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GERHARD R. LOMER, M.A., PH.D., LIBRARIAN May 14, 1935.

Sir Arthur W. Currie, Principal's Office, McGill University.

Dear Sir Arthur, -

In accordance with the instructions in your letter of April 22, I submit herewith for your consideration a draft of a memorandum on the Museums of the University.

Faithfully yours,

University Librarian.

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#### MEMORANDUM ON MUSEUMS

McGILL UNIVERSITY

May, 1925

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### I Introductory

- 1. The following memorandum was prepared as a basis for discussion at the direction of the Principal, April 22, 1925, by the Librarian, with the assistance of the Secretary of the Faculty of Medicine and Mr. F. Cleveland Morgan.
- 2. For convenience in reference and discussion, the paragraphs are numbered consecutively.
- For those who wish a general view of the museum field or who look upon the problem at McGill from the University, rather than the departmental or personal, point of view, a selected bibliography is appended. (See page 13). These may be consulted at the University Library. Other references not available have been omitted.

#### II The Problem of Reorganization

- 4. Owing to the gradual growth of the University and the recent acquisition of the McCord National Museum and the Natural History Society Collection, the problem of housing and co-ordinating this material with the existing University collections has been found to involve a consideration of the whole question of University policy regarding museums.
- 5. The practical questions involved require, for their adequate solution, more detailed consideration and a more co-ordinated administration than have hitherto been found necessary. This condition is due almost entirely to causes involved in the growth of the University.
- 6. Even a superficial examination of the collections as they are at present housed and arranged shows that:
  - (a) the University collections as a whole suffer from want of co-ordination;
  - (b) there is material where it is distinctly out of place and detrimental to contiguous exhibits;
  - (c) there is material housed either where it is not needed or where it is not readily available for purposes of teaching or public exhibition;
  - (d) there is a certain amount of poor or worthless, material not suitable in a university museum.

## III Survey of McGill Collections

- 7. Any consideration of a reorganization of this material presupposes a general acquaintance with the present arrangement or location of the several University collections.
- 8. For reference, therefore, and in order to show the extent of the material involved, the various museums and collections are listed below, with a brief statement of the nature of their contents. Specific recommendations for changes in distribution will be found in paragraphs 58 61.

	Name	Location	Contents
9.	Peter Redpath Museum	Redpath Museum	( Geology ( Zoology ( Anthropology
10.	McCord National Museum V	McCord Museum	Canadian History
11.	Architectural Museum	Engineering Bldg.	Casts, etc.
12.	Medical Museum	Medical Bldg.	Pathol. Specimens
13.	Museum of Anatomy	11 11	Anatomy
14.	Museum of Hygiene	ft 18	Hygiene
15.	Museum of Botany	Biol. & Redpath	Botany
16.	Library Museum	Redpath Library	( MSS. ( Printing ( Archaeology
17.	Natural History Soc.	Pathol. Inst.	Miscellaneous
18.	Lyman Collection of Entomology	Redpath Museum	Entomology
19.	Petrographical Museum	Chem. & Mining Bldg.	Petrography
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## IV Principles of Museum Administration

- 23. Museum organization and development depends upon a central and delegated authority and upon adequate financial support.
- 24. Museums are recognized as serving the following purposes:
  - (a) They may furnish entertainment and informal instruction to the local public and visitors. In this way they make the University better known and, at the same time, arouse a permanent interest in children with regard to the objects displayed. In a city such as Montreal these elements cannot be overestimated.

- that material for educational purposes. Type specimens sufficient.
- The making available for research and special investigation other portions of collections. Necessity of a number of specimens for statistics and comparative purposes.
- There is no antagonism between the interests of the 26. scientific investigator and the ordinary student, as advances in the training of the latter depend upon the progress of the former. Hence in the administration of museums, the needs of the specialist must not be neglected.
- A museum must grow and may be rearranged, as time goes 27. on, in accordance with the educational needs of the university.
- The museum at McGill must be made living, organic, and 28. attractive, instead of dead, inert, and uninteresting. It should not be merely "a stuffed circus" or "a cemetery of bric-a-brac" or a collection of curious things.
- 29. Mere accumulation of material is, in itself, undesirable. Fine, valuable, rare, or typical specimens should be sought; and it should be realised that much of the material at present at McGill is merely the raw material out of which a new museum can be made.
- Without hurting the vanity or disparaging the sentiment of 30. well-meaning donors, the University
  - (a) should strictly examine all material offered as a gift and refuse to accept what is worthless or poor in quality.
  - (b) should discourage the giving of collections with awkward conditions attached.
- 31. The museum depends for effective results upon an observance of the recognized principles of visual instruction. Proper

arrangement and lighting of exhibits should eliminate as far as possible the various kinds of museum fatigue.

32. The proper conduct of the various University museums will require a technical adviser and a trained technician to assist in the preparation and installation of exhibits.

#### University Policy Regarding the Administration of Its Museums

- 33. The museum is to be regarded as essentially an educational institution and thus properly the care of a university, both for (1) Teaching and (2) Research.
- The various museums and collections belonging to 34. the University, wherever housed, shall be regarded, for purposes of effective and economical administration, as a unit or department.
- The question of available space shall be considered 35. from the University point of view.
- Each component unit or group shall be kept in the same place when possible. (In case of conflicting claims, 36. see paragraphs 46 - 47).
- The general administration of these museums and collect-37. ions shall be determined and controlled by a "Committee on University Museums," which shall be a committee appointed by the Governors.
- The membership of this committee shall be as follows: 38. The Principal (Chairman); a Governor with experience of organization on a large scale; two other members; and a secretary, appointed by the Principal, from the above.
- 39. The Committee on University Museums shall meet quarterly throughout the session on
  - (a) The Committee shall make to the Governors an annual report which shall be printed in the annual report of the University, and shall include all individual museums and collections.
  - (b) It shall report to Corporation when necessary for the information of that body.
- 40. The Committee shall have prepared (and revised annually, if necessary) a description of the various museums and this statement shall be included in the Calendar and may be issued separately as a departmental bulletin.

