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(3) Relics from the prehistoric house and cairn excavated by C. S. T. Calder, F.S.A.Scot., at Islesburgh, Northmaven, Shetland. By J. Copland, Islesburgh.

(4) Relics from the excavation by C. S. T. Calder, F.S.A.Scot., of a prehistoric structure at Pundswater, Northmaven, Shetland. By Brig. the Hon. Wm. Fraser, Brae, Shetland.

(5) Stone axe of Langdale type, found near the farm-house of Kilmagadwood, Scotlandwell, Kinross, in 1951. By D. Nicol, Kilmagadwood.

(6) Stone axe of West Indian type. By J. B. Ross, North Berwick.

(7) Polished axe head with hafting-groove found in 1937 on Raskie Rig farm, Fauldhous by the late John Mackie. By Nisbet Mackie, Bathgate.

(8) Flint knife from Roseisle, Morayshire. By Flight Sergeant Finney, Forres.

(9) Flint implements, from the Tweed basin; polygonal pebble with an hour-glass perforation, probably from SE. Scotland. By J. F. Scott, Perth.

(10) Large barbed and tanged flint arrowhead, found last century near St John’s Church near Gardenstown, Banffshire, By W. Watson, Gllendevon.

(11) Beaker sherds from a hut-circle at Muirkirk, Ayrshire, excavated in 1913 (P.S.A.S., lxi (1926–7), 270; items of costume; a linen damask napkin 1723. By Lady Broun Lindsay, F.S.A.Scot.

(12) Beaker sherd from below a small cairn near Sarsgrum, Durness, Sutherland. By Mrs M. E. C. Stewart, F.S.A.Scot.

(13) Bronze palstave and two polished stone axes from Nether Tofts, Kirkton, Roxburghshire. By the Rev. J. B. Primrose, Robertson.


(15) Late bronze age socketed axe said to have been found about 1880 with 5 others at Easter Essenside, Ashkirk, Roxburghshire (H. Berw. N.C., 1885–6, 492; cf. P.S.A.S., 1893–4, 327). In the name of the late Charles Douglas, Gomersal, Leeds.

(16) Small bronze spearhead, probably from the Black Isle; utilised flint flake found in the Grey Cairn at Malchaichie, Ferintosh, May 1908; flint ‘fabricator’; 19th-century objects of personal use, various medals, one brass 6d token, 6 Communion tokens; from the collection of the late Dr J. J. Galbraith, F.S.A.Scot., Dingwall. By G. S. S. Galbraith, Edinburgh.


(18) Roman bronze harness mount inlaid with blue, red and pink enamel, found during
the excavations at Inchtuthil, Perthshire (Pl. XV, 3). By Captain R. E. Stevenson, Perth, through Professor I. A. Richmond, F.S.A.SCOT.

(19) Three Roman denarii, halfgroat of Robert II, groat of Robert III, forged 2d piece of Charles I, all found in the grounds of Crandum House, Midlothian. By the Executors of the late Miss Craigie-Halkett, through A. Rae, F.S.A.SCOT.

(20) Lower stone of quern from Traprain Law. By A. Brown, Edinburgh.

(21) Sherds, stone whorl and antler tine, probably all from Midhowe Broch, Orkney. By Miss Ramsay-Smith, Peebles.

(22) Bloom of iron and part of a small triangular crucible found at the broch site of Dunphail, Gartymore, Helmsdale, Sutherland (ND 015139). By J. G. Murray, Gartymore.

(23) Sherd from the broch, the Tulloch of Shalmstry, Caithness. By J. C. Wallace, F.S.A.SCOT.

(24) Lump of bronze in two fragments apparently from a large crucible of bronze scrap, found near Achnahaird, Enard Bay, Wester Ross. By C. F. Tebbutt, F.S.A.

(25) Bronze needle and sherd found at Steor Bay, Assynt, Sutherland, by the late D. M. Reid. By Mrs M. B. Reid, Stoer House.

