



THE
Melbourne Athenæum.

ANNUAL REPORT R 1919.

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January 14, 1920.

NOTICE is hereby given that—

The ANNUAL MEETING of the Institution will be held in the Library on **Wednesday, January 28.**

Your attendance is requested.

BUSINESS.—Annual Report and Balance Sheet.

General.

R. W. E. WILMOT, *Secretary.*

[Copy of Annual Report and Balance Sheet is enclosed.]

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE

OF THE

MELBOURNE ATHENÆUM,

FOR THE YEAR 1919.

To be submitted to the Members at the General Meeting,
Wednesday, 28th January, 1920, at 8 p.m.

THE Committee of the Melbourne Athenæum submit their report of the transactions of the year 1919, which is the eightieth since the founding of the Institution.

THE COMMITTEE.

There have been 12 meetings of the General Committee.

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| <i>The President</i> , MR. C. A. TOPP | attended | 10 |
| <i>The Vice-President</i> , MR. F. A. KERNOT | " | 10 |
| <i>The Treasurer</i> , MR. CHARLES RENNIE | " | 6 |
| <i>Trustee</i> , MR. GEO. LUSH | " | 11 |
| <i>Trustee</i> , MR. W. A. CALLAWAY | " | 11 |

COMMITTEE:

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| Mr. Martin | attended | 10 | Mr. Thomson* | attended | 3 |
| Mr. Cooke | " | 10 | Dr. Mailer† | " | 3 |
| Dr. Kennison | " | 7 | Dr. Lewers | " | 7 |
| Mr. Knight | " | 8 | Mr. McNally | " | 5 |
| Mr. Masters | " | 10 | Mr. Shew | " | 11 |
| Mr. Wigg | " | 8 | Mr. Dillon | " | 4 |
| Dr. Rinder | " | 7 | | | |

* Mr. Thomson was granted leave of absence in April 1919.
† Dr. Mailer resigned in November 1919.

The Finance Committee (Messrs. Rennie (*Chairman*), Topp, Callaway, Knight, Masters, Thomson and Shew); the Library Committee (Dr. Rinder (*Chairman*), and Lewers, and Messrs. Lush, Martin, Callaway, Masters, Topp and Kernot); the House Committee (Messrs. Shew, Martin, Cooke, Topp, McNally, Thomson and Dr. Kennison); the Library Reorganisation Committee (Dr. Rinder (*Chairman*), Messrs. Cooke, Kernot, Thomson, Wigg and Shew) held the usual meetings, and thus attended regularly to the various departments of the Institution.

The President and Vice-President, and the Treasurer and the following members of Committee, who are eligible for re-election, retire from office, viz., Messrs. Dillon, Masters, Wigg, Shew and Dr. Rinder.

FINANCIAL.

The gross receipts for the year amount to £3361 5s. 1d., an increase of £587 14s. 11d. over 1918, and the gross expenditure to £3009 13s. 11d., a decrease of £177 5s. 10d. as compared with 1918. The debit balance on December 31, 1918, of £539 2s. 4d. has been reduced to £187 11s. 2d. The revenue from subscriptions, £854 18s. 6d., is an increase of £152 14s. 3d., and is the highest recorded since 1894. The receipts from the Large Hall were £965 3s. 8d., an increase of £185 15s. 4d. over 1918. Your Committee has every confidence that these two sources of revenue will show a still further increase in 1920. The receipts from sales show an increase of £136 7s. 10d., due to the sale of surplus books discarded from the Library during the reorganisation of that branch of the Institution. Your Committee, in order to celebrate the signing of peace, granted a Peace bonus of 5 per cent. to the members of the staff.

THE LIBRARY.

The large increase in the number of members, as reflected in the receipts from subscriptions, is very gratifying to your Committee, and there are indications that the popularity of the Library is increasing. Your Committee has made arrangements in London for a further and more regular supply of books and magazines, and it is expected that the saving thereby effected will enable a much larger supply to be obtained. During the war prices have increased enormously, and the irregularity of the mails has caused delays which have been unavoidable. Prices still continue high, but it is hoped that as normal shipping arrangements are reinstated the receipt of literature will be better than before.

The following donations of works have been kindly made:—

Victorian Year Book, presented by A. M. Laughton, Esq.,
Government Statist.

Peace and War, by the Peace Society.

The Christian Science Monitor, from First Church of Christ Scientist,
Melbourne.

The Messenger, by Messrs. Arbuckle, Waddell, & Fawckner.

The New Zealand Official Year Book, by the Government of New
New Zealand.

The Theosophist, by the Theosophical Society.

The Church of England Messenger, by the Diocese of Melbourne.

The United Empire Proceedings of the Royal Colonial Institute
Journal, from the Institute.

The Commonwealth Gazette, by the Commonwealth Government.

