

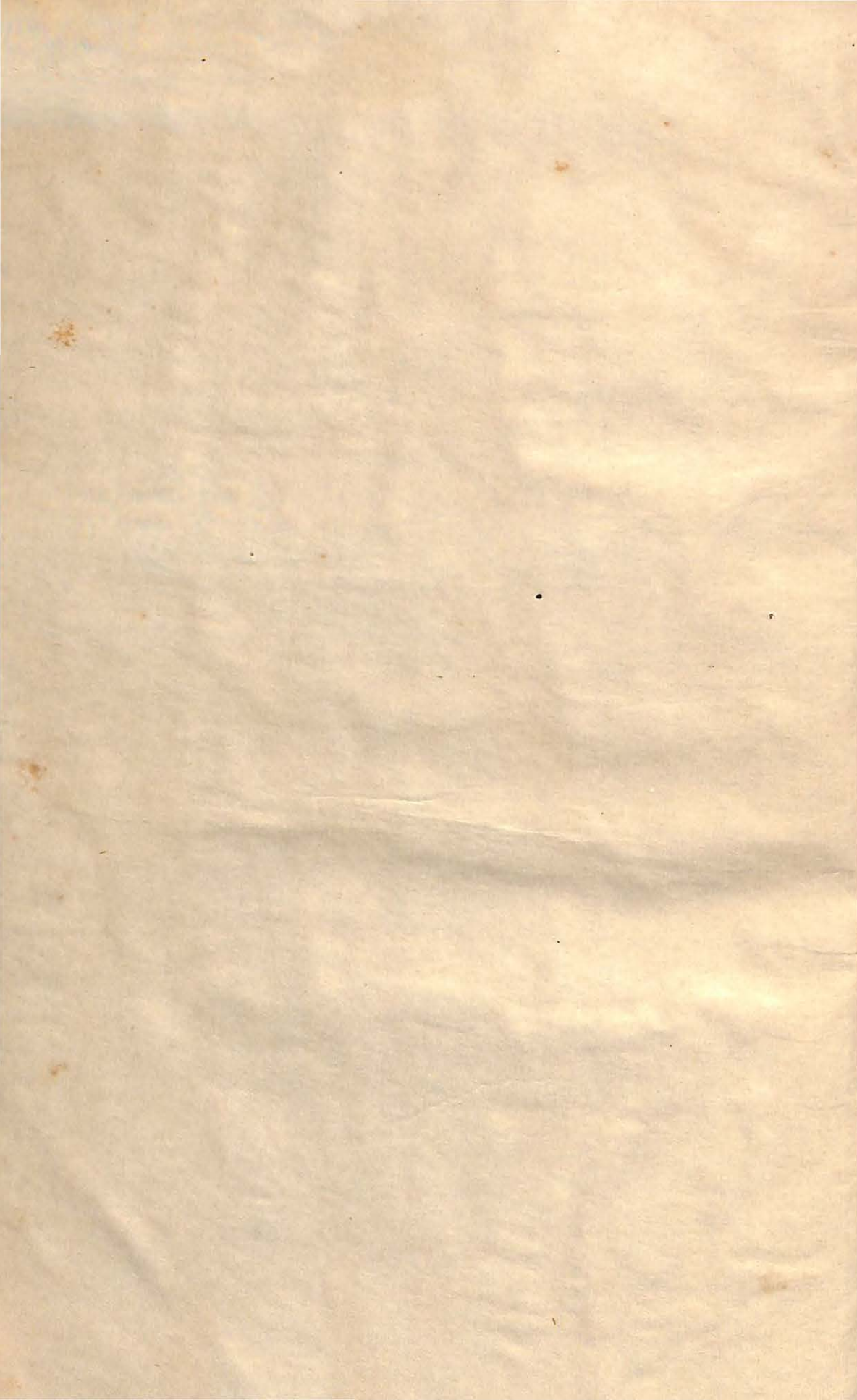
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I took over charge of the Lahore Museum from Mr. G. A. Wathen on the afternoon of the 24th April 1912.

