

CATALOGUE OF THE COLLECTION OF AËROLITES EXHIBITED IN  
THE BRITISH MUSEUM.

[North Gallery, East end, cases A, B, C, and D.]

NOTE.—The weights of all specimens that are above ½ lb. avoirdupois are inserted in the Catalogue; the average weight of the remainder is 490 grains.

STONE AËROLITES.

			lbs.	grs.
1.	November 7, 1492.	Ensisheim, France .....	1	366
2.	April 11, 1715.	Gartz, Schellin, Prussia .....		
3.	June 22, 1723.	Plaskowitz, near Reichstadt, Bohemia .....		
4.	July 3, 1753.	Tabor (Plan, Strkow), Bohemia .....		2526
5.	September 7, 1753.	Liponas, Ain, France .....		
6.	September 13, 1768.	Lucé en Maine, Dép. de Sarth, France .....		
7.	November 20, 1768.	Mauerkirchen, Austria .....		4950
8.	February 19, 1785.	Eichstadt, Bavaria .....		
9.	October 13, 1787.	Charkow (Bobrik), Russia .....	1	599
10.	July 24, 1790.	a. Barbotan, Dép. des Landes, France .....		2750
		b. Roquefort do. do. ....		
11.	June 16, 1794.	Siena, Tuscany .....		1720
12.	December 13, 1795.	Wold Cottage, Yorkshire .....	47	4056
13.	March 8, 1798.	Sales, Villefranche, Dép. du Rhône, France .....		2953
14.	December 13, 1798.	Krakhut, Benares, India .....		3362
15.	April 8, 1803.	L'Aigle, Dép. de l'Orne, France .....	2	1710
16.	April 5, 1804.	High Possil, Glasgow, Scotland .....		
17.	March 15, 1806.	Alais, Dép. du Gard, France .....		
18.	March 13, 1807.	Timochin, Smolensk, Russia .....		
19.	December 14, 1807.	Weston, Connecticut, U.S. ....		
20.	April 19, 1808.	Casignano, near Borgo St. Donino, Parma .....		
21.	May 22, 1808.	a. Stannern, Moravia .....	1	3074
		b. Langenpiernitz, Moravia .....		
22.	September 3, 1808.	Lissa, Bohemia .....		
23.	1808.	Moradabad, Bengal, India .....		
24.	August 1810.	Moorefort, Tipperary, Ireland .....		3003
25.	November 23, 1810.	Charsonville, Dép. du Loiret, France .....		
26.	March 12, 1811.	Kuleschowka, Poltawa, Russia .....		
27.	July 8, 1811.	Berlanguillas, near Burgos, Spain .....		
28.	April 10, 1812.	Grenade, Toulouse, France .....		
29.	April 15, 1812.	Erxleben, between Magdeburg and Helmstadt, Prussia .....		
30.	August 5, 1812.	Chantonay, Vendée, France .....	1	2045
31.	September 10, 1813.	Adare, Limerick Co., Ireland .....		
32.	December 13, 1813.	Lontalax, Wiburg, Finland .....		
33.	September 5, 1814.	Agen, Dép. Lot et Garonne, France .....		
34.	February 18, 1815.	Durala, Territory of the Patyala Raja, India .....	29	
35.	October 3, 1815.	Chassigny, near Langres, France .....		
36.	April 10, 1818.	Zaborzika, Volhynia, Russia .....		
37.	June 1818.	Seres, Macedonia, Turkey .....		
38.	June 13, 1819.	Jonzac, Charente, France .....		
39.	October 13, 1819.	Politz, Gera .....		
40.	July 12, 1820.	Lixna, Dunaburg, Witebsk, Russia .....		
41.	June 15, 1821.	Juvenas, Ardèche, France .....	1	688
42.	November 30, 1822.	a. Futtehpore, Allahabad, India .....	5	3880
		b. Bittoor and Shalhpore, 75 miles N.W. of Allahabad .....		2112
43.	October 14, 1824.	Zebrak, near Horzowitz, Bohemia .....		
44.	February 10, 1825.	Nanjemoy, Maryland, U.S. ....		4483
45.	September 14, 1825.	Honolulu, Owhyhee, Sandwich Islands .....		
46.	May 19, 1826.	Jekaterinoslaw, Russia .....		2733
47.	February 16, 1827.	Mow, Ghazeepore, India .....		2359
48.	May 9, 1827.	Drake's Creek, Nashville, Tennessee, U.S. ....		
49.	June 4, 1828.	Richmond, Virginia, U.S. ....		
50.	May 8, 1829.	Forsyth, Georgia, U.S. ....		
51.	July 18, 1831.	Vouillé, near Poitiers, France .....		
52.	1832-3.	Umballa, India .....		
53.	June 12, 1834.	Charwallas, near Hissar, India .....		
54.	August 4, 1835.	Aldsworth, near Cirencester, Gloucestershire .....	1	2241
55.	April 18, 1838.	Akburpore, Saharanpore, India .....	3	6011
56.	June 6, 1838.	Chandakapoor, Berar, India, .....	1	1040
57.	October 13, 1838.	Cold Bokkeveldt, Cape of Good Hope .....	2	3718
58.	February 13, 1839.	Little Piney, Pulaski Co., Missouri, U.S. ....		
59.	July 17, 1840.	Cereseto, Casale, Piedmont .....		
60.	June 12, 1840.	Uden, North Brabant .....		
61.	March 22, 1841.	Grunberg, Heinrichsau, Prussian Silesia .....		
62.	June 12, 1841.	Château Renard, Dép. du Loiret, France .....	9	
63.	March 25, 1843.	Bishopville, S. Carolina, U.S. ....	1	1191
64.	June 2, 1843.	Utrecht, Holland .....		
65.	July 26, 1843.	Manegaon, Kandeish, India .....		
66.	April 29, 1844.	Killeter, County Tyrone, Ireland .....		
67.	May 8, 1846.	Macerata, Monte Milone, Ancona .....		
68.	Found 1846.	Assam, India .....	1	901
69.	February 25, 1847.	Linn Co., Iowa, U.S. ....	2	1474
70.	July 4, 1848.	Marmande, Dép. Lot et Garonne, France .....		

