

APPENDIX 3

REASSESSING THE QUEENSLAND MUSEUM ETHNOLOGICAL CONTROL REGISTER (1897-1898)

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The process of tracking the Official collection through museum registers has revealed that two registers made subsequent to the primary record in the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* (Queensland Museum c.1889-1910) contain serious errors that have misled subsequent museum practices and caused difficulties with identification of material that correctly belongs to the Official collection. The aim of this Appendix is to identify mistakes made in the past so that they can be rectified. The first misleading document is the *Ethnological Control Register* (Queensland Museum 1897-1898) (hereafter *Ethnological Control Register*), a document designed to record the duplicates selected and shared between the Queensland Museum (QM), Australian Museum (AM), National Museum of Victoria (NMV) (now part of Museums Victoria (MV)) and British Museum (BM) in 1897. A second problematic document is the *MacGregor Register* (Queensland Museum 1915-2001) (hereafter *MacGregor Register*), a catalogue introduced in 1915 to record what remained of the Official collection in the Queensland Museum. As discussed at length in Davies (2022), both registers contain numerous errors. The *Ethnological Control Register* has created misunderstandings about what material was selected and distributed as duplicates in 1897, while the *MacGregor Register* is an inaccurate record account of what actually comprises Official collection material in the Queensland Museum (see Davies & Quinnell 2022, Appendix 4). The ten tables presented in this Appendix are designed to help future collection management better understand the errors made so that they can be corrected in the future.

The *Ethnological Control Register* details the range of artefact types intended to be selected as duplicates in 1897 in order to be forwarded to the AM, NMV and BM (see Torrence & Davies 2022). A further selection of objects made in 1898 was never distributed (see Davies 2022). Five different sorts of information are recorded in the register: registration number (e.g., 8700); control number (e.g., 'cn645'); object type; museum (assigned) and locality. Our analysis of the data relating to the duplicate selection shows that the *Ethnological Control Register* is not an entirely reliable record of the objects forwarded to the various museums in 1897 and that the selection of arrows was particularly likely to have been in error. The localities recorded in the *Ethnological Control Register* are also unreliable. The multiple recording errors were compounded by objects with duplicated registration numbers. While duplicated registration numbers had been noted when compiling the Master list of the Official collection (see Davies et al. 2022, Appendix 2, Table 2), there appears to be a disproportionate number of duplicated registration numbers and recording errors in the BM arrow selection when compared to holdings in the AM, NMV and QM. Further research is required to establish whether the discrepancies noted in relation to the BM's arrow holdings represent duplicated registration numbers or mis-readings of registration numbers.

The results of our investigations are detailed in Appendix 3, Tables 1-10. These data highlight the various difficulties we encountered in trying to determine where objects that

originally entered the QM as part of the Official collection ended up. Aside from the multiple recording errors which are evident in the *Ethnological Control Register*, lists of duplicates supplied to the AM, NMV and BM in 1897 were not entirely accurate (see Figure 1, Torrence & Davies 2022). A similar pattern of errors populates the separate lists of arrows with known localities that were supplied to the museums (hereafter referred to as either AM, NMV or BM Arrow list (1897) (see de Vis 1897a; de Vis 1897b; de Vis 1897c). One of the biggest problems we faced was that when the AM or NMV registered their share of the duplicate selection, they failed to record the QM registration numbers in their respective collection registers. Tags and labelling were also removed. Since between 1900 and 1930 both institutions sold and/or exchanged some of the objects (especially arrows), we are unable to confirm exactly what items they received in the first place because we were unable to sight the QM registration number. Since the BM has not fully completed registration of the collections which they received in 1897, many of the arrows are still unaccounted for (only 33 out of 557 arrows assigned to the BM have been accessioned to date). It is therefore difficult to provide an accurate summary of the registration history for that collection.

A breakdown of the control numbers assigned to each institution is detailed in Appendix 3, Table 1. Attempts to reconcile the *Ethnological Control Register* with what is extant in the various museum collections has revealed that the *Ethnological Control Register* contains multiple recording errors. Appendix 3, Table 2 provides a brief summary of the categories assigned to objects designated as duplicates and highlights some of the typical errors. A common mistake was the allocation of the same object to more than one museum (double or triple assigning). There are even instances where objects were assigned twice to the same institution. Registration numbers were also frequently misread and consequently the wrong number was recorded in the *Ethnological Control Register*. Samples of twine were difficult to square against the *Ethnological Control Register* because these had been cut up into various numbers of segments, prior to distribution (Appendix 3, Table 3; see Figure 3, Torrence & Davies 2022).

Careful cross-checking of registration numbers recorded for the duplicate selection against corresponding entries in the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* shows that approximately 419 objects in the *Ethnological Control Register* did not enter the QM as part of the Official collection, but belong to different acquisitions. These artefacts should never have been selected in 1897, let alone distributed. Appendix 3, Table 4 lists 35 non-Official collection objects (excluding arrows) selected in error as duplicates in 1897. The listing shows that the vast majority originate from the Hartmann collection which the QM purchased on 16 March 1897 (Purchase 146). Hartmann's collection may have easily been mistaken for Official collection material because the manner in which registration numbers were applied (e.g., black ink) were indistinguishable from the MacGregor consignment (Transfer 60) that was accessioned around the same time. Since Purchase 146 is clearly marked in the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* it would appear that it was not referred to when duplicates were chosen. It is worth noting in this context that the Hartmann collection, although received a couple of weeks after Transfer 60 (1 March 1897), was registered before it.

Multiple errors occurred with the arrow selection. Appendix 3, Tables 5-8 list the non-Official collection arrows wrongly assigned to the QM, BM, AM and NMV during the 1897 duplicate selection. Since some of the arrows are currently noted as MacGregor duplicates [i.e., Official collection] in QM, AM, MV and BM records, we felt that it was important to

provide a comprehensive listing so that they do not continue to be considered as belonging to the Official collection and therefore associated with MacGregor and that the actual source of these artefacts can be noted, if known.

Appendix 3, Tables 5-8 reveal that about 384 arrows that were not part of the Official collection were selected and distributed in 1897. These largely belong to a group of arrows registered between 13476 and 14185 in the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* which appear to have been mistaken as belonging to a MacGregor consignment allocated Transfer 52 (see Davies 2022). Investigations suggest that arrows within the range 13476-14185 are derived from at least five collections that the QM received between 1885 and 1889 (see Appendix 3, Table 9). By tracking the collections through the earlier museum register, *General Catalogue* (Queensland Museum c.1883-1893) and the later *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)*, we have been able to establish that the majority of arrows from these collections were not registered at the time of their receipt. In many cases, the first record of their registration is in 1894, although some had arrived as early as 1880. We also checked what object types were accessioned into the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* prior to the arrival of the first MacGregor consignment of ethnology in 1892 and as Appendix 3, Table 10 reveals, arrows were not amongst this group of objects.

Appendix 3, Table 10 demonstrates that in August 1894 at least 621 arrows from several collections awaited re-registration (or registration for the first time). It is difficult to determine an exact figure as the precise number of arrows contained within bundles is not known and detailed contents of other collections do not appear to exist. Existing data suggests that approximately 621 arrows from the approximately 708 arrows acquired prior to the MacGregor consignments may fall within the 13476-14185 range of the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)*. This leaves around 80 or so arrows within the 13476-14185 range which may or may not be associated with MacGregor consignments. Additional research is required to establish the status of this group of arrows.

Abbreviations and Notes:

Ethnology Register (New Guinea) (Queensland Museum c.1889-1910) is abbreviated as ‘*ER NG Register*’.

‘ER’ prefix (e.g., ER8700) or abbreviation refers to the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* registration numbers. This prefix reflects current Queensland Museum collection management practice and does not appear on objects.

Indicates that the control number (cn) was duplicated in the 1897. Approximately 80 control numbers assigned to the British Museum in the *Ethnological Control Register* were duplicated (see cn3013-3102).

AM Arrow list (1897). Refers to a list of arrows with known localities supplied to the AM (29 July 1897); See de Vis 1897a.

NMV Arrow list (1897); Refers to a list of arrows with known localities supplied to the National Museum of Victoria (5 August 1897); See de Vis 1897b. The collection of duplicates sent to the NMV in 1897 is now held in Museums Victoria.

BM Arrow list (1897); Refers to a list of arrows with known localities supplied to the British Museum (9 September 1897); See de Vis 1897c.

AM Register. This refers to the Ethnology Register (Australian Museum 1886-ongoing).

