

CATALOGUE

OF

BIRDS, MEDALS, WOODS, &c.,

IN THE

Museum of the Literary and Historical Society

OF QUEBEC,

(Birds arranged according to the nomenclature of the *Smithsonian Institute*, Washington.)

The numbers refer to those of the IX. Vol. of Reports of the Pacific Railroad Surveys in 1858; Birds by Professor SPENCER F. BAIRD.

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<i>Picus viridis,</i>	
<i>Ictomus Hypoleucos,</i>	
<i>Picus major,</i>	
<i>Alauda Calendra,</i>	
<i>Melanerpes formicivorus,</i>	
<i>Picus scalaris,</i>	
<i>Otidæ houbaræ,</i>	

LIST OF EGGS IN MUSEUM,

AUGUST, 1873.

Fox-colored Sparrow,	Red-billed Nuthatch,
Song " "	White-bellied Swallow,
Tree " "	Barn Swallow,
White-crowned " "	Martin,
White-throated " "	Redstart,
Field " "	Yellow Warbler,
Cow Bunting,	Blue Bird,
Red-winged Starling,	Golden-crowned Thrush,
Meadow Lark,	Hermit " "
Crow Black Bird,	Wilson's " "
Carolina Dove,	Small green-crested Fly-catcher,
Ruffed Grouse,	Trail's " "
Prairie Hen,	Black-billed Cuckoo,
Quail,	Osprey,
Snowy Heron,	Canada Goose,
Kildeer Plover,	Red-necked Diver,
Wilson's " "	Puffin,
Piping " "	Black Guillemot,
Semi-palmated " "	Loon,
Golden " "	Common Guillemot,
Clapper Rail,	Pintail Duck,
Willet,	Raven,
King Fisher,	Gadwall,
Magpie,	Hawk Owl,
Marsh Tern,	Short-eared " "
Least " "	Razor-billed Auk,
Arctic " "	Goshawk,
Foster's " "	Red-shouldered Hawk,
Sooty " "	Marsh " "
Noddy " "	Cooper's " "
Snow Bird,	Red-breasted Merganser
Bay-winged Bunting,	Goosander,
American Goldfinch,	Wild Duck,
Marsh Wren,	Mallard,
Cat Bird,	Harlequin Duck,
Pewee Fly-catcher,	Red-necked Phalarope.
Red-eyed " "	

LIST OF EGGS RECENTLY ADDED TO THE COLLECTION
BY PURCHASE.

ORDER I.—BIRDS OF PREY.

Mexican Vulture,	Cliff Swallow,
Duck Hawk,	Bank Swallow,
Squirrel “	Cedar Bird,
Black-capped “	White-rumped Shrike,
Orange-breasted “	Whip-poor-Will,
Prairie Falcon,	Yellow-throated Vireo
Baird's Buzzard,	Warbling “
Jer Falcon,	White-eyed “
Red-shouldered Hawk,	Louisiana Tanager,
Marsh “	Savannah Sparrow,
Pigeon “	Yellow-winged “
Sparrow “	Redpole,
Sharp-shinned “	Sharp-tailed Finch,
Long-eared Owl,	Sea-side “
Short-eared “	Lark “
	Ground Robin
	Titlark,
	Yellow-headed Blackbird,

ORDER II.—CLIMBERS.

Yellow-billed Cuckoo,	Mocking Bird,
Hairy Woodpecker,	House Wren,
Downy “	American Creeper,
Golden-winged “	Purple Finch,
Lewis “	Wilson's Snow Bird,
	Black Snow “
	Ground Dove,
	Common “

ORDER III.—PERCHERS.

King Bird,	White-bellied Nuthatch,
Pewee,	Boat-tailed Grackle,
Least Fly-catcher,	Yellow-shafted Flicker,
Long-tailed Thrush,	Heerman's Song Sparrow,
Long-tailed Mocker,	Chipping “
Wood Thrush,	Swamp “
Wilson's “	Field “
Migratory “ (<i>Robin</i>),	Black-throated Bunting,
Fire Crest,	Rose-breasted Grosbeak,
Stone-Chat,	Cardinal,
Blue Bird,	Bob-o-link (<i>Rice Bird</i>),
Red “	Red-winged Blackbird,
Summer Red Bird,	Orchard Oriole,
Scarlet Tanager,	Baltimore “
	Grackle
	Common Crow,

Blue Jay,
Wild Pigeon.

ORDER IV.—GALLINACEOUS.

Spruce Partridge,
Sharp-tailed Grouse.

ORDER V.—WADERS.

American Crane,
Sand-hill Crane,
Reddish Egret,
Great Blue Heron,
Louisiana " "
White " "
Great Blue " "
Least Bittern,
Bittern,
Green Heron,
Night " "
Esquimaux Curlew,
Oyster Catcher,
Black-necked Stilt,
English Snipe,
Spotted Sandpiper,
Bonaparte's Sandpiper,
Field Plover,
Rail,
Virginia Rail,
Common " "
Florida Gallinule,
Marsh Hen.

ORDER VI.—PALMATED.

Black Duck,
Blue-winged Teal,
Shoveller,
Greater Blackhead,
South Southerly,
Eider Duck,
Summer " "
King Eider,
Gannet, Solan Goose
White-headed " "

Western Goose
Frigate Pelican,
Brown " "
Common Cormorant,
Florida " "
Leach's Petrel,
Wilson's " "
Ring-billed Gull,
Western " "
Short-billed " "
Laughing " "
Wilson's Tern,
Cabot's " "
Caspian " "
Royal " "
Roseate " "
Short-tailed " "
Black Skimmer,
Caroline Grebe,
Grebe,
Arctic Puffin,
Foolish Guillemot,
Wrangel's " "
Crow " "
Murre.