ATTENDANCE.

The total number of visitors during the year was 389,743 and the daily average was 1,110 as against 382,828 and 1,091, respectively, in the previous year.

The attendance table of the last five years is : —

1908-09	...	...	...	...	...	152,617
1909-10	...	...	...	...	...	182,015
1910-11	...	...	...	...	...	245,973
1911-12	...	...	...	...	...	382,828
1912-13	...	...	...	...	...	389,743

This shows an increase of 6,915 in the total number and 19 in the daily average on the figures of last year. There is nothing particularly remarkable except that the growth in the popularity of the Museum is increasing every day. The highest attendance was on the 31st March (The Chiraghan Mela), when 6,331 persons passed through the turnstile.

ZENANA DAY.

The total attendance during the twelve days reserved for the *purdah* ladies was 5,523, or 1,997 more than the figures in the previous year. The steady increase in the number of *purdah-nashin* visitors plainly indicates the growing popularity of this feature of the Museum.

CONDUCT OF THE PUBLIC.

The conduct of the public has been fairly good, the only accidents reported being some trifling breakages of panes of glasses, which, in all cases, were accidental, but the Museum can scarcely be considered a quiet place of study.

I believe I am far from attaching too little importance to having a popular exhibition for the public, but I attach no importance to giving the people a play-ground in the Museum and there is no doubt that a large percentage of the visitors use it merely for this purpose. The best and most legitimate purpose a museum can serve is to encourage student visitors, as it is only thus that we can hope to gradually get a larger number of intelligent visitors among the people. I am encouraging the School of Art students to use the Museum for drawing and painting, but, as I have pointed out, the conditions are not conducive to good work. I should like to see students of all kinds coming here to study, but it can only be achieved by having a day reserved for them. I think too that, if a small charge were made on students' day to other visitors, we should encourage educated men to come and by this means create an interest in the Museum and so obtain much assistance in improving some of the sections, notably the Zoological Section, which is so poor that it may be said to be non-existent. A few gifts in this section would be very welcome. The tiger presented last year by His Majesty the King is almost the only decent animal we have.

ADDITIONS.

Antiquities.—The additions to this part of the Museum have been few in number. The Superintendent of Hindu and Buddhist Monuments, Northern Circle, Lahore, has kindly enriched the lamaistic collection in this section of the Museum with clay and *papier-mache* images of Sakyamuni and other deities of Tibet, together with a few articles made of copper and wood from the same region.

A representative collection of Nepal brass work comprising their gods and goddesses, lamps and other worshipping utensils, have been purchased from the Nepal traders with the amount realised from the auction-sale of the discarded articles of the Lahore Museum. A new case is being made for their proper display, and I think some very interesting and beautiful specimens will be found amongst them.

Coins.—No special additions were made to the coin collection, except those found and procured through the Treasure Trove Act, and presented by the various Local Governments and Societies, as shown in the following table:—

Donor's Name.	Gold.	Silver.	Copper.	Billon.	Total.
Punjab Government	1	250	...	...	251
Bombay Branch, Royal Asiatic Society ... ..	...	3	1	...	4
Madras Museum	2	1	2	...	5
District Officer of Champaran	2	...	...	...	2
Superintendent, Hindu and Buddhist Monuments, Northern Circle, Lahore ... ..	...	...	2	...	2
Director of Agriculture and Industries, Central Provinces, Nagpur	4	...	...	...	4
Thakur of Piploda ... ..	...	2	...	...	2
Rajputana Museum, Ajmer ... ..	...	...	...	13	13
Captain N. V. L. Rybot ... ..	...	2	...	...	2
Total	9	258	5	13	285

However, a small collection of Mughal coins were purchased with the Museum grant by Mr. R. B. Whitehead for inclusion in the new catalogues now being printed at home under the supervision of that officer.