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71.	October 31, 1849.	Cabarras Co., N. Carolina, U.S.		
72.	December 27, 1848.	Schie, Dahlsplads, Aggerhuuslän, Norway		
73.	November 30, 1850.	Shalka, West Burdwan, India	6	3529
74.	April 17, 1851.	Gutersloh, Westphalia		1804
75.	November 5, 1851.	Nulles, Barcelona		
76.	January 23, 1852.	Nellore, Madras, India	30	
77.	September 4, 1852.	Mezo-Madaras, Transylvania	1	3062
78.	March 6, 1853.	Seegowlee, India		
79.	February 10, 1853.	Girgenti, Sicily		
80.	May 13, 1855.	Guarrenburg, Bremervörde, Hanover	1	5687
81.	May 13, 1855.	Island of Oesel, Baltic Sea		
82.	August 5, 1855.	Petersburg, Lincoln Co., Tennessee, U.S.		
83.	November 12, 1856.	Trenzano, Brescia, Lombardy		
84.	February 23, 1857.	Parnallee, Madras, India	130	
85.	April 1, 1857.	Heredia, San José, Costa Rica		
86.	April 15, 1857.	Kaba, near Debreczin, Hungary		
87.	October 1, 1857.	Commune des Ormes, France		
88.	December 27, 1857.	Pegu (Quenggouk), India	3	4280
89.	December 9, 1858.	a. Ausson, Montrejean, France		5250
		b. Clarac do do		1912
90.	February 2, 1860.	St. Julien, Alessandria, Piedmont		
91.	March 23, 1860.	Kheragur, Agra, India		
92.	May 1, 1860.	New Concord, Muskingum Co., Ohio, U.S.	17	3389
93.	July 14, 1860.	Dhurmsala, India	28	5250
94.	May 12, 1861.	a. Peprasse, India	5	
		b. Bullooh, do		2400
		c. Nimbhooah (40 miles from Goruckpore)		