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#### VI Control, Housing, Display, and Use of Individual Collections

- 42. While all University museums shall be under the general administrative control of the Committee on University Museums, as indicated in paragraphs 37 to 41, each individual museum shall be under the immediate supervision of a special committee of which the chairman (or secretary) shall be either the director of the building in which the collection is housed or the professor in whose department the material is used. Such committees already exist for the McCord Museum, the Redpath Museum, etc.
- 43. Collections shall be under the immediate charge of a keeper or curator who shall be the head of the department concerned or some one delegated by the department for that purpose. before keeper + curation.
- The committees shall meet regularly throughout the  $\chi$ 44. session.
- The Committee shall draft a set of directions for the 45. uniform administration of collections and shall determine the conditions under which material may be used.
- Questions of conflicting opinion or rival claims to the 46. same material by University departments not housed in the same building shall be referred to the Committee on University Museums. It is obvious that mere completeness or comprehensiveness of a collection cannot be regarded as a cogent argument when
  - (a) a complex or extensive scientific subject is considered by several departments from different points of view.
  - (b) the material is needed by one department for teaching or investigation and by another only to round out a collection otherwise complete enough for teaching purposes.

- 47. If every point of view with some justification be regarded, the result is only confusion. The practical solution seems to be either
  - (a) to provide duplicates where two departments have equal claims.
  - (b) to place material temporarily with the department or collection having at the moment the stronger claim.
- 48. Material in storage shall be kept
  - (a) Systematically.
  - (a) Carefully and safely, so that damage does not occur from bad packing, inflammable cases, insects, damp, etc.
  - Readily available for reference.
- 49. The arrangement shall be educational in intent.
- The classification and labeling shall be in accord with the best modern usage. In planning individual exhibits and in making explanatory labels attention should be paid to function as well as to form e.g. dynamic geology, physiology of plants and animals, social significance of objects in anthropological or ethnographical exhibits i.e. the arrangement should not be solely systematic.
- 51. The following scheme will show the relations between the Committee on University Museums, the committees in charge of special museums, and the keepers or curators of collections.

## Administration of University Museums

## Committee on University Museums

Special Committees	Collections Keepers	of Collections		
l. Redpath Museum X		of Geology of Zoology		
2. Strathcona (Medical) Museum Committee	(3. Hygiene " Prof. (4. Social Anthropol. Prof.	of Anatomy of Hygiene of Zoology		
3. McCord National V Museum Committee	Canadian Historical Assist	ant Curator		
4. [Special Department- al Collections] No committee as yet.	ection  2. Botany  3. Chemistry  Prof.  4. Petrography  Prof.  5. Books and MSS  Univer	of Architecture of Botany of Chemistry of Geology sity Librarian of Pathology		

(c) Teaching needs now no longer existent formerly required a certain arrangement and location, and these do not facilitate the use of material for newer needs.

(d) The recent development of certain branches of knowledge (e.g. archaeology and ethnography) involve a rearrangement or reclassification of old material or, at least, a revision of descriptive labels.

(e) Requirements of original donation in bequest necessitating keeping a miscellaneous collection intact. This is the most troublesome obstacle to museum progress, and can in many cases be obviated by the consideration of the University Museum as a unit.

55. In the location of collections:

be placed.

(a) First, consideration should be given to availability for purposes of teaching and investigation.

(b) Convenience and accessibility for use by the public.

(c) Collections, where possible, should be kept together.

(d) Probable developments should be kept in mind.

- 56. For convenience of reference and to allow flexibility it is proposed that the Museum in the Medical Building be known henceforth as "The Strathcona Museum."
- 57. It is suggested that, having regard to the type of materials and the needs of the University as a whole, the following museums be recognized for the specific purposes implied:
  - (a) Chemistry Museum
  - (b) Architectural Museum V
  - (c) McCord National Museum /
  - (d) Library Museum
  - (e) Strathcona Museum
    - 1. Anthropology and Ethnology .
    - 2. Anatomy
    - 3. Hygiene
    - 4. Medicine
  - (f) Pathological Museum
    (Pathological Institute)
- 58. Overcrowding, heterogeneous collections, or available space make it desirable to consider a certain amount of changing of material in connection with:
  - (a) The Redpath Museum.
  - (b) The Strathcona Museum.
- 59. The following recommendations are made regarding the Redpath Museum:
  - (a) The Lyman Entomological Collection be left unchanged, as books and specimens are required, by the terms of the bequest, to be kept together.
  - (b) The Geological Collection be kept here.
  - (c) The Zoological Collection be kept here.
  - (a) Physical Anthropology

11 60. With regard to the Strathcona Museum, it is proposed that the following collections be housed here: (a) Anatomical Collection. V (b) Medical Collection, Social (c) Ethnological or Anthropological Collection. The following is a summary of the changes involved: 61. I Changes Completed or In Process (a) Historical, Indian, and Eskimo material from the Natural History Society Collection to go to the McCord National Museum. (b) Egyptian and classical archaeological material, books, and manuscripts from the Natural History Society Collection to go to the Library. (c) Geological specimens to go to the Redpath Museum. (d) Mineralogical specimens to go to the Petrographical Museum. (e) II Changes Proposed (f) Pathological Collection to go to Museum in the Pathological Institute, in part. Social (g) Anthropological material from Redpath Museum and Natural History Society Collection to go to the Strathcona Museum. VIII Plans for Future Systematic Development and Support The University Museums are to be regarded as the nucleus 62. of a future museum for the city and the province. It is suggested that, immediately after necessary internal reorganization, a concerted effort be made to fill in gaps and add new material by: (a) Requests to appropriate Government departments. (b) Judicious canvassing of interested individuals and firms.

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  1901). pt. II. p. 241-262.

THE MEDICAL MUSEUM McGILL UNIVERSITY MONTREAL, Jan.6th, 1925 C.F. Martin, Esq., M.D., Dean. The Medical Faculty, McGill University. My dear Doctor Martin:-At your request I beg to submit the following tentative suggestions for the distribution of the various collections:-REDPATH MUSEUM. Move the osteological and most of the invertebrate collections to the second and third floor of the Medical Museum. Move the Egyptian collection to the library. Move the Canadiana to the McCord Museum. Take out duplicate stuffed animals and birds and use for school loan collection, remodelling the balance of the specimens into a type series. Extend and properly exhibit the anthropological collection using the space made available by the removal of the stuffed birds, animals, Canadian, and Egyptian collections. Place on exhibition the Lyman Insect Collection together with the other entomological specimens, making the library more accessible for general use. McCORD MUSEM. To be kept entirely for Canadiana and Empire material by placing everything of that nature now in any of the University Museums in the McCord collection. Likewise, removing all material not of this nature now in the McCord. LIBRARY MUSEUM. Keep the Library Museum primarily for a library collection, leaving the Egyptian collection where it is until the University has an Anthropological Museum, to this should be added all the Egyptian material now in the University.