A note by Mr. H. Nelson Wright on the Working of the Treasure Trove Act, as regards the acquisition of old coins in the Punjab during the year 1912-13, is herewith appended.

Art and Manufactures.—The Mughal pictures contributed to the Loan Department of the Delhi Durbar Exhibition, I am glad to say, have been received back quite safely.

Twenty-seven old pictures and drawings have been added by purchase during the year under report. Some of them are of great value for their fine workmanship and some for historical events, such as one represents Raja Prithiraj piercing the Emperor Shahab-ud-din Ghori at his palace in Ghazni.

Another interesting addition of two dozen of plates illustrative of types of the human races by Dr. Martin to the Ethnographical Section is of great interest. For the same section a remarkable embroidered garment and a Kashmir brocaded shirt used on wedding occasions have been purchased.

A rare specimen of a Kashmir embroidered shawl and a silver crown of repousse work secured this year are worthy of mention.

Raw Products.—Through the good offices of the Director of Agriculture and Industries, Punjab, the collection of tanning materials, together with specimens of leather representing different stages in the process of manufacture presented last year, has been added to.

Geological Section.—Captain Rybot has been good enough to present a collection of fossils collected by him from the grey sandstone of the Kharian hills some twelve miles south of Jhelum.

Natural History Section.—The Museum is indebted to the Superintendent, Lahore Zoo, for his presentation of the birds, and to Dr. Newell, Messrs. Shilstone and Daggal for the specimens of snakes. It is most unfortunate that the numerous gifts of birds and animals that we receive each year from the Zoological Gardens cannot be taken advantage of as we have no Taxidermist capable of setting up even the simplest specimen. This is a most important section of any museum and has great educational value. Sanction should be given to appoint a good Taxidermist on a salary which would ensure keeping him.

The most important gift of a tiger which was graciously presented to the Museum by His Imperial Majesty the King-Emperor and mentioned in the last year's report has been received this year from the Taxidermists, Messrs. Theobald Brothers of Mysore. A special case is being designed for the display of this animal in the Museum.

BUILDING.

I have done my best by economising space, by the building of two new cases and by re-arranging the exhibits to provide room for new ones in the present building, but it is very overcrowded in all sections and I have come to the end of its capacity to provide space. I propose, therefore, to apply for sanction to build another gallery and an office at the rear and this would give us increased accommodation by freeing the present office for the display of exhibits. I have to report that the repairs necessary in the Museum have caused me great trouble and expense owing to the damage done by the contractors who employ bad workmen, who, by careless splashing of paint and whitewash all over the exhibits and by breakage of glass and damage to contents of cases, have caused more bother than they have been worth for repairs done. I therefore suggest that in future we become our own contractors and so have direct control over the workmen.

DISTINGUISHED VISITORS.

Mr. Montagu, the Under-Secretary of State, accompanied by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor, honoured the Museum with a visit on the 15th November 1912, and His Excellency Lord Sydenham, the Governor of Bombay, in the middle of January 1913. Again, His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor with Messrs. Lutyens and Baker paid a visit on the 8th March 1913.

The other distinguished and interested visitors to the Museum were His Excellency Mgr. M. L. Zaleski, D. D., Archbishop of Thebes, the Delegate Apostolic to the East Indies, Kandy (Ceylon), accompanied by Revd. Father Michael Rung, O. D. C., The Secretary to His Excellency the Delegate Apostolic, and Revd. Father Drine, O. C., Secretary and Bon. Inde Rothschild, Dr. Oldenburg of Germany, Professor Bose and Professor Takakusu of Japan. The last named gentleman was supplied with a number of plaster casts and a complete set of photographs of the Buddhist Sculptures in the Museum.

WORK OF THE MUSEUM.

The cataloguing of the coins by Mr. Whitehead is nearing completion in England and I am sure the work will be well worth the expenditure that Government has sanctioned, and also the sum of Rs. 1,000 that the sending of the coins to England has cost the Museum. It will be necessary to apply for a special grant to cover the cost of getting the coins back again.