(26) Two sherds of iron age pottery from Benegirth, Orbister, Hamar, Shetland, and one sherd from the nearby church enclosure. By L. R. Henderson, Orbister.

(27) Base of an iron age vessel and part of the rim of a craggan, found at 11 Hacklet, Bernera, Lewis. By G. MacIver, Hacklet.

(28) Sherds of iron age pottery from Mingulay. By Mrs Pritchard, Camden House, Cambridge.

(29) Small fragment of yellow-green glass cone-beaker, of the type illus. Harden, D. B., ed., Dark Age Britain (1956), Pl. XVI for XVII, a, c, from Dunadd, Argyll. By J. G. Dunbar, F.S.A.SCOT.

(30) Rectangular perforated whetstone, found by the donor in 1930 in Tweedsmuir Kirkyard. By Brig.-General E. Craig-Brown, D.S.O., F.S.A.SCOT.

(31) Thin bronze disc pierced by three ornamental openings and engraved with a leaf and broad jewelled band (Pl. XVI, 2); London cut halfpenny of Henry III, long-cross group II, Obv. no sceptre . . . REXTERCI, Rev. NIC . . . VND, (1248); medieval sherds; found by the donor in one place at Tentsmuir, Fife. By D. Henderson, F.S.A.SCOT.

(32) Bronze animal head from a ewer, 14th century (Pl. XVI, 1); small bronze pricket candlestick, gilt and originally enamelled, 14th–15th century; bronze candlestick with trumpet-mouth base, 2 candle sockets and a central spike, c. 1500 (Pl. XVI, 3, 4); from the pre-war excavations by the Ministry of Works at Bothwell Castle, Lanarkshire. By the Right Hon. the Earl of Home.

(33) Gold ring with flower bezel, inscribed AVE MARIA GRACIA PLENA on the hoop, probably 14th century (P.S.A.S., xci (1957–8), 193–4). Presented in the name of the late Dr G. Munro, M.B., Kergord, Weisdale, by his daughter, Mrs R. D. Winton.

(36) Medieval comb, signet ring and badge, all of base metal, recovered during pre-war excavations at Lincluden College, Dumfries. By his Grace the Duke of NORFOLK, through the Ministry of Works.

(37) Late medieval three-legged skillet, bought in Edinburgh. By Mrs C. W. HOLYROOD, Edinburgh.

(38) Two pieces of a medieval glazed earthenware jar, found in the grounds of Logie House, Bridge of Allan. By Miss JANE ALLCROFT-HARDING, Bridge of Allan.

(39) Large embroidered panel of the Royal Arms of Scotland, as borne by James VI, long preserved in the family of Hay of Hopes. By E. F. A. HAY, Pershore, Worcestershire.

(40) Turner of William II of Scotland dated 1695. By Mrs CASWELL, Musselburgh.

(41) Leather purse or early sporran, probably late 17th century. By Mrs M. A. CAREY, London.

(42) Small sandstone disc decorated with five dots joined up with a circle and a cross, found by the donor at Lour, Angus. By Miss J. PHILLIP, Letham, Angus.

(43) Socket stone of red quartzite, from Nydie Mains Farm, St Andrews. By D. FARMER, Nydie Mains.

(44) Baptismal basin (1797), Communion cup (1795) of Newlands Relief Kirk; a cup of ‘The Associated Congregation at Lintoun 1761’, all of pewter. By the KIRK SESSION OF TRINITY CHURCH, West Linton, through J. Lochhead, Bonnyrigg.

(45) Lead seal, probably from a bale of merchandise. By G. FORBES, Edinburgh.

(46) Samplers, articles of clothing and other objects, mainly Victorian. By the executors of the late Miss C. E. C. HUTCHESON, Broughty Ferry.

(47) Jewellery of 18th-century date; 18th and 19th-century costume, linen damask, and other articles; piece of tartan cloth worn at Culloden. By Miss A. BRUCE, Edinburgh.