NMV (MV) Register. This refers to the Ethnology Register (Museums Victoria) in which Official collection items assigned to the NMV in 1897 were registered. The collection of duplicates moved through several collecting institutions in Melbourne between 1897 and 1899: NMV, Public Library of Victoria and the Industrial and Technological Museum. In 1899, the collection was back in the NMV following the museum’s relocation from the University of Melbourne to Swanston Street, Melbourne. Registration of the duplicate collection occurred around this time (1899) (see Torrence et al. 2020). The collection of duplicates is now held in Museums Victoria.

NF – Not Found (currently not accounted for).

Table 1. Summary of the 1897 duplicate selection by Control numbers (Source: *Ethnological Control Register 1897-1898*).

Control numbers –cn1-1635	Museum	Selection date	Remarks
cn1-1584	QM	1897	Some control numbers crossed through in register. For example, cn678-705 - sword clubs-were unselected. In addition, cn1566-1584 (samples of twine) are later annotated in the register reads “Entered in error these should be Australian Museum. See C Nos 6809-6835”. However, a similar annotation appears against cn6809-6835 suggesting that they are in the QM. The confusion appears to have arisen because the samples of twine were cut up prior to distribution in 1897 (see Appendix 3, Table 3 below)
cn1586-1635	QM	6 January 1898	cn1585 not allocated
<i>Control numbers cn1637-2937 were not allocated</i>			
cn2938-3635	BM	1897	80 control numbers duplicated (cn3013-3102) with the error starting at cn3103 which was entered as 3013 instead of 3103. Cn3443-3437 – sword clubs; are crossed through in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> . Cn3499-3511 (disc clubs) are crossed through in the register and annotated

			“Entered in error should be Queensland Museum”-refers to control nos. 810- 882”. Control numbers cn3615-3619 – crossed through and are re-entered on next page but assigned to a different group of objects.
cn3636-3647	BM	14 January 1898	Cn3636 (Net), (reg. no. 18940; Transfer 68) assigned. Cn3637-3647 written in but no registration numbers or objects type entered.
<i>Control numbers cn3647-5873 were not allocated</i>			
cn5874-6835	AM	1897	cn6432-6446 (sword clubs) crossed through in register. Cn6517 crossed through in register. Later Annotation against cn6809-6835 suggests that the twine samples had been entered in error and should be in the QM. The confusion appears to have arisen because the samples of twine were cut up prior to distribution in 1897 (see Appendix 3, Table 3 below)
cn6836-6853	AM	14 January 1898	Selection of objects from Transfer 68. Later pencil annotations in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> suggest that these objects were never sent to AM.
<i>Control numbers cn6854-8811 were not allocated</i>			
cn8812-9640	Victoria n Museum	1897	Objects selected for the National Museum of Victoria (NMV) in 1897 were recorded as for the ‘Victorian Museum’ in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> . Cn9353-9364 (sword clubs) crossed through in register. Cn9504 crossed through in around 1915-1919. Cn9568-9582 (headdresses) crossed through in register with annotation they were entered in error and should be in the Australian Museum. cn9609 later annotated “scratched out in Reg” [Ethnology Register]. Cn9614-9618 (arrow points); annotation c.1915-1919 – “Scratched out in Reg: appear nevertheless to have been sent”.
Cn9641-9645	Victoria n Museum	14 January 1898	Later annotations against this group of objects suggest that they were never sent.

Table 2. Categories used in *Ethnological Control Register* in 1897.

DUPLICATES – Categories used in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> – (except for “Bow String” which appears only in <i>ER NG Register</i>)
2 Armlets – category only associated with QM selection and includes 8 items.
2 Bracelets – 6 items (pairs; some of which appear in ‘Bracelet’ category); includes 1 ear ornament (12670 which is described as tortoiseshell incised and from NE Coast; this assigned to AM but NF (not found))
Adze – c.139 items; some items not found (NF). Occasionally adze parts have been split across 2 collections (e.g., ER12014). There are some errors in the recording of the ER number in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> (e.g., ER 9644 is a lime spatula not an adze). It should be noted that by the time the adzes reached the NMV many of the hafts had become separated from their blades. This made it very difficult to match the relevant parts.
Adze curved- 3 items: 8700, 8851 and 9037- assigned to QM but now in BM. 8700 appears to have been separated by the time it got registered in BM.
Armlet – 31 items across QM, BM, AM and NMV; mostly Ok except for a couple NF
Armlet/Bracelet – 3 items
Arrows (see 3.5-8 below for arrows associated with other QM acquisitions and selected in error in 1897)
Axe Blades – 133 items. There are a few errors, such as ER number incorrectly recorded in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> or a particular ER number was assigned twice (i.e., to different museums). Of those assigned twice, some remained in QM and were later given MAC numbers. Sometimes an error in recording the ER number occurred (e.g., 15799 assigned but 15789 sent). In some instances, no ER numbers have been found on blades. Some of the axe blades not matched could be among missing ones from QM collection.
Axe Mounts – 36 items. One axe mount (12041) was assigned in pencil ‘AM’ in <i>ER NG Register</i> but was never allocated a Control number. It remained in QM and is now in PNGNMAG.
Axe Mount and Blade – 8 items; category applies to QM and AM only. There is a problem with 12042 (it was assigned to AM and QM); see MAC5649 (blade) and E6482 (twisting sleeve) in AM. However, AM register entry for E6482 suggests that 12042 arrived with a blade but no handle (thus, there could be another blade numbered 12042 in AM). E6482 is definitely the twisting sleeve 12042. Likely that blade 12042 remained in QM in 1897 and that twisting sleeve 12042 was sent to AM.
Bamboo Knife as C.N. 1479 –1 bamboo knife (15359) selected for BM. C.N. 1479 = control number 1479 (QM selection; see 15205/MAC2063). A rough sketch of this knife (15205/cn1479) appears in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> , p. 40 (cn1476).
Bamboo Knife – 7 knives selected from a bundle of 14 Bamboo knives under 15222; distributed among QM, AM & NMV. That sent to NMV = X423. Looks like QM may have retained more than it should have and that possibly AM received 1 not 2 knives (NF yet). BM received a bamboo knife from 15359 (see above)
Bark Bag – 1 item (a cap) category assigned to QM only
Bass Cape- 3 selected for distribution among QM, AM and BM but there was a problem in recording the ER numbers. AM was assigned 1 Bass Cape (15210) but was sent 15213 instead. 15209 was intended for BM but remained in QM (MAC6293). Although “1 Bass Cape” appears on 1897 list of items sent to BM it has not been ‘ticked’ off as other items have been on that list.
Battle Charm- 4 items, assigned to QM only. There is a problem with the MAC numbers associated with Battle Charm 16276
Betel Mortar – 1 item (15372) assigned to QM only

Bird Arrow - 2 items; assigned to QM and AM only
Bone Dagger – 2 items; assigned to QM only
Bows : these are described in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> as “Bow”, “Bow bamboo plain”, “Bow palmwood”; there are 3 arrows (13286, 15125 and 15183) which belong to bows within this group.
Bow String – 3 items selected from 11121 (a group of 5 bow strings); these do not appear in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> but an annotation in <i>ER NG Register</i> suggests that 3 were selected for distribution in 1897 (presumably for AM, BM and NMV). However, no bow strings appear on the various lists of objects sent. Seems likely that they were never sent.
Bracelet - approximately 66 items. Some NF. A number of <i>ear ornaments</i> are included within this category, described as ‘bracelet’. A number of problems remain in this category.
Breast Ornament -10 items assigned; One error: 15809 is a bowl not a breast ornament; likely that there was another breast ornament intended as a duplicate (likely to be a Melo shell ornament or boar tusk type). None assigned to NMV.
Bundle of 4 Spear points – 4 assigned to QM only from 15309
Cap – 2 assigned to QM only
Ceremonial Axe – 11927 assigned to AM but appears to be on AM E.6480 and MAC5958. 11927 is described as a ceremonial axe in <i>ER NG Register</i> . Blade in E6480 in AM and haft is MAC5958 in PNGM.
Cloth Boards – 3 items; assigned BM and QM only
Clubs – see Disc Clubs and Mulberry-headed Clubs
Coconut Lime Gourd – 3 items; assigned to QM only. One error: 12731 is a bag not a gourd; likely that 12731 should have been 12791 (which is a gourd)
Coconut spoon – 2 items; assigned to QM only
Coconut bowl – 1 item; assigned QM only
Coix seed belt – 6 assigned to AM only
Comb – 4 assigned to QM only
Cone Section – 1 item; assigned to QM only; it is a pendant MAC2154
Dilly Bags -15 selected (QM, BM, AM and NMV). 15245 assigned but is a Frontlet not a bag. An extra Cloudy Bay bag appears to be in MV (possibly the Cloudy Bay bag intended for BM – 13020- which has not been located as yet in BM
Disc Clubs - 161 selected. Problems include: Object type conflict (an ear ornament 16054 was selected as a disc club); 15467 – number does not exist in <i>ER NG Register</i> (possible that there may be a missing club with a similar number); some NF; recording errors (incorrect ER numbers and /or locality); some not sent. There appear to be 3 clubs with duplicated ER numbers: 12268, 14915 and 14964. However, 14964 in BM (Oc,MCG.88) has “Ope R” label rather than “Ope N.E.C.” (latter matches ER entry for 14964)
Drill – 1 (15825) assigned to QM but has not been found
Drums – 30 drums selected (none assigned to BM). There are some errors (e.g., 1 sword club 9062 assigned as a drum); two drums (MAC3677 and E7082) have same ER number (12412). Drums with different ER numbers were sent to AM instead of those allocated in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> .
Earrings – described as “Earrings”, Ear-ring” and “Earring Bone” in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> . Those described as ‘Earrings’ are part of ‘pairs’. One object type error in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> : 14329 is an adze not an earring. Looks like 13000 assigned to AM could be among armlets/bracelets in AM Register or were never sent. These earrings (13000) are very small and distinctive (see 12995 in BM for type) and it would be