The cataloguing of the sculptures is still proceeding, but at present Mr. Hargreaves is so busy that he can only give us a comparatively small portion of his time.

I have arranged with Mr. S. N. Gupta who has kindly consented to classify, arrange and give notes on the Persian, Mughal and Kangra paintings, and I trust this will add very greatly to the interest of this section. These notes will help forward the compilation of a general catalogue which I am anxious to have.

I spent many hours last hot weather in classifying and re-arranging the Applied Art Section and have now so arranged this section that the process of manufacture is seen in the same cases as the finished article and each separate craft is shown in a separate case. A large pottery case has been built and the exhibition of tiles has been taken from high upon the walls and arranged in another new case.

STAFF.

I am pleased to be able to confirm my predecessor's favourable report upon the work of the Darogha, Pandit Basant Ram. He has been of the greatest assistance to me and always show a willingness to undertake any work required of him. The office under him works smoothly and punctually and I am glad to notice the work of the Head Clerk, Raghonandan Prasad, in this connection.

FINANCE.

The total expenditure during the year has been Rs. 17,786-14-0 while in the last year was Rs. 11,787-3-5. A special grant of Rs. 8,250 on account of printing charges of the Coin Catalogues is included in the figures for the present year. The miscellaneous receipts by the sale of Coin Catalogues, Guide Books and surplus coins amounts to Rs. 89-4-0, plus Rs. 180 as contribution from the Lahore Municipality.

APPENDICES.

The usual statements of accounts and lists of additions to the Museum are herewith appended, as well as the Report of the Government Numismatist referred to under the heading "COINS." I have also attached a brief report of the course of lectures given in the Lecture Hall of the Victoria Jubilee Institute, Punjab.

LIONEL HEATH,

Curator, Central Museum, Lahore.

Report on the working of the Treasure Trove Act as regards the acquisition of old coins in the Punjab for the year 1912-13.

During the year 1912 the following finds were reported on :—

District.			Find.			Acquired.
Jullundur	...	...	13 Silver	...	...	.....
Amritsar	...	...	23 Silver	...	...	.....
Multan	...	...	91 Silver	...	...	50.

In the latter find were 3 coins of Nadir Shah of Persia struck at Derajat, Mashhad, and Sind, one of Shah Rukh and ten of Ahmad Shah Durrani. Otherwise all the coins examined were of the Mughal Emperors. The finds contained no coins of more than ordinary interest.

Of the coins acquired from the Multan find 32 were retained in the Lahore Museum, 14 were sent to the Indian Museum, Calcutta, and 4 to the Government Museum, Madras.

H. NELSON WRIGHT, I. C. S.

A brief report on the Lantern Lectures delivered during the year 1912-1913.

The following programme of lectures was arranged during the season :—

Tuesday, November 26th ...	S. N. Gupta, Esquire	... Ajanta Paintings.
Do. December 3rd ...	Do.	... Indian Sculpture.
Do. do. 10th ...	Do.	... Indian Painting.
Friday. do. 13th ...	Do.	... Indian Painting.
Tuesday, do. 17th ...	Dr. Newell	... Purification of water.
Do. January 7th ...	Professor Man Mohan	... Mary Queen of Scots.
Do. do. 14th ...	Professor Chetan Anand	... Fire Spitting Mountains.
Do. do. 21st ...	Professor G. S. Chowla	... Nebulae and Stars System.
Do. do. 28th ...	Dr. B. J. Sahni	... X-Rays and its applications followed by practical demonstration.
Tuesday, February 4th ...	Mrs. Chowla (for ladies only)	Cambridge.
Do. do. 11th ...	G. A. Wathen, Esquire	... Oxford and Cambridge.
Do. do. 18th ...	J. G. Harley, Esquire	... A Tramp in Lama Land.
Do. do. 25th ...	Professor R. P. Khosla	... Kashmir.
Tuesday, March 4th ...	H. Hargreaves, Esquire	... The Buddha Story in Stone.
Do. do. 11th ...	E. Tydeman, Esquire	... The Himalayas.
Do. do. 18th ...	Professor Ruchi Ram Sahni	Wireless Telegraphy.
Do. do. 25th ...	Miss Bose (for ladies only)	... United Kingdom.

