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VICTORIA, B.C., February, 1913.

The Honourable H. E. Young, M.D., Provincial Secretary, Victoria, B.C.

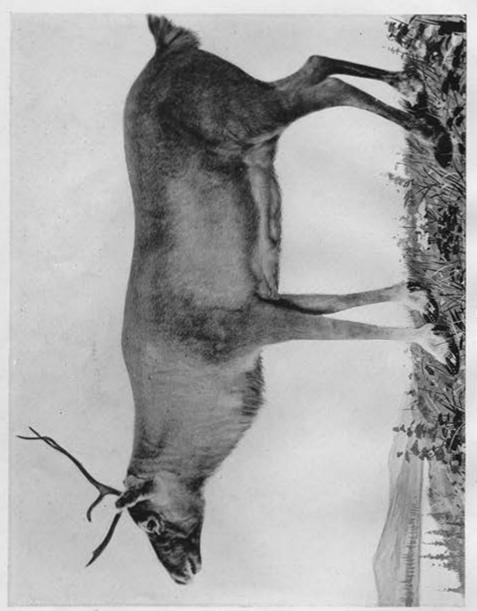
Sir,—I have the honour, as Curator of the Provincial Museum, to lay before you the report for the year 1912, covering the activities of the Museum.

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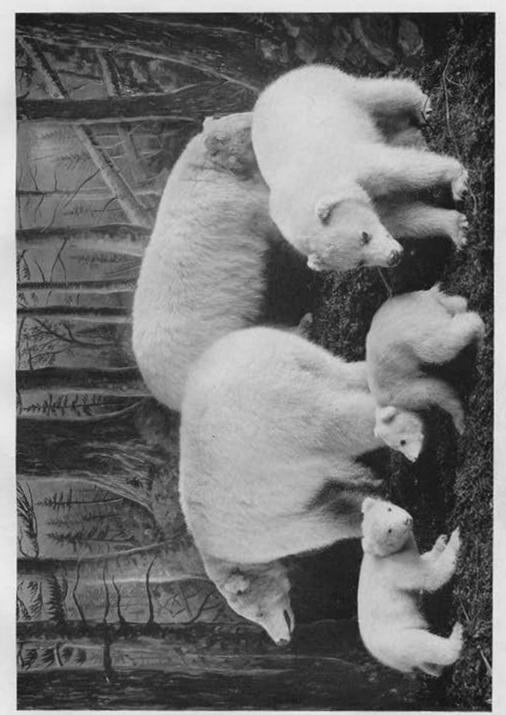
Sir.

Your obedient servant,

FRANCIS KERMODE, Curator.



QUEEN CHARLOTTE CARIBOU (Rangifer datesonf, Seton-Thompson), Virago Sound, Queen Charlotte Island, November, 1998.



KERMODE'S WHITE BEAR (Urana kermodei, Hornaday), (Type Spectmen.) Group in Provincial Museum, Victoria, B.C.

PROVINCIAL MUSEUM REPORT

FOR THE YEAR 1912.

Early in January the interior of the Museum was painted and thoroughly renovated; this was badly needed, and was made more necessary on account of having to move the bird-cases from the walls in order to make more space to accommodate four new bird-cases, which were made under the supervision of the Government carpenter on the premises.

The new arrangement of the cases on the upper floor made considerably more room, and I consider the arrangement much better. The collection of birds was thoroughly gone over, rearranged, labelled, and a large number of specimens added. Several new mammals have also been added to the ground-floor, and a large number of heads have been mounted and hung on the walls, of which some are records.

At present all the specimens in the Museum are too overcrowded to allow visitors to properly inspect them, and I have had to defer the mounting of any more mammals or groups until such time as we have space; therefore, most of the work performed in the workshop at present is confined to preserving the specimens and placing them in storage (which is also limited).

During the spring I made a trip to the interior and secured heads of the local mammals; a number of these were mounted and hung on the walls at the Government House by request of His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor. A collection of heads is also in preparation for the Agent-General's office in London, which will be of great interest and value to British Columbia.

The correspondence in the Curator's office is increasing, and keeps in touch with all the leading museums.

A great many applications have been made by school-teachers (more especially in the United States) for copies of the Natural History Bulletins to be used in their nature studies. Considerable correspondence is carried on with the people of the Province in regard to our native fauna.

A number of books and pamphlets have been received for the Museum Library from various museums in the United States and the United Kingdom, referring to the study of natural history in all its branches.

Dr. C. F. Newcombe has continued his research, and also in collecting anthropological material relating to the aboriginal races of the Province, and has secured a large collection of specimens (which have been placed in storage), together with data of the various tribes. The Anthropological Department is at present receiving special attention, before it becomes too late to gather all the material and information relative to the Indians of British Columbia (which at one time was a great race). I would like to suggest, if it were possible to interest a few, if not all, of our road foremen, surveyors, and engineers in construction camps, that they look out for archeological specimens and forward them to the Provincial Museum; their doing so would greatly assist us in our efforts to retain for this Province valuable specimens, which otherwise may be taken out and lost to us for ever.