(48) Mourning ring of jet with gold bezel, wooden souvenirs and other articles of costume and personal use. By Miss J. M. McGILL, Musselburgh.

(49) White work sampler, worked by Jenny Grant in 1725; Indian shawl of 1780–1800; linen damask napkin ‘Eleanor Hamilton 1755’; baby’s linen cap; piece of lace; gold mourning ring ‘John Ballard Ob. 16 Feb. 1787 Ae. 53’. By Canon J. M. BALLARD, Edinburgh.

(50) Mourning ring 1784, cravat-pin, and heart brooches; bone implement. By Miss E. J. BEGG, F.S.A.SCOT.

(51) Hair bracelet with gold clasp which belonged to the donor’s grandmother, Mrs Elizabeth Rennie, who took it to Fiji in 1868. By Mrs Z. BORRON, Fiji.

(52) Collection of pieces of tartan cloth woven by Messrs Wilson of Bannockburn, 5 letters ordering tartans, and miscellaneous papers. By Mrs J. MITCHELL, Glasgow.

(53) Snuff-box made of two polished moss agates mounted in pinchbeck. By Messrs JAMESON and PURVEY, Edinburgh.

(54) Small engraved silver casket, early 19th century, containing what is said to be hair of Mary, Queen of Scots. By Mrs DE LEMOS, London.

(55) Ivory tape measure holder, metal pencil holder, with views of Edinburgh and Forres. By Mrs J. A. BROWN, Musselburgh.

(56) Table snuff horn, silver mounted, set with brilliants and a rock crystal, having 5 ‘implements’ attached, early 19th century. By Mrs WARREN, Weymouth.
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(58) Two paste cameos of Robert Burns, 8 stone and glass seals, all by Laurence Butters of Edinburgh, the donor’s great-grandfather; ‘The Diploma of the Royal Company of Scottish Archers in favour of Laurence Butters, Engraver etc.’, 1826; ‘Laws and Regulations of the Society of High Constables’, Edinburgh 1831. By Mrs WRIGHT, Bebington, Cheshire.


(60)–(63) Examples of linen damask by: Miss E. M. LONGMUIR, St Andrews; Mrs POTTS, Torquay; Miss E. A. REID, Buchlyvie; Miss C. M. SLADE, Stratford-on-Avon.

(64) Three linen damask cloths and three glazed earthenware plates. By Miss C. R. STEWART, Bathgate.

(65) Brown glazed ‘Paisley pattern’ plate by Scott, Portobello, early 19th century. By EDINBURGH CITY LIBRARY AND MUSEUMS.

(66) Willow pattern plate and two glazed earthenware mugs. By Miss PHILLIPS, Aberlady.

(67) Mid-19th-century earthenware jug with figures of Marquess of Breadalbane, his gillie and dog. By Miss CAMERON, Edinburgh.

(68) 18th-century sack back dress of brocaded silk and a pair of black silk shoes. By J. LOWRIE, Humble.

(69)–(85) Items of costume by: Miss J. G. BAIRD, Kinross; Miss BARR, Edinburgh; the Misses BLACKIE, Edinburgh; Miss BUIST, Edinburgh; Miss CAW, Edinburgh; Mrs J. B. V. CUMMINGS, Carlops; Miss M. H. FOGWILL, Edinburgh; Miss E. H. N. GEORGESON, Edinburgh; Miss KIRKHOPE, Edinburgh; Miss F. M. MCNEILL, Edinburgh; Mrs A. G. MAXWELL, Edinburgh; Miss Nicholls, Edinburgh; Miss RAE, Broughton; Dr A. B. Scott, Dundee; The Trustees of the late Miss VEITCH, Carlops, per Miss Caw; Miss D. WHYTE, Edinburgh; the Misses E. and A. WILSON, East Linton.

(86) Chinese carved ivory fan and a silver-mounted parasol covered with cream tatting. By C. CAMPBELL of Jura, Melrose.