surprising if they had been entered as Armllets in AM Register. There are a few earrings missing from the QM duplicates selection.
Earring Bone – 1 item; 10160 Assigned to QM only
Fighting Club – 1 item; 15123 assigned to QM only
Fire Stick – 1 item – 10183 assigned to QM only
Fire Tongs – 2 items – assigned to QM only
Fish Trap – 2 items, one to AM (15865) and one to QM; appears that 15865 was not sent
Fishing line & Reel – 1 item, assigned to QM only
Fishing Net – 10 items; 13324 assigned BM not found as yet (see MAC4956 for possible type)
Float – 6 items; 10898 assigned to BM not found yet but has been ticked on BM 1897 list of Duplicates Sent to BM. Should be in BM unless different ER number sent. If in BM it will look like E6363 in AM
Food Bowls – There appears to have been a problem with recording the food bowls. For instance, Food Bowl (cn948/11748) does not match <i>ER NG Register</i> (11748 is an adze blade not a food bowl; correct number is probably 11784, which is a food bowl). None of the 10 food bowls sent to the NMV appear in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> . Appears that 11847 sent to AM instead of 11841. It is likely that some of the missing QM duplicate food bowls ended up in NMV. BM was assigned none. Possible duplicated ER number: 9744 (see E7089 and MAC5213-missing since 1974)
Frontlet – 3 items (2 assigned to QM and 1 to BM).
Fusifformed flat piece of white wood – 1 item; assigned to QM only
Gauntlet – 25 items; some problems; for example: 8970 assigned AM but remained in QM (MAC6272); 8969 sent to AM instead of NMV (possibly as replacement for 8970)
Hammer – 1 item; 9691 assigned to QM only [equates to ‘Pounders’ assigned to BM, AM and NMV?]
Headdresses -72 items; a few problems, including 2 canoe prow ornaments (10699 and 14223) assigned as headdresses (14223 is probably meant to be 14221 which is a headdress); one cuscus skin head ornament does not appear to have been sent to NMV; NMV received an extra bird-of-paradise headdress. Two hair-whips (10711.1 and 10712.1) appear in this category rather than with the rest of the hair-whips
Hornbill Skull – 3 items; QM received 2; AM = 1
Kangaroo net – 1 item, assigned to QM only
Knife [sic] – 1 assigned to QM only (note that this is a different type of knife to the ‘Bamboo knives’ above)
Landing Net – 5 items; assigned to QM, AM and NMV. Error with ER number (9365-human hair tassel assigned in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> is likely 9345- Landing net)
Lime Gourd - 14 items; none assigned to BM
Lime Spoon – 31 items assigned; 2 object type conflicts (1 netting needle 10158 and 1 mat waistband 14241 assigned in error as lime spoons)
Lump of Obsidian – 2 items; both assigned to QM only
Mancatcher – 1 item; assigned to QM only
Mount for last [Sago Adze] – 1 item, possible error
Mulberry-headed Club – 47 items. Two object type errors- 12362 (limespoon not a club but likely that 12302 is the correct number); 14197 is a paddle not a club. There are some problems with NMV selection – they seem to have been sent 3 Mambare clubs not 4 and an extra Cloudy Bay club. There are no missing Cloudy Bay clubs. Likely that X540 in NMV (MV) is a duplicated 12214 which was notched and from Inland Cloudy Bay.

Necklace – 222 items assigned; not possible to reconcile all as many of the necklaces have lost their ER numbers and some different ER numbers appear to have been sent. There are at least 3 object type errors in the selection (9413.1-2 are earrings; and 14530 is a Battle Charm).
Net – 6 items, 8859 not sent to NMV?; 8854 sent instead?
Netting Needles – 5 items; BM assigned none
Paddles – 12 items; includes 1 spear 13364 assigned as a paddle; all paddles were assigned to QM only
Pair of Armlets – 7 pairs assigned to QM, AM and NMV
Pair of Bracelets – 1 pair assigned to NMV (9371); 9371 is described as a <i>cone-shell armlet</i> in <i>ER NG Register</i> and the entry suggests that it was one armlet, not a pair. 9371 cannot be located in MV and does not appear to match anything in NMV (MV Register).
Pair of Coconut Gourds tied together with cane – 1 assigned to QM
Pair of Coconut Gourds tied together with plaited bark – 1 pair (15282) assigned to NMV; Looks like this pair was separated at time of duplicate selection. X549 thought to be 15280 but is likely 15282. Furthermore, 15280 (MAC3323) had crab claws attached which X549 does not match
Piece of Bamboo – 2 assigned to QM [sheaths]
Piece of wood before preparation for netting needle - 1 assigned to QM only
Pig catcher – 3 assigned (QM, AM and BM)
Plaited Baskets – 30 items; some issues; object type conflicts. See 8754 (skirt – selected for QM as a plaited basket); 12963, a breast ornament entered in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> as a Plaited Basket (this is likely 12903 which is a Plaited Basket). Koriki bag (12726 was assigned to AM but this number is found on MAC1365) and yet there is a Koriki bag in AM E.6365 which has no ER number. There are no Koriki bags missing from the Master File. MAC1365 is 12726 in MacGregor Register but is not a plaited basket. E6365 in AM is likely to be 12726.
Plaited Belts – 61 items; it has not been possible to completely sort this category as many of the belts in AM, MV and BM lack ER numbers.
Pot Rest – 2 (assigned to QM and AM)
Pounder – 3 Assigned to BM, AM and Victoria
Prawn Net – 1 Assigned to AM (but <i>see also Shrimp Net</i>)
Pronged Tube – 5 items
Pronged Tube as C.N 1476 – 1 item; assigned to NMV (this is basically the same item as the “Pronged Tube” above). C.N. 1476= Control no.1476
Rasp -1 assigned to QM only
Rattle Pot – 2 assigned to QM only
Rattle - 3 assigned (BM did not receive an example); 8840 assigned to QM is still missing.
Sago Adze – 6 assigned;11951 was later separated in BM and is registered under two different registration numbers. There is also a problem with 11950 -it appears to have been split before sending and thus mount is now in MV (X473) and blade is in PNGNMAG. However, NMV (MV Register) entry for X473 suggests it was a complete object.
Sago Adze Iron Blade – 1 assigned to QM only
Sago Beater – 2 assigned to QM only
Sample of Fibre – 10 assigned in total. 5 Samples of Fibre assigned to AM seem have remained in QM although 2 samples were definitely sent to AM in 1897 (see E6337 and E6338 in AM). These could be 10646 (a coil of raw fibre) which seems to match E6338 (10646 is likely the incorrect 10446-Nautilus Shell entry in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>) and 10098 (a skein of raw fibre) (10098 is probably the incorrect 10698-drum entered as

fibre in the *Ethnological Control Register*). Alternatively, E6337-8 in AM could be those fibre samples assigned to BM. While the 1897 list of items sent to BM indicates that 2 samples were sent (10647 and 10730 were assigned) it should be noted that they are not ticked on the list (they appear at the bottom of the list and underneath the rest of items sent so it could be an oversight). So, it is also possible that 10647 and 10730 may have ended up in AM. One sample assigned to NMV seems to be there (see X397).

Samples of Twine – Samples of twine were selected as duplicates in 1897. Some samples (e.g., see range 12926-12938) were deliberately cut up prior to distribution. The selection of ‘Black plait skein’ within the range 13102-13118 appears to have become slightly muddled with some museums being allocated particular examples in the *Ethnological Control Register* but sent different ER numbers. It is unclear if some of these samples were cut for distribution.