The Provincial Museum has been very fortunate in having the co-operation of two of the experts from the Smithsonian Institution at Washington, D.C.—N. Hollister, of the Division of Mammals, and J. H. Riley, of the Division of Birds—who accompanied Director A. O. Wheeler, of the Alpine Club of Canada, on an expedition to the Yellowhead Pass and Mount Robson region in the summer of 1911. A small appropriation was made to Director Wheeler, who had offered to look after specimens for the Provincial Museum. I met the party on their return to Edmonton, Alberta, and arranged with Messrs. Riley and Hollister that, after they had taken the collection to the Smithsonian Institution and examined the specimens, they would send a report on the birds and mammals of that district, also to send the Provincial Museum duplicates of the birds and mammals collected.

The reports have been received, also the specimens, several of which are new species, being described by N. Hollister.

E. M. Anderson, Assistant Curator, was Acting-Curator from May to August, during the Curator's visit East and to Europe, who had gone to study plans, arrangement, and management of the larger institutions of America and Europe, in preparation for the new Museum to be built in Victoria, and also to attend the annual meeting of the American Association of Museums.

The first museum visited was the Field Museum of Natural History at Chicago; second, the Smithsonian Institution and National Museum at Washington, where considerable time was spent in going over the vast collections, also through all the departments of the Biological Survey. I was loyally received and entertained and extended every privilege by the Secretary, Dr. Chas. D. Walcott, Mr. Rathbun, Dr. Merriam, Director Henshaw, and others of the staff of the Smithsonian Institution.

From Washington I proceeded to New York City, and attended the meeting of the American Association of Museums, held June 4th to 7th, 1912, in the lecture-room of the American Museum of Natural History. The meetings were presided over by the President, Prof. Ed. S. Morse, of the Peabody Museum, Salem, Mass. The address of welcome was delivered by Prof. Henry Fairfield Osborn, President of the American Museum of Natural History; followed by the roll-call, eighty-four members answering their names, being representatives from nearly all the leading museums in America.

Papers were read on care, management, preservation of specimens, and other matter relating to museum-work, and discussions after each. Upon invitation, meetings were held at the Metropolitan Museums of Art, and also at the Museum of the Brooklyn Institute.

After each meeting sufficient time was given for the inspection of the collections, offices, and laboratories.

Previous to the meeting of the Association of Museums, I visited the American Museum of Natural History, and was well received by Dr. Lucas, the Director, and personally conducted by him over that magnificent institution, and was given a great amount of information in regard to the Museum and museum-work.

After the Association of Museums adjourned, I left New York for London, England, and there visited the Natural History Museum and other museums, and was received by Director Fletcher and Prof. Lydekker. I inspected the vast collection of valuable material to be seen in the institution. While in London I received an invitation from the Right Honourable Lord Pontypridd, President of the National Museum of Wales, at Cardiff, through Dr. Hoyle, the Director, to be present at the laying of the foundation-stone of the new National Museum in that city by His Majesty King George the Fifth on July 26th, 1912.

The ceremony took place in the presence of nearly three thousand people, representing all classes of the community and all parts of the principality. His Majesty's gracious words in reply to the loyal address presented to him, the interest he displayed in the details of the model, and his remarks to the officers of the Museum gave abundant evidence of his cordial approval of the enterprise and his desire for its success. The proceedings were carried out in the brilliant sunshine, and gave full satisfaction to all concerned.



FANNIN'S MOUNTAIN SHEEP (Ocis fanninii, Hornaday). (Type Specimen.) Provincial Museum, Victoria, B.C.

The Council was specially gratified by the friendly interest manifested in the event by kindred institutions both in the British Isles and abroad. The American Museum of Natural History, New York, honoured the Museum by sending over its Director, Dr. Lucas, to represent it at the ceremony, and the Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York, appointed Dr. Ed. Robinson and Mr. W. R. Valentiner to attend on its behalf. Dr. C. W. Beebe, the Curator of Birds, represented the New York Zoological Gardens, and Mr. F. Kermode, the Provincial Museum, Victoria, B.C. Sir Cecil Harcourt Smith and Mr. C. E. Fagan represented the Victoria and Albert Museum and the British Museum respectively. Heads of many other kindred institutions in England also attended, including Dr. W. M. Tattersall, Manchester; Mr. T. Sheppard, Hull; Alderman J. Fuller Eberle (Chairman of the Museum Committee); Mr. H. Bolton; and Mr. R. Quick, of Bristol.

At the ceremony I met the Director of the Bristol Museum, Mr. H. Bolton, who visited the Provincial Museum with the British Association when they came to America for their meeting, extending their trip to British Columbia. Upon invitation of Director Bolton and Mr. J. Fuller Eberle, the Chairman of the Board of Directors of the Bristol Museum, I visited Bristol and received a cordial welcome, and was shown considerable material of interest regarding museum-work. After leaving Bristol I visited the Natural History Museums in Paris, Frankfurt, Berlin, and Hamburg, on the Continent, which were of great interest to me as one who is interested in the condition of the educational value of an up-to-date museum. From Hamburg I went to Edinburgh, Scotland, and visited the Royal Scottish Museum, and was taken over the collection by the Director, Sir T. Carlow Martin, LL.D.

