

## Donations to and Purchases for the Museum, 1969–70

### *Donations*

1. Collections of flint and other stone artifacts from numerous mesolithic sites in Ayrshire (notably Doonfoot and Ballantrae) and Wigtownshire (Leffnol, Chapel Rossan etc.), and specimens from other sites in Scotland, found by the donor. By A. F. GRAY, F.S.A.SCOT.
2. Finds from the excavation of the chambered tomb at Achnacreebeag, Benderloch, Argyll, see above pp 31–55. By Mr and Mrs A. CAMPBELL, North Connel, per Dr J. N. G. RITCHIE, F.S.A.SCOT.
3. Small stone axe-head found on Wormistone Farm, Crail, Fife. By JAMES PHEASANT, Crail.
4. Prehistoric flints and sherds, medieval and later sherds and small objects, found by the donor at 51 places in Angus, Berwickshire, Fife, Midlothian, Perthshire and Stirlingshire. By D. HENDERSON, F.S.A.SCOT.
5. Food vessel and flint knife from a cist found in Braxy Field, Kirby Green Farm, Boarhills, Fife (NO 57171496), in February 1952. The comb used for the horizontal lines on the food vessel had about 20 teeth, and was about 4 cm long (fig 1). By D. R. R. BURT, St Andrews.

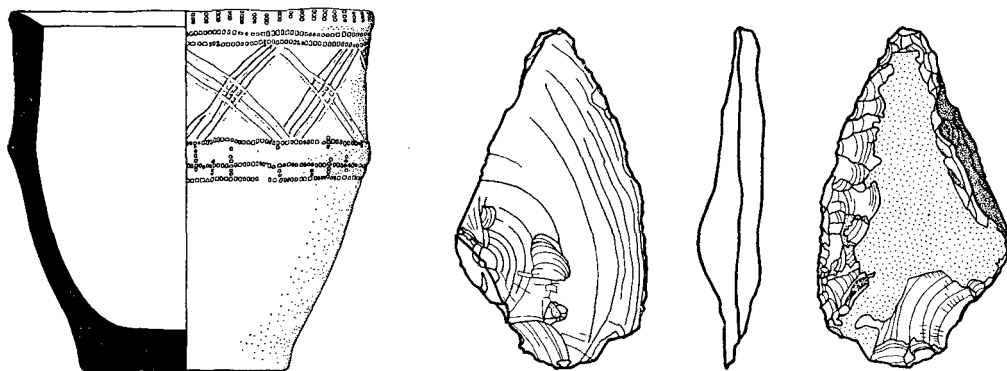


FIG 1 Food vessel (1:3) and flint knife (2:3) from Boarhills, Fife

6. Cinerary urn, enlarged food-vessel type with applied knobs, found during gravel digging at Mawmill, Kinross-shire. By the Rev HUGH J. N. PURVES, Cleish, Kinross-shire.
7. Bronze palstave and two stone axe-heads, probably from Rogart, Sutherland. By B. NEEDHAM, Stockton-on-Tees.
8. Fragments from the site of an Iron Age jet bangle 'factory' at Portpatrick; also two Bronze Age sherds. Collected by the late J. M. PURVES, Portpatrick and gifted by his grandchildren.
9. Bronze finger-ring, the bezel inlaid with red and yellow enamel, and another missing colour, in a double triquetra design, found before 1910 on the 'ship mound' at Tarnavie, Duncrube, Dunning, Perthshire (see above, pp 105–8). By the Hon. Miss ROSALIND ROLLO, F.S.A.SCOT.
10. Blue bead, stone spindle whorl and fragments of pottery and crucible from the fort ramparts on Kaimes Hill, Midlothian; and a blue bead found near Cramond House, Edinburgh. By C. HOY, Edinburgh.
11. Whetstone, iron fragment, fragments of crucible, found before 1940 at a promontory fort, Allshellach, North Ballachulish, Inverness-shire (NN 057599). By A PATON, Fort William.

