the RECEIPT AND EXPENDITURE of the FARNBOROUGH

	CASH.	Stock, 3 p'Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
To BALANCE on the 1st April 1886 - - - - -	148 11 10	2,872 6 10
- DIVIDENDS received on 2,872 l. 6 s. 10 d. Stock in 3 per Cent. Consols, bequeathed by Lord Farnborough, viz.:		
On the 6th July 1886 - £. 43 1 9		
,, 6th January 1887 43 1 8		
	86 3 5	
£.	234 15 3	2,872 6 10

III.—AN ACCOUNT of the RECEIPT AND EXPENDITURE of the SWINEY

	CASH.	Stock, 3 p'Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
To BALANCE on the 1st April 1886 - - - - -	258 13 5	5,369 2 9
- DIVIDENDS received on 5,369 l. 2 s. 9 d. Stock in 3 per Cent. Consols, bequeathed by Dr. George Swiney for Lectures on Geology, viz.:		
On the 6th July 1886 - £. 80 10 9		
,, 6th January 1887 80 10 9		
	161 1 6	
£.	419 14 11	5,369 2 9

FUND, from the 1st April 1886 to the 31st March 1887.

	CASH.	STOCK, 3 p' Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
BY PAYMENT for the Collection of the Rents connected with the REAL ESTATE - - - - -	1 3 4	
- PAYMENT of one year's SALARY to the Egerton Librarian - -	210 - -	
- PAYMENTS for the purchase of Manuscripts - - - - -	143 1 -	
	354 4 4	
- BALANCES ON THE 31ST MARCH 1887, carried to Account for 1887/88	182 18 10	13,117 17 2
£.	537 3 2	13,117 17 2

FUND, from the 1st April 1886 to the 31st March 1887.

	CASH.	STOCK, 3 p' Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
BY PAYMENTS for the Purchase of Manuscripts - - - - -	206 3 -	
BY BALANCES ON THE 31ST MARCH 1887, carried to Account for 1887/88	28 12 3	2,872 6 10
£.	234 15 3	2,872 6 10

FUND, from the 1st April 1886 to the 31st March 1887.

	CASH.	STOCK, 3 p' Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
BY SALARY paid to Dr. R. H. Traquair for Lectures on Geology in 1886 - - - - -	150 - -	
- BALANCES ON THE 31ST MARCH 1887, carried to Account for 1887/88	269 14 11	5,369 2 9
£.	419 14 11	5,369 2 9

IV.—AN ACCOUNT of the RECEIPT and EXPENDITURE of the BIRCH

	CASH.	STOCK, 3 p'Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£ s. d.
To BALANCE on the 1st April 1886 - - - -	- - -	563 15 7
- DIVIDENDS received on 563 <i>l.</i> 15 <i>s.</i> 7 <i>d.</i> Stock in 3 per Cent. Consols, bequeathed by Dr. Birch in 1766, for the three Under Librarians of the British Museum, viz.:		
On the 6th July 1886 - - £. 8 9 1		
„ 6th January 1887 - 8 9 2		
	16 18 3	
£.	16 18 3	563 15 7

V.—AN ACCOUNT of the RECEIPT and EXPENDITURE of the BEQUEST of the late

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British Museum,
31 May 1887. }

FUND, from the 1st April 1886 to the 31st March 1887.

	CASH.	STOCK. 3 p'Cent. Consols.
	£. s. d.	£. s. d.
By LEGACY paid to the three Under Librarians of the British Museum, whose offices existed in 1766, viz., the Keepers of the Departments of Printed Books, Manuscripts, and Natural History -	16 18 3	
- BALANCE ON THE 31st MARCH 1887, carried to Account for 1887/88 - - - - -	- - -	563 15 7
£.	16 18 3	563 15 7

Mr. WILLIAM WHITE, from the 1st April 1886 to the 31st March 1887.

	CASH.
	£. s. d.
By Payment for alterations, &c., in the building erected on the east side of the Museum from funds bequeathed by the late Mr. William White - - - - -	293 14 1
- Payment to the Surveyor of Her Majesty's Office of Works for services rendered in preparing plans, and in general superintendence of the works provided for out of the White Bequest -	2 15 -
- BALANCE on 31st March 1887, carried forward to 1887/88, and still available for the purposes of the bequest - - - - -	67 8 9
£.	363 17 10

Edward A. Bond, Principal Librarian.