The course was kindly opened by His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor on the 26th November 1912, when Mr. Gupta delivered one of the series of his lectures on the art of Indian Painting and Sculpture.

All the lectures were delivered on the appointed day and hour with the exception of the following :—

Mr. G. A. Wathen on Oxford and Cambridge; Professor Ram Parshad, Khosla, on Kashmir; and Mr. H. Hargreaves on the Buddha Story in Stone which had to be postponed, owing to their clashing with lectures arranged by the Punjab University, besides our lantern was borrowed for these occasions.

The attendance on all the lectures was satisfactory and free tickets were distributed liberally among the college students. The total number of the audience was 2,424 and average attendance was 173. Among the visitors to the lectures the following were distinguished ones :—

His Honour the Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab

Lady Dane.

Captain J. C. Russell.

Dr. Oldenburg.

Revd. J. C. R. Ewing, M.A., D.D., L.L.D.

Mr. N. Gupta, Editor, *Tribune*.

H. H. Princess Bamba Dalip Singh.

Sir P. C. Chatterjee, M.A., D.L., Rai Bahadur, C.I.E.

The Hon'ble Rai Bahadur Lala Shadi Lal.

The Hon'ble Mr. J. C. Godley, M. A.

Mrs. Godley.

Sardar Bahadur Bhai Ram Singh, M. V. O.

Lala Harkishen Lal.

Mrs. Harkishen Lal.

Twelve students from the Chiefs' College.

I am greatly indebted to the lecturers who helped me to draw up what I think proved to be a most interesting programme and especially to Mr. S. N. Gupta for his series of lectures interesting to the general public as well as to artists and scientific men.

My special thanks are due to Mrs. Chowla and Miss Bose for giving purdah lectures both of which were well attended and much appreciated.

The lecture hall was made more comfortable by furnishing with carpets, curtains, &c., the benches were repolished and an incandescent light lamp was provided on the road throughout the season.

A new feature of the year's work has been the start of the lantern lectures in the city centres. Mr. Ralla Ram, Head Master, Rangmahal Mission High School, Lahore, was good enough to arrange this series of eleven lectures out of which two were given at Jullundur and the rest at Lahore.

They were all well attended, mostly by students who live in the city and by office clerks and a few shop-keepers.

All the expenses in connection with these lectures were defrayed from the lantern grant.

The Society for Promoting Scientific Knowledge used the hall on five occasions and the expenditure incurred has been borne by us and our lantern and gas plant was lent to the University for their lectures on the following dates:—

21st, 22nd, 24th and 25th February 1913; 11th, 12th, 13th, 14th, 15th, 17th, 24th, 25th, 26th, 27th, 28th, 29th and 31st March 1913.

The popularity of our Loan Department is growing rapidly and our slides are being constantly borrowed by the Punjab Schools, as well as by the Native Durbars, and even outside the Province, as shown in the following table:—

<i>Name of borrower.</i>	<i>No. of sets borrowed.</i>
1 Government High School, Ferozepore	2
2 Do. Gurdaspur	7
3 Do. Hissar	2
4 Do. Jullundur	4
5 Do. Hoshiarpur	4
6 Do. Rohtak	3
7 Do. Ludhiana	4
8 Do. Jhang	2
9 Resident, Jaipur	1
10 D.-A. V. High School, Lahore	13
11 F. C. College, Lahore	8
12 M. B. High School, Murree	4
13 St. Stephen's College, Delhi	4
14 Gordon Mission College, Rawalpindi	2
15 Normal School, Delhi	2
16 Central Model School, Lahore	3
17 Normal School, Lahore	4
18 S. P. S. K., Lahore	20
19 Lawrence Military Asylum, Sanawar	5
20 Mr. G. D. Turner, Lahore	1
21 Prof. Shiv Ram, Lahore	2
22 Mr. K. L. Ralla Ram, Lahore	8
23 Prince of Wales' College, Jammu	2
24 Dr. A. Neve, Kashmir	1
25 Curator, Lucknow Museum	1
26 Mr. S. N. Gupta	4
27 Inspector of Schools, Jullundur division	11
28 Do. Multan division	1
29 District Inspector of Schools, Rohtak	2
Total	127