12. Six decorated Samian sherds and one bearing a stamp, from the E. Annexe, Newstead, Roxburghshire. By C. J. M. MARTIN, F.S.A.SCOT.
13. Stone with incised cross, from St Ninian's Cave, Physgill, Whithorn, Wigtownshire. By A. C. HUNTER, Loanhead.
14. Steatite ladle, from Kintyre, Argyll. By Miss CAMPBELL of Kilberry, F.S.A.SCOT.
15. Pottery and kiln material from excavations at Colstoun, East Lothian in 1969, and selected pottery etc. from earlier excavations. By Lady BROUN LINDSAY, F.S.A.SCOT., per B. J. N. EDWARDS.
16. Six sherds of medieval and later pottery found west of Kinneil Church, West Lothian. (NS 977805-978805). By A. C. MANSFIELD, Bishopton.
17. Medieval sherds from Cockiland Mill, near Tweedsmuir, Peeblesshire. By J. H. HENDRIE, F.S.A.SCOT.
18. Sherds, of medieval date but not wheel-turned, from a midden at Ayre, Deerness, Orkney. By D. R. BROTHWELL, London.
19. Slate spindle whorl decorated with incised radial 'petals' from Arnprior, Stirlingshire. By A. YOUNG, Arnprior.
20. Two small carved oak sixteenth-century panels formerly in Cumbernauld House. By Miss A. TURNER, Auchterarder.
21. Seventeenth-century bronze brooch found on the Cougie Section of Guisachan Forest, Invernessshire. By THE FORESTRY COMMISSION, Inverness.
22. Wooden trough containing 'bog-butter' found at Balnakiel, Sutherland (NC 387638). By JOHN CAMPBELL and MARTIN MACKAY, per Dr C. S. SANDEMAN, F.S.A.SCOT.
23. 303 silver pennies, English, Scottish and Continental, and the remains of a pottery jug, from the hoard of 1887 pennies hidden about 1335 and found in 1966 on the shore of Loch Doon, Ayrshire (NS 483004, see *BNJ*, 1969, 31-49); 26 Continental dollars and English silver coins from the hoard of 81 hidden about 1640 at Ardnave Point, Islay (NR 290747) and found in 1968; a bronze ring, probably from the Iron Age hoard given in 1967, found in 1968 at New Mains, Whitekirk, East Lothian; also a sardonyx intaglio of a Greek warrior's head, set in an iron ring, of the first century BC-AD found above Samson's Ribs, Arthur's Seat, Edinburgh, in 1969, see above, pp 293-4; pl 25. By the QUEEN'S AND LORD TREASURER'S REMEMBRANCER.
24. William II turner or bodle 1695. By Lt.-Colonel J. K. R. MURRAY, Cheltenham.
25. Four specimen coins 1965 and 1969. By the DEPUTY MASTER OF THE ROYAL MINT.
26. Two silver admission medals of the Royal Institution; dated 1819, one issued to 'Sir Robt. Abercromby, G.P.B.' By the BOARD OF TRUSTEES FOR THE NATIONAL GALLERIES OF SCOTLAND, Edinburgh.
- 27-28. Medals and badges. By JOHN DOBSON, Edinburgh; D. MCFARLAN, Callander.
29. An impression on a piece of horn of the 'title' medallion of the Dassier Series of 1731, found behind the panelling of a Lawnmarket (Edinburgh) house. By GORDON SMALL, Edinburgh.
30. A set of bagpipes which belonged to the Macdonalds of Islay and which had long been in the possession of the MacIndeors, the donor's family, hereditary pipers to the Macdonalds of Islay; also other chanters and drones. By Mrs F. E. BIANCHI, Walkerville, Newcastle-upon-Tyne.
31. Collection ladle used in St John's Free Church, Edinburgh. By W. HENDERSON, Edinburgh.
32. Two silver serving spoons, a teaspoon and silver mounted toddy ladle, Glasgow, 1792, 1805, 1848, and 1802. By Miss TAYLOR, Edinburgh.
33. Tablespoon, Edinburgh, 1797-8. By E. P. KYLE, St Andrews.
34. Souvenir Iona silver teaspoon made in Chester, 1909-10. By Mrs J. A. COWLEY, Edinburgh.
35. Six watches, four in gold cases. Bequeathed by WILLIAM MURRAY, Edinburgh.
36. Linen sheets, mattress cover dated 1741, and an embroidered coverlet - all associated with Prince Charles Edward's stay at Touch House, Stirlingshire in 1745; also a green saddle cloth with matching pistol holsters, also from Touch. By Mrs E. HAYNES, Chelsea.
37. Enamelled gold memorial ring for 'D.S.', died 1746, set with paste diamonds. Bequeathed by Miss HELEN STUART WEIR, Edinburgh.
38. Printed linen handkerchief about 1800, illustrating 'The Century of Invention, Anno Domini 2000'. By Miss E. STORRIE, Edinburgh.
39. Sewed picture on painted satin 'The Finding of Moses', 1837, Mary Ann Smith of Aberdeen. By Mrs R. ELLIOTT-BINNS, Edinburgh.
40. Two tea plates given to Mrs Joseph F. Duncan in 1909, one in the colours of the Women's Suffrage Movement. By Miss AGNES RICHMOND, Glasgow.
- 41-51. Articles of personal and domestic use. By Miss E. J. BEGG, F.S.A.SCOT.; Mrs M. BROWN, Edin-

