

## The Berks, Bucks & Oxon Archæological Journal.

The Editors regret extremely the delay that has taken place in the issue of the April number of the Berks, Bucks and Oxon Archæological Journal. It has been caused by events over which they have no control. They have been waiting for a very important Paper which was read at a recent Meeting of the Berks Archæological Society, and which entailed considerable revision and additions before it was ready for publication. This has at length been completed by the Author, and the Editors hope that the interest and importance of the article, enriched as it is by many valuable illustrations generously presented by the President of the Berkshire Archæological Society, Mr. Charles E. Keyser, will in some way compensate the subscribers to the Journal for the delay in its issue.

With this number the Twenty-second Volume of this Journal commences. It is published in hard and difficult times. Whether it will be possible to continue the publication depends upon the duration of the War, the maintenance of and increase in the number of subscribers and the regularity with which the subscriptions are paid. Owing to the scarcity and the increased cost of paper the Publishers have been obliged to increase the price charged for printing. It will therefore be necessary slightly to increase the price of the Journal, which will in future be supplied to subscribers at an annual subscription of Six Shillings instead of Five. The Proprietor regrets this increase very much, but it is the only way by which the Journal can be carried on.