Shark Hook – 4- assigned to QM only.

Shell Trumpet – 1 – assigned to QM only.

Shield – 12 assigned- all accounted for although 10738 (now E63374 in AM) is likely to be E7059 previously noted as missing in AM Register (locality and type match; looks like it was found with no prev. AM registration and inadvertently re-registered E63374).

Short Spear – 1 – assigned QM only.

Shrimp Net – 1 assigned to QM (see also *Prawn Net* above).

Sling – 6 – assigned to QM, AM and NMV; 1 selected from 9442, the rest from 14513 which was supposed to be a bundle of 6 slings (there seems to be an extra sling under 14513)

Sling Stone /Slingstone – 23 assigned; some errors (14419 are Earrings not Sling stone; 14562 assigned but is a Pig-catcher; likely 14562=14462 in *Ethnological Control Register*); 14881 assigned to QM and AM but remained in QM and 14480 sent to AM instead. Six (6) assigned to NMV but one was not sent (which matches 5 reported by Walcott 1898). None assigned to BM.

Sword – 1 (14199) – assigned NMV but not sent [Sword = Sword Club]

Sword Clubs – 70 assigned but about 50 crossed through in *Ethnological Control Register* (some of those crossed out were later re-assigned and sent). There was obviously some confusion surrounding the selection which included some non-MAC sword clubs as well.

Tappa Cloth Mallet – 3 – Assigned to QM, AM and NMV. None assigned to BM.

Tobacco Pipe – 4 assigned; to AM and NMV only. Pipe 15375 was split (the pipe is E7101 in AM while the bowl remained in QM (now MAC635).

Tobacco tube – 3 assigned to QM only. These are MAC2188.1-3.

Whip like rods of human hair bound with bark – 19 [21?] assigned – QM, BM, AM and NMV. There are a number of issues with the hair whips generally (not just with those assigned as duplicates). Note an additional 2 hair whips were assigned under headdresses = 21 Whip-like rods assigned. One hair-whip (18699) was assigned to BM as an arrow in the *Ethnological Control Register*. Unfortunately, the error was carried over to the *ER NG Register* where the control number (cn3122) was entered against 18699 as being assigned to BM. This is incorrect as 3 different hair-whips were assigned to the BM (18709; 18712 and 18694).

Woman’s Dress- 47 items; this category includes grass skirts, belts and mourning jackets. BM only assigned one object within this category – grass skirt (13155) which was also assigned to AM (possibly either E6322 or E6380). More than likely 13155 ended up in AM as that collection was sent before BM’s collection. Furthermore, although assigned 13155 under “Woman’s Dress” this category does not appear on 1897 BM list of objects sent. 12762d (belt) assigned under “Woman’s Dress” to NMV actually ended up in BM. The

inclusion of belts in the Woman’s Dress category has made it difficult to sort out the belts generally (see Plaited Belts category). For example, 12762d may be on BM list of Objects sent as “Plaited Belts”. Aside from the problem of lumping of belts, grass skirts and mourning jackets under “Woman’s Dress” category, there appear to be too many Toora skirts in the AM Register.

Table 3. Samples of twine.

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9085 (E6336, MAC1890, X394) – definitely cut up into 3 pieces (possibly 4) (BM example not found as yet).
9086 – <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> shows that 9086 was likely intended for distribution (see QM selection-cn1574=9086b). However, 9086 does not appear to have been assigned to another museum (AM, BM, NMV). Looks like 9086 was cut into two pieces and remained in QM. MAC2186 in the <i>MacGregor Register</i> = 9086a; MAC1866 is 9086 in <i>MacGregor Register</i> [9086b]. MAC1866 in QM appears to have cut marks.
9457 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> ; is likely to be X392 in MV (red ink annotation in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> that 9457 = ‘1857’ [MAC1857] is incorrect because MAC1857 in <i>MacGregor Register</i> =9459 not 9457
10552- object type conflict- Bark cloth dyed in pattern twice Holnicote Bay; this was assigned to AM (cn6821) and in <i>ER NG Register</i> (pencil ‘AM’). Likely incorrect ER number entered in 1897
12926 twine was cut into 3 pieces (a,b,c). 12926a-b seem to have remained in QM. MAC1873=12926 [12926a]; likely that AM did not receive that sample allocated (12926b) as MAC6086=12926b. The third example (12926c) was allocated to BM (NF).
12927: cut and divided into 3 pieces. MAC1884 is very fine twine. Best match in AM is E6347 which is very fine and which has end cut. All three examples seem to be accounted for
12928 – <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> entry for cn1569 suggests that 12928 was intended for distribution but it doesn’t appear on either AM, BM or NMV <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> allocations. MAC1872 (12928) in QM looks to be uncut as it is still in ball shape
12929: Likely cut into 3 pieces in 1897; MAC1888= 12929 [12929a?]; MAC2312=12929c; looks like AM never received 12929c. BM [12929b] not found yet
12931: Appears that 12931 was cut into 2 pieces in 1897. MAC1882 (12931 in <i>MacGregor Register</i>) is a ball of fibre which at first glance appears to be complete. However, there is also MAC6088=12931B (12931b was assigned to AM under cn6815). MAC6088 is clearly a length/section of fibre (now in a round coil shape) so it looks like AM never received 12931b. One end of MAC6088 shows signs of having been cut.
12932: cut up into 4 pieces in 1897. MAC1847 (12932 in <i>MacGregor Register</i> ; missing since 1974). BM=12932d (Oc,MCG.170); AM= 12932a (NF) and MV (NF). Metal tag attached to Oc,MCG.170 – ‘12932d’ shows that some of the metal tags were applied during duplicate selection
12933: Possibly cut into either 2 or 3 pieces in 1897. 12933A=M6084 (12933a was assigned to AM). Also, MAC1874=12933. Both now in PNGNMAG. Possible that one example could be in BM (BM was assigned 12933b) but it has not been found. Think both remained in QM in 1897.

12934: cut up into either 2 or 3 pieces in 1897. MAC6085 = 12934B and MAC1875 =12934 (probably 12934a). Possibly 12934c is in BM but not yet found? Or 12934 only cut up into 2 pieces?
12938: Possibly cut into either 2 or 3 pieces in 1897. Note that 12938 does not appear in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> allocation for QM but MAC1885 = 12938. MAC1885 ends are possibly cut.
Black plait skein: AM assigned 13104, 13107, 13116 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> but 13102, 13105 and 13114 (pencil “AM” annotation) in <i>ER NG Register</i> . 13104 (cn6823) assigned to AM but 13104=MAC6083 in PNGNMAG. Possible that 13102 could have been sent instead of 13104. MAC6083 is in PNGNMAG. Note that 13102 was assigned to QM but has no MAC number so is likely to be missing. 13107 assigned in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> to AM but seems to be MAC6081 (does not appear to have been cut). 13116 assigned to AM but is MAC6089 in QM.
Black plait skein continued: 13102-13118. So far 13102, 13114 and 13115 are not accounted for (note it is unclear if 13115 actually existed as 13115 was a missed entry in <i>ER NG Register</i>). More than likely 13102, 13114 and 13115 were sent to AM instead of 13104, 13107 and 13116. See E6331-2; E6335 (which is 8 samples) in AM. These are likely part of 13102-13118 range. E6335 in AM is a group of 8 black plait fibre samples. However, there is no mention that the Hank of black cord registered under E6335 comprised 8 samples when received in AM (see AM Register entry for E6335). This suggests that the hank of fibre E6335 underwent cutting up into 8 pieces in the AM after its receipt and the samples were wound around wooden rods/blocks. Perhaps this was done for display purposes? However, it should be noted that these samples comprise a great deal of black cord so E6335 must have been very large when it arrived.
Black plait skein assigned to BM (2 samples) have not been found, while NMV allocation 13113 and 13117 are likely either X391 or X393.
15119 and 14367 may have been cut up and distributed. 14367=MAC1894 in QM and looks to have been cut while 15119 is in a bag and it is unclear if it has been cut up.

Table 4. Objects (aside from arrows) not associated with the Official collection but selected in error as ‘duplicates’ in 1897.

