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Reply on RC3

Philip L. Woodworth et al.

Author comment on "Preface: Developments in the Science and History of Tides" by Philip L. Woodworth et al., Ocean Sci. Discuss., <https://doi.org/10.5194/os-2020-121-AC3>, 2021

Thanks for reading the preface. We agree that section 2.3 is a bit stilted but it had the role of summarising findings from quite a diverse set of papers.

As for the two sets of references, we did anguish about this ourselves. One suggestion was to underline the special issue references. Another, similar to your suggestion, was to show references as for example Lyard et al. (2021, #26) where the #26 indicates number 26 in the special issue list. In the end we decided to leave things as they are - any readers should notice there are two lists and be able to find the references they want eventually.

We have changed the heading of section 2.1 to 'History of Tidal Science in the Special Issue' following your suggestion.