

EIGHTY-EIGHTH REPORT OF THE COUNCIL

FOR THE YEAR 1929

The Council have the honour to present their report for 1929.

During the year the Institute has lost seven members by death and eight members by resignation, and three libraries have ceased to subscribe. Forty-eight new members have been elected and seven new libraries have been added to the list.

The total membership is as follows :—

451 Subscribing members (including life members).

130 Libraries.

3 Honorary and corresponding members.

Among those who have passed away the Council regret to record the deaths of two honorary vice-presidents, Prof. Sir W. Boyd-Dawkins (past president) and Mr. C. E. Keyser, who joined the Institute in 1874. Sir W. Boyd-Dawkins was a constant attendant at the meetings and made many valued contributions to the Journal.

The Summer Meeting was held at Canterbury, and was the fourth occasion on which the Institute visited the City, the previous years being 1844, 1875 and 1896. The meeting was organised by Lt.-Col. B. S. Browne.

The Spring Meeting was held at Waltham Abbey and the Autumn Meeting at Penshurst Place and Tonbridge. The Institute is indebted to Mr. A. W. Clapham, F.S.A., for his services in the former, and to Mr. Aymer Vallance, F.S.A., and to Mr. John W. Little, F.R.I.B.A., for their help at the latter meeting.

The afternoon meetings of the Institute during 1929 were as follows :—

Wednesday, 6th February, 1929, 'The Excavation of a Bronze Age Barrow with Saxon Burials at Dunstable.' By Dr. Mortimer Wheeler, M.C., D.Lit., F.S.A.

Wednesday, 13th March, 1929, 'Rievaulx—The Shrine in the Chapter House.' By Mr. Charles Reed Peers, C.B.E., F.B.A., President of the Society of Antiquaries.

Wednesday, 10th April, 1929, 'The Excavations at Newark Priory, Surrey.' By Captain Christopher M. H. Pearce.

Wednesday, 8th May, 1929, 'The Stantons of Holborn: Three generations of a Sculptor Family.' By Mrs. Arundell Esdaile.

Wednesday, 12th June, 1929, 'Winstone Church, Gloucestershire.'
By Mr. W. H. Knowles, F.S.A.

Wednesday, 6th November, 1929, 'The Archaeological aspect of the Goidelic question; a critical survey of the Bronze and Early Iron Age of Ireland.' By Dr. Adolf Mahr, M.R.I.A.

Wednesday, 4th December, 1929, 'Walter Morgan's illustrated diary of his campaign in Holland with William the Silent in 1572-1574.'
By The President.

During the year the following volumes of the Journal were issued:—Vol. 81 (1924) edited by Mr. G. D. Hardinge-Tyler; Vol. 83 (1926) edited by Mr. A. W. Clapham. The remaining volumes 84 (1927) edited by Dr. Rose Graham and 85 and 86 (1928 and 1929) by Dr. Mortimer Wheeler are already in the press and will be issued in 1930. In accordance with the rule passed at the last General Meeting, the Council has appointed Dr. Mortimer Wheeler honorary editor.

The audited accounts for the year are attached to this report. After provision has been made for the arrears of publication, there remains a sum of £157 17s. 9d., which has been added to Reserve.

Grants in aid of Excavation have been made to the following:—

	£	s.	d.
Offa's Dyke Excavation Fund	10	0	0
Caerleon Excavation Fund	20	0	0
Richborough Excavation Fund	15	0	0
Barrow Excavation Fund	20	0	0
Alchester Excavation Fund	5	0	0
<i>Total ..</i>	<u>£70</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>0</u>

The Members of the Council who retire in rotation are:—Rev. Preb. W. G. Clark-Maxwell, M.A., F.S.A., A. C. Fryer, M.A., Ph.D., F.S.A., W. H. Knowles, F.S.A., D. Cory-Wright, M.A., F.S.A., Ian C. Hannah, M.A. D.C.L., F.S.A.

To take their places the Council recommend the election of Lt.-Col. B. S. Browne, Harold Sands, F.S.A., A. R. Martin, D. A. Casey, G. McN. Rushforth, M.A., F.S.A., and Colonel J. W. R. Parker, C.B., D.L., J.P., F.S.A.

The senior retiring vice-president, G. McN. Rushforth, M.A., F.S.A., becomes an honorary vice-president. The Council recommend that Rev. Preb. W. G. Clark-Maxwell, M.A., F.S.A., be appointed a vice-president and that Mr. Ernest Woolley, F.S.A., should continue to be the honorary auditor.

THE ROYAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

SUMMARY CASH ACCOUNT FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1929.

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THE ROYAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

INCOME AND EXPENDITURE ACCOUNT FROM 1ST JANUARY TO 31ST DECEMBER, 1929.