- burgh; Mr and Mrs J. CALDER, Dunnet; S. MAXWELL, F.S.A.SCOT.; Dr MORRISON, Harris; Dr J. S. RICHARDSON, F.S.A.SCOT.; J. SLATER, Edinburgh; R. STIRLING, Whitburn; J. SUTHERLAND, Dunnet; Miss M. TAYLOR, Edinburgh; T. THOMSON, Uddingston.
52. Silver mounted dirk, five skean dhuis and two brooches, worn by the late Alexander Keiller of Morven, F.S.A.SCOT. By Mrs KEILLER, Kingston Hill, Surrey.
53. A collection of mainly family costume of Victorian and Edwardian date. By Miss E. BROWN, Broughton.
- 54-74. Articles of costume. By S. C. BARNES, Edinburgh; Miss E. G. BATTISBY, Mrs W. J. CRAMOND, Mrs I. McK. CATTO, Miss C. BATTISBY, Mrs K. M. C. BARBER, Polbeth; Miss M. E. BORTHWICK, Edinburgh; Miss E. BROWN, Biggar; Mrs T. CAZALET-KEIR, London; Mrs N. K. CLOUGHIER, London; S. CURSITER, Stromness; KINLOSS AMATEUR DRAMATIC SOCIETY; Mrs FORD, Edinburgh; Miss M. D. MACEWEN, Edinburgh; Miss E. MCMAHON, Edinburgh; Mrs MCNEE, Dunblane; Misses JANE and MARY ANNE ROGIE, Kemnay; Miss M. H. SCOTT, Hastings; Mrs J. SCOTT WHYTE, Edinburgh; THE MARCHIONESS OF TWEEDDALE; Mrs W. R. M. WATSON, Helensburgh.
75. Two steel plates used in making transfers for their wooden souvenirs by Messrs Smith of Mauchline - views of London, Boulogne and Australia (see E. H. and E. R. PINTO, Tunbridge and Scottish souvenir Wood Ware (1970), figs 11 and 16, 109). By Mr and Mrs E. PINTO.
76. Bottle corking machine by Barry of Edinburgh. By W. BALLANTYNE, Edinburgh.
77. Red pantile written on when wet 'J. & R. Shearer, 430—, 430 soles, 16 large and 16—, R<sup>t</sup>, Key 600 Drains and 223 Broad Soles'. By H. TRAYNOR, Roslin, per J. TAYLOR, F.S.A.SCOT.
- 78-79. Coopers' equipment. By Mr KEITH, Edinburgh; J. MOIR, Edinburgh.
80. Saddler's wooden vice. By Mrs EWART, Haddington.
- 81-86. Horse breaking, veterinary, and tethering equipment. By W. S. CAMPBELL, Thurso; Mr FRAME, West Calder; Mrs ALISON LAIRD, Haddington; J. L. PIRIE, Toab, Orkney; W. STEVENSON, Lauder; D. SWANSON, Halkirk.
87. A whin-mill stone. By R. H. E. FRASER, Culloden Moor.
88. Model of a horse and long cart in the Fife style. By Mrs GRACE RITCHIE, Edinburgh.
- 89-91. Ploughs and carts. By E. J. BARRIE, Hawick; Major and Mrs KENNARD, Auchterarder; THOMAS SCOTT, Hawick.
92. Comprehensive collection of carse farming equipment, representing the period 1890-1940, with kitchen and milk house equipment, from the farm of Mumrills near Falkirk. By the Trustees of the late JOHN SMITH.
- 93-102. Farm equipment. By Mrs A. C. BAIN, Kenmore; G. G. DOUGLAS, Hawick; M. DUNCAN, Banffshire; J. HAGGART, Leslie; W. INGRAM, Keith; J. MACKAY, Shebster; W. MIDDLEMISS, Dolphinton; Mr AINSLIE SMITH, Ladybank; J. WARNOCK, Wishaw; J. WEIR, Currie.
- 103-104. Harvest knots. By Mrs B. HIDDLESTON, Castle Douglas; Mrs H. LESLIE, Skene.
105. Farm slaughtering and ham-curing equipment. In the name of the late W. ARRES, Upper Nisbet, Jedburgh.
106. Deer stalker's telescope. By J. M. URQUHART, Edinburgh.
107. Line-fishing equipment and lobster-creel. By Mr and Mrs M. SIMPSON, Thurso.
- 108-109. Pictures of horses, and of Ceres smithy. By R. W. EDGAR, Cardenden; D. H. ROBERTSON, Dunshalt, Fife.
- 110-117. Photographs, post-cards etc. By Mr CRAWFORD, Clackmannan; G. I. HASTIE, Inverkeithing; D. HAYES, Edinburgh; Miss K. LUCAS, Edinburgh; E. MACGILLIVRAY, Kirkwall; MARCONI CO. LTD., Chelmsford; T. WATT, Bonnyrigg; NATIONAL MONUMENTS RECORD FOR SCOTLAND, Edinburgh.
118. MSS farm diaries. By the EDINBURGH SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE.

#### *Purchases*

1. Panelling etc. from a seventeenth-century house at 225-9 High Street, Kirkcaldy (*purchased out of Mrs K. E. C. Grieve's Bequest*).
2. Gustavus Adolphus enamelled badge.
3. Wig, mask and dirk reputed to have belonged to the Ayrshire Covenanter, the Rev Alexander ('Prophet') Peden; (Arnold, J, *Perukes and Periwigs*, National Portrait Gallery, 1970, no. 25, p 28 f).
4. Silver Highland plaid brooch inscribed 1709, and another 1711.
5. Purse or sporran with brass top.

6. Silver medal by Briot, Charles I and his children, also an Aberdeen ¼d. token.
7. Countermarked token c. 1810, R. Crichton, Port Glasgow.
8. Culross Colliery tokens (3) and Shotts Iron Co. ½d., and three nineteenth-century historical medals – Gen. Abercromby, Admiral Elliott and Gen. Gordon – the last by Pittendreich Macgillivray.
9. Medal, death of Livingstone.
10. Presentation medals (9) to J. Sinclair, Albany Herald 1856-60.
11. Six miscellaneous medals, one commemorating Professor A. A. Bowman, and various checks, etc.
12. George Heriot's Hospital School Latin Dux Medal, 1889.
- 13-20. Domestic silver (made in Edinburgh unless noted):
  - silver fork, Mackenzie 1709
  - pair of salts, Cooper, Aberdeen c. 1730
  - sauceboat, Main 1738
  - cup, Byres, Banff c. 1785
  - tureen, Howden 1797, a gift from the Governors of 'George Watson's Hospital' to their Treasurer
  - tea-set, Keay, Perth 1828
  - pair of candlesticks, Hamilton and Inches 1901 (*purchased out of Theodore Stewart Bequest*)
  - tea-pot and basin, Crichton 1862, also a Mauchline snuff box.
- 21-22. Two painted wood snuff boxes; and two others.
23. Billiards trophy by R. & W. Sorley, Glasgow 1897.
24. Furniture, furnishings etc. from house at Fala Dam, Midlothian (mid-late nineteenth century).
25. Articles of costume, a bath tub etc.
26. Collection of costume.
27. Shop scales made at Auchtermuchty c. 1900.
28. Plough by Gray of Uddingston c. 1900.
29. Ploughs, carts and other equipment from a farm near Falkirk (Mumrills).
30. Fishing equipment from Caithness.
31. Blacksmith's account book 1861-76 (Kirkliston, West Lothian).