Three hundred and eighty-two slides have this year been added to the collection. A detailed printed list of the slides has been prepared during the

year which proved very useful to the borrowers. This has entailed extra work on the staff of the Lahore Museum.

The statement of accounts given below will show that the grant of Rs. 1,500 has been usefully expended this year. The increase in printing charges has been owing to the new detailed list and the wider advertisements in the Press whereby the audiences secured were much greater than last year.

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Chemicals	54 14 0	37 15 0
Furniture	219 15 0	65 6 6
Printing	55 0 5	292 8 7
Miscellaneous contingencies	144 3 8	194 1 11
Establishment	300 0 0	288 0 0
Postage stamps ... ..	...	20 0 0
Total	<u>1,500 0 0</u>	<u>1,500 0 0</u>

The sum of Rs. 102-13-0 realised from the sale of admission tickets, plus Rs. 29-12-0 received from the borrowers on account of costs of slides broken by them, have been spent also on the new slides made for the lecturers. Even then the grant was inadequate to meet the necessary expenses incurred this year and I therefore charged Rs. 80 to the Lantern grant for the year 1913-1914.

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Victoria Jubilee Institute, Punjab.

STATEMENT OF ANNUAL RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE OF THE CENTRAL MUSEUM, LAHORE, FOR THE YEAR 1912-13.

Receipts.	Amount.			Total.	Expenditure.	Amount.			Total.
	Rs.	A.	P.			Rs.	A.	P.	
Last balance	128	14	2		Curator	1,200	0	0	
Drawn from the Treasury during the year	8,122	8	8		Establishment	4,668	5	8	
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Special grant for preparation and printing of the Catalogue of Indo-Greek and Mughal Coins in the Lahore Museum	8,250	0	0		Purchases during the year	1,837	14	6	
Contribution by Lahore Municipality	180	0	0		Railway Carriage	693	15	6	
Sale-proceeds of Coin Catalogues	19	6	0		Books and Journals	404	0	7	
" " Guide Books	62	0	0		Type for the Hand Press	43	3	5	
" " Surplus Coins	7	14	0		Printing Charges	16	8	5	
					Postage and Telegrams	115	9	0	
					Fittings and Furniture	101	12	2	
					Photographs	1	12	0	
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LIST OF PRESENTATIONS TO THE LAHORE MUSEUM DURING THE
YEAR 1912-13.

No.	Description of articles.	By whom presented.
1	Thirteen silver coins of Aurangzeb found in the Gujranwala District.	Punjab Government.
2	Four silver coins of Shah Alam Bahadur found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
3	Four silver coins of Farrukhsiyar found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
4	Seven silver coins of Muhammad Shah found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
5	Two silver coins of Ahmad Shah found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
6	Four silver coins of Alamgir II found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
7	Four silver coins of Ahmad Shah Durrani found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
8	Six silver coins of Aurangzeb found in the Sialkot District	Ditto.
9	One silver coin of Kam Bakhsh found in the Sialkot District.	Ditto.
10	One silver coin of Jahandar Shah found in the Sialkot District	Ditto.
11	Three silver coins of Farrukhsiyar found in the Sialkot District.	Ditto.
12	Thirteen silver coins of Muhammad Shah found in the Sialkot District.	Ditto.
13	Four silver coins of Ahmad Shah found in the Sialkot District.	Ditto.
14	Two silver coins of Alamgir II found in the Sialkot District	Ditto.
15	Seventy-four silver coins of Aurangzeb found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
16	Seventeen silver coins of Shah Alam I found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
17	Nine silver coins of Jahandar Shah found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
18	Twenty-three silver coins of Farrukhsiyar found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
19	One silver coin of Rafi-ud-Darajat found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
20	Two silver coins of Shah Jahan II found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
21	Two silver coins of Ibrahim found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
22	Twenty-two silver coins of Muhammad Shah found in the Gujranwala District.	Ditto.
23	One gold coin of Muhammad Tughlaq, Delhi Mint, found in the Ludhiana District.	Ditto.