The following Eggs were presented
as a gift by M. A. LECHEVALIER,
Taxidermist, of Montreal :

Canada Goose,
Great Black Back Gull,
Herring Gull,
Mallard,
Hooded Merganser
Coot
Clapper Rail,
Meadow Lark,
Belted Kingfisher,
European Crow,
Royston " "
Red-breasted Partridge.
Hudson Bay Magpie.
Magpie,
Yellow-billed Magpie,

LIST OF ANIMALS.

1. *Lynx rufus*..... Wild Cat,
2. *Vulpes fulvus*..... Red Fox,
3. *Castor fiber* Beaver,
4. *Gulo luscus*..... Wolverine,
5. *Phoca concolor*..... American Seal,
6. *Hystrix hudsonius*..... Porcupine,
7. *Mephitis americana*..... Skunk,
8. *Lepus americanus*..... Northern Hare,
9. *Arctmys monax*..... Woodchuck,
10. *Fiber gibeticus*..... Muskrat,
11. *Putorius vison*..... Mink,
12. *Didelphis virginiana*..... Opossum,
13. *Putorius noveboracensis* New-York Ermine,
14. *Mustela pusilla*..... Small Weasel,
15. *Sciurus niger*..... Black Squirrel,
16. *Sciurus leucotis*..... Gray “
17. *Sciurus striatus*..... Striped “
18. *Sciurus hudsonius*..... Red “
19. *Mus decumanus* Common Rat,
20. *Mus musculus*..... Common Mouse,
21. *Arvicola albo-rufescens*..... Light-colored Meadow Mouse.

LIST OF FISHES IN MUSEUM.

1. *Perca flavescens*..... Yellow Perch,
2. *Lucioperca americana*..... American Sandre,
3. *Centrarchus æneus*..... Rock Bass,
5. *Pomotis vulgaris*..... Common Pond Fish,
6. *Esox estor*..... Maskinongé,
7. *Esox lusius*..... Common Pike,
8. *Osmerus viridescens*..... Smelt,
9. *Hyodon*..... White Fish,
10. *Coregonus quadrilateralis*..... Round Fish,
11. *Lepidosteus huronensis*..... Gar Pike,
12. *Catostomus aureolus*..... Gilt Sucking Carp,
13. *Catostomus communis*..... Common Carp,
14. *Catostomus*..... Carp,
15. *Catostomus pallidus*..... Pale Carp, male
16. *Catostomus pallidus*..... Pale Carp, female
17. *Scomber scomber*..... Spring Mackerel,
18. *Gadus maculosus*..... Eel-pout,
19. *Acipenser oxyrhincus*..... Sharp-nosed Sturgeon,
20. *Lumpus anglorum* Lump Fish,
21. *Sebastes norvegicus*..... Northern Sebastes,

22. <i>Platessa plana</i>	New York Flat-fish,
23. <i>Morrhua americana</i>	Torsh or Rock Cod,
24. <i>Leuciscus nitidus</i>	Shining Dace,
25. <i>Morrhua pruniosa</i>	Tom-cod,
26. <i>Anguilla macrocephala</i>	Bull-headed Eel,
27. <i>Salmo confines</i>	Lake Trout,
27. <i>Lamna caudata</i>	Long-tailed Porbeagle,
28. <i>Brosmius vulgaris</i>	Tusk or Cusk,
29.	Long-finned Trout, male,
30.	Long-finned Trout, female,
31. <i>Microsstenis salmoides</i>	Gill,
32. <i>Microsstenis ingricans</i>	Cuiviers Gill.

LIST OF UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT MEDALS
(WASHINGTON MINT) IN THE MUSEUM.

ARMY MEDALS.

1. Washington before Boston.
2. Major-General Horatio Gates—Saratoga—1777.
3. Colonel George Crogan—for Sandusky—2nd Aug., 1813.
4. Major-General W. H. Harrison—for the Thames—5th Oct., 1813.
5. Governor Isaac Shelby—Battle of the Thames—5th Oct., 1813.
6. Major-General Winfield Scott—for Chippewa and Niagara.
7. Major-General Edmund Gains—for Fort Erie—15th Aug., 1814.
8. Major-Gen. P. B. Porter—Chippewa, 5th July, 1814; Niagara, 25th July, 1814; Fort Erie, 17th Sept., 1814.
9. Major-General Brown, " " " " "
10. Brigadier-General Miller, " " " " "
11. Brigadier-General Ripley, " " " " "
12. Major-General Macomb—Plattsburg.
13. Major-General Zachary Taylor—Resaca de la Palmare—1846.
14. Major-General Z. Taylor—Monterey—Sept., 1846.
15. Major-General Z. Taylor—Buena Vista—22nd Feby., 1847.
16. Major-General Winfield Scott—Vera Cruz, &c.—1847.
17. Major-General U. S. Grant, N.S., N.L.A.—Vicksburg—Chattanooga

NAVY MEDALS.

18. John Paul Jones—"Serapis."
19. Captain Thomas Tington.
20. Captain Hull—Capture of the "Guerrière."
21. Captain Jacob Jones—Capture of the "Frolic."
22. Captain Decatur—Capture of the "Macedonian."
23. Captain Bainbridge—Capture of the "Java."
24. Captain Lawrence—Capture of the "Peacock."

25. Lieutenant McCall.
26. Captain Perry—Capture of the "British fleet on Lake Erie."
27. Captain Warrington—Capture of the "Eperokiet."
28. Captain Blakeley—Capture of the "Reindeer."
29. Captain Thos. Macdonough—Capture of the fleet on Lake Champlain.
30. Captain Henley— " " "
31. Lieutenant Step. Cassin—1814— " " "
32. Captain Biddle—Capture of the "Penguin"—1815.
33. Captain Chas. Stuart—Capture of the "Cyane"—20th Feby., 1815.
34. Major-General A. Jackson—Battle of New Orleans—6th Jany., 1845.
35. Captain W. Burrows—4th Sept., 1813.