## Donations to and Purchases for the Library, 1969-70

### Donations

- Calendar of State Papers. Foreign Series II. 1590-91; Records of the Foreign Office. 1782-1939; Calendar of State Papers. Colonial Series. America and the West Indies. XLIV; Calendar of Treasury Books in the Public Record Office, 28, 2.* By THE PUBLIC RECORD OFFICE.
- Danish Museums.* G. Boesen. By THE DANISH CULTURAL ATTACHÉ.
- In het voetspoor.* A. E. Van Giffen. By W. GLASBERGEN.
- Der Römische Import im freien Germanien.* 1951. H. J. Eggers. By R. B. K. STEVENSON.
- Anglo-Saxon pottery and the settlement of England.* [Rhind Lectures 1965.] J. N. L. Myres. By THE AUTHOR.
- Vikingeteden Denmark.* A. Christensen. By A. A. M. DUNCAN.
- Living in Scotland 1760-1820.* A. D. Cameron. By THE AUTHOR.
- The Borders in the 18th century.* [Study conference.] By ROXBURGH EDUCATION COMMITTEE.
- The Old Place of Sorbie.* [Studies in Grey Galloway, 1.] I. F. MacLeod. By THE AUTHOR.
- Sketch of the Incorporation of Masons and the Lodge Glasgow St John.* 1879. J. Cruikshank comp. By S. MAXWELL.
- Studies in folklife.* (presented to Iorwerth C. Peate) G. Jenkins ed. By THE PUBLISHER.

Offprints, catalogues, reports etc. were received from, among others:

A. R. Burn, B. R. Hartley, A. S. Henshall, W. S. MacCulloch, D. MacRoberts, F. Marshall, R. B. K. Stevenson, A. Thom, Aberdeen Art Gallery and Museum, Ancient Monuments Board, Asphalt and Coated Macadam Association, British Museum, Carnegie United Kingdom Trust, Clan Donnachaidh Society, Ciba Ltd., Colonial Williamsburg, Dept. of the Environment, Edinburgh Corporation Libraries and Museums Dept., Gladstone Court Museum, Biggar, Glasgow Museums and Art Gallery, Glasgow University Library, Gloucester City Museum, Keeper of the Records of Scotland, Kirkcaldy Museum, Leicester Museum, Liverpool Museum, Manchester Museum, Milwaukee Public Museum, Musée du Costume, Paris, Museum 20 Jahrhunderts, Vienna, National Galleries of Scotland, National Library of Wales, National Museum of Wales, Norwich City Museum, Pilgrim Trust, Reviewing Committee on the Export of Works of Art, Royal Scottish Museum, Seaby Ltd., Society of Friends of Dunblane Cathedral, Ulster Folk Museum, Watford and S.W. Herts Archaeological Society, West Highland Museum.

### Purchases

- Reports of the Committee of Enquiry into the arrangements for the protection of field monuments, 1966-68.* Chairman Sir David Walsh.
- Enzyklopädisches Handbuch zur Ur- und Frühgeschichte Europas, 2.* J. Filip.
- World Archaeology* 1/1969.
- Scottish Archaeological Forum.* 1969.
- Glasgow Archaeological Journal* 1/1969.
- Amgueddfa. Bulletin of the National Museum of Wales,* 1/1969.
- Analytical archaeology.* D. L. Clarke.
- The chronology of the ancient world.* E. J. Bickerman.
- Water, weather and prehistory.* R. Raikes.
- Spectrochemical analysis of the bronze vessels in Nijmegen.* M. H. P. de Boesterd and E. Hoekstra.
- Photography in archaeology and art.* S. K. Matthews.

- South-western British prehistoric collections.* L. V. Grinsell.  
*Vor- und Frühgeschichte vom Neolithikum bis zur Völkerwanderungszeit.* H. Jankühn.  
*Die Schnurkeramik in Böhmen.* M. Buchvaldek.  
*The arts of the first farmers* [Exhibition catalogue, Sheffield Museum]. C. Renfrew *intro.*  
*Megalithic enquiries in the west of Britain.* T. G. E. Powell *ed.*  
*Inventaire des mégalithes de France, 2. Maine-et-Loire.* M. Gruet.  
*Der Dolmen Trollasten in St. Köpinge, Schöner.* M. Stromberg.  
*Die nordischen Vollgriffschwerter der älteren und mittleren Bronzezeit.* H. Ottenjahn.  
*Die Hunsrück-Eifel-Kultur am Mittelrhein.* H. E. Joachim.  
*Ivinghoe Beacon excavations 1963-65.* M. A. Cotton and S. S. Frere.  
*The La Tène cemetery at Munsingen-Rain.* F. R. Hodson.  
*Prehistoric Russia.* T. Sulimirski.  
*Cornelii Taciti: De vita Agricola.* R. M. Ogilvie and I. A. Richmond *ed.*  
*The Romans in Britain.* A. R. Burn.  
*The Roman army* [Grosvenor Museum publ.]. G. Webster.  
*The northern frontier in Britain. Hadrian to Honorius.* J. C. Mann.  
*The ninth pilgrimage of Hadrian's wall.* E. Birley.  
*Birdoswald fort (Camboglanna).* P. Howard.  
*The Roman frontier in Wales.* 2nd ed., rev. M. G. Jarrett. V. Nash-Williams.  
*Roman London.* A. Sorrell.  
*The Roman villa in Britain.* A. L. F. Rivet *ed.*  
*Excavations at Shakenoak.* 1. A. A. C. Brodrick *et al.*  
*Anglian and Viking York* [Borthwick Papers, 33]. R. Cramp.  
*Bibliographie numismatique.* P. Grierson.  
*Anglo-Irish coins, John-Edward III, in the Ulster Museum, Belfast* [Sylloge of the coins of the British Isles, 10]. M. Dolley and W. Seaby.  
*Tradesmen's tickets and private tokens 1785-1819.* R. C. Bell.  
*Gravestone inscriptions prior to 1855.* 2 v. Selkirkshire Antiquarian Society.  
*Historical archaeology* 2/1968.  
*Conference on Historic Site Archaeology.* Papers. 1967.  
*Sources of Scottish economic and social history.* R. H. Campbell and J. B. A. Dow.  
*Mary, Queen of Scots* [Jackdaw no. 26].  
*Peterborough New Town.* Royal Commission on Historic Monuments (England).  
*Bradford in history.* H. Hird.  
*The outer isles.* 1902. A. Goodrich Freer.  
*Harris and Lewis, the outer Hebrides.* F. Thompson.  
*Dundee and district.* British Association for the Advancement of Science.  
*Largo Kirk.* D. Lister and J. Gillies.  
*The medieval mason.* D. Knoop and G. P. Jones.  
*Catalogue of misericords in Gt. Britain.* G. L. Remnant.  
*Château Gaillard III. Conference at Battle, 1966.* A. J. Taylor *ed.*  
*The decorative work of Robert Adam.* D. Stillman.  
*The Edinburgh cabinetmakers' book of prices.* 1870.  
*Journal of Ceramic History,* 1 and 2/1968.  
*Forsyth and Co., patent gunmakers.* W. Neal and D. Back.  
*Geschichte der deutschen Landwirtschaft vom frühen Mittelalter bis zum 19. Jahrhundert.* W. Abel.  
*The Shell book of country crafts.* J. Arnold.