April 9th, 1925. Dr. G. R. Lomer, Redpath Library, McGill University. Dear Dr. Lomer:-I am informed that Mr. Judah has unpacked so much of the Natural History Museum collection that in order that the work may proceed we must place the specimens. It seems that some of them naturally belong to the Library, while others would go to the McCord Museum. I am therefore asking you, together with Dr. Willey and Mr. Cleveland Morgan, if you will be good enough to form a committee of three and decide just what should be done with the specimens along the lines above indicated. I would like you to act as convener of the committee. Yours faithfully, Also sent to: Dr. Willey Mr. Cleveland Morgan.

April 9th, 1925. Professor J. C. Simpson, Secretary, Faculty of Medicine, McGill University. Dear Professor Simpson:-As indicated in my conversation with you yesterday, will you please instruct Mr. Judah to hand over to Dr. Lomer, or to a committee composed of Dr. Lomer, Dr. Willey and Mr. Cleveland Morgan, such specimens from the Natural History Museum collection as they may ask for. Yours faithfully, Principal.

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GERHARD R. LOMER, M.A., PH.D.,

April 14, 1925.

Sir Arthur Currie, Principal, McGill University.

## Natural History Society Collection

Dear Sir Arthur,

I received your letter of April 9th yesterday morning and in the afternoon Dr. Willey, Mr. F. Cleveland Morgan and I met Mr. Judah at the Pathological Museum and arranged for the following transfer of material from the Natural History Society Collection:

## 1. To The University Library

- (a) Any further books and periodicals in addition to the 333 cases already transferred.
- (b) The collection of Egyptian antiquities.
- (c) A few pieces of classical remains.

## 2. To The McCord National Museum

- (a) North American Indian material.
- (b) Eskimo material.

## 3. Redpath Museum

- (a) Fossils (addressed to Professor Clarke).
- (b) Minerals (addressed to Professor Graham).

Sir Arthur Currie.

As a result of this preliminary distribution there will remain in the Pathological Museum the following material:

- (a) The collection of stuffed animals, reptiles, and birds.
- (b) Ethnographical collection (weapons, clothing, etc.) other than North American Indian and Eskimo.

The above report covers the distribution within the powers of the Committee, as indicated in your letter. The Committee, however, wishes to take this opportunity of suggesting that it is very desirable that a definite authoritative policy be indicated with regard to the distribution of the remaining material and that, if possible, plans for such distribution be made so as to be in operation during the summer months.

Faithfully yours,

University Librarian.

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GERHARD R. LOMER, M.A., PH.D., LIBRARIAN April 21, 1925.

Sir Arthur Currie, Principal, McGill University.

#### Natural History Society Collection

Dear Sir Arthur.

Referring to my letter of April 14th, the undernoted additional material is being transferred at the request of the Department of Botany.

## 4. To The Biological Building - Department of Botany

- (a) Cabinet containing mounted botanical specimens.
- (b) Samples of wood.
- (c) A few large sections of tree trunks.

Faithfully yours,

University Librarian.

## HENRY-MORGAN-&-CO-LIMITED COLONIAL-HOUSE MONTREAL

EXECUTIVE - OFFICES

April 11th.1925.

Sir Arthur Gurrie, Principal, McGill University, Sherbrocke St.West, Montreal.

Dear Sir Arthur: -

I am in receipt of your invitation to act on a committee to decide on the distribution of the Natural History Museum Collections.

I will be very glad indeed to be of any assistance possible.

Sincerely yours,

Heurland Worgen

F. C. MORGAN/SB.

April 22nd, 1925. Dr. G. R. Lomer, University Librarian, McGill University. Dear Dr. Lomer :-With reference to our conversation of Monday on Museum matters, will you please give some thought to the matter of Museum organization throughout the University. I would appreciate a memorandum from you on that subject and would ask you to associate with yourself in the preparation of this any one on the University staff, or otherwise, whose opinion would be of value. Yours faithfully, Principal.

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GERHARD R. LOMER, M.A., PH.D., LIBRARIAN

April 28, 1925.

Sir Arthur Currie, Principal, McGill University.

## Memorandum on Organization of University Museums

Dear Sir Arthur,

I have to acknowledge your letter of April 22nd and expect to place in your hands a memorandum on the organization of university museums within a fortnight.

Faithfully yours,

University Librarian.

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#### MONTREAL

GERHARD R. LOMER, M.A., PH.D., LIBRARIAN

November 26, 1925.

Sir Arthur Currie, Principal, McGill University.

Museum Committee

Dear Sir Arthur.

It would be very desirable if the new General Museum Committee could be appointed and active before the Christmas vacation, in order that, if possible, the material which has been in the Pathological Institute Museum since last spring could be distributed, at least partly, during the Christmas vacation.

The preliminary committee consisted of Professor J. C. Simpson, Mr. F. Cleveland Morgan, and myself. I am sure that this committee would be glad to carry on, if such a suggestion would meet with your approval.

The need for immediate action is increased by the fact that the Redpath Museum Committee meets on December 7th and the Archaeological Collection in the Library is being re-arranged and awaits further transfers.

Faithfully yours,

University Librarian.

#### GENERAL MUSEUM COMMITTEE.

MINUTES OF A DEPTING HELD ON DECEMBER 7th. 1925, at 4.15 p.m. in the PRINCIPAL'S OFFICE.

#### PRESENT :-

The Principal in the Chair Dr. C.F. Martin Dean F.D. Adams Dr. Arthur Willey Professor J.C. Simpson Dr. G.R. Lomer Professor F.E. Lloyd Mr. E. Lionel Judah Mr. A.P.S. Glassoo Mr. Oleveload Morgan

The Principal opened the meeting by reading the momorandum of the proceedings at a meeting presided over by Dr. C.F. Martin as follows:-

The Principal then read a memorandum prepared by Dr. Lomer. A copy of this momorandum is also attached. Dr. Martin reported that the question had been discussed in the Faculty of Medicine on November 24th and that the following resolution had been passed:-"That the floor space in the Central Medical Museum be re-allotted as follows:-(a) The 3rd floor to be devoted to the Anatomical Collection, as at present. (b) The 2nd floor to be given over to the Compress Tedical Collection, comprising such material as may be needed for clinical teaching in the Medical Building, as well as the Historical, War and Research Collections. (c) The 1st floor to be placed at the disposal of the University Museums Committee. One of the objects almed at by the Faculty of Medicine was to clear the Esthological Museum by getting the material not suited for that Museum placed on the first floor of the Stretheone Museum. The Principal stated that the Covernors desired the formation of the General Museum Committee as recommended in Dr. Lomer's report. The meeting agreed to recommend to the Governors the formation of such a Committee. The Principal proposed that those present at this meeting together with one of the Governors might constitute the Committee. Mr. Judah would be a member ex-officio but without a vote. This was also agreed to. It was decided that the Committee should meet three times during the College year and more often if necessary.

