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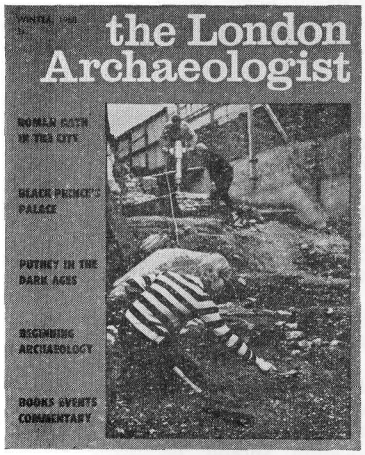

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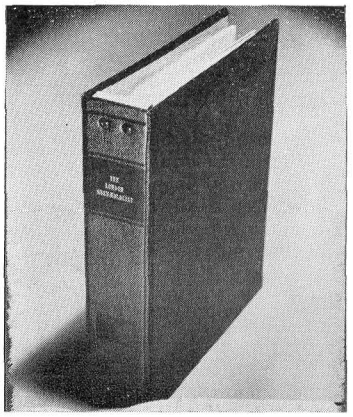

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Diary

Until 31 August, "Chaucer's London", an exhibition of medieval material drawn from all over the British Isles (see L.A. No. 14) London Museum, Kensington Palace, W.8. Weekdays 10 a.m. to 6 p.m., Sundays 2 to 6 p.m. Admission: adults 20p, children 10p, and school parties 5p per head.

Until September (at least) "Tutankhamun", an exhibition of the priceless treasures. British Museum, Great Russell Street. Weekdays 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. (except Monday mornings), Sundays 12 noon to 6 p.m. Admission: adults 50p, bonafide students, school parties, children under 12 accompanied by an adult and old-age pensioners 25p.

AUGUST

15 (8 p.m.). Kingston-upon-Thames Archaeological Society. Members' evening. Historical Research reports. Lecture Hall, Central Library, Fairfield Rd., Kingston-upon-Thames.

19 (2.15 p.m.). London Natural History Society. "Thames Strandlooping". Investigating the Thames foreshore, led by J. B. Cresswell. Bring wellingtons and waterproof gloves. Meet at London Bridge Underground station.

19 (11.30 a.m.) British Museum. "The Sutton Hoo ship burial." A lecture.

26 (3.00 p.m.) British Museum. "Sculpture from the Parthenon." A lecture.

SEPTEMBER

2 (12.45 p.m. Train, Charing Cross Station). London Natural History Society. Special field meeting at Swanscombe. Leaders: Dr. J. Waechter and Dr. B. W. Conway. Meet at Swanscombe Station, 1.49 p.m., or outside the "Rising Sun", Craylands Lane, 2.15 p.m.

5 (8 p.m.). Kingston-upon-Thames Archaeological Society. Annual General Meeting. Lecture Hall, Central Library, Fairfield Rd., Kingston-upon-Thames.

9 Hendon and District Archaeological Society. Outing to Sparsholt and Winchester. Details Martin Long, 16 Elm Close, N.W.4. (202 5832).

16 Greater London Industrial Archaeology Society. Visit to Whitechapel Bell Foundry. For further details apply: Paul Carter, 20 Chestnut Grove, Wembley, HAO 2LX.

16 (1.30 p.m.) Croydon Natural History and Scientific Society. Symposium covering work carried out in Croydon between 1970 and 1972. To be held at Unitarian Church Hall, Friends Road, Croydon. Admission by programme 40p, including tea, from K. R. Pearman, 66 Cambridge Road, Anerley, S.E.20.

19 (8 p.m.). Kingston-upon-Thames Archaeological Society. "The Duchess of Lauderdale" by H. Tims. Lecture Hall, Central Library, Fairfield Rd., Kingston-upon-Thames.

EXCAVATIONS

until 25th August

Braughing, Herts, by Braughing Hundred Archaeological Group. Excavation of substantial Late Iron Age and Romano-British site on Ermine Street. Directed by T. W. J. Potter. Inquiries to Mrs. A. Prescott, 21 Galafields Rd., Lichfield, Staffs.

Until September 1st

Baynard's Castle, City. Work continues on the North-West corner of the Castle site where features include a medieval road. 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Full-time volunteers are paid D.O.E. rates. Inquiries to Peter Marsden, Guildhall Museum, address as above

Milk Street, City, by City of London Archaeological Society on behalf of Guildhall Museum. Features include a Roman road and medieval buildings. Directed by Nicholas Farrant. Saturdays 11 a.m., Sundays 10 a.m. to 5.30 p.m. Inquiries to Gerry Stevens, 9 Rayford Ave., S.E.12 (857 4960).

Putney, by Wandsworth Historical Society. A further rescue excavation on part of the Romano-British settlement is being directed by Stan Warren. The site is in Bemish Road and is adjacent to where the first burial urns were found in 1962. Digging at weekends until the end of August—there may be some daytime and evening digging. Inquiries to S. E. Warren, 10 Dungarven Avenue, S.W.15 (876 3596).

Until September 30th

Woolwich. Excavation at the Royal Dockyard for Greenwich Borough Council and the Department of the Environment. This 23 acre site has been a naval dockyard since Tudor times, and possibly a boatyard since medieval. Nearest station: Woolwich Dockyard ($\frac{1}{4}$ mile). Inquiries to T. W. Courtney, 1 The Green, Dodford, Nr. Weedon, Northamptonshire.

Continuing

Kingston, by Kingston-upon-Thames Archaeological Society. Excavation on site of Old Kingston Bridge in Bridge Street. Summer weekends 10.30 a.m. to 6 p.m. Inquiries to Marion Smith, Kingston Museum, Fairfield Rd., Kingston, Surrey (546 8905).

Mucking, by the Department of the Environment. Ranges from a ditch of the Bronze Age to Saxon Huts. Excavation takes place seven days a week. Inquiries to Excavation Supervisor, Mucking Excavation, Standford-le-Hope, Essex.

Northolt, by Northolt Archaeological and Historical Research Group. Work is continuing on the Saxon and medieval site—Saturdays 1-5 p.m. and Sundays 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Behind St. Mary's Church, Belvue Park, Northolt. Inquiries to Bob Lancaster, Gunnersbury Park Museum, Gunnersbury Park, W.3. (922 2247).

Southwark, by Southwark Archaeological Excavation Committee. Sites close to London Bridge, full-time and weekends. Inquiries to Harvey Sheldon, Cuming Museum, Walworth Road, S.E.17. (703 6514).

The Council for British Archaeology produce a monthly Calendar of Excavations from March to September, with a final issue in January summarising the main results of fieldwork. The Calendar gives details of extra-mural courses, summer schools, training excavations and sites where volunteers are needed. The annual subscription is 80p post-free, which should be made payable to C.B.A., 8 St. Andrew's Place, N.W.1.