PRESIDENTIAL MEDALS.

36. The Cabinet Medal.
37. Thomas Jefferson—1801.
38. James Madison.
39. James Munroe—1817.
40. John Quincy Adams—1825.
41. Andrew Jackson—1829.
42. Martin Van Buren—1837.
43. John Tyler—1841.
44. James R. Polk—1845.
45. Zachary Taylor—1849.
46. Millard Fillmore—1850.
47. Franklin Pierce—1853.
48. James Buchanan—1857.
49. Abraham Lincoln—1862.
50. Andrew Johnson—1865.

SOLE NATIONAL MEDALS.

51. Captain Perry—State of "Pennsylvania"—Lake Erie—10th Sept., 1813.
52. (*Missing.*)
53. Major-General Winfield Scott—Chapultepec—Melino del Rey, &c.
54. Rescue of the Officers and Crew of the United States brig "Janus."
55. Captain M. Graham—"Rescue of Martin Kystice."
56. The Shipwreck Medal.
57. United States Coast Survey—Gallantry and Humanity—1846.
58. Japanese Embassy Medal.
59. Doctor Frederick Ross—Skill and Humanity.
60. Colonel Armstrong—Destruction of Kiltanning, "Indian Village"—1756.
61. Indian Race Medal.
62. Captains Creighton, Low, and Stouffer—1854.
63. Doctor Hossack—Arts and Science, &c.
64. Commodore M. C. Perry, Boston—Merchants, &c.

MEMORANDUM OF A FEW SPECIMEN ROCKS, OF FOSSILS
AND MINERALS LEFT BY FRIENDS OF THE
SOCIETY IN THE MUSEUM.

Laminated Limestone.	Iron Ore.
Stellic Caroline.	Carbonate of Copper Quartz.
Madrepore.	Chrome Iron.
Natural Loadstone, from Leeds,	California Gold Quartz.
Megantic.	Gray Granite.
Sulphuret of Copper.	Analcine.
Copper Quartz.	Gold, Silver, Copper and a Conglomerate
Epidotic Gneiss, from the County of	(conglomerate.) of Gravel and
Lanark.	Gold, from the Alluvial Gold Mines
Limestone from Montreal.	of Ominica, British Columbia.
Quartz from Ottawa City.	Copper Pyrites.
Red Copper, Acton mine.	Syenite.
Galena from the County of Lanark.	Petrified Fish.
Yellow sulphuret.	Equisitum.
Granite from the Quarries of Syene.	Zoophite.
Coal specimens.	Basalt.
Amethysts from Lake Superior.	Sulphurate of Lead from Almeria.
Bivalved petrified shells.	Arnprior Marble.
Specular Iron Quartz.	Meteore Stone.
Copper Sulphuret from Sherbrooke.	

CANADIAN WOODS, SHEWING OBLIQUE AND TRANS-
VERSE SECTIONS AND BARK.

PRESENTED BY DR. H. H. MILES.

(TWENTY-FOUR SPECIMENS.)

Prunus Americana.....	Red Plum.
Thuya Occidentalis.....	Cedar.
Fraxinus Sambucifolia.....	Brown Ash.
Fraxinus Americana.....	White Ash.
Fagus Ferruginea.....	Birch.
Ulmus Americana.....	White Elm.
Ulmus Rubra.....	Red or Slippery Elm.
Larix Americana.....	Tamarack or Larch.
(?) Abies Canadensis.....	Hemlock Spruce.
Juglans Cinerea.....	Butternut.
Betula Populifolia.....	White Birch
Alnus Viridis.....	Alder, Green or Mountain.

<i>Alnus Incana</i>	Alder, Red.
<i>Tilia Americana</i>	Basswood.
<i>Ostrya Virginica</i>	Iron or Lever Wood.
(2.) <i>Quercus Alba</i>	White Oak.
<i>Carya Amara</i>	Hickory.
(3) <i>Acer Saccharinum</i>	Maple.
<i>Spicatum</i> and <i>Dasycarpum</i>	Maple.
<i>Linum Usitatissimum</i>	Canadian Flax, stalk, flower, seed, and dyed.

MEXICAN AND CALIFORNIAN WOODS, ETC.

(THIRTY-SIX SPECIMENS.)

1. *Pinus Douglasii*.....
2. *Larix Americana*, var..... Mexican Larch.
3. *Ulmus Americana*, var..... Mexican Elm.
4. *Magnolia*..... Magnolia.
5. (2) *Betula Excelsa*..... Mexican Birch.
6. *Salix Alba*..... Mexican Willow.
7. (2) *Populus Alba*..... Poplar.
8. *Betula Rubra*..... Red Birch.
9. " "..... Blue.
10. *Corylus Avellana*..... Mexican Hazel.
11. Mexican Apple.
12. Green Osier.
13. Walset Wood.
14. *Vitis Perdifloria*..... Vine Wood.
15. *Berasya Pennsylvanica*.....
16. *Lynozia Vulgaris*..... Mexican Lilac.
17. *Cœsalpinia*..... Peach Wood, or Nicaragua Wood.
18. Mexican Bush Maple.
19. *Pyrus Aucuparia*..... Mountain Ash, or Service Tree.
20. *Alnus Glutinosa*..... Mexican Alder.
21. Sumach.
22. *Carya Amara Paludinoso*..... Swamp Hickory, or Bitternut.
23. *Rosa Paludinoso*..... Mexican Swamp Rose.
24. *Morus Fructoria*.....
25. Fustic Root.
26. *Sequia Gigantea*.... Wood, Foliage, Bark, Seed and Cone
of the mammoth tree of California.
27. *Buxus Sempervirens*..... Box Wood.
- 28 to 34. Duplicates, and not named in Mexican Woods.

WOODS, FIBRES, ETC., TROPICAL AND OTHERS.