Leaving Edinburgh, I went to Liverpool and visited the Natural History Museum under the direction of Dr. J. A. Clubb.

On my return to Canada I visited the Museums at Quebec and Ottawa.

In conclusion, I may say that, having been permitted by the Government to visit these large institutions of the world, it has been a great education to me, and I hope that when the new Museum is built I shall be able to carry out some of the ideas that I have formed of what an educational museum should be, and also what it means to the community at large.

The Provincial Museum has been honoured by the visits of several leading men in science, who expressed themselves as deeply interested in what they inspected, and that the Provincial Museum had exceeded all their expectations as a Provincial collection.

Dr. A. R. Crook, Director of the Illinois State Museum of Natural History, whom I met at the meeting of the American Museums Association, and who has since visited our Museum, had nothing but praise, and said that it was the finest local collection he had ever seen.

The most distinguished personages who visited the Museum were the Royal party, Their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Connaught and Princess Patricia, who spent some time in going over the collection, and expressed admiration of the big-game and anthropological collections.

ATTENDANCE.

The attendance showed a slight increase over 1911—37,897 visitors signing the register. I venture to say that, on an average, about one in five of the travelling public insert their names in the book.

The Museum is open to the public (free) every week-day (except New Year's Day, Good Friday, and Christmas) from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m., and on Sunday afternoons, from the first Sunday in May to the last Sunday in October, from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m.

ACCESSIONS TO THE PROVINCIAL MUSEUM DURING 1912.

BIRDS.

- White-tailed Ptarmigan (*Lagopus leucurus*), male and female, Barkerville, B.C., C. W. Grain, January 5th, 1912.
- California Partridge (Callipepla californica), Cadboro Bay, E. M. Anderson, January 9th, 1912.
- Reeves Pheasant (Phasianus reevesii), Nanaimo, B.C., Dr. Brown, January 29th, 1912.
- Oregon Ruffed Grouse (Bonasa umbellus sabini), female, Mount Skirt, Goldstream, E. M. Anderson, February 1st, 1912.
- Marbled Murrelet (Brachyramphus marmoratus), Saanich, B.C., J. R. Anderson, March 6th, 1912.
- Sooty Grouse (Dendragopus obscurus fuliginosus), two males, Shawnigan Lake, E. M. Anderson, March 22nd, 1912.
- Sooty Grouse (Dendragopus obscurus fuliginosus), female, Shawnigan Lake, E. M. Anderson, March 22nd, 1912.
- Sharp-shinned Hawk (Accipiter velox), Victoria, Dr. Hasel, March 26th, 1912.
- Mongolian Pheasant (Phasianus torquatus), male, Vancouver, A. Bryan Williams, March 28th, 1912.
- Trumpeter-swan (Olor buccinator), Kamloops, Mr. Pearce, March 29th, 1912.
- Red-backed Rufous Humming-bird (Selasophorus rufous), New Westminster, J. D. McDonald, August 14th, 1912.
- Pigeon Guillemot (Cepphus columba), Victoria, P. Walker, August 19th, 1912.
- Dark-bodied Shearwater (Puffinus griseus), Sidney Williams, Sidney, B.C., October 19th, 1912.
- Ring-neck Pheasant (Phasianus torquatus), Cedar Hill, near Victoria, E. M. Anderson, November 21st, 1912.
- Golden Pheasant (Thaumalea picta), Saanich, E. Wall, December 12th, 1912.
- Cackling-goose (Branta canadensis minima), female, Parksville, H. Rawlins, December 1st, 1912.
- California Murre (*Uria troile californica*), two males, three females, Saturna Island, F. Kermode and P. Walker, December 10th, 1912.
- Ancient Murrelet (Synthliboramphus antiques), four specimens, Saturna Island, F. Kermode and P. Walker, December 10th, 1912.
- Hooded Merganser (Lophodytes cucullatus), female, Parksville, B.C., H. Rawlins, December 12th, 1912.
- Hooded Merganser (Lophodytes cucullatus), female, Saturna Island, F. Kermode and P. Walker, December 10th, 1912.
- American White Pelican (Pelecanus erythorhynchos), Prince Rupert, W. H. Sherman (purchased), December 20th, 1912.

BIRD-SKINS PRESENTED BY UNITED STATES NATIONAL MUSEUM, AUGUST 10TH, 1912 (J. H. RILEY).

Steller's Duck (Eniconnetta stelleri), male and female.

White-tailed Ptarmigan (Lagopus leucurus).

Franklin's Grouse (Canachites franklini), young.

Clarke's Nutcracker (Nucifraga columbiana).

Steller's Jay (Cyanocitta stelleri).

Alaskan Jay (Perisoreus canadensis fumifrons).

Rocky Mountain Jay (Perisoreus capitalis).

Desert Sparrow-hawk (Falco sparcerius phalana).

Lewis' Woodpecker (Asyndesmus torquatus).