## Meetings of the Society

*Monday, 9th February 1970, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. PIGGOTT, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.*

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows:

David John Breeze, B.A.; Miss Catherine Margery Brooks; Iain Gordon Brown; Christopher Shaw Casely; Elliott J. Dalby; James McLaren Frasers, B.SC., F.I.C.E.; James Gillies; John Anthony Greeves, M.B.(Lond.), D.P.M.; William Miller Jamieson, M.B., CH.B., L.R.C.P.&S.(Edin.), L.R.F.D.S.(Glas.); Michael Jarrett, B.A., PH.D., F.S.A.; Arthur Jolson; John David Leach, M.A.; Ian Duncan McDiarmid, D.A.; Alexander Kenneth Maclean; Donald Hector Macrae, M.A.; Edgar Peltenburg, B.A., PH.D.; Joseph Crichton Ritchie; George Shepherd, M.P.S.; John S. Smith, M.A., PH.D.; Geoffrey Stell, B.A.; Elizabeth Barry Tait; John Waddell, M.A.; Mrs Nannie MacNee Wilson, N.D.D.

The following Communication was read:

Excavations at Lundin Links Cairn Cemetery, by J. Colvin Greig, L.T.C.L., F.S.A.SCOT.

*Monday, 23rd February 1970, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. PIGGOTT, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.*

The following Communication was read:

The Role of Robert Adam in the Gothic Revival, by A. J. Rowan, DIP.ARCH., PH.D.

*Monday, 23rd March 1970, at 5.30 p.m., Lt. Col. R. L. Hunter, T.D., B.SC., M.I.MECH.E., in the Chair.*

The following Communication was read:

The Problem of Ironwork Hoards in Roman Britain, by Dr W. Manning.

*Monday, 13th April 1970, at 5.30 p.m., Mr ANGUS GRAHAM, M.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.*

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows:

Denis Thomas William Aliaga-Kelly, B.SC., A.INST.P.; James Douglas Anderson; Macdonald Thomas Peden Black, L.D.S.; Dennis Arthur Blacketer-Simmonds, M.A., M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P., F.P.H.S.; Councillor Lt.-Col. Harold Edward Branton Brightley, T.D., M.R.I., F.S.S., F.I.M.C.; Fraser Finlayson Bruce, M.A., LL.B.(St Andrews); Mrs Stella Margaret Campbell, M.A.; Paul Beskow Casely, Ronald Dalgarno Craig; Melville Cunningham; Miss Anne G. Davidson, M.A.; Mrs Enid Margaret Edwards, M.A., D.PHIL.; Lt.-Col. Tarleton Fleming-Parsons II of Cumbernauld, O.S.J., O.C.M., A.C.M., B.S., M.B.A., D.D.(HON); Reverend Andrew Gardiner, A.P.H.S.; Miss Bridget Gerdes; Marcus F. H. Greenhorne, B.SC.(Abdn.), B.A.(Cantab.), Fellow American Society; William Halbert, B.SC, A.R.C.S.T., A.M.I. CHEM.E.; Mrs Isobel Henderson, M.A.(Aberdeen), M.A., PH.D.(Cantab.); William John Lindsay, D.A., D.C., T.B.; Edward Manson, M.A.; Ingal Maxwell, DIP.ARCH.; Miss Jennifer H. S. Minay, M.A.; Gerald Mortimer, M.A.; Mrs Eleanor R. Murray; John Murray MacIver; James Edmond Reid MacMillan; John Alexander McCaughan, L.H.G.; Andrew Colin Renfrew, M.A., PH.D., F.S.A.; Mrs Jane Margaret Renfrew, M.A., PH.D.; Reverend Charles Robertson, M.A.; Brian Rodgeron Hartley, M.A., F.S.A.; Kenneth Stewart, D.A., C.G.L.I., (F.T.C.); Frederick John Taylor, B.A.; David Geoffrey Thomas, B.A.; Reverend Charles Raymond Vincent, M.A.; Archibald Watt, M.A., M.ED.; William O. Wilson.

The following Communication was read:

Birrenswark Hill Fort and its Environs, by G. Jobey, D.S.O., M.A., F.S.A.SCOT.