Two Copies of Bradshaw's Guide to Victoria, supplied regularly by
Messrs. Stillwell and Co.

Patriotic Pamphlets, by the Directorate of War Propaganda.

From Acting Prime Minister, War Propaganda.

The proprietors of the principal metropolitan and provincial newspapers have also each contributed one copy of their journals.

THE ART GALLERY.

The Art Gallery has just been thoroughly renovated and re-decorated, Mr. M. J. McNally, one of your Committee, having assisted greatly in the general scheme. The bookings for this year show that the Gallery is still the best in Melbourne, and some notable shows are already arranged for. The Gallery will be re-opened by Mr. J. C. Waite, a member of the Institution, whose exhibition will commence on February 16.

ANNUAL MEETING.

The Annual Meeting will be held in the Library on Wednesday, January 28, at 8 p.m. Members are reminded that they may make nominations to fill the vacancies in the Committee at the close of the Annual Meeting, which they are earnestly requested to attend.

C. A. TOPP, *President.*

R. W. E. WILMOT, *Secretary.*



THE TREASURER IN ACCOUNT CURRENT WITH THE MELBOURNE ATHENÆUM.

For the Year ended 31st December, 1919.

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| Subscriptions | £854 | 18 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rent of Large Hall | 965 | 3 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Small Hall | 362 | 10 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Front Shops | 787 | 11 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rooms | 195 | 18 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Bank Overdraft | | | | 187 | 11 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Interest on Mortgage | £658 | 11 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Salaries and Wages | 846 | 11 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Books, Magazines, and Newspapers | 424 | 17 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Gas and Electric Light | 243 | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Repairs, Goods, and Sundries .. | 196 | 19 | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Rates (including arrears) | 292 | 5 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Insurance | 99 | 7 | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Printing and Advertising | 58 | 12 | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Improvements | 95 | 7 | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Peace Bonus | 43 | 3 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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MELBOURNE, 22nd January, 1920 . . .

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APPROXIMATE STATEMENT OF ASSETS AND LIABILITIES.

| ASSETS. | LIABILITIES. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%;">Estimated value of the real Property of the Institution</td> <td style="width: 10%;">£35,000</td> <td style="width: 10%;">0</td> <td style="width: 10%;">0</td> <td style="width: 10%;"></td> <td style="width: 10%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Value of Library</td> <td>1,500</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td> Furniture</td> <td>750</td> <td>0</td> <td>0</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td style="border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">£37,250</td> <td style="border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">0</td> <td style="border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">0</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table> | Estimated value of the real Property of the Institution | £35,000 | 0 | 0 | | | Value of Library | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | | | Furniture | 750 | 0 | 0 | | | | £37,250 | 0 | 0 | | | <table style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <tr> <td style="width: 10%;">Loan under Mortgage (Rate 4½ per cent., due July 1, 1921)</td> <td style="width: 10%;">£14,000</td> <td style="width: 10%;">0</td> <td style="width: 10%;">0</td> <td style="width: 10%;"></td> <td style="width: 10%;"></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Bank Overdraft</td> <td></td> <td>187</td> <td>11 2</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td>Balance</td> <td></td> <td>23,062</td> <td>8 10</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> <tr> <td></td> <td></td> <td style="border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">£37,250</td> <td style="border-top: 1px solid black; border-bottom: 3px double black;">0 0</td> <td></td> <td></td> </tr> </table> | Loan under Mortgage (Rate 4½ per cent., due July 1, 1921) | £14,000 | 0 | 0 | | | Bank Overdraft | | 187 | 11 2 | | | Balance | | 23,062 | 8 10 | | | | | £37,250 | 0 0 | | |
| Estimated value of the real Property of the Institution | £35,000 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Value of Library | 1,500 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Furniture | 750 | 0 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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List of Newspapers and Periodicals

SUPPLIED REGULARLY.

AUSTRALIAN NEWSPAPERS

The Leading Daily and Weekly Papers of all the Capital Cities and Principal Australian Towns.

British and Foreign Newspapers.

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| Athenæum | Financial News | Pall Mall Gazette |
| Belfast Weekly News | Glasgow Herald (weekly) | Public Opinion |
| British Australasian | Graphic | Queen |
| Building News | Harper's Weekly Illustrated | Saturday Review |
| Christian Science Monitor | Illustrated London News | Scientific American |
| Christian World | Inquirer | Scotsman (weekly) |
| Church Guardian | Jewish Chronicle | Sketch |
| Church Times | Journal of Gas Lighting | Spectator |
| County Gentlemen, and Land and Water | Lancet | Sphere |
| Country Life | London Punch | Sporting Life |
| Dublin Weekly Freeman | London Times | Sporting and Dramatic News |
| Economist | L'illustration | Statesman & Friend of India |
| Engineer | Liverpool Weekly Post | Sunday Companion |
| Field | Methodist Recorder | Tablet |
| Tatler | Mining Journal | Westminster Gazette |
| | Nation | World |
| | New York Herald | |

British, Australian and other Periodicals.