Museum Selected for	<i>ER NG Register</i> no. or other	Object type	Collection (QM)	Collection Name	Date collection received in QM	Notes
QM	7808	Axe blade	Unknown	?	n/k	7808 is an incorrect ER number. Locality noted as D’Entrecasteaux in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> (cn800) but this may also be unreliable.
QM	14280	Sago axe head	Unknown	?	n/k	No locality in <i>ER NG Register</i> and within a range of non-Macgregor artefacts

						accessioned after T52
QM	14283	Axe head	MacGregor or Hedley	?	c.1890-1894	14283-Fergusson Island. Part of a series of objects in <i>ER NG Register</i> without source information. Could be associated with collection made by Charles Hedley (see 7962-7965 in <i>ER NG Register</i>)
QM	14292	Axe head	T12?	T12?	c.1887-1894	14292- Rigo. Part of a series of objects in <i>ER NG Register</i> without source information. Could be associated with Transfer 12
QM	14738	Disc Club	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14774	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14793	Necklace	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14844	Necklace	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14750	Bamboo strip	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14794	Necklace	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14803a	Piece of tortoise shell	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14803c	Piece of tortoise shell,	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14803d	Piece of tortoise shell,	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14745	Drum	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14864	Bracelet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14867e	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14867h	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	

QM	14867i	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
QM	14867k	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
BM	14791	Olive shell frontlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
BM	14876m	Plaited grass armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
BM	14876d	Plaited grass armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
AM	14281	Axe blade	Unknown	Hedley?	Before 1895	Uncertain status: 14281-Fergusson Island; Part of series of objects in <i>ER NG Register</i> without information. Could be E7132 in AM. Possibly not Official collection as Hedley went to Fergusson Island as well (see 7962-7965 in <i>ER NG Register</i>)
AM	14284	Axe blade	Unknown			Could be E7132 in AM
AM	14285	Axe blade	Unknown	Hedley?	Before 1895	14285 -Fergusson Island; Part of number series in <i>ER NG Register</i> without information. Could be E7132 in AM
AM	14286	Axe blade	Collection 18	Lawrie	25 July 1885	Originally assigned to AM (cn6456) but appears to be in QM (MAC5646)
AM	14631	Necklace	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
AM	14688	Adze head	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
AM	14776	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
AM	14867j	Plaited grass armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
AM	14867b	Plaited grass armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	

AM	14790	Olive-shell necklace	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
NMV	14367d	Plaited grass armlet	Unknown	Unknown	Before 1896	In section of <i>ER NG Register</i> which has no source data and which includes non-MacGregor items.
NMV	14867n	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	
NMV	14867c	Armlet	Purchase 146	Hartmann	16 March 1897	

Table 5. Arrows from the ranges 13476-14185, 14251-14275 and 14685-14867 in the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* and selected in error as duplicates for the Queensland Museum in 1897.

ER No.	Control No.	Locality	Special markings	Prefix (QM)	Reg. No.	Notes
13477	cn178; cn878 (error; club)	Aroma		MAC	7916	Double assigned to QM. 13477 is an arrow not a club. Therefore, cn178 is the correct entry
13478	cn189	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7914.1	
13479	cn238		'3'	MAC	7914.2	
13480	cn188	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7829	
13481	cn219	Aroma		MAC	8892	
13482	cn184	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7942	
13483	cn174	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7918	
13491	cn567	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8005	
13495	cn566	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8016	
13506	cn235	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8000	
13507	cn236	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8007	
13508	cn243	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7998	
13512	cn224	Aroma	'3'	MAC	9056	
13514	cn239	Aroma		MAC	7825	
13515	cn241	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8781	
13526	cn229	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8017	
13527	cn228	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7822	
13528	cn222	Aroma	'3'	MAC	9125	
13529	cn230	Aroma		MAC	9127	
13532	cn223	Aroma		MAC	7999	
13530	cn211	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8194	
13533	cn205	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8203	
13535	cn215	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8205	
13537	cn185	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8204	
13541	cn181	Aroma		MAC	7895	
13543	cn197	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8994	Registration no. misread as 13545
13564	cn180	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8772	
13565	cn198	Aroma		MAC	7893	
13582	cn420	Fly R		MAC	8315	
13599	cn507			MAC	8211	
13600	cn503			MAC	8299	
13610	cn432			MAC	8285	
13627	cn172, cn3087# and cn3094#	Aroma		MAC	8565	13627 assigned three times.cn172 (QM); cn3087# and cn3094#

						(BM) but seems to be in QM
13633	cn206	Aroma	'3'	MAC	9629	
13642	cn527			MAC	7913	Duplicated ER number- see MAC8768
13642	cn527			MAC	8768	Duplicated ER number- see MAC7913
13643	cn512			MAC	8324	Possibly from Santa Cruz not BNG?
13644	cn526			MAC	8764	
13649	cn461		'3'	MAC	7913	
13654	cn506			MAC	8464	
13659	cn536					
13668	cn218; cn6291	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8552	Also assigned to AM (cn6291) but seems to be in QM
13669	cn245	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7955	
13689	cn516	Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station		MAC	8184	A government station was established at Mabudauan on 16/11/1889 and was moved to Daru in c. 1893-94. Locality given in <i>ER NG Register</i> as 'Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station' suggests that arrows from this locality may be part of the Official collection. Further research is required to ascertain if register entry was based on labelling applied in BNG.

13690	cn518	Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station		MAC	8291	
13694	cn514	Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station		MAC	8466	
13698	cn519	Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station		MAC	9075	
13700	cn520	Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station		MAC	9599	
13704	cn515	Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station		MAC	8468	
13713	cn607	Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station	'3'	MAC	9466	Cn607 duplicated on page 17 of <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> : cn 607 assigned to 13713 and 18589
13716	cn490	?		MAC	8015	
13718	cn525	?		MAC	8767	
13759	cn242	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8208	
13762	cn217	Aroma		MAC	7997	
13763	cn244	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7994	
13764	cn240	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7833	
13765	cn227	Aroma		MAC	7995	
13775	cn446	Fly R	G45	MAC	8279	G45 noted in Vernon but not in <i>MacGregor Register</i>
13792	cn250			MAC	9118	
13812	cn221	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	7902	
13813	cn214	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	7881	
13814	cn225	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	8006	
13815	cn195	Aroma Fly R				
13816	cn226	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	9132	

13817	cn207	Aroma Fly R		MAC	9442	
13818	cn177	Aroma Fly R		MAC	9123	
13819	cn203	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	8196	
13820	cn209	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	8198	
13822	cn193	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	8009	
13823	cn199	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	8001	
13824	cn208	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	8209	
13825	cn194	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	7996	
13826	cn201	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	7856	
13827	cn190	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	7903	
13828	cn204	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	7857	
13829	cn202	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	8210	
13830	cn200	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	9687	
13831	cn212	Aroma Fly R	'3'	MAC	9130	
13880	cn173			MAC	9299	
13884	cn395			MAC	8601	
13898	cn494		G45	MAC	8281	
13905	cn610		'3'	MAC	8671	
13908	cn408	Fly R		MAC	8174	
13910	cn403	Fly R	G45	MAC	8261	
13911	cn247	Fly R	G45	MAC	9104	13911 assigned twice; see cn487 (does not exist)
13922	cn501		G45	MAC	8258	
13923	cn486					
13925	cn9206			MAC	9099	
13926	cn407			MAC	8173	
13973	cn562		'3'	MAC	8224	cn562. No. duplicated
14005	cn415			MAC	9637	
14010	cn416			MAC	8111	
14016	cn537			MAC	7774	
14027	cn192		'3'	MAC	9451	
14029	cn179	Aroma				
14030	cn196			MAC	9152	

14031	cn186		'3'	MAC	9113	
14032	cn187		'3'	MAC	8008	
14033	cn176			MAC	8200	
14034	cn191		'3'	MAC	7945	
14035	cn182		'3'	MAC	9107	
14036	cn175		'3'	MAC	7861	
14044	cn429, cn3040# (in <i>Ethnological Control Register only</i>)		'3'	MAC	9458	Assigned to QM (cn429) and BM (cn3040#) as well but seems to be in QM
14047	cn233	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7892	
14048	cn237	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8004	
14049	cn220	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8264	
14050	cn210	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7915	
14051	cn231	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8003	
14052	cn216	Aroma	'3'	MAC	7917	
14053	cn234	Aroma	'3'	MAC	9128	
14055	cn213	Aroma	'3'	MAC	8010	
14089	cn406					
14091	cn401					
14128	cn183		'3'	MAC	9452	14128 was also sighted on an arrow in the BM in 2015. Possibly a duplicated ER number or ER number misread in BM
14132	cn569					
14136	cn568			MAC	7950	Transfer 28
14138	cn504			MAC	7957	Duplicated ER number
14138	cn570			MAC	9483	Duplicated ER number
14140	cn426			MAC	8287	Transfer 28
14143	cn445					
14148	cn417					
14153	cn418					
14159	cn499					
14161	cn431			E	9599	
14168	cn497			MAC	8027	
14170	cn558			E	9594	Transfer 28
14171	cn556			MAC	8002	
14173	cn555		'3'	MAC	8206	
14177	cn576			E	9595	Transfer 28
14178	cn575					
14179	cn577			E	9601	Transfer 28

14269	cn670		'3'	MAC	5621	
14270	cn671			MAC	9294	
14271	cn672			MAC	8202	
14272	cn673			MAC	8201	
14273	cn674 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> (cn675 in <i>ER NG Register</i>)			MAC	8199	
14274	cn675 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> (cn676 in <i>ER NG Register</i>)			MAC	8197	
14275	cn676 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> (cn677 in <i>ER NG Register</i>)			MAC	8195	Duplicated ER number
14275	cn676 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> (cn677 in <i>ER NG Register</i>)			MAC	8855	Duplicated ER number
14807	cn397				NF	Incorrect registration number recorded in 1897. Cn397 (14807) is recorded as an arrow but 14807 is a hair ornament from P146 (Hartmann collection).