It was decided to recommend that the general organization should be as follows:-1. General Museums Committee exercising general control aver all University museums. It was decided that the museums under the charge of this Committee should be known as the McGill University Museums; the museum in the Medical Building should be known as the Strathcone Museum; the names of other museums to remain as at present. 2. Three smaller committees as recommended in Dr. Lomer's report which should continue to be constituted as now provided, but which should be subject to the General Museums Committee. Those smaller committees to be:-The Redpath Maseum Committee The McCord Museum Conmittee The Strathcone Museum Cormittee 3. Smaller collections not situated either in the Redpath Museum, in the McCord Museum or in the Strathoona Museum are to be under the charge of the committee of the Department concerned. 4. Mr. Judah who has been appointed as General Curator by the Governors will be under this Committee. His duty will be to inspect constantly all exhibits with regard to their setting up and condition, to deal directly with Honorary Curators and committees in charge and if necessary to report to this Committee. He is to make errangements at once for the uniform system of marking and labelling. The Henorary Curators and Committees in charge of museums to give instructions to Assistant Curaters. 5. There shall be appointed as Honorary Curater of each museum the head of one of the departments interested, and where more than one department is interested the heads of such departments maybe appointed Honorary Curators, each being responsible for the material designated as primarily of interest to his department.

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The technologists in charge of the actual material in each department shall be known as Assistant Curators." 6. The Committees of the Redneth Museum, the McCord Museum and the Stratheone Museum shall make regulation regarding the immediate responsibility for collections and arrangements with museums. 7. Eccommendations regarding the appointment of honorary curator and assistant curator are to be made by museum committees in cases when there are such; if this committee approves it will forward such recommendations to the Board of Governors. The following general decisions were made, pending formal approval of the constitution of this Committee. (1) Surplus Matural History Society material from the Pathological Building to be moved to the Strathcons Museum as soon as possible, where articles seen specially suitable they are to go to the McCord Masour, the amount to be sent there to be aw small as possible. (2) The Social Anthropological Collection I nonprehistorie) to be moved to the Strathoons Museum. (3) The Frincipal asked Drs. Adams, Willey, Jomer and Simpson to act as a committee charged with the removal of meterial from the Pathological Building and Redpath Museum to the ground floor of the Strathcome Masonna

# COPY of RESOLUTION passed at MEETING of FACULTY of MEDICINE on November 24th, 1925.

It was Resolved:-

"That the floor space in the Central Medical Museum be re-allotted as follows:-

- (a) The 3rd floor to be devoted to the Anatomical Collection, as at present.
- (b) The 2nd floor to be given over to the General Medical Collection, comprising such material as may be needed for clinical teaching in the Medical Building, as well as the Historical, War and Research Collections.
- (c) The 1st floor to be placed at the disposal of the University Museums Committee.

December 28th, 1925.

## MoGILL UNIVERSITY MONTREAL

SECRETARY AND BURSAR'S OFFICE

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January Ninth 1926.

Dear Colonel Bovey:

I have much pleasure in informing you that the Board of Governors, at a meeting held on the 4th instant, appointed you a member of the General Museums Committee.

Yours faithfully,

Secretary

Colonel Wilfrid Bovey, McGill University.

March 4, 1926. Dr. F.D. Adams, Engineering Building. McGill University. Dear Dean Adams:-I would have replied much earlier to your letter regarding the Museums had we made sufficient progress or had we had anything to report. The Strathsona Museum space will quite shortly be cleared out now and Professor

Simpson is going to communicate with you as soon as it is ready.

Yours faithfully,

Wilfrid Bovey.

Dr. Willey, Dr. Lomer (2) Prof. Simpson June 22nd, 1926. Door Dr. The Frincipal has been informed that there has been carried out some distribution of Museum material beyond that authorized by the Museums' Committee. He asks me to say no further distribution should be made without regular authorisation and record kept by the General Museum Committee; so that until a meeting of that Committee no further changes should be effected. Yours faithfully. Wilfrid Bovey. Copy to Dr. Adams.

June 22nd, 1926. Dr. B. D. Adams, 243 Mountain Street, Montreal. Dear Dr. Adams :-I am enclosing you herewith a copy of a letter which I have today sent out. by the direction of the Principal. I regret that I should have given you the impression of being dilatory in the matter, but there seems to have been some difficulty in the way of getting all the new machinery to function. Yours faithfully, Wilfrid Bovey.

Montralogy. APSG:'C July Ninth 1923. Boris V. Monomahoff Esq., c/o Russian Consulate, 24 California Street, San Francisco, Calif. Dear Sir: Your letter of May 24th addressed to Sir Arthur Currie has in his absence, been referred to me for reply. We are very sorry that we are not in a position to entertain the idea of acquiring the mineralogical collection as catalogued in the pamphlet you sent us. Thanking you for the opportunity given us for considering this matter, I am, Yours very truly, UP87 Secretary

BORIS V. MONOMAHOFF MINING ENGINEER Care of RUSSIAN CONSULATE 24 CALIFORNIA STREET SAN FRANCISCO, CALIFORNIA May 24, 1023 Sir A. W. Currie. McGill University, Montreal, Quebec Sir: Inclosed find a catalogue of a very valuable mineralogical collection which is in my possession at the present time. There is no doubt that this collection would be of great value to any scientific mining institution, not only for its exclusive completeness, but also for its utility in the study of mineral-The purpose of this letter is to ascertain whether McGill University would be interested in the examination and acquisition of this collection. I should like to hear from you at your early convenience as the collection will arrive in San Francisco some time during the month of June and I desire to inform you as to the exact date when it will be available. Awaiting the courtesy of your early reply, I am Very truly yours, Bris Monomahoff BVM:H Inc.