(87) Sunbonnet worn by women field-workers in Fife c. 1870–80; photographs; a ploughman’s testimonial, 1889. By Miss M. BLYTH, Dundee.

(88) Costume, articles of personal use, farm implements. By the Misses MACDONALD, Huntly.

(89) Agricultural and household implements, from various localities. By A. FENTON, F.S.A.SCOT.

(90) Kitchen utensils, costume, a cradle, farm implements, photographs of farm life, from Ardoyno, Insch, Aberdeenshire. By L. JAFFREY, Ardoyno.

(91) Folding chair, bannock spade and other kitchen utensils. By L. MCHARDY, Turriff.

(92) Mahogany commode and chair, c. 1800; teapot; leather portmanteau. By G. PATerson, Watston, nr. Doune, Perthshire.

(93) The complete contents of the parlour and many other domestic items from the house of the late James Hamilton, at 66, Cannethan Street, Stonehouse, Lanarkshire. By Mrs GRACE BEVERIDGE, Hamilton.

(94) Some cabinet-maker’s tools. By the Rev. J. D. LYFORD PIKE, F.S.A.SCOT.

(95) Shoemaker’s knee-plate with iron last; a wooden last; used by the donor’s grandmother in Clachnaharry, Inverness-shire. By Miss A. B. WEBSTER, Edinburgh.
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(96) The contents of the Smiddy at Broxburn, East Lothian, long in the possession of
the Reid family. By Messrs J. Reid and Son, Broxburn.

(97) Miniature gardener's basket made by the donor's great-grandfather. By J. A. Bell,
Edinburgh.


(99) 19th-century leather powder flask, stamped 'J.U.' for James Ure. By Miss Hendry,
Glasgow.

(100)-(135) Items of farm equipment by: D. Anderson, Turriff; Mrs Arnot, Kippen;
J. Baird, Selkirk; W. Beddie, Forgue; A. Broadfoot, Dunblane; W. Broadfoot,
Kirkconnel; A. Campbell, Edinburgh; Mrs M. M. Douglas, Rothienorman;
Mrs A. Fenton, Turriff; Mrs E. E. Fenton, Edinburgh; W. Garden, Auchter-
less; W. A. Gemmell, Kinbuck; Mrs Gray, Oyne; J. Grieve, Fowlis; Miss
Hendry, Glasgow; J. Hunter, Pitglossie; Mrs Laird, Duns; W. Maxwell,
Blairdrummond; W. Merson, Turriff; Mrs Miller, Crieff; A. Morrison,
Turriff; J. McCowan, Kippen; F. McDiarmid, Crieff; Mrs N. McMillan,
Bromborough; Miss Peddie, Crieff; C. Scott, Insch; W. Scrimgeour, Crieff;
Mrs S. J. Simpson, Keith; J. Smith, Turriff; J. Stevenson, Blairdrummond;
Major Falconer Stewart of Feddal, Perthshire; J. Tawse, Turriff; J. Taylor,
Crieff; D. Thow, Balquhidder; Mr and Mrs Wisely, New Pitsligo; T. Young,
Newton Mearns.

(136) Advertiser's token of brass; 3 late 19th-century photographs; tartan souvenir. By
Dr J. S. Richardson, F. S. A. Scot.

(137) Two 19th-century olive wood whist markers. By the Misses Ross, Edinburgh.

(138) Large brass seal bearing an anchor and a thistle, and inscribed 'Borrowstone's'.
By Mrs M. Ramage Dawson, Kinross.

(139) Seven golf clubs. By Mrs N. Mackenzie, Edinburgh.

(140) Adjustable iron head for a golf club, made by 'Urquhart'. By G. W. Smith,
Edinburgh.

(141) Collection of pieces of pewter and a communion token mould (D. Sturrock, Mid-
holm 1855). By the late J. F. Sturrock, Aberfeldy.

