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## Proceedings of Societies.

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**BERKS ARCHÆOLOGICAL SOCIETY.**—On February 8th, the President gave a very interesting lecture on the churches of Sparsholt and Childrey, which we hope to publish in our next number. The Mayor of Reading, M. J. Sutton, Esq., occupied the chair. Mr. Keyser also kindly entertained the members to tea.

On March 1st, Captain Henderson gave an able lecture on a tour in Northern France and Paris, illustrated by excellent lantern slides taken from his photographs. Lord Saye and Sele presided, and tea was kindly provided by the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Wyly.

Mr. Peachey will lecture on "Touching for the King's Evil," on April 6th, and the Annual Meeting will be held on May 4th, when Mr. Childs, Principal of University College, Reading, will lecture on "The site of Early Reading," a subject that will doubtless lead to some animated discussion.