*Monday, 12th October 1970, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. PIGGOTT, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.*

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows:

David Whittet Anderson; Miss Marinell Ash, B.A., M.A.; Thomas Wilson Bell, M.A.; Brian Joseph Robert Blench, M.A., F.R.G.S.; Bailie Mrs Nansie Miller Boston; Clive Stephen Briggs, B.A.; Mrs Catherine A. Campbell; Miss Jean Elizabeth McInnes Comrie; Robert Arthur Daw; Mrs Edna Perry Deckler; William A. Dodd, B.ARCH.; William Stewart Dykes, M.B., CH.B., D.A., F.F.A.R.C.S.; Rev. Andrew Jeffrey Easton; John Brian Ellis, M.A.; Henry Steuart Fotheringham of Grantully; George Fowler, M.P.S.; John Vincent Glen, B.S.C.; Richard Haworth, B.A.; James William Hunter, M.A., DIP.ED.; Colin Cameron Johnston, M.A.; Thomas Edward Keen; Miss Elspeth Russell King; Mrs Alanna Knight; Ian McDonald, A.C.I.S.; Robert Handley McEwen, B.SC.; Archibald McHardy, M.A., M.ED.; Francis Saviour Mallia, DIP.ARCHAEOLOG.(Lond.); James Robert Weir Middleton; Michael John Moore, D.A.; Campbell Provan, A.R.I.C.S.; William Rankin, M.B., F.R.C.S., F.R.F.P.S.G.; Kenneth G. H. Reddie, M.A.; Miss Margaret Myles Morrison Robb, D.A.; David Peter Ross, A.R.I.B.A., A.R.I.A.S., A.M.T.P.I., D.A., DIP.T.P.; Thomas William Scragg, B.A., F.R.G.S., S.S.C.; David Russell Shearer, A.M.A.; J. G. Sinclair; Hamish Stuart Sloane, L.R.C.P.&S., L.R.S.P.S.G., M.R.C.G.P.; Douglas Fleming Stewart, M.A., LL.B., W.S.; Colin Andrew Hunter Tait; Robert Blair Wilkie, M.A.; Albert J. G. Wilson, Q.C., M.A.

The following Communication was read:

The Fifteenth-Century Altar Piece of Foulis Easter Church, by the Right Reverend Monsignor D. MacRoberts, S.T.L., F.S.A., F.S.A.SCOT.

*Monday, 9th November 1970, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. PIGGOTT, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.*

The following Communication was read:

Stone Circles in Scotland, by H. A. W. Burl, B.A.

*Monday, 8th December 1969, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. PIGGOTT, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.*

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows:

Miss Jean Urquhart, M.A.; Miss Annie Louise Branston; Miss Jaine Michele Stephanie Brisk; Alastair Lorne Campbell Yr of Airds; David Carnegie Coull, M.B., CH.B.(Aberd.), D.O.M.S.(Eng.); Col. Peter Fane Gladwin, O.B.E., Fellow Royal Commonwealth Society; William Eric George, PH.C., A.I.P.H., M.I.PHARM.M.; Miss Susan Gordon; Alexander John Haddow, C.M.G., D.SC., M.D., M.R.C.P.(Glas.), D.T.M.&H., F.R.S.E.; David Rainsford Hannay, M.A., M.B., B.CHIR., D.CH.; Mark Frederick Hulbert; Mrs Constance I. Jewell; Michael Johnstone Shannon, LL.B.; Robert Sutherland, M.A., LL.B., W.S.; Robert M. Urie, V.R.D., C.A.; Michael John Walker, M.A., B.M., B.CH., DIP.PRE.ARCH.(Oxon); Mrs Jean Stothart Wilson, A.L.A.; Peter Wright, M.A., D.PHIL.

The following Communication was read:

The Udal Excavations, a Primary Source for the West Highlands, by Iain Crawford, M.A., F.S.A.SCOT.

*Monday, 12th January 1970, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. PIGGOTT, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.*

The following Communication was read:

The Funerary Monuments of Third Millennium Scotland, by Miss A. S. Henshall, M.A., F.S.A., F.S.A.SCOT.

MINUTES OF THE ANNIVERSARY MEETING OF THE SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES OF SCOTLAND, HELD IN THE LIBRARY ON MONDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER 1970 AT 4.0 P.M., PROFESSOR STUART PIGGOTT, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., PRESIDENT, IN THE CHAIR.

The Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

Mr A. E. Truckell and Mr D. C. Cargill were appointed Scrutineers of the Ballot for Office-Bearers. The Secretary read the following Report by the Council:



*Annual Report*

The Council herewith submits to the Fellows of the Society its Report for the year ending 30th November 1970.

*Fellowship.* During the year the Society gained 120 new Fellows and lost 34 (22 through death, 1 through resignation and 11 through lapse of subscriptions, one election not completed). There were two re-instatements.

The Roll now comprises:

Honorary Fellows	20
Corresponding Members	1
Fellows	1,366
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which shows an increase of 87 Fellows during the year.

*Regular Meetings.* The Anniversary Meeting was held on 1st December 1969. Monthly meetings then continued till April 1970, and were resumed on 12th October 1970.

*Extra Meeting.* An extra meeting was held on Monday 23rd February 1970 at which A. J. Rowan, DIP.ARCH., PH.D., Dept. of Fine Art, Edinburgh University, spoke on the Role of Robert Adam in the Gothic Revival.

*Rhind Lectures.* The Rhind Lectures for 1969-70 were delivered in February 1970 by The Right Reverend Monsignor David McRoberts, S.T.L., on The Furnishing of Medieval Churches in Scotland.

*Day Conference.* A day conference on medieval Scottish Towns was held on 9th May 1970. The speakers were:

J. W. R. Whitehand	Morphology of Scottish medieval towns.
Professor A. A. M. Duncan	Early Perth.
B. O'Riordain	Medieval excavations at Dublin.
E. J. Talbot	Glasgow excavations.
Dr N. Brooks	Medieval St Andrews and excavations there.
Summary by M. Biddle. Mr R. G. Cant was in the Chair.	