(142) Communion token of Redgorton Parish, 1817. By W. Bruce, Redgorton.


(144) One-pound note of the East Lothian Banking Company, of Dunbar, 1821. By
W. M. Mabberley, Haddington.

(145) Specimens of United Kingdom coins struck in 1958. By the Deputy Master
Royal Mint.

(146) Gold medal of the Society of Antiquaries of London, presented to V. Gordon
Childe in 1956. By the Society of Antiquaries of London (to the Society of
Antiquaries of Scotland).

**Purchases**

Polished mace-head of grey and white gneiss, from Ardroil, Uig, Lewis. (NB 046320)
(Pl. XV, 1). It has the unusual plano-convex shape more markedly than the specimens
from Great Bernera discussed in *P.S.A.S.*, lxxiii (1949-50), 219. This addition, with
that described in vol. 1952-3, 201, makes 6 'cushion mace-heads' known from Lewis
(of which 2 are plano-convex) out of a total of 28 from Scotland.

Tanged and barbed flint lance head from Nairn.
Chert spearhead, probably Central American.
Short-cross sterling of Alexander III (Roxburgh) (see Notes, p. 245 and Pl. XVI); groat of James III; medals, Charles I (1628), Robert Burns, General Moore.
Two Aberdeen long double cross sterlings of Alexander III; groat of James I and five of James II; five six-shilling pieces of James VI (1612, 1615, 1617, 1618), one of Charles I (1626) (see Notes, p. 246); forty-shilling piece, William II.
Single-cross sterling of Alexander III from the Whittonstall Hoard.
Jewelled and enamelled locket with cameo of Mary Queen of Scots (see Notes, p. 244, Pl. XIV).
Bronze seal-top spoon believed found at Blairhall, Perthshire.
Spherical silver teapot by George Robertson, Aberdeen, c. 1725.
Sampler, map of Scotland, 1809.
Alloa Curling Club pebble-set silver medal, 1844.
Painted drinking glass, arms of Inglis.
Painted papier-maché snuff box.
Laurencekirk boxes, Prestonpans glazed figures, three 18th-century embroidered badges.
Various snuff boxes and souvenirs, mostly of wood.
Earthenware plaque from an 18th-century mould by Bagnall’s of Glasgow (see Fleming, A., Scottish Pottery, pp. 122–5).
Two intaglios and a seal by Laurence Butters (see Donations, above, p. 255).
Boat-shaped pebble brooch, 1865.
Brass tipstaff, ‘Fifeshire No. 23’.
Wooden baton ‘Aberdeenshire Constabulary’.
Spinning wheel and wool-winder, ‘James Park, Kilmacolm, fecit for M. Crawford’.
Letters and tartan samples, Wilsons of Bannockburn, first half 19th century.
Collection of agricultural implements and cart wheels from near Comrie, Perthshire.

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Donations

Approach to Archaeology. S. Piggott. By The Author.
Town and Country Planning Act, List of Buildings of Special Architectural or Historic Interest: The Burgh of Thurso. By the Department of Health for Scotland.
In addition, offprints of papers, exhibition guides, have been presented by Professor J. G. D. Clark, Miss Connor, Mrs Curle, T. A. Davis, R. H. M. Dolley, E. Estyn Evans, H. Hodges, A. T. Lucas, S. Maxwell, R. Nierhaus, Mr and Mrs Pinto, A. Savours, R. B. K. Stevenson, J. A. Symon, S. Thompson, The British Council, City of Leicester Museums and Art Gallery, the Department of Prehistoric Archaeology, University of Edinburgh, Edinburgh Libraries and Museums Committee, the Export of Works of Art Reviewing Committee, the Gallery of English Costume, Glasgow Art Galleries and Museums Association, the Hermitage Museum Leningrad, the Historical Manuscripts Commission, the Iona Community, Leeds City Museum, Liverpool Libraries Museums and Arts Committee, Manchester Museum, the Manx Museum, the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the Ministry of Works, the National Library of Scotland, the National Museum of Ireland, the National Museum of Wales, the National Trust for Scotland, the Royal Ontario Museum, the Salisbury and S. Wiltshire Museum, the Scottish Anthropological and Folk-lore Society, the Scottish Country Industries Development Trust, the Scottish Record Office, la Société Préhistorique d’Ariege, the West Highland Museum.

