

## Library Notes

The following constitute additions to the Library:—

*The North Queensland Naturalist*, Vol. iii, Nos. 5 and 6.

*The Wilson Bulletin*, Vol. xlv, No. 4.

*The Victorian Naturalist*, Vol. li, Nos. 9, 10, and 11.

*The Condor*, Vol. xxxvi, Nos. 6 and 7.

*The Canadian Field Naturalist*, Vol. xlix, No. 1. Devoted to an interesting paper by Henry Mousley, "A Historical Review of the Habits and Anatomy of the Woodcock."

*The Lowan*, Vol. i, No. 1. The first publication of the Bird Observers' Club of Victoria. Contains notes on varied bird subjects by members of the R.A.O.U. and others.

*The Avicultural Magazine*, Vol. xii, No. 12, Vol. xiii, Nos. 1 and 2.

*The Ibis*, Vol. v (13th Ser.), No. 1.

*American Museum Novitates*, Nos. 680 and 711.

*Bulletin of the Museum of Comparative Zoology at Harvard College*, Vol. lxxv, No. 7.

*Smithsonian Miscellaneous Collections*, Vol. 87, Nos. 19 and 20; Vol. 89, No. 13 ("A Systematic Classification for the Birds of the World, revised and amended").

Various reprints, including "The Birds of Victoria," from *The Victorian Year Book*, 1933-34.

*The South Australian Ornithologist*, Vol. xiii, part 1.

*Contributions from the Museum of Paleontology, University of Michigan*, Vol. iv, No. 8, pp. 129-132.

*The Peabody Museum of Natural History, Bulletin 3*, "Hybrid Ducks, including descriptions of two crosses of *Bucephala* and *Sophodytes*."

*Research and Progress*, Vol. i, No. 1.

*The Auk*, Vol. lii, No. 1. Contains "Some Aspects of the Sub-species Question, by Witmer Stone; "A Method for the Intensive Study of Bird Song," by Albert R. Brand.

*The Birds of the Philippine Islands*, by Marquess Hachisuka, pt. iii. Will be reviewed in next issue.

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At the Council meeting held in January, 1935, Mr. Z. Gray submitted his resignation as Treasurer of the Union on doctor's orders, owing to ill health. Mr. Gray has held office since October, 1911, and his business capacity and faithful service have helped materially to make the Union what it is. Mr. Ross, in moving that the resignation be accepted, referred to the fact that Mr. Gray had held office for a term approaching a quarter of a century, and stated that regret would be felt not only by members of the Council, but also by the members of the Union in general, and that the regret would be intensified because of the cause of the resignation.