# A Rare Mineralogical Collection

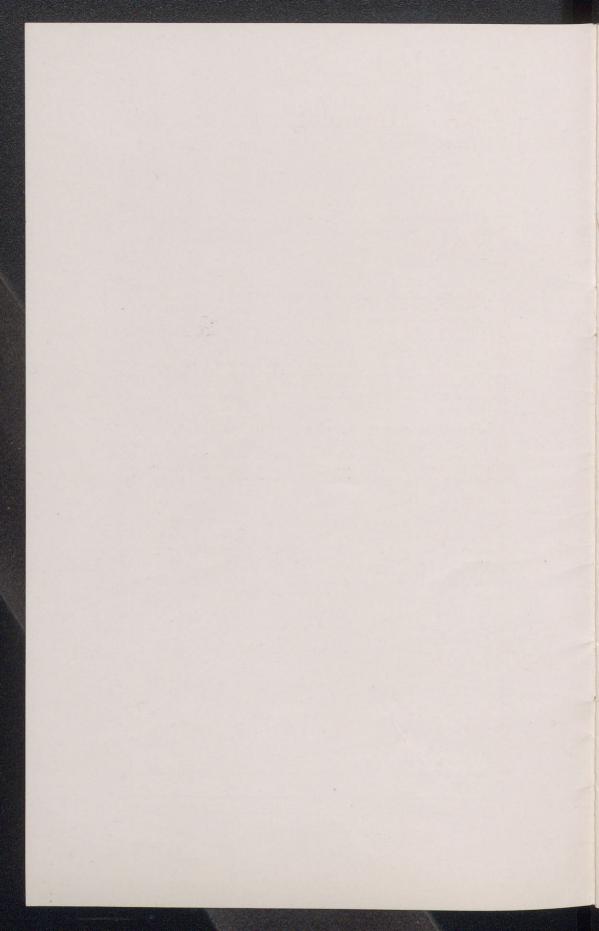


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## DESCRIPTION

#### INTRODUCTION

This collection has been made by a noted Russian geologist and mining engineer during the twenty-five years of his scientific and practical work. Besides paying personal visits to the most famous mineralogical localities in European Russia, the Ural Mountains and Siberia, he bought two large and noted private collections and the best samples of minerals from them were selected and added to this collection.

The whole collection contains about two thousand samples of minerals. It represents particularly all the Russian minerals and contains some specimens from the old Russian mines, which it is almost impossible to obtain now, as many of these mineral deposits have been entirely worked out.

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There are in this collection some separate collections of rare minerals, and besides these, there are some unique individual samples which are of great value.

This collection is the only one of all the private Russian collections which has fortunately escaped the Bolshevik devastation, for when the revolution broke out in Petrograd it was in Vladivostok and from there was transferred to China, where it is now. All of the other private collections in Russia were either destroyed or nationalized.

#### COMPOSITION OF THE RUSSIAN PART OF THE COLLECTION

During the twenty-five years spent in gathering this collection a great many expeditions were made into the different mineral regions of Russia, where the samples were properly collected. In particular the following mineral fields were fully explored and the minerals listed below were collected there:

#### NAMES OF PLACES

#### NAMES OF MINERALS

	URAL MOUNTAINS	
1.	Ilmen Mountains	Zircon, eschynite, samarskite, pyrochlore, etc.
2.	Ahmatoff Mines	Diopside, granate, apatite, epidote, etc.
3.	Village of Lipovaya	Tourmaline—red.
4.	Villages of Murzinka	and
	Alabashka	
		Alexandrite and emerald.
	Blagodatny Mine	
	Beresovsky work	
	Shishy Mountain	
	Zaganay Mountain	
	Blagodat Mountain	Magnetite.
	Adui River	Beryl.
	Sanarka River	
13.	Tshuvash Steppe	Perovskite.

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14.	Lake Baikal Region	Baikalite, moroxite.	
15.	Yakutsk District	Viluite and Ahtarandite.	
	Ahtaranda River		
16.	Transbaikalia	Topaz, beryl.	
17	Adun-Chilon Mountain		

In some of those fields, such as Ilmen Mountain, Shishy Mountain, Blagodatny Mine, Tchuvash Steppe, Yakutsk District and Adun-Chilon Mountain, regular mining work has been done by the collector.

#### VALUE OF THE COLLECTION

This collection represents a large and complete aggregation of minerals, many of which are very rare. It is a particularly complete collection of the mineralogical riches of Russia. It contains full sets of the rarest, most original and valuable mineral specimens and represents fully almost every one of the famous Russian mineral fields.

The separate collections of Leuchtenbergites and Perovskites are unique of their kind. The next most valuable for their richness are the collections of Viluites, Ahtarandites, Baikalites and Moroxites, but the most precious and rare samples in this collection, besides the representatives of Leuchtenbergites, Perovskites, Viluites and Ahtarandites above mentioned, are the following uniques:

- 1. Hessite (Tellursilver) in crystals. A very rare sample.

- 5. Two large plates of iron meteorite.

Therefore this collection is very valuable and useful for any institution or any person who is interested in minerals.

#### NOTICE

Every sample in this collection has a label affixed, giving its name, place of origin, and other particulars concerning it. The minerals marked "coll." before the number are represented exceptionally fully, like a separate collection.

# LIST OF MINERALS

Names of Minerals	Country Where Found	Number of Specimens
A		
Acadialite	Scotland	1
Adularia	Austria, Tyrol	î
Adularia	Germany, Granbinden	1
Adularia	Switzerland	9
Agalmatolite	Asia, China	1
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
Agate	Siberia	2
Aglaite	England, Chesterfield	1
Ahmit	Norway	1
Ahtarandite	Siberia, Lena Riv., reg. riv. Viluy	
Albin	Austria, Bohemia	coll. 20
Albita	Germany, Freiberg	1
Albita	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
Albita	Cibaria Translation A.1. Cli	3
Alarandrita	Siberia, Transbaikalia, Adun-Chi	lon 1
Allowite	Russia, Ural Mts., Emerald Mine	8
	North America, Connecticut	
Almandine	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
Altaite	Siberia, Altai Mountains	1
Alum	Germany	1
Amalgam	Germany, Landsberg	1
Amalgam	Germany, Phalz	1
Amazon stone	Russia, Ural Mountains	7
Amazon stone	South America, Amazon River	1
Amber	Russia, Baltic Sea	5
Amber w/insects/2	Russia, Baltic Sea	1
Amethyst	Russia, Ural Mountains	14
Analcime	Austria, Tyrol	1
Analcime	Isl. Iceland, Atlantic Ocean	Î
Anatase	France	2
Anatase	South America, Brazil	1
Andalusite	Germany, Lardeck	9
Andesine	France	ī
Anglesite	Italy, Isl. Sardinia	3
Ankerite	Denmark, Steermark	
Ankerite	Poland, Pshibram	1
Anthonhyllite	Sweden, Arendal	1
Antimolita	Isl. Iceland	1
Antimonte	Isi. iceiand	1
Amatica	Germany, Saxony	1
Apatite	Germany, Friedrichsdorf	2
Apatite	North America, Canada	1
Apatite	Norway	1
Apatite	Russia, Ural Mountains	3
	Germany, Harz	
Apophyllite	Isl. Iceland	1
Apophyllite	North America	1
Aquamarine	Russia, Ural Mountains	2
Aragonite	Asia, Maritime Prov. Tetukhe	1
Aragonite	France	4
Aragonite	Germany, Harz	1
Aragonite	Hungary	4
ragonite, blue	Italy, Tuscany	1
Ardennite	Belgium	1
rsenichluthe	France, Alsace	1
rsenichluthe	Paris II I Manati	1
sheetos	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
isbestos	Asia, Transcaspian Prov., Turkest	an 1