(SEVENTY-FIVE SPECIMENS.)

1. *Anona Cherimolia*.....Cherimoyer, West Indies.
2. *Guatteria Laurifolia*.....White Lance Wood, West Indies.
3. *Laplacea Hematoxylon*.....Blood Wood, Iron Wood, West Indies.
4. *Cinnamodendron Corticosum*.....With bark of the same—West Indies.
5. *Erythroxelon Areolatum*.....Redwood—West Indies.
6. *Arto-carpus Integrifolia*.....Jack fruit-tree—West Indies.
7. *Amyris Balsamifera*.....Red Candle Wood—West Indies.
8. *Cassia Emarginata*.....Yellow Candle Wood—West Indies.
9. (4) *Piscidia Erythrina do Carthi-*
ginensis.....Dog Wood—West Indies.
10. *Casuarina Equisetifolia*.....West Indies.
11. *Bruya Ebenus*.....Jamaica Ebony, with bark of same—
West Indies.
11. (3) *Peltophorum Linnæ*.....Brazilito—West Indies.
12. *Cœsalpinia Coriaria*.....Divi-Divi—West Indies.
13. *Laguncularia Racemosa*.....White Mangrove—West Indies.
14. *Chrysophillum Cainito*.....Star-apple—West Indies.
15. *Dipholis Salicifolia* White Bully Tree—West Indies.
16. Redheart?—West Indies.
17. (2) *Cocos Nücifera* Cocoa Nut—West Indies.
18. *Calophyllum Calaba* Santa Maria—West Indies.
19. *Dipholis Nigra*.....Black Bully Tree—West Indies.
20. Hogberry?—West Indies.
21. *Cordia Gerascanthus*.....Jamaica Elm—West Indies.
22. *Achras Sideroxylon*.....Naseberry Bully Tree—West Indies.
23. *Andira Inermis*.....Bastard Cabbage Tree—West Indies.
24. Cassada Wood?—West Indies.
25. *Simarula Officinalis* Bitter Damson—West Indies.
26. *Laurus Borbonia*.....Bluefield's Cedar, or Timbersweet--
West Indies
27. *Nectandra*.....Sweet-wood—West Indies.
28. *Amyris?*.....Black Rosewood—West Indies.
29. *Amyris Balsamifera* White Rosewood—West Indies.
30. *Fagus Sylvestris*.....Jamaica Beech—West Indies.
31. *Canella Alba*.....Wild Cinnamon—West Indies.
32. *Cupressus Thuyoides?*.....White Cedar—West Indies.
33. *Amyris?*.....White Torch, or Candle Wood—West
Indies.
34. *Acaeta Arborea* Wild Tamarind—West Indies.
35. *Hymena Courbarli*.....Locust Tree—West Indies.
36. *Pentedeshra Filamentosa*.....West Indies.

- 37, 38, 39. Specimens of heavy Australian Woods, Victoria, N. S. W.—
(Names not given)
40. EucalyptusVictoria, N. S. W.
41. Sarcocephalus Ovaifolia.....Queensland, N. S. W.
- 42 43, Australian Woods—Victoria, N.S.W.—(Names not given.)
44. Eucalyptus Acerbica..... Silver Gully Tree—Victoria, N. S. W.
- 45, 46, 47. Names not given—Victoria, N. S. W.
48. Eucalyptus Odorata.....(Peppermint Tree)—Victoria, N.S.W
49. Banksia Australis.....Honeysuckle, Victoria, N. S. W.
50. Banksia Integrifolia.....Coast Honeysuckle, Victoria, N.S.W.
51. Musk Tree, Victoria, N. S. W.
52. Bambusa Gigantea.....Bamboo, West Indies.
- 53 to 66. Duplicates of Laplacea Hæmatxylon, Erythroxilum Areolatum,
Amyris, Balsamifera, Piscidia Erythrinia and Carthaginensis, Bruya
Ebenus, Laguneularia Racemosa, Chrysophilum Canaito, Dipholis
Salicifolia, Cocos Nucifera, Hogberry, Nectandra.

VEGETABLES, FIBRES, ETC.

1. Paritium Elatum.....Cuba Matting, West Indies.
2. Agava Americana.....Fibre or Spanish Aloe, Mexico.
3. Cocos Nucifera.....Cocoa Nut Fibre, West Indies.
4. Sparto Grass and Hibiscus Escalates—Ceylon.
5. Fibre of Thuya Gigantea, with Bark and cordage of same, as used by inhabitants of Vancouver Island, British Columbia.
6. Skutched Fibre of "Linum Usitatissimum Canadensis" as from machine.
7. Fibre of Japanese Weed (Name not given), as prepared for substitute for silk or cotton, but used in manufacture for mixture with these.
8. Humulus Lupulus, fibre of, Lupulane, samples of unbleached, bleached, and spun into thread, Canada.
9. Gutta-Percha (extract of Icosandra gutta), as imported from the Malay Islands.

Two cases of Foreign Butterflies and Insects.

N. B.—The list of names being incomplete it has been found impossible to supply the missing ones.

LIST OF SPECIMENS OF WOODS OF THE CANADIAN FORESTS.

WITH THEIR ENGLISH, FRENCH AND BOTANICAL NAMES.

