

## APPENDIX III.

*Donations and Exchanges.*—Books and pamphlets received from April 1st, 1886, to April 1st, 1887 :—From Canada, 190 ; United States, 398 ; Great Britain and Ireland, 310 ; India and Australia, 82 ; all other countries, 1,250 ; total, 2,230.

Total number received in 1882-3, 280 ; ditto 1883-4, 800 ; ditto, 1884-5, 730 ; ditto 1885-6, 1,502 ; ditto 1886-7, 2,230.

## APPENDIX IV.

The number of Societies and Publications with which the Institute exchanges is 341.

## APPENDIX V.

To the Periodicals subscribed for last year, the following have been added :—*English Historical Review*, *Scottish Review*, *Hardwicke's Science, Gossip, Science*. There have been discontinued :—*British Quarterly Review*, *Brain*, *Times (Weekly)*, *English Medicine*, *American Journal of the Medical Sciences*.

## APPENDIX VI.

Classification of Papers read by subjects : General, 3 ; Psychology, 1 ; Archæology, 5 ; Sociology, 2 ; Mathematics, 2 ; Chemistry, 5 ; Mineralogy and Geology, 7 ; Jurisprudence, 1 ; Philology, 8 ; Meteorology, 1 ; Geographical Science, 2 ; Electricity, 1 ; Biology, 5 ; Astronomy, 2 ; Medicine, 2 ; Photography, 1 ; Industrial Science, 1.

Read at Section meetings as follows :—Biological section, 12 ; Architectural section, 8 ; Philological section, 3 ; total, 72.

## REPORTS OF SECTIONS OF THE CANADIAN INSTITUTE, 1886-7.

(1) *Report of the Biological Section from June, 1886, to April, 1887.*

During this period eighteen meetings of the Section have been held, with an average attendance of 18½ (say 19) members.

The Section has 36 ordinary members and 12 associates.

Twelve papers have been read at the meetings, and nine short communications received.

Two of the meetings were set apart for microscopical exhibition and discussion, under the able conduct and superintendence of Professor R. Ramsay Wright.

In June, a branch of the Audubon Society was organized in connection with this Section, and Mr. Hollingworth was appointed local secretary. There are now 106 members in the Toronto branch.