Western Robin (Merula migratoria propinqua).

Red-winged Thrush (Hylocichla alicia).

Russet-backed Thrush (Hylocichla ustulata).

Olive-backed Thrush (Hylocichla ustulata swainsonii).

Olive-sided Flycatcher (Contopus borealis).



BRITISH COLUMBIA RED FOX (Valpes alascensis abietorum, Merriam).

Western Wood Pewee (Contopus richardsonii).

Least Flycatcher (Empidonax minima).

Western Flycatcher (Empidonax difficillis).

Western Flycatcher (Empidonax ameuris).

Hammond's Flycatcher (Empidonax hammondi).

The Direct bland (Empidonax hammondi).

Traill's Flycatcher (Empidonax trailli).

Say's Phœbe (Sayornis saya).

Black Phæbe (Sayornis nigricans).

Black Phebe (Sayornis nigricans).
Bohemian Wahwing (Ampelis garrulus).

Long-tailed Chicadee (Parus atricapillus septentrionalis).

Mountain Chicadee (Parus gambeli).
Western Warbling Vireo (Vireo gilvus swainsonii).

Tennessee Warbler (Helminthophila peregrina).

Lutescent Warbler (Helminthophila peregrina).

Pileolated Warbler (Wilsonia pusilla pileolata).

Macgillivary's Warbler (Geothlypis tolmiei).

Black-throated Grey Warbler (Dendroica nigrescens).

Audubon's Warbler (Dendroica auduboni).

Long-tailed Chat (Icteria virens longicauda).

American Pipit (Anthus rubescens).

Pine Siskin (Spinus pinus).

Greenland Redpool (Anthus hornemannii).

Redpool (Anthus linaria).

Oregon Towhee (Pipilomaculatus oregonus), male and female.

MAMMAL-SKINS FROM UNITED STATES NATIONAL MUSEUM.

(Collected by Hollister and Riley in the Yellowchead District.)

- 6 Chipmunk (Eutamias Indibundus).
- 2 Northern Chipmunk (Eutamias borealis).
 2 Chapman's Leeming Vole (Synaptomys chapmani).
- 6 Drummond's Meadow Vole (Microtus drummondi).
 6 Cantankerous Meadow Vole (Microtus mordax).
 1 Richardson's Meadow Vole (Microtus richardsonii).
 6 Hudson Bay Chicaree (Sciurus hudsonicus).
- 7 Red-backed Vole (Evotomys saturatus).
- 2 Dusky Shrew (Sorex obscurus).
- 2 Masked Shrew (Sorex personatus).
 4 Spermophile (Callospermophilus tescorum).

- 1 Chief Pika (Ochotona princeps).
 5 Northern Field-mouse (Peromyscus borealis).
 6 Field-mouse (Peromyscus artemisæ).
 3 Rocky Mountain Jumping Mouse (Zapus princeps).
 1 Mountain Vole (Phenacomys species 1).

MAMMALS.

- Vancouver Chicaree (Sciurus hudsonicus vancouverensis), male and female, Cedar Hill, near Victoria, E. M. Anderson, January 16th, 1912.
- White-tailed Deer (Odocoileus virginianus), male, Elko, B.C., C. J. Lewis, January 16th, 1912.
- Fannin's Sheep (Ovis stonei), male, Carcross, Y.T., Colonel Conrad (purchased), September, 1912.
- Black-tailed Deer (Odocoileus columbianus), male, Cumberland, B.C., killed and presented by Robert Grant and S. Shaw, November 9th, 1912; weight, 200 lb.
- Wild-cat (lynx rnfa), three purchased from W. Lindley, Victoria, April 2nd, 1912. Flying Squirrel (Sciuropteras alpinus kalmathensis), Broadwater, B.C., A. Campbell, December 11th, 1912.

OOLOGY.

During the year 130 specimens of birds' eggs have been added to the collection, comprising twenty-seven species, twelve new to the collection.

A fine series of eggs collected at Salt Lake by Dr. David Moore Lindsay was sent in exchange for duplicates in our collection, viz.:-