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No.	ENGLISH NAME.	FRENCH NAME.	BOTANICAL NAME.
1	Alder.....	Aulne Commun.....	Alnus incana.
2	Ash, Mountain.....	Cormier, (Masquabina) ..	Fyrus Americana.
3	Ash, Rim.....	Frêne de Savane.....	Fraxinus juglandifolia.
4	Ash, Swamp.....	Frêne rouge.....	Fraxinus pubescens.
5	Ash, Black.....	Frêne noir.....	Fraxinus sambucifolia.
6	Ash, White.....	Franc Frêne.....	Fraxinus Americana.
7	Aspen, Large-toothed...	Grand Tremble.....	Populus grandidentata.
8	Basswood.....	Bois blanc, (Tilleul).....	Tilia Americana.
9	Beech.....	Hêtre.....	Fagus ferruginea.
10	Beech, Blue.....	Charme.....	Carplus Americana.
11	Birch, Black.....	Merisier rouge.....	Betula lenta.
12	Birch, Yellow.....	Merisier blanc.....	Betula excelsa.
13	Birch, White.....	Bouleau.....	Betula papyracea.
14	Butternut, Smooth.....	Noyer tendre.....	Juglans cinerea.
15	Button-wood.....	Platane.....	Platanus Occidentalis.
16	Cedar, White.....	Cédre blanc.....	Thuja Occidentalis.
17	Cedar, Red.....	Cédre rouge.....	Juniperus Virginiana.
18	Cherry, Choke.....	Cerisier à grappes.....	Cerasus Virginiana.
19	Cherry, (wild) Black.....	Cerisier noir.....	Cerasus Serotina.
20	Chestnut.....	Châtaignier.....	Castanea Americana.
21	Chestnut, Horse.....	Marronnier d'Inde.....	Æsculus hippocastanum.
22	Cherry, (wild) Red.....	Petite merise.....	Cerasus Pennsylvanica.
23	Cottonwood, (necklace poplar) }	Peuplier du Canada.....	Populus monilifera.
24	Cornell, (Flowering Dogwood) }	Cornouiller.....	Cornus Florida.
25	Elm, Grey or White.....	Orme blanc.....	Ulmus Americana.
26	Elm, Red.....	Orme rouge.....	Ulmus fulva vel rubra.
27	Elm, Slippery.....	Orme gras.....	Ulmus fulva.
28	Elm, Soft.....	Orme.....	Ulmus racemosa.
29	Fir, Balsam.....	Sapin.....	Abies balsamea.
30	Hemlock.....	Pruce.....	Abies Canadensis.
31	Hickory, Nocker-nutt.....	Noyer à noix douces.....	Carya tomentosa.
32	Hickory, Rough Bark.....	Noyer dur.....	Carya alba.
33	Iron Wood.....	Bois dur.....	Ostrya Virginica.
34	Maple, Hard.....	Erable.....	Acer saccharinum.
35	Maple, Mountain.....	Plaine bâtarde.....	Acer spionum.
36	Maple, Soft Curly.....	Plaine.....	Acer rubrum.
37	Maple, Soft, (plane).....	Plaine blanche.....	Acer dasycarpum.
38	Moose Wood.....	Bois barré (Bois noir).....	Acer Pennsylvanicum.
39	Oak, Black.....	Chêne noir.....	Quercus tinctoria.
40	Oak, Grey, (Lake).....	Chêne gris.....	Quercus ambigua.
41	Oak, Red.....	Chêne rouge.....	Quercus rubra.
42	Oak, White.....	Chêne blanc.....	Quercus alba.
43	Oak, White (Ottawa).....	Chêne blanc (Ottawa).....	Quercus alba.
44	Pine, Red.....	Pin rouge.....	Pinus resinosa.
45	Pine, White.....	Pin blanc.....	Pinus strobus.
46	Pine, Yellow.....	Pin jaune.....	Pinus mitis.
47	Plum, Wild, Yellow.....	Prunier sauvage.....	Prunus Americana.
48	Poplar Balsam, or Balm of Gilead }	Peuplier baumier, (Tacamahaca) }	Populus balsamifera.
49	Poplar, (Common Aspen)	Tremble.....	Populus tremuloides.
50	Sassafras.....	Sas-afra.....	Sassafras officinalis.
51	Scrub Pine.....	Pin gris (ou cyprès).....	Pinus rupestris.
52	Spruce, White.....	Epinette blanche.....	Abies alba.
53	Spruce, Black.....	Epinette noire.....	Abies nigra.
54	Sumac.....	Vinagrier.....	Rhus typhina.
55	Tamarac.....	Epinette rouge.....	Larix Americana.
56	Thorn, Apple.....	Pommettier rouge.....	Cratægus punctata.
57	Thorn, White.....	Seneller.....	Cratægus coccinea.
58	Walnut, Black.....	Noyer noir.....	Juglans nigra.
59	Willow, Black.....	Saule noir.....	Salix nigra.
60	White Wood.....	Tulpièr.....	Liriodendron tulipifer.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM,

1863.

A collection of North American Unionidae—from Smithsonian Institute, Washington.

Marine Shells and other invertebrata collected by the Officers of the Survey in the River and Gulf of St. Lawrence—from Geological Survey of Canada.

A young Bald Eagle—from Geo. H. Parke, Esq., Quebec.

1 Egg of Night Heron; 2 Eggs of Common Crow; 1 Egg of Yellow shafted Woodpecker; 1 Egg of Cedar Bird; 1 Egg of Tyrant Fly-catcher; 1 Egg of Yellow Warbler; 1 Egg of Crow Blackbird; 1 Egg of Robin, or Red-breasted Thrush—from William Couper, Quebec.

Specimen of Lead Ore from Almeria, Spain; A piece of Tablet supposed to have been erected by Columbus on landing on Turks Island, West Indies; Specimens of Sugar-cane Blossom; Specimens of Sensitive Plant; Specimens of Ipecacuanha Plant; Scales of the Blue-fish—from C. C. Jordesson, Esq.

1 Lizard and a Barnacle, in spirits—from James F. Wolff, Esq., M.D.

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1865.

Specimens of Copper Ore from Harvey Hill Mines—from Herbert Williams, Esq.

Two Coins—from W. White, Esq., Post Office Department.

5-Cent United States Paper Currency—from A. Harvey, Esq.

Canadian Fossils—from G. J. Bowles, Esq.

Specimen of Iron Ore—from M. Miller, Esq.