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25	Three silver coins of Shah Alam I found in the Multan Jail	Ditto.
26	Three silver coins of Farrukhsiyar found in the Multan Jail	Ditto.
27	Eleyen silver coins of Muhammad Shah found in the Multan Jail.	Ditto.
28	Two silver coins of Ahmad Shah found in the Multan Jail	Ditto.
29	Three silver coins of Nadir Shah of Persia found in the Multan Jail.	Ditto.
30	One silver coin of Shah Rukh of Persia found in the Multan Jail.	Ditto.
31	Four silver coins of Ahmad Shah Durrani found in the Multan Jail.	Ditto.
32	One silver coin of Persia found in the Multan Jail ...	Ditto.
33	One half-rupee of Sayaji Rao I of Baroda State ...	Bombay Branch, Royal Asia- tic Society.
34	One rupee of Sayaji Rao I of Baroda State ...	Ditto ditto.
35	One rupee of Ananda Rao of Baroda State found in Broach District.	Ditto ditto.
36	One copper coin of Ahmad Shah I of Gujarat Saltanat found in Korla District.	Ditto ditto.
37	Two gold coins of the Sultans of Delhi found in South Arcot District.	Madras Museum.
38	One rupee of Alamgir II found in Bellary District ...	Ditto.
39	Two copper coins of Sultans of Delhi found in the Kistna District.	Ditto.
40	Two undeciphered gold coins ...	Ditto.
41	One copper coin of the Scythian Kings of India ...	District Officer of Champaran.
42	One copper coin of Jalal-ud-din Feroz II found in the Lower Bari Doab Jungle.	Superintendent, Hindu Buddhist Monuments, thern Circle, Lahore. Ditto ditto.
43	Four gold coins found in the Buldana District	Ditto ditto.
44	Two silver Gadhajya coins ...	Director of Agriculture and Industries, Central Pro- vinces.
45	Four billon coins of Qutub-ud-din Mubarak ...	Thakur of Piploda.
46	Nine billon coins of Ghayas-ud-din Tughlaq found in the Ajmer District.	Rajputana Museum, Ajmer.
47	Two silver Indo-Sassanian coins ...	Ditto.
48	Two fragments burnt cardboards of several leaves of a book or bark bearing Hindi or Pali script found in a ruined mound of Panj Pir (Bahur).	Captain N. V. L. Rybot. H. E. A. Wakefield, Esq., Deputy Commissioner, Shahpur.

LIST OF PRESENTATIONS TO THE LAHORE MUSEUM DURING THE
YEAR 1912-13—CONTINUED.