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	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
TO PUBLISHING ACCOUNT							By SUBSCRIPTION ACCOUNT						
Printing <i>Journal</i> , vol. lxxvi, delivery, postage and preparation of illustrations				550	0	0	Subscriptions for 1925	37	16	0			
„ WORKING EXPENSES							Subscriptions for 1926	30	9	0			
Rent (Burlington House)	10	10	0				Subscriptions for 1927	29	8	0			
Insurance	3	3		10	13	3	Subscriptions for 1928	32	11	0			
„ ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT							Subscriptions for 1929	342	6	0			
Printing and stationery	42	0	10				Life Subscriptions	31	10	0			
Postages	10	12	7					504	0	0			
Lanternist and lecturers' expenses	17	1	3				„ ENTRANCE FEES	49	7	0	553	7	0
Subscriptions	2	1	0				„ SALE OF PUBLICATIONS				271	5	4
Secretary's personal expenses	80	0	0				„ INTEREST ACCOUNT						
Clerical assistance	70	0	0				Interest on investments	198	11	6			
Removal expenses	8	17	3				Interest on deposit	36	2	8	234	14	2
Sundry expenses	40	2	7	270	15	6							
„ GRANTS ACCOUNTS													
Offa's Dyke Excavation Fund	10	0	0										
Caerleon Excavation Fund	20	0	0										
Richborough Excavation Fund	15	0	0										
Barrow Excavation Fund	20	0	0										
Alcester Excavation Fund	5	0	0	70	0	0							
„ BALANCE CARRIED TO BALANCE SHEET ..				157	17	9							
				£1,059	8	6					£1,059	0	6

THE ROYAL ARCHAEOLOGICAL INSTITUTE OF GREAT BRITAIN AND IRELAND.

BALANCE SHEET, 31ST DECEMBER, 1929.

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We have examined the above Balance Sheet and the foregoing Accounts. In our opinion such Balance Sheet and Accounts are properly drawn up so as to exhibit a true and correct view of the state of the Institute's affairs according to the best of our information and as shown by the books of the Institute.

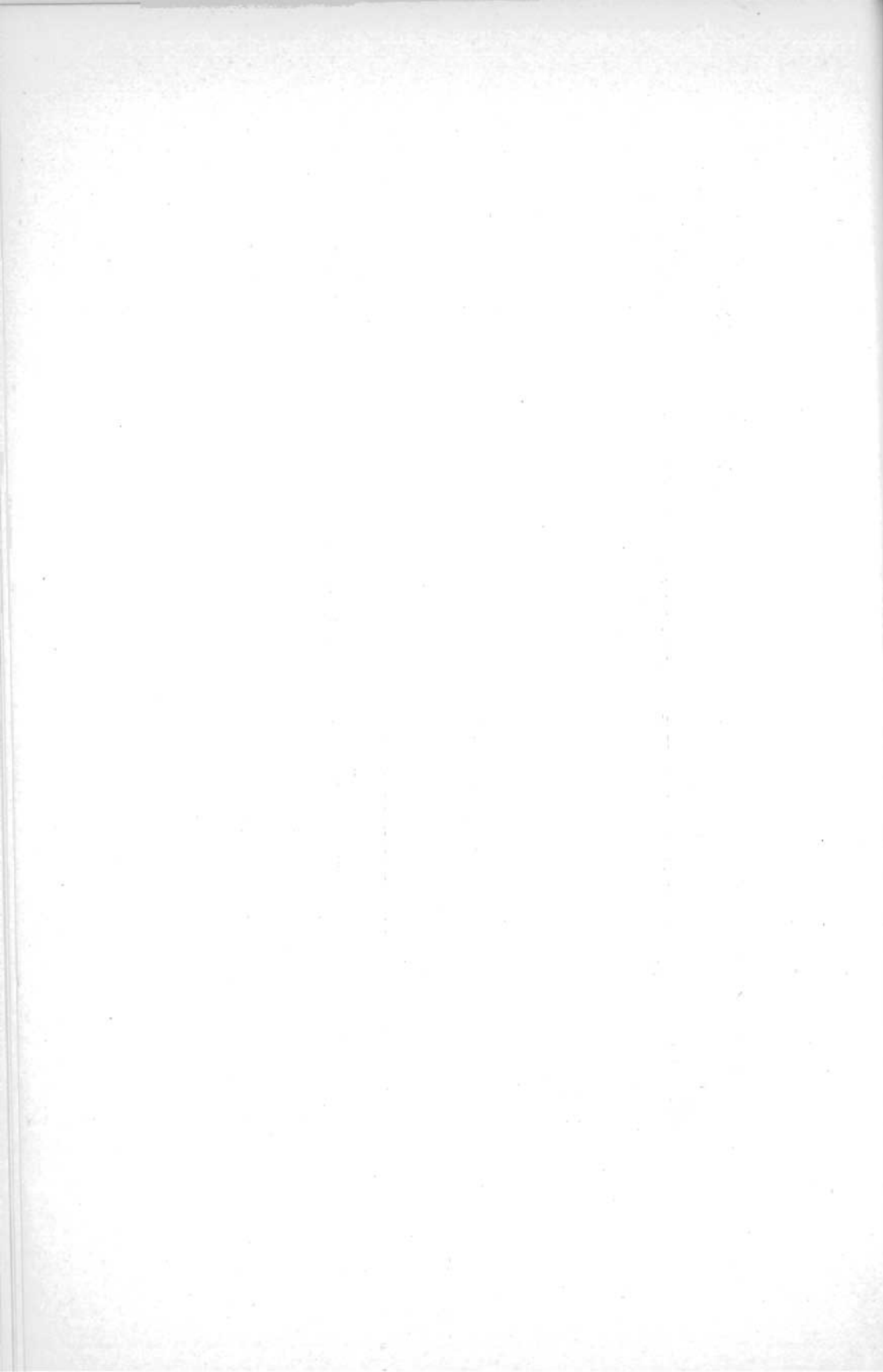
by the books of the Institute.

FRANCIS NICHOLLS, WHITE & CO.,
14, Old Jewry Chambers, London, E.C.2, 5th May, 1930. Chartered Accountants,
Auditors.

Examined and found correct.

ERNEST WOOLLEY.

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