Spanish Grass, used for paper-making—from G. T. Cary, Esq.

Twenty Stuffed Birds—from Mrs. Dixon, of Bowmanville; presented through R. S. M. Bouchette, Esq.

A number of Fishes and Crustaceans from the Gulf—from P. Fortin, Esq., Corresponding Member of the Society.

Lime Incrustations from the north shore of Newfoundland—from Capt Ascah, Gaspé.

A Star Fish—from A. Halliday, Esq.

An Opossum—from the Smithsonian Institute, Washington.

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1869-70.

- Specimens of Devonian Plants collected at the Fern Lodge, near St. John, N.B.—Natural and Historical Society, St. John, N.B.
- Copy of Petition from the Commissioners for erecting a Metropolitan Church to Lt.-Governor Milnes, Quebec, 26th June, 1802,—W. A. Himsworth, Esq.
- Painting of an Astrolabe, supposed to belong to Champlain,—J. Langton, Esq.
- A Curiosity of Japan from the holy Island of Onesana, said to be a natural production; also, a Japanese Map of Yeddo,—A. Campbell, Esq.
- A Fossil Egg?—J. Neilson, Esq.
- Foot of the Kirotherian.—Dr. J. B. Edwards.
- A Bronze Medal in commemoration of the Confederation of the Provinces,—Governor-General and Council.
- Three Stuffed Birds, viz.: Golden-eyed Duck, an Owl, and a Curlew,—P. McNaughton, Esq.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1871-72.

- From Alfred Sandbam, Esq., Montreal, through J. M. LeMoine, Esq.:
1. Bronze Medal—Kebeca Liberata, 1690.
 2. “ “ Frs. Chs. de Lévis, Duc de D'Ampville, 1658.
 3. “ “ Montreal Y. M. C. Association.
- From M. Lee, Esq., Quebec:—A Button of Quebec Militia, 1775.
- From Col. Strange:—A Tusk of the African Boar.
- From Jos. Jones Atcheson, Esq., Baie des Chaleurs, through J. M. LeMoine, Esq.:—Petrefactions from Baie des Chaleurs.
- From Maxime Dumont, Esq., through Dr. W. J. Anderson:—An Indian Arrow-Head.
- From David Craig, St. Foye:—A Blue-Jay's Nest.
- From Master Lockwood:—A piece of Ore; one 10-centime, French Republic, 1871.
- From Dr. W. J. Anderson:—A Lake Superior Calumet.
- From David Craig, St. Foye:—An old Bayonet, 1760.
- From Dr. Johnstone, Pictou, through Dr. W. J. Anderson:—Dress of Aneiteum Islander—bag, sling, necklace, quiver, poisoned arrows, javelins.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1871.

- By H. McHugh, Esq. :—Fossil Shells, &c., &c.
 By Miss J. LeSueur :—Three Cards pressed Fern Leaves.
 By Crown Lands Department :—One box of Specimens of Woods, the growth and produce of Canada.
 By Crown Lands Department :—Valuable Maps of the Province.
 By C. N. Montizambert, Esq. :—Collection of Medals and Old Coins.
 By Mrs. Gibb :—A valuable collection of European Birds, Audubon's Engravings, Medals, Coins, Casts, and Natural Curiosities.
 By A. Campbell, Esq. :—A Pigeon and a Postal Card, French Republic, 1871
 By H. McKay, Esq. :—Indian Stone Implements and Pottery.
 By C. Baillairgé, Esq. :—Two old Musket-barrels found in the Revetment at St. Lewis Gate, Quebec.
 By W. Drum, Esq. :—A piece of the Cat (ship) used by General Wolfe as a Floating Battery in 1759.
 By J. U. Gregory, Esq. :—Two Baleens of the Whale stranded at St. Joachim, August, 1871.
 By H. S. Scott, Esq. :—A Sepia, or Squid.
 By Dr. Boswell :—Two Birds—an Owl and a Hawk.
 By Miss K. Douglas :—Four Skins of Egyptian Birds, including those of the Male and Female Partridge of the Nile.
 By A. Nicoll, Esq. :—A Bird, Jaw of a small Shark, and a Flying-Fish.
 By Lt.-Colonel Pope :—A Model of the Original Block-House Fort on Cape Diamond, previous to the erection of the present Citadel.
 By H. H. Miles, Esq. :—Samples of Woods and Plants.
 By Dr. W. R. Patton :—Small Case of South-American Insects.
 By the Hon. J. Fraser :—\$85.65 in Confederate State Bills.
 By W. D. Campbell, Esq. :—Two Loon Eggs.
 By John William Bligh, M. D., C. M., M. R. C. S. E. :—Greater and Smaller Albatross, 3; and two Petrels.
 By Dr. Brigham :—A Button with the Initials I. R. A.
 By Commander E. P. Ashe :—A Postage Card.
 By G. Staton, Esq. :—An Old Coin of 1672.
 By H. McHugh, Esq. :—One Pair Moose Deer-Horns.

DONATIONS TO MUSEUM.

1873.

- From A. Lechevalier, Esq., Montreal :—36 New Species of Eggs.
 “ W. Judd, jr., Esq. :—A Shilling-piece of 1763.
 “ Dr. W. Marsden :—A Ferry Token in use on the Ferry between Quebec and Levis in 1821.

From the Misses Joseph :—A Loon's Egg found at Rivière du Loup *en bas* 1; English Farthing, 5 and 10 centimes, Belgium; Ten and Two centimes, Italian; Five, Two, and One centimes, France; a Five centime French Republic; Twenty, Ten, Five, Two, and One Centimes, Switzerland; Two pieces Lava from Mount Vesuvius; One piece of Brick taken from a House in Pompeii; One piece of Lava from the excavations in Pompeii; One twisted Shell from Mobile; One Starfish from Rivière du Loup *en bas*.