Purchases

Life and Death in the Bronze Age. C. Fox.
Dorset Barrows. L. V. Grinsell.
Manuel d’Archéologie Préhistorique, Celtique et Gallo-romaine, vi, 1 and 2 (1934). A. Grenier.
Gwthian, Ten Years’ Work (West Cornwall Field Club). A. C. Thomas.
Excavations in Southwark. K. M. Kenyon.
Roman Colchester. M. R. Hull.
Abbeys. R. Gilyard-Beer.
Tintagel Castle, Cornwall. C. A. Ralegh Radford.
Stonehouse. R. Naismith (1885).
The Church of Lyne and Megget. Dr Gunn (1911).
The Church of Traquair and the Church of Kailzie. Dr Gunn (1931).
Culloden Moor and Clava Circles; Craigower Falls etc. National Trust for Scotland.
The Silver Bough, ii. F. M. McNeill.
European Armour. C. Blair.
The Macleods. I. F. Grant.
Scottish Wine Labels and Scottish Provincial Marks. A. Cuthbert.
MEETINGS OF THE SOCIETY

Monday, 14th December 1959, The Right Hon. Lord Clyde, LL.D., in the Chair
A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: the Rev. J. M. Donn; the Rev. R. Iain Hutcheson; W. M. Rennie; I. G. Scott.
The following Communication was read:

Monday, 11th January 1960, the Right Hon. Lord Clyde, LL.D., in the Chair
A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Honorary Fellows: Professor Myles Dillon; Dr Hugh Hencken; A. D. Lacaille; Dr Hugh Marwick; Dr C. J. S. Marstrander; Dr. R. C. Reid; Dr. W. Schleiermacher. Mrs H. G. Miller was elected a Fellow.
The following Communications were read:

Monday, 15th February 1960, the Right Hon. Lord Clyde, LL.D., in the Chair
A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: J. Graham Henderson; W. D. Middleton.
The following Communication was read:
‘The Highland Garrisons’, by Iain MacIvor, M.A., F.S.A.SCOT.

Monday, 14th March 1960, the Right Hon. Lord Clyde, LL.D., in the Chair
A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: Mrs Janet H. Caird, M.A.; Professor I. M. Campbell, M.A.; Miss Grace Elliot, F.S.M.C.; Thomas Hamilton; Roger Lines; R. E. MacCallum, M.A., DIP.ED.; B. L. Mackrory.
The following Communication was read:

Monday, 28th March 1960, K. A. Steer, M.A., PH.D., F.S.A., in the Chair
The following Communication was read:

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: the Rev. William Cochrane, M.B.E., B.SC.; G. A. Gordon; Robert Porteous.
The following Communication was read:

Monday, 9th May 1960, the Right Hon. Lord Clyde, LL.D., in the Chair
A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: C. A. Ralegh Radford, M.A., F.B.A., F.S.A.; L. H. Slade; I. C. Walker.
The following Communication was read:
‘Caerlaverock Castle’, by Iain MacIvor, M.A., F.S.A.SCOT.
Monday, 10th October 1960, the Right Hon. Lord Clyde, LL.D., in the Chair

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: Robert F. Bandeen, J.P.; John H. Brown, A.G.I.Q.S., A.I.A.S., F.R.S.A.; Colin Campbell; Miss Fairlie Cuninghame; Mrs N. M. Duff; M. Torquil MacNeill, b.a.; Miss A. C. Methven; Major W. K. Ottewill, m.a.; Mrs Iain Ramsay, yr. of Kildalton; Patrick E. Stewart-Blacker.