Table 6. Arrows from the ranges 13476-14185, 14251-14275 and 18672-18690 in the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* and selected in error as duplicates for the British Museum in 1897.

ER No.	Control No. (<i>Ethnological Control Register</i>)	For	Locality	Locality Source (<i>ER NG Register</i> and/or BM Arrow list)	Special Markings	Current Location	Reg. No.	Comments
13485	cn3016#	BM		<i>ER NG Register</i> : No Locality; Aroma on BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		Aroma locality on BM Arrow list (1897) likely incorrect
13487	cn3365	BM	Aroma	Precise locality but not on BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		<i>ER NG Register</i> : Aroma
13488	cn3362	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13490	cn3358	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		
13492	cn3360	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		
13496	cn3060#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13497	cn3063#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	

13498	cn3021#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13499	cn3044#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13500	cn3030#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13501	cn3077#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13502	cn3025#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		
13503	cn3065#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13504	cn3067#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13505	cn3024#,cn3333	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	Assigned twice to BM
13516	cn3074#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13517	cn3080#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	On AM Arrow list (1897) but not ticked. Does not seem to be in AM.
13518	cn3042#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	

13519	cn3032#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		
13520	cn3059#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13522	cn3057#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13523	cn3058#	BM	Aroma	Precise locality but not on BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	<i>ER NG Register:</i> Aroma
13524	cn3062#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13536	cn3095#	BM		<i>ER NG Register:</i> No Locality	Black ink '3'	BM/AM	Sighted in BM 2015/MAC 9626	13536 seen in BM 2015 could be 13539??? E6708 in AM is marked 13573 and 13539. Duplicated ER number?
13540	cn3023#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13579	cn6289	AM	Fly R			AM/BM	E6792/ Sighted in BM 2015	Duplicated ER number? BM Arrow list has no number resembling this on it for

								Fly R selection
13609	cn3295	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13618	cn3081#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register and BM Arrow list (1897)</i>		BM? (see notes)		Could be arrow thought to read '13613' in 2015
13621	cn3085#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register and BM Arrow list (1897)</i>		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13622	cn3079#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register and BM Arrow list (1897)</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13624	cn3033#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register and BM Arrow list (1897)</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13626	cn3070#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register and BM Arrow list (1897)</i>		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13627	cn192; cn3087#	QM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register: Aroma</i>		BM/QM	Sighted in BM 2015/MAC 8565	Duplicated ER number? Or 13622 or 13624??
13633	cn206	QM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register: Aroma</i>	Black ink '3'	BM/QM	Sighted in BM 2015/MAC 9629	Duplicated ER number?
13635	cn3018#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register and BM Arrow list (1897)</i>		QM	MAC 8640	

13639	cn3086#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13647	cn3332	BM		<i>ER NG Register</i> : No Locality		BM?		
13650	cn3334	BM		<i>ER NG Register</i> : No Locality	Black ink '3'	BM?		
13666	cn3017#	BM		<i>ER NG Register</i> : No Locality; Aroma on BM Arrow list		QM	MAC 8132	Aroma locality on BM Arrow list (1897) likely incorrect
13672	cn3269	BM	Toora toora Fly R	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13728	cn3069#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13731	cn3071#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13732	cn3073#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		
13733	cn3089#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13734	cn3093#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13736	cn3078#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	

13739				No entries for 13737-13745 in <i>ER NG Register</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	No entries for 13737-13745 in <i>ER NG Register</i> ; sequence missed entirely but looks like arrows exist for those numbers
13746	cn3031#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13747	cn3037#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13748	cn3038#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13749	cn3035#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?	See notes	Number may have been misread as 18749 in 2015
13751	cn3026#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13752	cn3041#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13753	cn3029#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	

13754	cn3064#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13755	cn3019#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13756	cn3027#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
13774	cn3282	BM	Fly R	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		
13783	cn3331	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13786	cn3100#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13805	cn3300; cn8988	BM/NMV	Aroma Fly River	<i>ER NG Register: Aroma Fly River</i>		BM?		Assigned to both BM and NMV. Could be in MV
13882	cn3268	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13891	cn3327	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13901	cn3330	BM/QM	Riwi	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		QM	MAC 8277	
13914	Not on list of items selected for the BM in the <i>Ethnological</i>		Fly R	<i>ER NG Register: Fly River</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	13914 could be 13915??

	<i>Control Register</i>							
13915	cn3254	BM	Fly R	<i>ER NG Register</i> and BM Arrow list (1897)		BM?		See 13914. Perhaps 13914 number misread and it is 13915?
13916	cn3250 /cn6264	BM/AM	Fly R	Precise locality but not on BM Arrow list (1897)		AM	E6914	
13936	cn3256	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	G.45 (13930?)	BM? (see notes)		Arrow number may have been misread as 18930 in 2015
13971	cn3364	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13974	cn3409	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13982	cn3107	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13990	cn3106	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
13992	cn3102#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		
14015	cn3274	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		

14020 [14024?]	cn3366	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		<i>Ethnological Control Register</i> cn3366 = 14020 but cn3366 assigned to 14024 in <i>ER NG Register</i>
14026	cn3361	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14037	cn3092#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14038	cn3096#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14042	cn3090#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14044	cn429, cn3040#	BM/QM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM/QM	Sighted BM 2015/MAC 9458	Duplicated ER number?
14059	cn3084#	BM	Aroma	<i>ER NG Register and BM Arrow list (1897)</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14085	cn3249	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM? (see notes)		ER number may have been misread as 15085 in 2015
14088	cn3259	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM?		

14090	cn3248	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>		BM?		
14095	cn3075#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14096	cn3076#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14097	cn3036#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14098	cn3070#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14099	cn3056#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14100	cn3088#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14101	Not on list of items selected for the BM in the <i>Ethnological</i> <i>Control</i> <i>Register</i>				Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14102	cn3068#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14104	Not on list of items selected for the BM in the <i>Ethnological</i>			<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>		BM/QM	Sighted BM 2015/MAC 9027	Duplicated ER number?

	<i>Control Register</i>							
14115	cn3039#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14116	cn3072	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14117	cn3028#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14119	cn3034#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14120	cn3043#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14124	cn3055#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14127	cn3022#	BM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>	Black ink '3'	BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14128	cn183	QM		<i>ER NG Register: No Locality</i>		BM/QM	Sighted in BM 2015	Not on allocation for BM in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> . 14128 appears to be a duplicated ER no. (see MAC9452 in QM)

14129	cn3085#	BM		<i>ER NG</i> <i>Register: No</i> <i>Locality</i>		QM	MAC 9116	
14136	cn568; cn3091	QM/BM				QM/BM	MAC 7950/Sighted BM 2015	ER number either misread or represents a duplicated registration number? T28 label remnant on MAC 7950
14150	Not on list of items selected for the BM in the <i>Ethnological</i> <i>Control</i> <i>Register</i>					BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14153?	Cn418	QM				BM?	See notes	Possibly an arrow said to be 15153 marked T28 (possibly misread and =14153?). Arrow 15153 is supposed to be in QM and is an arrow from T60. More likely that seen in BM is 14153 not 15153

15155 [14155?]	Not on list of items selected for the BM in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>			T28 in <i>ER NG Register</i>	T28	BM?	See notes	Arrow 15155 is supposed to be in QM and is an arrow from T60. More likely that seen in BM was 14155 which is noted as T28 in <i>ER NG Register</i> .
14162	cn3258	BM		<i>ER NG Register</i> : No Locality		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
14167	cn3275	BM		<i>ER NG Register</i> : No Locality		BM?	See notes	Number misread in 2015 as 14367; this number is incorrect (14367=Cord). More likely 14367 =14167 or 14267 (although the latter was assigned to NMV)
14174	cn3365	BM		<i>ER NG Register</i> :No Locality		BM?		
14260	Not on list of items selected for the BM in					BM	Sighted in BM 2015	

	the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>							
14266	Not on list of items selected for the BM in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>			<i>ER NG Register</i> :No Locality		BM	Sighted in BM 2015	
18446 [18684?]	cn3368	BM	Murray Island	BM Arrow list (1897) (Murray Island); <i>ER NG Register</i> 18446 = Loc?		BM?		Arrow 18446 was not from Murray Island as indicated. It is probable that a different arrow was sent (18684), an arrow from Murray Island (Non-MacGregor consignment), which was accessioned within a break of registration of T60. Perhaps it was pulled out by mistake and sent to BM (this would explain the Murray Island locality on the