Names of Minerals	Country Where Found	Number o Specimen
Asbestos	Russia, Ural Mountains	2
Asbestos	Siberia, Savan Mountains	1
Ashirite	Central Asia, Altyne-Tube	11
Aspasilite	Norway	1
Asperolite	Russia, Ural Mountains	5
Asphalt	Russia, Caucasus Mountains, Baku	2
Astrophyllite	Norway	1
Auerbahite	Russia, Ural Mountains	2
	Various countries	
	France	
Augite, white	America	1
Auripigment	Hungary	1
Automolite	Austria, Tyrol	1
Axinite	Denmark, Steermark	1
Axinite	France	2
Axinite	Germany	1
Axinite	Russia Ural Mountains	9
Axinite	Scotland	1
В		
Babingtonite	Germany, Harborn	2
Baikalite	Siberia, Lake Baikal	coll 23
Barite (Barvt)	England	1
Barite	Germany Freiherg	1
Barite	Germany, Saxony	2
Barite	Germany, Harz	8
Barite	Germany	3
Barite	North America, Connecticut	1
Barite	Russia, Ural Mountains	5
Barytocelestine	Africa, Egypt	1
Bensdorfite	Finland	1
Berycrystal	Russia, Caucasus Mountains	2
Berycrystal	Russia, Ural Mountains	15
Berycrystal	Switzerland	1
Beryl	Russia Ural Mountains	coll 26
Biotite	Austria Tyrol	1
Bismuth	GermanyNorway	î
Bleumstrandite	Norway	î
Dolette	South America Brazil	1
Boracite	Austria, Tyrol	5
Bournonite	France	2
Bournonite	Hungary	2
Rovite	C - C	3
Doxite	Germany, Saxony	1
breithauptite	Norway	1
Brewsterite	Scotland	1
Brinnerite	Asia, Maritime Province Tetukhe	2
Brochantite	Russia, Ural Mountains	2
Bronzite	Finland	1
Brookite	North America, Arkansas	4
Brookite	Russia, Ural Mountains	70
Brucita	A.: TI: Would alia	10
Day of	Asia, Hingan Mountains	1
Srucite	North America, Pennsylvania	1
Sucholzite	Austria, Tyrol	1
	Russia, Ural Mts., Mine Ahmatovs	

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 Fingland, Bristol
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 Italy
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 Italy, isl. Sicily
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 Cerite Sweden Cerussite Various countries coll. 12 Chalcedony. Germany, Ziebenburgen
Chalcotricite. Russia, Ural Mountains. Childrenite.....England ..... Chlorastrolite......America ..... Chloritoid Russia, Ural Mountains Chlorospinel Russia, Ural Mountains 4 Chondrodite Finland, Pargass 4 Chondrodite America Chromic Iron.......America Chrondorite.....Sweden 
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 Sweden
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 Chrysoberyl
 Russia, Ural Mountains
 1

 Chrysoprase
 Russia, Ural Mountains
 1

 Cinnabar
 Central Russia
 4

 Clinochlore
 Russia, Ural Mountains
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 Cocimbite......South America, Chile.... Colemanite......America Columbite......America Columbite North America, Greenland 1 Columbite......Russia, Ural Mountains.... Copper Blue. Asia, Siberia 3
Copper Blue. Asia, Maritime Province Tetukhe 2
Copper Blue. France 2
Copper Blue. Russia, Ural Mountains 3 Copper Blythe Russia, Ural Mountains Copper Glance North America, Connecticut. 4
Copper Indigo Russia, Caucasus Mountains 1 Copper Pyrites England Copper Pyrites Russia, Ural Mountains Copper Scum Asia, Maritime Province Tetukhe Copper Scum......Austria, Tyrol Copper......Various countries ......coll. 18 Copper Vitriol Russia, Caucasus, Kedabek 4 Copper Vitriol Russia, Ural Mountains 2 Coppite......Germany, Baden Cordierite\_\_\_\_\_Finland \_\_\_\_

Names of Minerals	Country Where Found	Number of Specimens
Corundum	Russia, Ural Mountains	14
Crocoite	Russia Iral Mountaine	6
Cryolite	North America Greenland	7
Cryolite	Norway	1
Cryolite	Russia, Ural Mountains	2
Cuprite	Russia I ral Mountains	7.4
Cupronanite	England	1
Cyanite	Russia, Ural Mountains	9
D		
Danburite	North America, New York	2
Datholite	Germany, Andreesberg	2
Davidite	Australia	7
Davyne	Italy, Vesuvius	1
Demantone	Kussia I ral Mountains	7
Descloizite	North America Mexico	1
Desmin	Asia Siheria	7
Desmin	Germany Silesia	1
Desmin	s   caland	7
Desmin	North America Greenland	7
Desmin	Scotland	y
Diaspore	Russia Ural Mountains	0
Diopside	Russia, Ural Mountainsco	11 00
Dionside, white	Russia, Ural Mountains Co	11. 22
Dieffersite	North America, Pennsylvania	2
Dolomite	Germany, Carlsbad	1
Dolomite	Switzerland	1
Dufrenite	Company D	1
Durangite	Germany, Reyss North America, Pennsylvania	1
E		
Elaeolite	Russia, Ural Mountains	
Embolite	Italy	4
Emerald	Russia, Ural Mountainsco	1
Enstatite	Norwayco	11. 10
Fridata	D . II 1 35	1
Enistillita	Russia, Ural Mountainsco	11. 34
Feebynite	Spain	1
Fuelese	Russia, Ural Mountainsco	11. 15
Eucroite	South America, Brazil	1
Eukolite	Hungary Norway	1
F		
Faroelite	Nowwer Lal E-	
Ferherite	Norway, Isl. Faroe	1
Ferganite	Germany, Saxony	1
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Names of Minerals	Country Where Found	Number of Specimens
Fichtelite	Germany, Bavaria	1
Figure Quartz	Asia, Transbaikalia, Adun-Chilon	
Figure Stone.	Finland, Imatra	3
	England	
	Asia, China	
	Italy, Vesuvius	
Forsterite	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
Frugardite	Russia, Finland	1
Fuchsite	Russia, Ural Mountains	2
G		
Gadolinite	Sweden	3
	Various countries	
	Asia, Maritime Prov. Tetukhe	
Galmey	England	2
Gamlinite	South America, Brazil	1
Gay Lussite	Germany, Turingen	1
	Austria, Tyrol	
	,Italy	
	Hungary	
	Finland	
	Sweden	
	Siberia, Lake Baikal	
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
Gold Crystals	Siberia	coll. 16
Gold Crystals	Siberia and Ural Mountains	coll. 24
Gomilite	Norway	1
Gothite	Russia	2
Granate	Austria, Tyrol	1
Granate	Finland	2
Granate	Hungary	2
Granate	Norway	1
Granate	Russia, Ural Mountains	coll. 24
Granate	Siberia, Lake Baikal	1
Granate	Sweden, Arendal	2
Graphite	Asia, Cape Chukotsky, Arctic reg	······ 1
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
	Siberia, Aliber Mine	
Greenochite	Serbia, Banat	1
Grismondite	Italy, Vesuvius	1
Grossularite	Siberia, Lena riv., reg. riv. Viluy	coll. 25
	Italy, Vesuvius	
	Austria, Tyrol	
Gypsum	Asia, Siberia	3
	Austria, Moldava	
	France Phains	
Gypsum	France, Rheims	2
	Russia, River Volga	2
Н		
Hambergite	Australia	1
Harmotome	Austria, Bohemia	1
Harmotome	Germany, Andreesberg	2
Harzbergite	Isl. New Caledonia, Pacific Ocea	n 1
TT . 1	Germany	1