- Least Tern (Sterna antillarum).
- 3 Common Tern (Sterna hirunda).
- 4 American White Pelican (Lelecanus erythrorhynchos).
- 8 White-faced Glossy Ibis (Plegadis guarauna).
- 10 Snowy Heron (Ardea candidissima).
- 12 Black-crowned Night Heron (Nycticorax nycticorax navius).
- 25 American Avocet (Recurvirostra americana).
- 20 Black-necked Stilt (Himantopus mexicanus).
- 4 Wilson's Snipe (Gallinago delicata).
- 8 Kildeer (Ægillitis vocifera).
- 3 Snowy Plover (*Egillitis nivosa*).
- 9 Brewer's Blackbird (Scolecophagus cyanocephalus).
- 4 Sage Thrasher (Oroscoptes montanus).
- North-west Crow (Corous Caurinus), five in set, Victoria, E. M. Anderson, May 9th, 1912.
- Gairdner's Woodpecker (Dryobates pubescens gairdneri), six in set, Victoria, E. M. Anderson, May 9th, 1912.
- Sooty Grouse (Dendragopus obscurus fuliginosus), six in set, nest also contained three eggs of California Partridge (quail), Cedar Hill, S. Whittaker, May 10th, 1912.
- Parkman's Wren (Troglodytes adon Parkmani), seven in set, Cedar Hill, D. Irving, June 12th, 1912.
- Northwestern Flicker (Colaptes cafer saturatior), seven in set, Cedar Hill, D. Irving, May 26th, 1912.
- Western Chipping Sparrow (Spizella socialis arizona), four in set, Cedar Hill, D. Irving, May 26th, 1912
- Nuttall's Sparrow (Zonotrichia leucophrys nuttallii), four in set, Cedar Hill, D. Irving, June 4th, 1912
- Nuttall's Sparrow (Zonotrichia leucophrys nuttallii), five in set, E. M. Anderson, Victoria, May 19th, 1912.
- Western Vesper Sparrow (Pooccetes graminius confinis), four in set, C. de B. Green, June, 1912.
- Alaskan Yellow Warbler (Dendroica astiva rubiginosa), four in set, Cedar Hill, D. Irving, May 26th, 1912.
- Alaskan Yellow Warbler (Dendroica astiva rubiginosa), five in set, Victoria, E. M. Anderson, May 19th, 1912.
- Brewer's Blackbird (Euphagus cyanocephalus), six in set, C. de B. Green, June 11th, 1912. Sage Thrasher (Oroscoptes montanus), C. de B. Green, nest and eggs, four in set; presented June, 1912.
- Vigor's Wren (Thryomanes bewickii spilurus), D. Irving, five in set, Cedar Hill, July 12th, 1912.

- Wolf Eel (young), Victoria, April 23rd, 1912.
- Acrotus willoughbi, Victoria, July 19th, 1912; cast up on the beach; J. Dixon. purchased (fourth specimen known to science).
- Char, Dolly Varden Trout (Salvelinus malma), Lorne Creek, August 7th, 1912, E. B. Earle (G.T.P.).

MISCELLANEOUS.

- Crawfish, Sooke, B.C., April 23rd, 1912.
- Clam (Glycerimis generosa), Tofino, W. W. Rhodes, June 18th, 1912.
- Rattlesnake (Crotilus lucifer), Ashcroft, H. Collins, May 10th, 1912. Whale (fectus), Victoria, B.C., Dr. Milne, December, 1912.

ANTHROPOLOGY OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Specimens collected by C. F. Newcombe, M.D., 1911.

Nootkan.

Harpoon-bag. Cherry-bark. Spear-bag. Nose-pendant. Halibut-hook. Twisted gut. Dentalia. Pine-gum. Doctor's head-dress.

Grease ladle strainer. Hook.

Wedge. Wedge. Chisel, bone blade.

Mask, thunderbird. female. 11. 11 Carved birds with same (37).

Adze. " handle carved.

Fish gaff.

" fure.
" with hooks. Cradle shape. Bark-chopper. Mat-maker's rubber.

Hammer-stone. Cradle of wicker. Pads and bedding for same. Whale-harpoon, small. Elk-skin lashings. Whale-harpoon, etched barbs. Ceremonial bucket. Spoon.

Rattle. Thunderbird.

Mat-needles. Cedar-twig lashings. Whaler's charm. Herring-net. Tongs. Hammer-stone. Whale-harpoon. Harpoon point, short line.

" head. Totem-pole, Ohiat.

Totem-pole, Sarita.

Painted board, Sarita.

Bone spear, model. " club, Whistle. Drum-sticks. Baler, carved. Halibut-club.

Mask, Hai-ot-lik. Spear-point, iron. Pecten rattle. Apron of cedar-bark. Dentalium spear. Hook-basket. Basket and lid. Dagger.

Net. Coloured wool mat. Chief's stick. Anchor-stone. Chief's bag of fibre. Chisel. Bark cradle.

Chest, carved, large. Spinning disk. Mat, rubber. Adze.

Arrow, large, old.

Bailer. Netting implements. Chisel, old compound.

Maul. Paddle. Maul.

Native wool blanket.

Maul

Slate knife, mounted.

Fish-club. Wicker ba Wicker basket. Woman's awl, bone. Adze, D-shaped. Basket.

> Tump-line. Basket, chip. Mask, double.

Box. Bow. Quiver. Arrow.

Nootkan.—Concluded.

Arrow.
Nettle fibre.
Spoon, wood.
Wedge.
Hammer.
Fish-gaff.
Bow.
Tackle-box.

Tackle-box. Hook-bag. Tackle-box.

Whale of wood.

Mask.

Fish-lure.
Panther mask.
Doctor's head-dress.
Cradle of wood.
Bird rattle.
Board mask.
Panther-claws.
Scallop rattle.
Bone fish-knife.

Harpoon-socket (antler).

Dish.

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"Fool" mask.

Mat.

Whale mask.

Cannibal bird mask.

Box.

Killer-whale dish.

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Bear dish.
Beaver dish.
Stone hammer.
Chief's head-dress.
Potlatch figure.