					<i>Control Register</i>	Arrow list (1897)				
13538	Aroma		AM	cn6290	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	Unknown			This appears on NMV Arrow list (1897) as well but was not assigned a control no.
13567	Aroma		AM	cn6050	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6742	
13569	Aroma		AM	cn6057	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6726	
13570	Aroma		AM	cn6044	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6737	
13571	Aroma		AM	cn6054	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6735	
13573	Aroma		AM	cn6049	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6708	13573 (13539 also on specimen). 13539 = cn3095 in <i>ER NG Register</i> which suggests in BM, but see QM (MAC9626). Assume correct ER

										number for E6708 is 13573
13574	Aroma		AM	cn6060	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Precise locality but not on AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6530	
13575	Aroma		AM	cn6047	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6714	
13577	Fly R		AM	cn6285	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Precise locality but not on AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6784	Previously thought this was MAC7730 but <i>MacGregor Register</i> shows that M7730=13677 not 13577 (see MQ note), so this one should be OK
13579	Fly R		AM	cn6289	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6792	
13615			AM	cn6278	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6943	
13616	Fly R		AM?	Cn6282	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM?			E6796 in AM????

13668	Aroma		QM/AM	cn218 (QM); cn6291 (AM)	Not ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Precise locality but not on AM Arrow list (1897)	QM	MAC	8552	in QM (MAC8552)
13769	Aroma		AM	cn6294	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6753	
13773	Fly R		AM	cn6293	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Precise locality but not on AM Arrow list (1897)	AM?			
13784		“3” on shaft.	AM	cn6339.	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6851	
13793			AM	cn6280	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
13821	Aroma Fly R	“3” on shaft.	QM	Not in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Not in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> for AM but is on AM Arrow list (1897)	Ticked in AM Arrow list (1897)	QM	MAC	9131	
13832	Aroma	“3” on shaft.	AM	cn6045	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6707	

13833	Aroma	“3” on shaft.	AM	cn6056	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6703	
13834	Aroma	“3” on shaft.	AM	cn6062	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6684	
13835	Aroma	“3” on shaft.	AM	cn6058	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6685	
13836	Aroma	“3” on shaft.	AM	cn6053	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6719	
13837	Aroma		AM	cn6061	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6691	
13838	Aroma		AM	cn6055	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6688	
13839	Aroma		AM	cn6046	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM?			
13840	Aroma	“3” on shaft.	AM	cn6048	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6733	

13841	Aroma		AM	cn6051	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM?			
13845			AM	cn6388	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6902	
13867	Fly R		AM	cn6269	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6920	
13872	Fly R	'G45' on shaft	NMV	cn9208	Not in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> for AM or on AM Arrow list (1897)	Seems to be in AM	AM	E.	6931	13872 assigned to NMV (cn9208) but seems to be in AM
13873	Fly R		AM	cn6271	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM?			
13874	Aroma Fly R		NMV	cn8983	Not in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> for AM but is on AM Arrow list (1897)	On AM Arrow list (1897) but not ticked	MV?			13874 allocated to NMV (cn8983); Possibly in MV as it doesn't appear on AM allocation in the <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> and although it is on AM

										Arrow list (1897), it is not ticked
13875			AM	cn6281	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
13879			AM	cn6042	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6649	
13883			AM	cn6328	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6957	cn6328 is duplicated in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> against 13883 and 18400
13916	Fly R		BM/AM	cn 3250 (BM); cn6264 (AM)	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM	E.	6914	Assigned to BM (cn3250) and AM (cn6264) but seems to be in AM
13917	Fly R		AM	cn6265	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897)	AM?			
13927			AM	cn6262	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6916	
13998			AM	cn6121	Ticked in <i>Ethnological</i>	N/A	AM?			

					<i>Control Register</i>					
13999			AM	cn6123	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
14001			AM	cn6124	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
14002		“3” on shaft.	NMV	cn9306	Not in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> for AM	N/A	AM	E.	6550	Not assigned to AM in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> but to NMV (cn9306); but seems to be in AM (E6550)
14013			AM	cn6329	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6954	
14023			AM	cn6351	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6845	
14025			AM	cn6368	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6925	
14094			AM	cn6270	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			

14139			AM	cn6296	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
14142			AM	cn6301	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
14160			AM	cn6266	Not ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM	E.	6919	
14163			AM	cn6263. In unreg list.	Not ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
14172			AM	cn6366	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	AM?			
14181			AM	cn6337	Not ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	N/A	QM	MAC	8327	This was assigned to AM (cn6337) but seems to be in QM
14183			AM	cn6052	Ticked in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	Tick AM Arrow list (1897); This has no locality in <i>ER NG Register</i> so not sure why it ever made it on to AM Arrow list	AM	E.	6732	

Table 8. Arrows from the ranges 13476-14185 and 14251-14275 in the *Ethnology Register (New Guinea)* not associated with the Official collection and selected in error as duplicates for the National Museum of Victoria (NMV) (now in Museums Victoria) in 1897. Selection recorded as for the ‘Victorian Museum’ in the *Ethnological Control Register*.

ER No.	Control No.	Assigned	Locality	Current Location	Museum Reg. No.	Locality Source (<i>ER NG Register</i> and/or NMV Arrow list (1897))	Locality Notes	Other Notes
13486	cn9302	NMV	Aroma	QM	MAC9049	Precise locality but not on NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>ER NG Register</i> but not in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> or NMV Arrow list (1897)	Does not appear to have been sent to NMV
13511	cn9039	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		25 Aroma arrows assigned to NMV (see NMV Arrow list (1897)). Aroma arrows were accessioned in NMV under X568 (24); X597 (1). In 1904, 17 of 25 Aroma arrows were sold by NMV.
13525	cn9001	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13534	cn9009	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			Around 280 arrows from ‘New Guinea’ (i.e.,

								without precise localities) were disposed of by NMV
13568	cn8992	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13572	cn9016	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13576	cn9018	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13602	cn9277	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
13605	cn9279	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
13607	cn9239	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
13611	cn9280	NMV	Mabudau a	QM	MAC821 3	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Mabudauan in <i>ER NG Register</i>	Does not appear to have been sent to NMV.
13629	cn9006	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13630	cn8996	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	Precise locality but not on NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>ER NG Register</i> but not <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	See notes to 13511
13631	cn8997	NMV	Aroma	MV	X103905	NMV Arrow list (1897)		

13632	cn9004	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13634	cn8998	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13636	cn8994	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13637	cn9305	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
13656	cn9293	NMV	Riwi	MV	X595 or X596	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Riwi=Kiwi or Kiwai	Two arrows from 'Riwi' were assigned to NMV. One was sold in 1904 while the other was presented to the University of Liverpool in 1905
13667	cn8982	NMV	Aroma [incorrect?]	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in NMV Arrow list (1897) but no locality recorded in <i>ER NG Register</i> . Possibly not from Aroma	See notes to 13511
13673	cn9235	NMV	Toora-toora Fly R	MV?	NF – see notes	Not on NMV Arrow list (1897)	No locality in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> but Toora-toora	Perhaps not sent?