Names of Minerals	Country Where Found Specime
Havdenite	England, Baltimore
Hedenbergite	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Hedenbergite	Sweden 2
	Germany1
	Russia, Ural Mountains
Hershelite	Isl. Iceland1
Hessite	Germany, Ziebenburgen 1
	Germany 1
	Austria, Bohemia
Heulandite	Germany1
Heulandite	Germany, Silesia 1
Heulandite	Isl. Iceland
Hubnerite	Germany1
Humboldtine	Italy, Vesuvius
	South America, Brazil 1
	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Hyalite	Germany, Freiberg
Hyalite	Russia, Ural Mountains 2
Hyalosiderite	Germany, Baden 2
Hyastolite	Asia, Transbaikalia, city of Nerchinsk 1
Hydrargillite	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Hydrotalcite	Norway 1
Hydrotitanite	North America, Arkansas
I	
Ichthyophtholmite	Austria, Tyrol
Ichthyophtholmite	Germany 1
Ilmenorutile	Russia, Ural Mountainscoll. 20
Ilvaite	Italy, Isl. Elba
Iodyrite	Australia 1
Iogirine	North America, Greenland 1
Isorine	America
Ittrotitanite	Norway
J	
	Asia, Siberia 4
Jadeite	
	Russia, Ural Mountains 3
	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Jasper	Siberia, Transbaikalia1
Jewish Stone	Siberia, Transbaikalia 1
K	
Kalamine	Asia, Transbaikalia, City of Nerchinsk 2
Kammerrite	Russia, Ural Mountains
Karchenite	Russia 1
Karpholite	Austria, Bohemia
Kassiterite	Various countriescoll. 8
Katapleite	Norway
Kieselzinkerz	Norway 1
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Kieselzinkerz	Norway         1           Germany, Bleiberg         2           Germany, Relensdorf         3           Russia, Ural Mountains         5
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abrador	Russia	
apis-lazuli	Asia, Province Bukhara	. 1
apis-lazuli	Siberia, Lake Baikal	. 8
azulite	America	1
Leadhillite	Asia, Transbaikalia, City of Nerchinsl	1
eadhillite	Germany, Saxony	. 1
Leadhillite	Scotland	. 3
Lepidolite	Russia, Ural Mountains	. 1
	Asia, Maritime Province Tetukhe	
ettsomite	Hungary	1
euchtenbergite	Russia, Ural Mountainscoll Italy, Vesuvius	. 3
_eucite	Norway	. 1
eucopnanite	Germany	. 1
eucopyrite	Austria, Bohemia	. 2
:Lathanita	Russia, Ural Mountains	4
	Italy, Isl. Elba	
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
	North America, Connecticut	
	Asia, Siberia	
	Greece, Macedonia	
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
	England	
	Austria, Maraviza	
Aagnetite	Various countries	. 15
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dalachite	Russia, Cancasus Wountains	
Malachite	Russia, Caucasus Mountains	. 10
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Alachite	Russia, Ural Mountains	. 10
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Names of Minerals	Country Where Found Specim
Mimetesite	England1
Minerals, different	Various countries
Misetenite	Italy, Piedmont 1
Misnikel	Asia, Transbaikalia, Adun-Chilon 1
Visnikel	Germany, Saxony 2
Moldavite	Various countries 2
Molyhdenite	Asia, Hingan Mountains
Molyhdenite	Asia Siberia 2
Molyhdenite	Finland 2
Wolyhdenite	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Monazite	Russia, Ural Mountains 10
Montichellite	Austria, Tyrol1
Moroxite	Siberia, Lake Baikal coll. 23
	Norway1
N	
	Germany, Freiberg 1
Nadorite.	Africa, Algeria
Nagyadite	South America, Nagyak 1
Natrolite	Germany, Baden
Nefedivite	Asia, Mongolia, city of Troitzkosavsk
Nenhrite	Siberia, city of Irkutsk coll. 11
Nichite	France
Nichite	Isl. Borneo, Pacific Ocean
	Russia, Serdobol
	England, Caledonia
Obsidian	Asia, Kamchatka, city of Okhotsk
Oligoclase	Sweden Arendal
Olivenite	England
Olivenite	Russia, Ural Mountains
	Russia, Ural Mountains
	Germany
Opal	Australia
	Russia, Ural Mountains
Ophasite	Germany, Bavaria
Orangite	Norway
Orthoclase	Asia, Transbaikalia, Adun-Chilon
Orthoclase	Germany
Orthoclase	Germany, Baverne
	Russia, Caucasus Mountains
Orthoclase	Russia, Ural Mountains
Orthoclase	Sweden, Arendal
P	
Palygorskite	Russia
Paragonite	Siberia
Paragonite	Spain
Dargacita	Finland, Pargass
1 algasite	
Parisite	America
Parisite	Russia, Ural Mountains
Parisite Patrinite Pelanite	