*Excavations and Research.* Grants were made to the following from Society Funds for Excavation and Fieldwork for the season 1970.

Berwickshire Naturalist's Club	The domestic area of Coldingham Priory.
P. S. Gelling	Viking settlement, Skail, Deerness, Orkney.
D. J. Turner	Achanduin Castle, Lismore, Argyll.
L. R. Laing	Medieval village, Kirkconnel, Dumfries.
Dr J. K. S. St. Joseph	Roman temporary camps in Perthshire and Strathmore.
D. D. A. Simpson	Two stone circles near Fortingall, Perthshire.
L. J. Masters	Long cairn, Lochhill, New Abbey, Kirkcudbrightshire.
F. Celoria	Fraoch Eilean Castle, Loch Awe, Argyll.
Dr J. M. Coles	Mesolithic site, Morton Farm, Tentsmuir, Fife.
I. A. Crawford	Settlement, Coileagan an Udail, North Uist.
Dr A. S. Robertson	The Scottish Field School of Archaeology.
Dr E. J. Peltenberg	A cairn, at Culcharron, Benderloch, Argyll.

*The Assistant Secretary.* Major C. S. Higgins resigned in June 1970. Miss A. S. Henshall has been appointed to succeed him.

*Abstract of Accounts.* An abstract of the Treasurer's Annual Accounts was exhibited for inspection by Fellows in the Library. An abbreviated abstract of accounts has been circulated to all Fellows.

*Report from the North East Section of the Society.* The Section was formally constituted on 4th November 1969 and monthly meetings were held thereafter from December 1969 until April 1970 in Provost Ross' House, Shiprow, Aberdeen.

Fellows residing within reasonable travelling distance of Aberdeen numbered 62 at the beginning of the Session and this number rose to 73 by the end. Attendances at meetings ranged from 23 to 43.

An excursion was held on 29th August to visit Mr Colvin Greig's excavation at Cullycan, Banffshire, and 22 attended.

The Section's expenses for the Session amounted to £21-7-10 and this sum was refunded by the Treasurer.

At a meeting held on 14th April it was agreed that the first Session of the Section had been successful and it was resolved that meetings should again be held in 1970-71. A committee was elected at this meeting to hold office during the ensuing year. This was as follows:

*Chairman* Prof. R. D. Lockhart, C.L.M., M.D., LL.D., F.R.S.E.

*Secretary* Dr A. A. Woodham, B.Sc., Ph.D., F.R.I.C.

*Committee* Mr J. Caldwell, B.Sc., A.R.I.C., M.P.S.

The Rev. J. B. Clarke.

Mr M. T. McNicol, B.D.

Mr W. D. Middleton.

*Editor's Report.* Volume 100 for 1967-8, edited by Mr Gordon Maxwell, was published in March. This, the first volume in the new format has been well received, although a number of Fellows find the quality of the binding and particularly the gilt lettering on the spine somewhat unsatisfactory.

Volume 101 for 1968-9 is at present in press and it is anticipated that it will be published early in 1971. Papers and shorter notes treat of a variety of subjects, from prehistoric to post-medieval in date, and include excavation reports and more general studies. There are two long papers: one on Scottish Early Bronze Age Metalwork by Dr John Coles and one on Harbours in Eastern Scotland by Mr Angus Graham.

Sufficient material is at hand to make up Volume 102 for 1969-70, with further contributions promised. It is hoped that, with the Editorial Committee's approval, this volume will go to press early in 1971, in an attempt to bring up to date the annual publications of the Proceedings.

A grant of £450 towards the cost of Dr Coles' paper has been received from the Council of British Archaeology, and grants for other papers in Volume 101 are under consideration. These are most welcome and necessary, as printing charges have been increased by 8½% as from 1st October 1970. The implications of this will be discussed at the next meeting of the Editorial Committee, and its deliberations reported to Council.

The Report was unanimously approved on the motion of Mr J. P. Shepherd seconded by Mr A. Fenton.

*Treasurer's Report.* The Treasurer then made his report regarding the funds of the Society for 1969-1970 and read the Auditor's docquet.

The Society's Accounts for 1969-70 again show a small surplus of Income over Expenditure and with the same interest and support from the Fellowship that has been shown in the past we shall continue to prosper.

The Accounts of the Society comprise a General Fund covering the general running of the Society and its activities, and a group of more specialised funds designed to show the administration of Benefactions or of specific activities such as Excavation or the Rhind Lectures.

The General Fund shows an excess of Income over Expenditure of £1,424. With increasing membership the income from subscriptions is some £350 up. This year special attention has been paid to subscribing Libraries which tend to need constant reminders and the result has been a recovery of nearly £200 in arrears due. The item New Fellows comprises the Entry Fees paid by those who joined us during the year and the rise in this figure reflects the increased interest being shown in the Society's activities.

Interest and Dividends are up by about 10%. When we made a switch of shares last year the brokers told us we could expect somewhat higher dividends and they have been proved right.

The Administration Levy is a charge made by the General Fund, which meets all the day to day running expenses, for administering the affairs of the subsidiary specialised funds which would otherwise not bear their share of administration costs. It is based on 5% of the income collected in the subsidiary funds.

Whilst the overall figure for income has risen so has that for expenditure. Salaries are up by £136 partly due to assistance given to the Treasurer costing £60. The balance of the increase is due to higher National Insurance and S.E.T. charges. Regarding the latter, negotiations have been going on for repayment of S.E.T. paid by us since 1966 and a figure of £360 as a refund has now been claimed and is likely to be received as soon as the appropriate Government official can verify the figure from our books.

