Summer 1991 Vol. 6 No. 11 ISSN 0024-5984

London Archaeologist

Registered charity no. 262851

EDITOR

Clive Orton

ASSISTANT EDITOR

Rhoda Edwards

SUBSCRIPTIONS

Shiela Broomfield, 8 Woodview Crescent, Hildenborough, Tonbridge, Kent TN11 9HD.

SECRETARY

Nesta Caiger, Threeways, 43a Barnehurst Avenue, Barnehurst, Bexleyheath, Kent DA7 6QA.

ADVERTISING

Betsey Kentish, 21 Gamlen Road, SW15 1AB.

PHOTOGRAPHER

John Earp

MANAGING EDITOR

Nicholas Fuentes

Subscriptions: £5.00 (U.S. & Canada \$10, by air \$15) for 4 issues per year (post free).

The London Archaeologist is published quarterly by the London Archaeologist Association, 7 Coalecroft Road, SW15 6LW, typeset by Wordsmiths, 55 East Road, London N1 6AH, and printed by Trafford Print (Colour) Ltd., Doncaster, and at 112 Bermondsey Street, London SE1 3TX, tel. (071) 378 1579.

Copyright reserved

CONTENTS

Cover: excavation and recording in the nave of Waltham Abbey during the installation of under-floor heating, 1986 (see p. 292). Photo: Peter Huggins

282 Commentary

Gromaticus

283 The London Charterhouse

Mark Barratt Chris Thomas

292 First steps towards the minster parish of London

Peter Huggins

300 Excavations and post-excavation work

301 Excavation Round-up 1990: part 2, Greater London

Joyce Filer

309 Books

312 Mosaic

back cover **Diary**