" ladle.

Cannibal's rattle.

Infusorial earth. Stone hammer. Pitted stone hammer.

Basket, small.

" large.

Whistle of yew. Large bag. Skull charm. Mask.

Sea-lion harpoon.
Whetstone.
Clam-dish.
Mat (bedding).

floor.

Nootkan (Uclulet).

Skin hook-bag.
Seal-skin and frame.
Whaler's belt.
Box.
Mask.
Bird rattle.
Whaler's charms.
Hook-bag.
Mask.

Mat, cradle, etc. Bone adze-handle.

Kwakiutl.

Goose mask.
Star "
Sun "
Potlatch dish.

" " Carved seat, chief's. Sea-otter tooth lid.

Loom.

Stone maul and handle.

Stone maul.

Tomahawk of stone.

Stone adze and handle.

Spindle, wood.

" bone. Spoon, carved.

Soapberry spoons. Straining-basket. Potlatch figure.

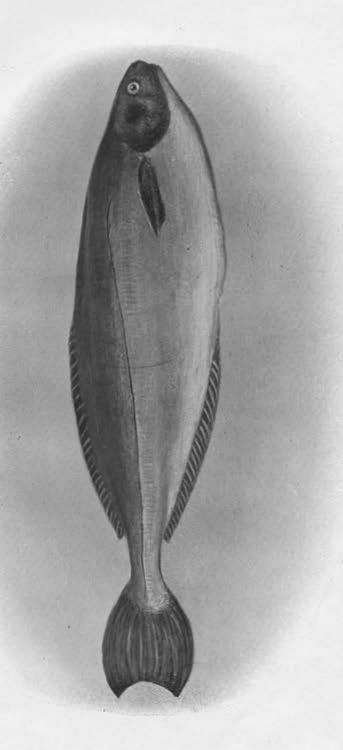
Salish.

Rattle, bird-shaped. Net, nettle thread.

Dene (Chilcotin).

Basket, large.

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WILLOUGHIY'S RAG FISH (Acroins critionglib), Bean).
Victoria, B.C., July, 1912. Two known specimens.

Haida.

"Copper" beaver crest. Monument. Carved sea-lion heads. Eagle-whale mon't. Sea-otter spear. Halibut-hook, carved. Sea-otter spear. Black-cod kelp lines. Set black-cod hooks. Fisherman's basket. Case of berry-spoons. Chief's crest coat. Halibut-line of spruce. Carved stone maul. Pestle-stone. Stone adze. Perforated stone. Food-crusher. Awl, canoe-maker's. Canoe tackle-box. Dance head-dress. Spruce-root lashing. Paddle. Carved house-plank. Halibut-hook, iron. Stone mortar.

" war-club. Tobacco-pestle.

Hand-hammer, very large.
Maul.
Stone labret.
Paint-stone.
Stone sinker.
Whetstone.
Stone chisel.

" (jade). Knife-handle, carved. Spoon mould and stick.

Cradle.
Dance-hat, inlaid.
Maple-bark bag.
Stone club.

Stone club, Digby Island. Mortar, grooved. Skull.

" (fragment). Gifts.

Tibia. ·
Incised stone.

Sea-otter club.

" bow.

Halibut-club, carved.

Fish hand-net.

Mesh-stick.

Salmon-spear points.

Hair-seal points.

Halibut-hook, carved.

" albatross.

" albatross.
" devilfish.
" puffin.
" albatross.

Tobacco-pestle.

Box of polished bones.

Halibut-float.

Dish, halibut.

" old type.
" seal pattern.
" very old.
" large, with cover.

Box, old, carved.
Berry-basket.
Spoon-basket.
Chief's head-dress.

Chief's head-dress. Dance-blanket.

Carved canoe-dish.
Spear (devilfish).
Dish, line carving.
Chief's hat.
Raven mask.
Bear "
Mask.
Eagle mask.
Bear-skin robe.
Chief's chest (5 pieces).
Bone spearhead.
Model sail.
Large totem-pole.

Tsimshian.

Carved stone horn.
Stone chopper.
Perforated stone fr.
Model bridge.
Loom.
and.
Stone adze.
Salmon-spear.
Carved box.
Bark-chopper.
Berry-basket.
Totem-poles.
Doctor's crown.
Grooved stone.

SPECIMENS COLLECTED BY DR. C. F. NEWCOMBE, 1912.

Kwakiutl.

Wasp mask.
Wind "Dsonoqua mask.
Bark collar.

Drum. Baton.

Mountain-goat mask. Killer-whale dish.

Basket.

Dasket.

Paddle.

Hook-bag.
Blanket, Tsimshian.
Wedge-basket.
Tool-box.
Chisel.
Adze.
Knife.

Bag for above tools.
Fish-trap.
Basket (open work).

" (close weave).
Spoon.
Nettle fibre.

Nettle fibre. Berry-cake. Awl.

n

Killer-whale dish (tail back).
Wolf dish.

Wolf mask.

Heligia mask.

