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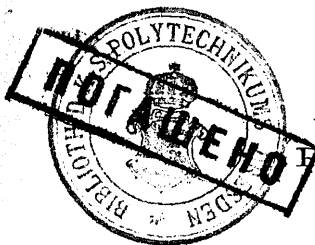
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THE OPERATIONS, EXPENDITURES, AND CONDITION
OF THE INSTITUTION

TO

JULY, 1885.



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FROM THE
SECRETARY OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION,
ACCOMPANYING

*The annual report of the Board of Regents of that Institution to the end of
June, 1885.*

JULY 17, 1886.—Ordered to be printed.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION,
Washington, D. C., January 15, 1886.

To the Congress of the United States :

In accordance with section 5593 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, I have the honor, in behalf of the Board of Regents, to submit to Congress the annual report of the operations, expenditures, and condition of the Smithsonian Institution to July, 1885.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
SPENCER F. BAIRD,
Secretary Smithsonian Institution.

HON. JOHN SHERMAN,
President of the Senate, pro tem.

HON. JOHN G. CARLISLE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION TO THE END OF JUNE, 1885.

SUBJECTS.

1. Proceedings of the Board of Regents for the session of January, 1885.

2. Report of the Executive Committee, exhibiting the financial affairs of the Institution, including a statement of the Smithsonian fund, and receipts and expenditures for the year 1885 (to July 1).

3. Annual report of the Secretary, giving an account of the operations and condition of the Institution for the year 1885 (to July 1), with the statistics of collections, exchanges, &c.

4. General appendix, comprising a record of recent progress in the principal departments of science, and special memoirs, original and selected, of interest to collaborators and correspondents of the Institution, teachers, and others engaged in the promotion of knowledge.

The report of the Assistant Director and Curators of the National Museum for the year 1885 (to July 1), will be published in a separate volume.

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