## IRON AEROLITES.

1.	Fell May 26, 1751.	Agram (Hraschina), Croatia		4395
2.	Found	1751. Steinbach, Saxony		2011
3.	"	1763. Senegal, Africa		
4.	"	1776. Krasnojarsk, Siberia (the Pallas Iron)	7	794
5.	"	1784. a. Toluca, Mexico	3	3500
		b. Ixtlahuacca, Mexico	2	1913
		c. Ziquipilco, Mexico		
6.	"	1788. Tucuman, Otumpa, S. America	1400	
7.	"	1792. Zacatecas, Mexico	5	4705
8.	"	1801. Cape of Good Hope, Africa		
9.	"	1810. Rasgatá, New Granada		
10.	"	1810. Tocavita, Santa Rosa, New Granada		
11.	"	1811. Elbogen, Bohemia		
12.	"	1811. Durango, Mexico		6562
13.	"	1814. Bitburg, Eifel, Prussia	2	6124
14.	"	1814. Red River, Texas, U.S.	1	2625
15.	"	1615. Lenarto, Hungary	3	3213
16.	"	1816. Bahia (Bemdegó), Brazil	5	2658
17.	"	1818. Lockport, New York, U.S.	11	5125
18.	"	1819. Baffin's Bay, Greenland		
19.	"	1819. Burlington, Otsego Co., New York, U.S.		1775
20.	"	1820. Guildford Co., N. Carolina, U.S.		
21.	"	1822. Minsk, Brahin, Russia		
22.	"	1827. Atacama, Bolivia	22	
23.	"	1828. Caille, Dép. du Var, France		
24.	"	1834. Claiborne Co., Alabama, U.S.	49	
25.	Fell July 30, 1835.	Dickson Co., Tennessee, U.S.		
26.	Found	1835. Black Mountain, Buncombe Co., N. Carolina, U.S.		
27.	"	1836? Fish River, S. Africa		
28.	"	1839. Ashville, Buncombe Co., N. Carolina, U.S.		
29.	"	1839. Putnam Co., Georgia, U.S.		1745
30.	"	1840. a. Cocke Co., Tennessee, U.S.	60	
		b. Sivier Co., do	55	
31.	"	1840. Hemalga, Tarrapaca, Peru	2	5687
32.	"	1841. Newberry (Lexington), Ruff's Mtn., S. Carolina, U.S.		4269
33.	"	1842. Babb's Mill, Green Co., Tennessee, U.S.	4	4854
34.	"	1844. Arva (Szlancza), Hungary	14	
35.	"	1845. Otsego, New York, U.S.		
36.	"	1846. Jackson Co., Tennessee, U.S.		
37.	"	1846. Carthage, Smith Co., Tennessee, U.S.	54	
38.	"	1847. Seelaesgen, Brandenburg, Prussia	17	5250
39.	Fell July 14, 1847.	Braunau, Bohemia	1	2167
40.	Found	1847. Chesterville, S. Carolina, U.S.	4	4831
41.	"	1846. Tula, Russia	1	3323
42.	"	1846. Smithlands, Livingston Co., Kentucky, U.S.	5	4452
43.	"	1847. Murfreesboro', Rutherford Co., Tennessee, U.S.	6	1010
44.	"	1850. Schwetz, Prussia	2	2187
45.	"	1850. Salt River, Kentucky, U.S.		
46.	"	1850. Seneca River, Cayuga Co., New York, U.S.		
47.	"	1853. Lion River, Namaqualand, S. Africa		6014
48.	"	1854. Tucson, Sonora, Mexico		
49.	"	1854. Gyaquila, Sta. Rosas, New Mexico		

			grs.
50. Found	1854.	Madoc, Upper Canada.....	3170
51. "	1854.	Tazewell, Claiborne Co., Tennessee, U.S.....	5176
52. "	1854.	Union Co., Georgia, U.S. ....	
53. "	1854.	Orange River, S. Africa .....	3500
54. "	1854.	Sarepta, Kirghese Steppes, Siberia .....	3706
55. "	1856-60.	Nelson Co., Kentucky, U.S. ....	
56. "	"	Jewel Hill, Madison Co., N. Carolina, U.S. ....	
57. "	"	Marshall Co., Kentucky, U.S.....	
58. "	"	Nebraska Territory, Missouri, U.S.....	
59. "	"	Robertson Co., Tennessee, U.S. ....	
60. "	"	Lagrange, Oldham Co., Kentucky, U.S. ....	
61. "	" ?	Leadhills, Scotland .....	
62. "	" ?	Mezöväsarkely, Transylvania .....	
63. "	" ?	Kamtschatka .....	
64. "	" ?	S. Africa .....	