No.	Description of articles.	By whom presented.	
49	One papier-mache image of Sakyamuni (?) seated in the attitude of touching the earth. Height $18\frac{1}{2}$ inches.	Superintendent, Hindu and Buddhist Monuments, Northern Circle, Lahore.	
50	One papier-mache image of Sakyamuni (?) seated on a lotus in the attitude of touching the earth. Height 12 inches.	Ditto	ditto.
51	One clay image of Manjusri (?) seated on a lotus in the attitude of preaching the law. Head broken. Height $13\frac{1}{4}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
52	One clay image of Manjusri (?) seated on a lotus in the attitude of preaching the law. Height $12\frac{1}{4}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
53	One papier-mache image of the goddess Tara seated on a lotus in the attitude of gift bestowing. Headdress broken. Height $13\frac{3}{4}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
54	One clay figure of Avalokitesvara standing on a lotus. It is eight armed and must originally have been eleven headed. Top broken. Inscription in raised Lontse characters (Buddhist creed) along oval halo. Height $7\frac{1}{4}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
55	Two clay figures of Sakyamuni (?) seated in the attitude of touching the earth. Head missing. Height $4\frac{3}{4}$ inches and $4\frac{1}{4}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
56	One detached head similar to that of Manjusri ...	Ditto	ditto.
57	One cremation tablet of clay with figure of Lama seated on lotus in the attitude of preaching the law. Attendant standing on either side. Height $3\frac{1}{4}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
58	One ditto ditto painted. Height $2\frac{7}{8}$ inches	Ditto	ditto.
59	One copper back-piece of image with five figures of deities and various ornaments. It consists of several pieces clamped together. Height 10 inches.	Ditto	ditto.
60	Copper front-piece of image throne with thunderbolt in centre between two seated figures, perhaps the general and the treasurer, which belong to the "seven jewels." Height 5 inches, width 16 inches.	Ditto	ditto.
61	Copper fragment of image throne with two emblems. Height 4 inches, width 8 inches.	Ditto	ditto.
62	Gilded wooden top of back-piece of image throne with figures of winged Gruda and two Nagas, each with a hood of six snake heads. Eight miniature Buddha figures are arranged along the circular border. Height $10\frac{1}{2}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
63	Two wooden side-pieces of image throne each with Leogryph rampant on lion and male attendant. Proper left side-piece broken. Height $13\frac{1}{4}$ inches.	Ditto	ditto.
64	One miniature wooden thunderbolt. Length $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches ...	Ditto	ditto.
65	Specimens of tiles from the mosque of Muhammad Amin Beg at Lahore.	Deputy Comr., Lahore.	
66	A collection of tanning material, six leather pieces, one rampi, one piece of raw hide and one piece ordinary country leather.	Director of Agriculture and Industries, Punjab.	
67	Two venomous centipedes and 2 venomous snakes	...	Mr. G. C. Daggal.

LIST OF PRESENTATIONS TO THE LAHORE MUSEUM DURING THE
YEAR 1912-13—CONCLUDED.

No.	Description of articles.	By whom presented.
68	One moth	C. D. Crofton, Esq.
69	A duck	E. L. Matthews, Esq.
70	Specimen of a snake	W. C. N. Shilstone, Esq.
71	Male pheasant, female of a king parrot, Himalaya moonal pheasant, pigeon, crow, white egret, cock.	Superintendent, Lahore Zoo.
72	Five specimens of snakes	Dr. A. G. Newell.
73	A collection of fossils	Capt. N. V. L. Rybot.
74	Ditto	Subedar Sukha Singh.
75	A collection of rocks	W. A. Johns, Esq., C.I.E.

LIONEL HEATH,

Curator, Central Museum, Lahore.

LIST OF BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS ADDED TO THE MUSEUM LIBRARY DURING THE YEAR 1912-13.

Name of donor.	No. of publications.
Government of India	70 Reports and Periodicals.
Government of United Provinces of Agra and Oudh	5 Reports.
" Central Provinces	6 Reports.
" Bombay	35 Reports.
" Eastern Bengal and Assam	8 Reports.
" Burma	4 Reports.
" Madras	6 Reports.
" Bengal	7 Reports.
" The Punjab	17 Reports and Periodicals.
Agriculture Research Institute, Pusa	5 Periodicals.
Geological Survey, India	3 Periodicals.
Inspector-General of Agriculture in India	2 Periodicals.
Indian Museum, Calcutta	2 Periodicals and Reports.
United States National Museum	1 Report.
Ajmer Museum	1 Report.
Victoria and Albert Museum	2 Reports and Catalogue.