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Pericline	South America, Perunders	1
Perovskite	Russia, Ural Mountains	coll. 51
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
	Austria, Bohemia	
Phacolite	England	1
Phenakite	Russia, Ural Mountains	6
	South America, Brazil	
Pholbertite	Russia	1
Phosgenite	Germany	2
	France	
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
Pitchblende	Austria, Joachimsthal	1
Pitchblende	England	1
Pitchblende	Siberia, Lake Baikal	1
Pitchite	Germany, Altenberg	2
Pitticite	Hungary	1
Pitzkarandite	Finland	1
Platinum	Russia, Ural Mountains	11
Plumbum	Russia, Caucasus Mountains	1
Polybasite	Germany, Saxony	1
Polycrase	Norway	1
Polymignite	Norway	1
Prehnite	Various countries	7
Proustite	Germany, Saxony	3
Proustite	South America, Chile	2
Pseudomorphose	Various countries	5
Putcherite	Germany, Saxony	1
Puterite	Germany, Saxony	1
Pyrargyrite	Germany, Saxony	1
Pyrargyrite	North America, Mexico	1
Pyrite	Finland	2
Pyrite	Russia, Caucasus Mountains	1
Pyrite	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
Pyrochlore	Russia, Ural Mountains	coll 11
Pyromorphite	Various countries	0011 13
Pyrophyllite	Russia Ural Mountains	1
Pyrophyllite	America	1
Pyrosmalite	Sweden	1
Pyroxene	America	1
Pyrrhotite	Sweden	2
Q		
Quartz	Various countries	coll. 47
R		
Rabin	South America, Brazil	1
Ph. J	Germany, Freiberg	1
Phostorite	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
Pinidalita	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
Ripidolite	Switzerland	1
Noselite	Germany, Saxony	2
Rubellan	Germany, Saxony	1
Kutile	America	1
Kutile	Austria, Tyrol	1
Rutile	Russia, Ural Mountains	6
Kutile	Switzerland	1

Names of Minerals	Country Where Found Specimen
S	Norway1
	America 2
Samarskite	Russia, Ural Mountains coll. 8
Samarskite	Italy 2
2 1:4	Various countries
Sahaalita	Various countries
Schillerstein	Norway 1
Scalacite	Asia, Siberia 2
Scolecite	Isl. Iceland1
Scolezite	Asia, India
Scolezite	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Scorodite	Russia, Ural Mountains 5
Shahasite	Various countries 7
Siderite	Russia 1
Siderite	Switzerland 5
Sillimanite	Russia, Petergof near Petrograd 1
Silver	America, United States 3
Silver	Asia, Altai Mountains 2
Silver	Asia, Siberia
Silver	Germany, Freiberg 1
Cilvor	Hungary 2
Silver	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Silver	South America, Chile
Silver Chloride	South America, Chile 1
Silver Clance	Germany, Baden 1
Silver Glance	Germany, Freiberg 2
Smithsonite	Greece 1
Soda	Asia, Thibet 1
Sodalite	Russia, Ural Mountains 2
Sordovalite	Russia 1
Sphene	Russia, Ural Mts. and othercoll. 24
Spinel	Various countries 8
Staurelite	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Staurolite	Russia, Ural Mountains 4
Stellite	America1
Stephanite	Germany, Freiberg
Stibnite	America 1
Stibnite	Asia, Japan 1
Stibnite	Asia, Siberia 1
Stibnite	Asia, Transbaikalia, Adun-Chilon 1
Stihnite	Germany, Andreesberg 1
Stibnite	South Russia, Nikitovkacoll. 10
Stilhite	Isl. Iceland
Stroganovite	Siberia, Lake Baikal
Struvite	Germany, Hamburg 2
Sulphur	Italy, Isl, Sicily
Sulphur	Russia 2
Susanite	Scotland 1
T	
Tale	Russia, Ural Mountains 1
Tale Anatite	Russia, Ural Mountains 3
Tanagrite	South America, Bolivia 1

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	A	2
	Austria, Tyrol Asia, Isl. Ceylon	
	Norway	
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
Tanite	Italy, Piedmont	1
Topasonie	Various countries	coll 31
Torbithita	South Africa	1
Tourmaline	Russia, Ural Mountains	coll 40
Prayarcallita	Italy	1
Franclita	Russia, Ural Mountains	
Critomite	Norway	1
Croostite	America	1
	Austria, Tyrol	
	Asia, Persia	
U		
Uralorthite	Russia, Ural Mountains	3
Uralorthite	Siberia, Lake Baikal	coll. 16
Uranglimmer	England	5
Uranglimmer	Germany, Saxony	1
Uranite	England	1
Uranite	Germany, Saxony	1
Uranpecherz	Siberia, Lake Baikal	5
V		
Valentinite	Austria	1
	Carintia	
Vanadinite	Germany, Freiberg	1
	South America, Chile	
	Norway	
	Asia, Siberia	
	Finland	_
	Germany	
	Russia, Ural Mountains	
	Germany, Aahen	
Vivianite	England	1
Vivianite	Germany	1
	Russia, Ural Mountains	1
Waluevite	Russia, Ural Mountains	coll. 7
	Germany, Nassau	
Wavellite	Ireland	2
Willemite	Norway	1
Wilnite	Siberia, Lena riv., reg. riv. Vi	iluycoll. 37
		4
Witherite	England, Cumberland	
Witherite	Germany, Harz	1
Witherite Wolfbergite	Germany, Harz	1
WitheriteWolfbergiteWolframite	Asia, Siberia	1 5
Witherite Wolfbergite Wolframite Wolframite	Germany, Harz Asia, Siberia England	
Witherite	Germany, Harz Asia, Siberia England Russia, Ural Mountains, Ohan	1 
Witherite	Germany, Harz Asia, Siberia England	1 

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Wulfenite	Carinta	1
	Germany	2
Wulfenite	Russia, Ural Mountains	. 2
$\mathbf{X}$		
Xanthophyllite	Russia, Ural Mountains	. 3
Xonaltite	North America, Mexico	. 1
Z		
Zeolite	Various countries	. 3
Zinc Asperolite	Asia, Maritime Province Tetukhe	. 1
Zinc Blende	Various countries	
Zinc Bluthe		
Zinkenite	Germany, Harz	
	Russia, Ural Mountainscoll	
Zircon		

#### ABBREVIATIONS MADE IN THE LIST

Prov.—province Mt.—mountain Riv.—river Reg.—region Isl.—island Coll.—collection