- “ J. McLaren, Esq. :—Some petrified Shells from Mingan Islands, North Shore, St. Lawrence.
 “ Dr. Marsden :—A Squid or Ink Fish.
 “ Dr. Bligh, through Dr. Marsden :—The Fangs of a Rattlesnake.
 “ J. K. Boswell, Esq. :—A Shel Drake; a Black Woodpecker.
 “ C. Lindsay, Esq. :—A Ten Centime of Charles X.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1874.

- Captain Jephson, R.N. :—Silver Coin of Emperor Maximilian; Two Moorish Bronze Coins of 1288.
 W. Marsden, M.D. :—A very old Coin.
 J. Gillespie, Esq. :—A piece of Iron Pyrites.
 C. N. Montizambert, Esq. :—A Picture of the Old Recollet Church, Quebec.
 J. Fraser, Esq. :—Two Teeth of the Megatodon.
 W. Hunter, Esq. :—Seven Indian Arrow Heads.
 A. Sandham, Esq. :—A Medal of Young Men's Christian Association, Montreal.
 W. Marchand, Esq. :—Two Rebellion Half Dollars, 1837-8.
 C. Tessier, Esq. :—A Coin of the Reign of Elizabeth; a Coin of the French Republic, 1792; a Medal of Napoleon III.
 Major Slone :—One Liard de France, 1657; One Silver Coin of ancient Date.
 An Old Stadaconian :—A Box containing Specimens of Sea Weed, Coral, Sponge, Star Fish, &c.
 L. McKay, Esq. :—A Brick from Nineveh, covered with Cuneiform Characters.

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1875.

- From P. Poulin, Esq. :—Horns of Chamois; Rosary from Jerusalem.
 “ G. Vogt, Esq. :—Silver coin of Chili; Italian Coin of Napoleon; Russian Coin.
 “ Mrs. Algernon Sewell :—Knife from India.

- From J. S. Budden, Esq. :—Grape Shot Found on the Plains of Abraham.
 “ J. C. Cattanach, Esq. :—Silver Coin of the Republic of Haiti.
 “ A. Graham, Esq. :—Medal of George I.
 “ H. Dinning, Esq. :—Model of the “ Royal William,” first steamship that crossed the Atlantic—built at Quebec.
 “ R. Craig,—French Silver Coin found in the ruins of a house at St. Foye.
 “ Rev. C. W. Rawson :—Two copies reprints of the “ Times.”
 “ Col. J. F. Turnbull :—Reprints of the first copy of the “ Times ” and other newspapers.
 “ Prof. J. Douglas :—Tablet with Cuneiform Characters.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1876.

- From Rev. H. D. Powis :—Two Specimens of Herpetology.
 “ Prof. A. N. Macquarrie :—Copper Coin of 1781.
 “ H. N. Jones, Esq. :—Copy of the “ Times,” 1805.
 “ Prof. J. Douglas :—Massachusetts Spy, (newspaper), 1776.
 “ A. P. Wheeler, Esq. :—Specimen of Ichthyology.
 “ R. S. M. Bouchette, Esq. :—Twenty Specimens or *fac-similes* of Confederate paper currency in circulation in the early part of the late war, United States.
 “ W. A. Holwell, Esq. :—Fruit of the Monkey Tamarind ; Section of Lace-bark-tree ; Two pieces of Chewstick, Powder of Chewstick, (in bottle;) Basket and Strainer made from the Wild Cucumber ; Circassian Beans ; Job’s Tears ; also a Descriptive Catalogue of the exhibits sent from the Island of Jamaica, to the Centennial Exhibition, 1876.

DONATIONS TO THE MUSEUM.

1877.

- From Jas. Stevenson, Esq., President :—The receipt of the Quarter-Master of the American Army, encamped before Quebec, in Dec., 1775, for two tierces of rum and two barrels of fish, certified by Brigadier-Genl. Arnold.
 From E. Fales, Esq. :—Tooth of a Walrus.
 From J. J. Foote, Esq. :—The autographs of Lord Brougham and the Right Honble. Geo. Canning.
 From W. Moody, Esq. :—Two paper “quinze sous” of 1837, dated at St. Luc.
 From H. S. Scott, Esq. :—A piece of marble from the coffin of Robert the Bruce ; two commissions bearing the autographs of George III, and of Sir R. Abercrombie, respectively ; also, a coin of Pius IX (silver,) two new German coins, and two specimens of Italian paper money.

- From J. J. Hatherly, Esq. :—Nine coins, English, Spanish and Italian.
 From Prof. McQuarrie :—A Wellington token.
 From Geo. Morgan, Esq. :—Peruvian coin.
 Two Spanish coins, 1775-1784.
 From E. Fales, Esq. :—Peruvian coin, commercial token.
 From P. Lee, Esq. :—English cutlass picked up in 1849 near the General Hospital.
 From E. L. Montizambert, Esq. :—Collection of Pebbles.
 From C. A. Duclos, Esq. :—\$50 Confederate Note.
 From Lt.-Colonel Pope, the autographs of the undersigned persons :—
- 1 Her Majesty Queen Victoria.
 - 2 H. R. H. Prince George, Duke of Cambridge.
 - 3 Earl de Grey and Ripon.
 - 4 Lord Panmure.
 - 5 The Right Honble. Sidney Herbert.
- From J. Pringle, Esq. :—One dollar bill of the Farmers' Bank of Rustico.
 From Esdale C. Florance, Esq., of Philadelphia, U. S., through A. Joseph, Esq. :—"Trente sous," a note current in Lower Canada, 1837.
 From Dr. Marsden, sent by the late Dr. Bligh, Honorary member of the Society :—Two New Zealand War Clubs.
 From Lt.-Colonel Coffin, Ottawa :—Autograph memoir of Sir Etienne Taché relating to the battle of Châteauguay and the attack on Plattsburg.

