

J. Campbell, six Queensland honey-eaters with nests and eggs, viz:—the yellow honey-eater (*Ptilotis flava*), the uniform coloured honey-eater (*P. unicolor*), Lewin's honey-eater (*P. Lewinii*), the fuscous honey-eater (*P. fusca*), the brown honey-eater (*Stigmatops ocellaris*), and the blue-faced honey-eater (*Entomyza cyanotis*), the nests and eggs of the two first mentioned being new to science; by Mr. J. Percy Chirnside, specimens from the Geyser Basin, Sulphur Mountain, etc., Yellowstone Park, U.S.A.; by Mr. A. W. Coles, about fifty species of Queensland birds, native weapons, etc.; by Mr. J. E. Dixon, orchid *Chiloglottis Gunnii*, in bloom; by Mr. C. French, a large scorpion from Sumatra; by Master G. French, a rare orchid *Pterostylis reflexa*, var. *revoluta*, from Oakleigh; by Mr. T. A. Forbes-Leith, nests and eggs of the following birds, the white-shafted fantail (*Rhipidura albiscapa*), the restless fly-catcher (*Seisura inquieta*), the red-capped robin (*Petroica goodenovii*), and the white-fronted ephthianura (*Ephthianura albifrons*); by Rev. J. J. Halley, mounted slides of diatoms, *Arachnoidiscus Japonica*, *A. heliopelta* (arranged) and *Eupodiscus Rogersii*; by Miss Halley, water-colour drawings of thirteen orchids from the wild flower exhibition; by Mr. H. W. Hunt, nests and eggs of Victorian birds; by Mr. H. Kennon, ammonites from Whitby, England; by Mr. D. Le Souëf, a rare lizard from Wodonga, ancient greenstone tomahawk from New Zealand, and granite polished by glacial action, from George Sound, New Zealand; by Dr. T. P. Lucas, eggs of the larger Australian birds, viz., Cassowary, Emu, Spotted Emu, Tallegalla, Mallee Hen, Megapode, Pelican, Albatross, and Native Companion; eggs of Oyster-catcher and Terns, from Australia, South Pacific, and Britain; Australian Lepidoptera *Lycænidae*, *Agoristæ*, *Noctuæ*, etc., including several species of banana-feeding Ophideres from Queensland; by Mr. J. E. Prince, a diatomoscope; by Mr. F. Reader, fungi hitherto unrecorded for Victoria, *Peziza Drummondi*, Berk., *Hymenorhæte tabacina*, Sow., *Guepinia pezizæformis*, Berk., *Ustilago utriculosa*, Tul., also plants from Studley Park, *Typhaceæ* to *Cyperaceæ*; by Mr. Thie, asbestos from New South Wales, Tasmania, and America, silver-ore from Silverton, N.S.W., and Victorian sea-weeds; by Mr. H. T. Tisdall, fungi and drawings in illustration of his papers.

After the usual *conversazione* the meeting terminated.

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THE ninth of November, 1885, will be a day long to be remembered by such members of the Field Naturalists' Club of Victoria, as joined in the excursion to the Lal Lal and Moorabool falls. This



1885. "[Untitled - Summary report of exhibits at the meeting on 11th November, 1885] (quote "by Master G. French, a rare orchid, *Pterostylis reflexa* var. *revoluta*, from Oakleigh")." *The Victorian Naturalist* 2, 93–94.

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