Cost of Proceedings at £2,498 would appear to show a rise of £257 over Volume 99, however the

cost shown last year is some £271 less than the true cost as the blocks had been paid for in the previous financial year 1967-8. The grant expected will I am afraid be small, only some £70 or so.

During the year the market value of almost all quoted Securities, both Gilt-edged and equities declined – even the Industrial giants such as I.C.I. lost ground and the current value of all our investment shows an expected decrease. However, Sears Holdings made a bonus issue and our holding in General Fund increased from 500 to 600, and in the Rhind Lectureship and Bannerman Funds from 250 each to 300.

A transfer of £300 was made by the Council from General Fund to Excavation Fund, and including grants authorised last year but not taken up until this year, we have been able to assist in the excavation of 11 sites.

The Accounts were approved on the motion of Professor J. MacQueen seconded by Mr G Maxwell.

The President thanked the Treasurer on behalf of the Society.

The Ballot having been concluded, the Scrutineers found and declared the list of the Council for the ensuing year to be as follows:

<i>President</i>	Professor S. Piggott, B.LITT., D.LITT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A.
<i>Vice-Presidents</i>	Lt.-Col. R. L. Hunter, T.D., B.SC., M.I.MECH.E. K. A. Steer, M.A., PH.D., F.S.A. W. F. Cormack, M.A., LL.B., W.S.
<i>Councillors</i>	B. P. Lenman, M.A., M.LITT. T. D. Thomson, C.M.G., O.B.E., M.A., LL.B. J. N. G. Ritchie, M.A., PH.D. J. H. Hendrie, M.I.M.E. D. B. Taylor R. W. B. Morris, B.L. G. Jobey, D.S.O., M.A., F.S.A. L. J. Masters, M.A. P. R. Ritchie, B.SC. G. G. Simpson, M.A., PH.D., F.S.A. E. J. Talbot, B.A. A. E. Truckell, M.B.E., M.A., F.S.A. Basil C. Skinner, M.A. W. H. T. Harris, B.A.
<i>Secretary</i>	R. B. K. Stevenson, M.A., F.S.A. (Keeper of the National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland)
<i>Treasurer</i>	A. A. Woodham, B.SC., PH.D. (Society Representative on Board of Trustees for the National Museum)
<i>Ex-Officio Members of Council</i>	Miss Anne S. Robertson, M.A., D.LITT., F.M.A., F.S.A. (Society Representative on Board of Trustees for the National Museum) B. R. S. Megaw, B.A., F.S.A. (Society Representative on Board of Trustees for the National Museum) Professor A. A. M. Duncan, M.A. (Society Representative on Board of Trustees for the National Museum) J. X. W. P. Corcoran, M.A., PH.D., F.S.A. (Editor)

The following Fellows died during the year 1969-70:

Rev. T. D. S. Bayley, M.A., F.S.A., 5 Northgate, Chichester, Sussex.	<i>Elected</i> 1959
The Rt. Hon. The Earl of Cawdor, T.D., F.S.A., Cawdor Castle, Nairn.	1948
W. Dickson, Lynedoch House, Elcho Terrace, Portobello, Edinburgh.	1923
J. M. Fletcher, 25 Embo Drive, Scotstoun, Glasgow, W.3.	1953
Lt.-Col. C. S. Henderson, M.B.E., LL.B., W.S., 50 Melville Street, Edinburgh 3.	1950
Major G. C. Home, R.A.S.C., 27 Cornwall Gardens, London, S.W.7.	1914
W. Howarth, 101 Windsor Road, Oldham, Lancs.	1963
J. A. Inglis, Achadh nan Daroch, near Bridge of Oich, Invergarry.	1928
J. MacBean, 42 Union Street, Inverness.	1941

J. M. McCulloch, 2 Cherry Tree Crescent, Balerno, Midlothian.	1954
Rev. A. Mackenzie, M.A., B.D., 4 Holmston Drive, Ayr.	1933
The Macneil of Barra, Barra House, R.F.D.4, Brattleboro, Vermont, U.S.A.	1915
A. F. Macpherson, w.s., 3 Riselaw Terrace, Edinburgh 10.	1968
G. W. Mitchell, The Neuk, Huntly, Aberdeenshire.	1935
A. J. Murray, M.A., Ardgabh, Oban, Argyll.	1950
V. Norrie, J.P., 14 Lennel Avenue, Edinburgh 12.	1944
Professor H. J. Paton, M.A., D.LITT., LL.D., F.B.A., Nether Pitcaithly, Bridge of Earn, Perthshire.	1967
Dr J. S. Richardson, LL.D., M.R.S.A., 7a Tantallon Terrace, North Berwick.	1912
Miss C. E. Richmond, M.A., Rosebank Cottage, 22 Broomhill Road, Penicuik, Midlothian	1963
Captain H. Salvesen, Inveralmond, Cramond, Edinburgh.	1958
J. Terry-Lloyd, 18 Berkley Court, Summerstrand, Port Elizabeth, S. Africa.	1941
A. W. Wilson, 173 Poynders Gardens, London, S.W.4.	1953

The following intimated his resignation:

J. R. C. Hamilton

The meeting concluded with five speakers presenting brief accounts of current or recent excavations:

1. Mr L. J. Masters – The neolithic long cairn at Lochhill, Kirkcudbrightshire.
2. Dr J. N. G. Ritchie – The chambered cairn at Achnacreebeag, Argyll.
3. Dr A. S. Robertson – The Roman fort at Cardean, Angus.
4. Mr A. D. S. Macdonald – Lochmaben Castle, Dumfriesshire.
5. Mr B. C. Skinner – The Ladies' bathing pool at Hopetoun, West Lothian.