							Fly R in <i>ER NG Register</i> .	
13674	cn9222	NMV	Toora-toora Fly R	MV?	NF – see notes	Not on NMV Arrow list (1897)	No locality in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> but Toora-toora Fly R in <i>ER NG Register</i>	Perhaps not sent?
13712	cn9324	NMV	Mamadaua	MV	X605	NMV Arrow list (1897)		A government station was established at Mabudauan on 16/11/1889 and was moved to Daru in c. 1893-94. Locality given in <i>ER NG Register</i> as ‘Daudai Mamadauau Govt Station’ suggests that arrows from this locality may be part of the Official collection.
13714	cn9319	NMV	Mamadaua	MV	X605	NMV Arrow list (1897)	See notes to 13712	See notes to 13712
13721	cn9278	NMV	?	MV	X103801			
13727	cn9010	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
13767	cn9236	NMV	Fly R	MV	NF (but see X567; X581; X588;	NMV Arrow list (1897)		Fly River arrows were accessioned in <i>NMV (MV Register)</i> under: X567 (15 or 14); X581 (1); X588 (4); X589 (10) and X592 (2). Several were later

					X589; X592			disposed of (sold/presented). Some later re-registrations X6376 and X6386 may relate to X567, X588 and/or X589
13768	cn9229	NMV	Fly R	QM	MAC 8769	NMV Arrow list (1897)		Appears to have remained in QM
13771	cn9230	NMV	Fly R	MV	NF (but see X567; X581; X588; X589; X592	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13767
13772	cn9228	NMV	Fly R	MV	NF (but see X567; X581; X588; X589; X592	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13767
13790	cn9057	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
13801	cn8990/ cn3288	NMV/B M	Aroma	MV/BM	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> and MV Arrow list. Aroma Fly	13801 assigned to NMV and BM. See Notes to 13511

							R in <i>ER NG Register</i>	
13802	cn8995 in <i>Ethnological Control Register & ER NG Register</i> , cn9237 in <i>Ethnological Control Register only</i>	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> and NMV Arrow list (1897). Aroma Fly R in <i>ER NG Register</i>	13802 assigned to NMV twice under 2 different control numbers. Possibly sold in 1904 or re-registered in NMV. See notes to 13511
13803	cn8999	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	See notes to 13511
13804	cn8993	NMV	Aroma	MV	X103904	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	
13805	cn8988 in <i>ER NG Register & Ethnological</i>	NMV/BM	Fly R	MV/BM	NF (but see X567; X581; X588;	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> ; On NMV Arrow list (1897) as Fly R;	13805 assigned twice to NMV in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> under 2 different control numbers. Also assigned to BM. On NMV Arrow list (1897) as

	<i>gical Control Register; cn3300 & cn9232 in Ethnological Control Register only.</i>				X589; X592		Aroma Fly R in <i>ER NG Register</i>	Fly R so will likely appear among Fly R accessions in NMV (MV Register) (see Notes to 13767 above)
13807	cn9005	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	See notes to 13511
13808	cn9000	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	See notes to 13511
13809	cn8984	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	See notes to 13511
13810	cn8985	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i>	See notes to 13511
13866	cn9205	NMV	Riwi	MV	X595 or X596	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Riwi=Kiwi or Kiwai	Two arrows from 'Riwi' were assigned to NMV. One was sold in 1904 while the other was

								presented to the University of Liverpool in 1905.
13868	cn9212	NMV	Fly R	MV	NF (but see X567; X581; X588; X589; X592)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13767
13869	cn9238	NMV	Fly R	MV	NF (but see X567; X581; X588; X589; X592)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13767
13872	cn9208	NMV	Fly R	AM	E6931	NMV Arrow list (1897)		Does not appear to have been sent to NMV
13874	cn8983	NMV	Aroma [incorrect?]	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	Aroma in NMV Arrow list (1897) and <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> but no locality in <i>ER NG Register</i>	See notes to 13511
13885	cn9291	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
13906	cn9323	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534

13925	cn9206	NMV		QM	MAC9099			Does not appear to have been sent to NMV
13977	cn9056 in <i>Ethnological Control Register & ER NG Register</i> , cn9241 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> only	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			Assigned twice to NMV under 2 different control numbers
13997	cn9064	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14002	cn9306	NMV		AM	E6550			Does not appear to have been sent to NMV
14003	cn9307	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14006	cn9217	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14009	cn9220	NMV		MV	X103898			
14018	cn9300	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14019	cn9298	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534

14046	cn8989	NMV	Aroma	MV	X568	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
14057	cn9019	NMV	Aroma	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)		See notes to 13511
14069	cn9328	NMV		MV	NF			See notes to 13534
14093	cn9211	NMV		MV	NF			See notes to 13534
14105	cn9014	NMV		MV	NF			See notes to 13534
14106	cn8991 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> cn8891=8991 in <i>ER NG Register</i>	NMV	Aroma (incorrect?)	MV	NF (but see X568 and X597)	NMV Arrow list (1897)	No locality in <i>ER NG Register</i> but Aroma in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> and NMV Arrow list (1897)	See notes to 13511
14107	cn8987 <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> entry 14187=14107	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			14187 in <i>Ethnological Control Register</i> is incorrect as 14187 = Mancatcher. 14107 is likely correct number
14108	cn9011	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14109	cn9012	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534

14110	cn9002	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14111	cn9008	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14112	cn9007	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14113	cn9017	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14114	cn9013	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14121	cn9003	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14141	cn9240	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes			See notes to 13534
14145	cn9226	NMV		QM	E9598			14145 is marked 'T28' in <i>ER NG Register</i> . Not sent to NMV.
14267	cn9297	NMV		MV?	NF – see notes NF			See notes to 13534

Table 9. Papuan collections containing arrows which the Queensland Museum received between 1885-1889.

Collection/Collector	Date received	Summary	Registration history	Re-Registration history	Notes
Lawrie (Collection 18)	28 July 1885	7 arrows Motu Motu	QM <i>Collection Register (1884-1899)</i> , pp. 29-31. Supposedly registered R5910 in <i>General Catalogue</i>	Not re-registered before August 1894	Likely re-registered between 13476-14185
Royal Geographical Society Expedition 1885	April 1886	434 arrows (only 10 found). These could be ‘Fly R’	RGSA arrows were not registered in <i>General Catalogue</i> along with rest of collection (see R6082-6170). Possibly set aside in 1886	Possibly 434/424 awaiting registration for the first time in 1894	Probably registered between 13476-14185
Goldie/Musgrave (Purchase 57)	Feb 1886	6 bundles of bows and arrows from Alema [Elema]	Among a group of objects from Purchase 57 not registered in <i>General Catalogue</i> at time of receipt	6 bundles (bows and arrows) awaiting registration for first time in 1894	Probably registered between 13476-14185
Transfer 12	1887	32 Bamboo arrows (no precise locality)	Registered in <i>General Catalogue</i> under R6217	Not re-registered before August 1894	Likely among arrows with no locality within 13476-14185
Purchase 63 (Musgrave 1888)	12 June 1888	Miscellaneous ethnology	About 20 arrows marked P63 amongst 14376-14185	20 arrows definitely in 14376-14185 range	Do not appear to have been registered before August 1894
T28	3 May 1889	47 arrows (nos.50-57) from Motu Motu	Yet to be registered in August 1894	47	T28 arrows have been found within

					range 13476- 14185
T28	3 May 1889	85 arrows (Maat)	Yet to be registered in August 1894	85	Some have been found among 13476- 14185

Table 10. Object types accessioned into the *Ethnology Register, New Guinea, Vol.1: 7862-8688* prior to the arrival of the first ethnological consignment from MacGregor in 1892 (the first number in the register is 7862).

Object	ER No.	Identified collections within range
Lime Spoons	7862-7892;7905-7912; 7913; 7916	Nearly all T28 (1889) and some from Potts (1886)
Lime Gourds	7893-7904; 7913-7915; 7917-7929	Baird (1881); RGSA 1885; T28; Potts (1886); T12?;
Combs	7930-7961	Nearly all T28; T12
Armlets	7962-8049	T12; T28; C105 (Hedley 1890); OC [Old Collection]); Bernays; Haddon (1889)
Clubs	8050-8126	Goldie (1886); T12; T28; Lawrie?
Adzes, Axes, Mallets	8127-8173	RGSA 1885; D4202 (Douglas 1887); T12; T28; C18 (Lawrie, 1885)
Drums	8174-8196	Potts; T12; T28
Paddles	8197-8239	Potts; T12; T28
Shields	8240-8266	Potts; Goldie; T12; T28
Man catchers	8267-8294	Goldie, Lawrie; T12; T28,
Spears	8295-8411	Ringrose; Potts; T28
Pig-spears & saplings	8412-8419	
Fish-spears	8420-8445	Potts; T28
Pipes (tobacco)	8450-8492	Potts; T12; T28; Lawrie?; Norton; RGSA 1885
Wooden bowls	8493-8508	Goldie; T12; T28
Crocks – Pots	8509-8517	Baird; Potts
Bowls	8518-8524; 8575-8586	Baird 1881; Beddome; Potts; T12; T28
Petticoats	8525-8568; 8571-8574	Ringrose; Goldie; Musgrave; Baird; T28
Ceremonial dresses	8569-8570	T28 and ?
Headdresses	8587-8633	T28;?; T12? Chester; Beddome; Goldie; D5428
Baskets	8635-8646	RGSA;; T12?; T28?
Bags	8647-8688	Baird; T28; T12?; Fly River 2/8/84; Goldie 1886; P123 (Rickard 1890) plus more

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