Rattle."
Wind mask.
Sisiutl belt.
Killer-whale dish.
Hamspiq.
Potlatch figure.
Small stone hammer.
Wedges.

Ladle, eagle.

wolf.

plain.

with head.
Spindle whorls.

Comb.

Chilcotin.

Basket.
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"
Leggings, Tsimshian.

Nootkan.

Harpoon-barbs. Yellow-cedar bark.

" " (small).

Cape, yellow cedar bark, half made.
" " quarter made.

Yellow cedar string.

Seal-skin sturgeon float. Sea-lion stomach oil-bag. Hook-bag. Arrows (4). Rattle. Bull roarers (2). Bow, sea-otter.

Arrows (6).
Wedges (6) and basket.
Yellow cedar blanket and loom.

Bark strips.

Nootkan.—Concluded.

Medicine-bag of cedar-bark. Dip-net and lure. Medicine-bag. Vegetable food. Bow and arrows for birds.

Small mat.

Needle, bone. Club, " Adze, Carved "

Mask, Thunderbird (Macquiller). Harpoon, etched barbs. Whale charm, carved.

Nettle fibre. Stone hammer.

Mat.

War-club. Carved bone.

Hat. Basket.

Sea-otter arrow-box.

Tackle-box. Club, dogfish. Sea-otter spear.

Potlatch mask, man's face.

Rattle, skull.

Whistle.

" (6), long.

Bear-skin on drying-frame.

Doctor's bark ring. Slave-killer, model.

Dish, carved and painted whale.

Hamatsa's blanket.

mask. leggings. armlets. 75

stomacher. collar. head-dress.

head-dress. whistles (12)

Bow. Arrows.

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Blanket-pin, bone.

Bailer. Sinker. Stone hammer.

Seal dish. Slave-killer, stone, broken.

Chief's grave crest and beam, Campbell River.

Tsimshian.

Mask, old, grouse.

" small human face.

0 0 11 ш. " with frog.

" red-wing flicker. " fool (1), bow (2), dagger (3).

nigger (1), wooden spear (2). death's head (1), heart (2), owl (3).

Marmot-skin. Salmon.

Spinning whork

Paint-sticks for gambling set.

Gauge for Equisetum

Arrow, club-shaped (cerem.).

Mask, monkey-face.

" crying woman. potlatch, man's face.

white man. eagle.

n opens out.

Chisel.

Slate mirror.

Food-tray.

small.

Bag of cedar bark.

Mat Ladle.

Club, model of wood. Charm, golden eagle.

Mask, doctor's.

" man's face. " simple woman.

Seaweed chopping-block.

Chest, carved. Feather-case. Wolf crest of yew.

Hamatsa cedar-bark ring.

" " "

Hamatsa mask.

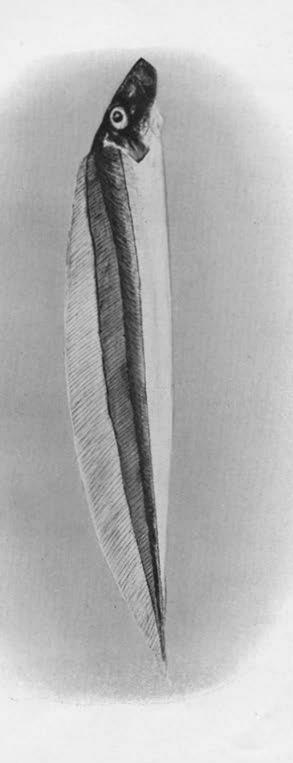
Bone-scraper.

Head of human figure. Gambling-sticks.

Spindle-rest.

Tsimshian.—Concluded.

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Kingfish	er, carved.		100	11			
Halibut	hook.		11	11			
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Needles,	long bone (16).	and leading -		- 11			
Bark-splitters, bone (3).			Whets	tone.			
Short barbs and points (24).							
Flat inst	ruments (9).						
Barbed 1	points (2).			,			
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	mall jade.			0			
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	rooved.			iii			
	rilled (sinker!).			0			
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Hammer, small-pointed.				11			
	opper, stone.			11			
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	clay, etched.		Spherie	cal stone.			
Hand-ha	mmer, flat oval	, partly grooved.		L-shaped.			
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			Stone.	hammer-sl	haped.		
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KING OF THE SALMON (Trechypterus rensalmonarum, Jordan and Gilbert).
Sherringham Point, Vancouver Island, 1907. Fifth known specimen.

	Salish.
Basket.	Mat-creaser.
H	Halibut-hook.
	The state of the s
0	Bow-strings of sea-lion gut.
"	Spinning whorl and stick.
· ·	Wedge, elk-horn.
н	War-club, model.
н	River-canoe, model.
ii .	Lehal.
	Slehallum.
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Snow-shoes.	Slate knife.
Moccasins.	"
Adze-handle, carved.	m .
Fish-spear.	0
Sturgeon-club.	Slate spear-point.
Loom.	Arrow-points (6).
Spindle whorl.	Chisel, stone.
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Hammer-stone.	0 0
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u-	Point, barbed, bone.
,,	Sea-lion spear-point, iron and lanyard.
11	Perforated stone sinker.
11	Ladle of wood.
,,	Spoon.
,,	Mask,
,,	Hair head-dress.
"	Dogwood tooth worse
Bow and arrows (4).	" (1 missing).
" " (3).	Labret.
Rattles, leg and arm.	Sinker, oval stone.
Hat.	Counters for gambling game.
Mat-creaser.	Country of Summer Summer
	A. Teit from the Interior of British Columb

SPECIMENS COLLECTED BY J. A. TEIT FROM THE INTERIOR OF BRITISH COLUMBIA, 1911-12.