- From Lt.-Col. Alphonse Melchior DeSalaberry, eldest son of the "Victor of Chateauguay," through Dr. W. Jas. Anderson, a sketch or plan of the Battle of Chateauguay; also, a massive walking-stick, with inscription thereon, purporting to have belonged to the Canadian hero.
 From J. M. LeMoine, Esq. :—a Peacock in rich plumage.
 Deposited in the Museum for safe-keeping by James Thompson Harrower, Esq., of Quebec :—"The Sword used by Brigadier-General Richard Montgomery, at the assault on Quebec, 31st December, 1775," and taken from him after death. This heir-loom was bequeathed to Mr. James Thompson Harrower, by his uncle, Deputy Comm. General J. Thompson, son of James Thompson of the 78th Highlanders, who served under Genl. Wolfe at Quebec in 1759, was "Overseer of Works" at Quebec, under Genl. Guy Carleton, in 1775, and who was charged with the burial of Brigadier-Genl. R. Montgomery, 4th January, 1776.
 From Théophile Hamel, artist :—Oil painting of Geo. B. Faribault, Esq., President of Literary and Historical Society.
 Portrait of His Excellency Governor Sir J. H. Graig.
 A new and accurate map of the English empire of North America, published December, 1755.

Address of Lt.-Col. Geo. Bagot, commanding 69th (North Lincolnshire) Regiment, on the occasion of intrusting to the City of Quebec their old and venerable colours, 5th November, 1870.

From Wm. Walker, Esq.:—Water colour drawing, *Quebec in the olden time*, (1822).

In safe keeping for heirs of family:—Portrait in oil of Admiral Saulisbury Pryce Humphreys (Davenport), who commanded H. M. vessel "Leopard" in the attack on the Chesapeake, 1807.

From Brigadier-General de Peyster:—Portrait of General Grant.

From Mrs. Poulin:—Portrait of Hon. Mrs. Aldworth.

From the Author:—Synoptical Chart of Birds of Canada, by J. M. Le Moine, Esq., prepared for the Schools of the Province.

From W. Kirby, Esq.:—Portrait of Brock's Monument in Westminster Abbey.

From Chs. V. Temple, of the "Highlands," Sillery:—A large glass case containing a curious collection of war trophies, acquired by the donor on his visiting the chief battle-fields of the Franco-Prussian war, 1871—Strasburg, Metz, Gravelotte, Sedan: Broken Bayonets, Helmets, Pistols, Spiked Helmet of the Prussian Body-Guard, Helmet of the Uhlans, Shako of French soldier, and a variety of other objects, also a pair of Stirrups from battle-field of Waterloo, a collection of Indian, Peninsula, Waterloo, and other British Medals, &c.

J. M. LEMOINE,

Quebec, 9th January, 1878.

The "ROYAL WILLIAM," 1831-33.

The quaint model of this historical vessel, now in the Museum of the Society, an object of lively interest to strangers, and to all Quebecers a proud record, it is deemed advisable to preserve the following letter of her late commander, Captain John McDougal,* recently forwarded to J. M. LeMoine, Esq., President of the Society, by one of its most ancient corresponding members, William King, Esq., of Bristol, Canada,—formerly of Quebec.

It bears directly on a recent controversy waged in England and in the United States, in which it was claimed that the great problem of ocean steam navigation had been first solved by the arrival at New York from England of the steamers *Sirius* and *Great Britain*, on the 23rd May, 1838.

The "great problem" had been solved five years previous, viz., in 1833, by the *Royal William*, draughted by the late and well remembered George Black, J.P., built for a joint stock company, composed of Wm. Finlay, Wm. Walker, and Jeremiah Leaycraft, of Quebec, Merchants, Trustees of the incorporated "Quebec and Halifax Steam Navigation Company," in Messrs. Shepherd & Campbell's shipyard, at *Anse des Mères*, Quebec, and was launched on the 28th April, 1831. The vessel,—intended for the Quebec and Halifax trade, was kept some time on that route,—left 5th August, 1833, for London, and steamed the whole way across, *whereas the Savannah, also a steamer, who had crossed the Ocean in 1819, did not use her engines, but her sails.* The Historian, Robert Christie has republished another and very important letter of Captain McDougal's :—

LONDON, November 16, 1833.

"MY DEAR WILLIE,—

You will, I am certain, think me very neglectful in not giving you an earlier account of our proceedings with the *Royal William*. We left Pictou on the 18th of August, after having waited several days for some passengers who were expected from Prince Edward's Island, and for whom we had laid in a stock. We were very deeply laden with coal, deeper in fact than I would ever attempt crossing the Atlantic with her again. However, we got on the Grand Bank of Newfoundland, where we experienced a gale of wind which rather alarmed my Engineer; he wished very much to go into Newfoundland. We had previously lost the head of foremast, and one of the engines had become useless from the beginning of the gale; with the other we could do nothing, and the Engineer reported the vessel to be sinking. Things looked rather awkward; however, we managed to get the vessel cleared of water, and ran by one engine after the gale ten days. After that, we got on very well, and put into Cowes to clean the boilers, a job which generally occupied them from 24 hours to 26 every fourth day. However, we managed to paint her outside while there; the inside we had previously done, which enabled us to go up to London in fine style. Ten days after her arrival she was sold, and has been since thoroughly repaired and coppered; her model is considered to be superior to any of their steamers here. I should not be surprised to hear that George Black had got orders to build some more like her. She was sold for ten thousand pounds, which, I believe, has all been paid. I am now employed by her owners at £30 per month, and I shall sail in a few days for Lisbon."

My dear Willie, believe me to be,

Ever sincerely yours,

[Sd.]

JOHN McDOUGAL.

MR. WILLIAM KING,
Quebec.

*Captain John McDougal expired at Quebec, in 1847, was buried in Mount Hermon Cemetery, at Sillery.