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| Atlantic Mthly. Magazine | London Magazine | Wide World |
| Australasian Insurance and Banking Record | London Quarterly Review | Windsor |
| Blackwood's Magazine | Lone Hand | World's Work |
| Bookman (Engl.) | Munsey Magazine | World's Work (American ed) |
| Bookman (American ed.) | Musical Times | Ladies' Home Journal |
| Bradshaw's Guide | Nash's & Pall Mall Magazine | Ladies' Field |
| Cassell's Magazine | National Review | |
| Century Magazine | Nature | |
| Chambers' Journal | New Church Magazine | Argus Index |
| Contemporary Review | Nineteenth Century | Australian Handbook |
| Cornhill Magazine | North American Review | Debrett's Peerage |
| Dublin Review | Notes and Queries | Hazell's Annual |
| Edinburgh Review | Pearson's Magazine | Melbourne Directory |
| English Mechanic | Quarterly Review | Melb. University Calendar |
| English Review | Red Book | Mercantile Directory of the World |
| Everybody's | Revue des Deux Mondes | Municipal Directory |
| Fortnightly Review | Royal Magazine | Oliver and Boyd's Edinburgh Almanack |
| Grand Magazine | Scribner's Monthly | Queensland Almanac |
| Harper's Magazine | Strand | Statesman's Year-Book |
| Hibbert Journal | Studio | Tasmanian Almanac |
| | Sunday at Home | Victorian Almanacs, various |
| | Truth | Victorian Statutes |
| | United Service Magazine | Vic. Post-office Directory |
| | Westminster Review | Who's Who |

List of Colonial Newspapers

SUPPLIED TO THE READING ROOM OF

THE MELBOURNE ATHENÆUM.

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| <p>Victoria. (MELBOURNE.)</p> <p>Argus (daily) Age " Herald " Australasian Punch Leader Weekly Times Advocate Commonwealth of Australia Gazette Government Gazette Harbinger of Light Mining Standard Southern Cross Spectator Table Talk The Australian Traveller Graphic</p> | <p>(PROVINCIAL.)</p> <p>Ararat Advertiser Ballarat Courier Ballarat Star Bendigo Advertiser Bendigo Independent East Charlton Tribune Geelong Advertiser Gippsland Mercury Korumburra Times Kyneton Guardian Ovens & Murray Advertiser Portland Guardian Rutherglen Sun Stawell News Wangaratta Chronicle Warrnambool Standard Wimmera Star Kerang Observer</p> | <p>New South Wales.</p> <p>Daily Telegraph Sydney Bulletin Sydney Mail Sydney Morning Herald The Referee</p> <p>South Australia.</p> <p>South Australian Register The Observer</p> <p>Queensland.</p> <p>Brisbane Courier Queenslander</p> <p>Western Australia.</p> <p>The Western Australian Western Mail Albany Advertiser</p> <p>Tasmania.</p> <p>Hobart Town Mercury Launceston Examiner The Tasmanian Mail</p> <p>New Zealand.</p> <p>Auckland, The Weekly News Otago Witness</p> |
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 For List of British and Foreign Newspapers and Periodicals

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MELBOURNE ATHENÆUM.

Scale of Charges for the Halls and other Accommodation

LARGE HALL (Seats 800).

1. FOR NIGHT USE.

Charge for One Night, £5 5s., except on a PUBLIC HOLIDAY or a SATURDAY, when it shall be £7 7s.

Charge for Electric Lights in front of Building (if required), Five Shillings per night.

Charge for Fireman, Seven Shillings and Sixpence per Performance.

2. FOR DAY USE.

Charge for Meetings, Two Guineas per Day.

Charge for Matinees, Three Guineas per Day.

Charge for Fireman, Seven Shillings and Sixpence per Matinee.

3. FOR DAY AND NIGHT USE.

Charge for Bazaars and Shows and other purposes requiring both Day and Night use, Seven Guineas per Day (SATURDAYS, Nine Guineas).

Charge for Fireman, One Shilling and Sixpence per Hour. (Minimum, Fifteen Shillings per Day.)

4. FOR A SEASON.

Charge for a Season of Six Nights per Week, Twenty-five Pounds per Week. Matinees, One Guinea each extra.

Charge for Fireman, Seven Shillings and Sixpence per Performance.

5. FOR ELECTIONS.

Charge for Election terminating at 6 p.m., with use of Room for Counting of Votes, Five Guineas.

Charge for Election in which Hall is required in the Evening as well, Seven Guineas.

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One Engagement, £2 2s.; Two do. £4.

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The above Charges for the Halls are for consecutive dates, and include Gas, the arrangement of Seats, &c.

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