Interior Salish (Ntlykyapamal, Countean, or Thompson Tribe).

22 lodge mats. 1 mat, rushes and rabbit-skins. 1 " " and bark. 1 bag, buckskin. 1 pair snow-shoes. 1 bag of hide. 1 bag, buckskin (beaded). 1 slipper, sage-brush bark. 1 pair buckskin moccasins. 1 cap, woman's, buckskin. 1 shirt, boy's, " 1 child's carrier of dressed moose-skin. 1 strap ornament. 2 boys' caps, skin.	1 man's bonnet, skin. 1 cape, buckskin. 2 spoons, juniper-bark. 1 spoon, horn. 1 charm. 1 necklace (bear-teeth). 1 " beads, etc. 1 " porcupine-quills. 1 " beads and dentalia. 2 arrows, wood. 9 chipped stones. 1 buckskin string. 1 girl's drinking-tube of lynx-bene. 1 " bone-scratcher.
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-Interior Salish (Ntlykyapamal, Countean, or Thompson Tribe).—Concluded.

I spoon, sheep-horn.

I bag.

" bark.

" hemp.

" fringed buckskin.

1 stone hammer.

1 basket, birch.

circular tray.

oblong.

trunk.

1 parfliche.

Athapascan (Tahltan Tribe of the Nahanis).

1 game-bag of hide.

" netted.

I pack-strap.

1 pair moose-skin moccasins.

1 pair moose-skin moccasins, quill-work.

1 necklace (dentalium shells).

1 hat-band, beaded.

ENTOMOLOGY.

Insects collected by E. M. Anderson, 1912.

Pontia occidentalis (Reak), May 29th, 1912.

Oenis gigas (Butler), Mount Finlayson, July 7th, 1912.

Samia rubra (Behr), Victoria, July 6th, 11th, 1912.

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Apantesis ornata (Pack), Victoria, May 28th, June 7th, 1912. Var. achaia (G. & R.). Apatela perdita (Grote), Victoria, May 24th, 1912.

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"cerviana (Smith), Victoria, June 4th, 1912.

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"satis (Harvey), Victoria, Aug. 4th, 1912.

Autographa selecta (Walker) Victoria, July 9th, 1912.

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Catocala elda (Behr), Goldstream, July 17th, 1912. Erebus odora (Linn), Victoria, Sept., 1912.

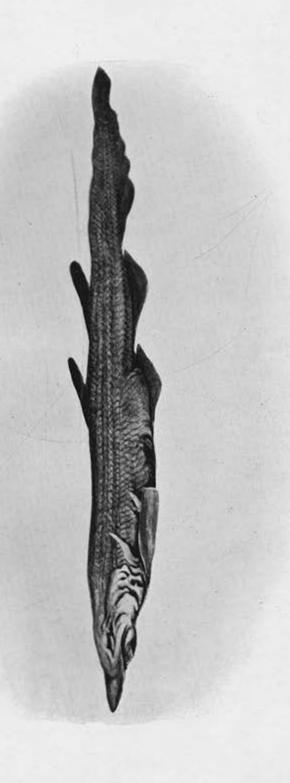
In addition to the above list there has also been added the following:-

Coleoptera, 78 specimens.

Lepidoptera, 300

Hyemoptera, 24

38 Diptera,



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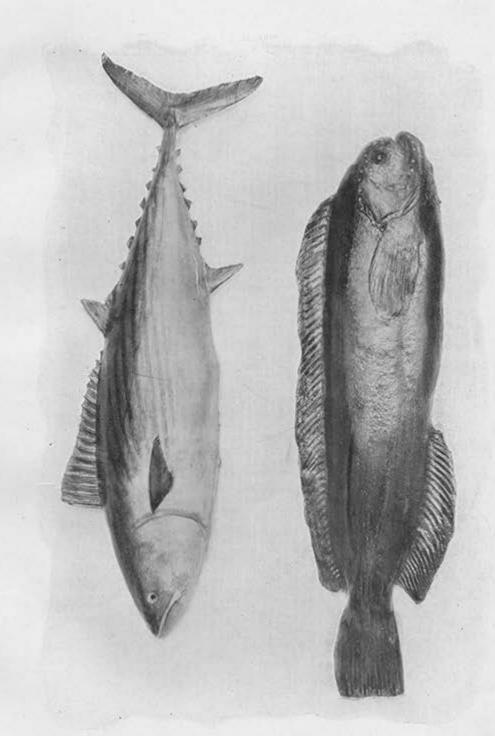
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