No. 44.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Whereas it has been reported to this Government that among the *Pirate* Junks infesting this neighbourhood and the Formosa Channel certain lawless Persons, English and American, are employed, it is hereby notified that

A REWARD OF ONE THOUSAND DOLLARS

will be paid for such information as shall lead to the conviction, on trial before the Supreme Court of this Colony, of any such Person so associating with Pirates.

Information will be received by the Senior Naval Officer, H. M. S. *Princess Charlotte* in harbour, or the Captain Superintendent of Police on shore, and every *protection* will be given to Informants.

By Order,

W. H. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 8th April, 1863.

No. 47.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

Notice is hereby given, that all Purchasers of Land for which Leases have not been issued are requested to attend at the Surveyor General's Office within 10 Days from the present date, to execute the Deeds now awaiting Signature.

By Order,

W. H. ALEXANDER,  
Acting Colonial Secretary.

Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 11th April, 1863.

WEATHER TABLES FOR THE PAST WEEK.

REGISTER AT HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE, QUEEN'S ROAD.

1863.	6 A.M.		NOON.		6 P.M.	
	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Barometer.	Thermometer.
April 11,	30.05	74	30.00	77	29.97	78
" 12,	30.06	77	30.04	77	30.00	78
" 13,	30.07	76	30.00	74	30.03	73
" 14,	30.14	74	30.12	71	30.10	70
" 15,	30.14	72	30.06	74	30.05	74
" 16,	30.05	74	30.08	76	30.04	75
" 17,	30.03	76	30.14	75	30.10	75

REGISTER AT BLOCK HOUSE, VICTORIA PEAK.

Height above Sea Level 1,770 feet.

DATE.	BAROMETER.					HYDROMETER.						THERMOMETER. Self Registering	WINDS.						REMARKS AS TO WEATHER.	
						DRY BULB.			WET BULB.				Force, ranges from 0 to 12.							
												Min. Max.		6 A.M.		NOON		6 P.M.		
	6 A.M.	9 A.M.	NOON.	3 P.M.	6 P.M.	6 A.M.	NOON.	6 P.M.	6 A.M.	NOON.	6 P.M.	6 A.M.	3 P.M.	Dirn.	F.	Dirn.	F.	Dirn.		F.
1863.																				
April 11	28.18	28.22	28.19	28.13	28.10	68.30	72.15	70.00	68.05	71.05	69.05	67.30	72.50	SWBS	3	SSE	1	SBW	2	Fog, wet dew; afternoon fine; fog at intervals.
" 12	28.15	28.19	28.18	28.11	28.10	70.30	72.05	72.00	70.00	71.05	70.00	68.50	73.50	S	2	SE	4	SE	4	Fog, wet dew; afternoon fine.
" 13	28.14	28.19	28.17	28.16	28.15	69.30	71.30	71.50	69.15	71.00	69.50	68.00	72.30	SSE	3	SEBE	4	ESE	3	Fog, drizzle; afternoon fine.
" 14	28.20	28.26	28.23	28.20	28.19	67.00	68.00	67.00	66.50	67.45	66.30	66.30	69.00	SEBE	5	ESE	6	SSE	5	6 A.M., fog, rain; noon, fog, wet dew.
" 15	28.21	28.25	28.24	28.21	28.19	65.30	69.50	69.30	65.00	68.30	68.00	65.00	71.00	ESE	4	SE	3	SSE	2	Fog, wet dew; afternoon fine.
" 16	28.21	28.27	28.25	28.20	28.19	69.00	74.50	71.30	67.15	71.30	68.00	67.00	76.00	—	0	SEBS	1	SSW	2	Very fine.
" 17	28.21	28.28	28.27	28.24	28.20	69.00	69.30	70.00	68.00	68.50	68.50	68.00	72.15	ESE	3	EBS	4	ESE	4	Slight fog, fine.