The following Communication was read:
'Mid-Argyll: A Field Survey', by Miss Marion Campbell of Kilberry, F.S.A.SCOT.

Monday, 14th November 1960, Mrs M. E. C. Stewart, M.A., Ph.D., in the Chair

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: Miss Sheila Bolton, b.a., F.I.L., F.R.S.A.; Hubert W. A. Elliot; J. Colvin Greig, L.T.C.L.; Mrs Betty S. Hart; Mrs Lily M. Macmillan; David T. Parker; Allan Wilson, b.a.

The following Communication was read:
'The Late Bronze Age in Scotland', by J. M. Coles, M.A., Ph.D., F.S.A.SCOT.

MINUTES OF THE ANIVERSARY MEETING OF THE SOCIETY OF ANTIQUARIES OF SCOTLAND
HELD IN THE LIBRARY ON WEDNESDAY, 30TH NOVEMBER 1960 AT 4 P.M., THE RIGHT HON.
LORD CLYDE, LL.D., PRESIDENT, IN THE CHAIR.

The Minutes of the last Meeting were read and approved.

Ballot for Office-Bearers.

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

President
The Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A.

Vice-Presidents
Mrs M. E. C. Stewart, Ph.D.
J. M. Davidson, O.B.E., F.C.I.S., F.S.A.
Professor Kenneth Jackson, M.A., Litt.D., F.B.A.

Councillors
Professor Denys Hay, M.A.
William Kirk, M.A.
Iain MacIvor, M.A.
B. R. S. Megaw, B.A., F.S.A.
The Right Hon. Lord Clyde, LL.D

Miss Marion Campbell of Kilberry
Horace Fairhurst, Ph.D.
Alexander Kennedy
A. L. F. Rivet, M.A., F.S.A.

Secretaries
Angus Graham, M.A., F.S.A.
J. G. Scott, B.A.

For Foreign Correspondence
Professor Stuart Piggott, B.Litt., D.Litt.Hum., F.B.A., F.S.A.
Miss Anne S. Robertson, M.A., F.S.A., F.M.A.

Treasurer
James J. Lamb, O.B.E., M.A., LL.B., W.S.
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Expert Advisers

James S. Richardson, LL.D., H.R.S.A.
M. R. Dobie, C.B.E., B.A.

In addition the Keeper of the Museum (R. B. K. Stevenson, M.A., F.S.A.), is, ex officio, a Member of Council and also The Right Hon. the Earl of Haddington, K.T., M.C., T.D., LL.D., while he is one of the Society’s representatives on the Board of Trustees for the National Museum of Antiquities of Scotland.

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


The Secretary read the following List of Members deceased during the year 1959–60:

Fellows Elected

Sir William M. Calder, M.A., LL.D., F.B.A., Presley Cottage, Dunphail, Morayshire. 1930
Professor Arthur Adams, 9 Ashburton Place, Boston, 8, Mass., U.S.A. 1948
John Currie, 20 Arboretum Street, Nottingham. 1955
James Douglas, Ednam House, Great Bookham, Surrey 1939
R. H. Dundas, M.A., Christ Church, Oxford. 1921
J. Fairbairn, Shotheads, Oxnam, Jedburgh. 1938
F. A. Ferguson, Duncraig, Castle Street, Brechin. 1928
R. D. S. Grant, M.A., Seaview, Muchalls, Aberdeenshire. 1941
J. Leese, Dhu Varran, 267 Clepington Road, Dundee. 1937
Lieut.-Col. W. Leith-Ross, M.C., Moungan, Station Road, Ellon, Aberdeenshire. 1943*
F. S. Leveson-Gower, Traveller’s Club, Pall Mall, London. 1902*
L. H. Liddle, F.R.I.C.S., Coombe House, Axminster, Devon. 1935
John MacDonald, 1622 Parker Street, Vancouver, B.C., Canada. 1950
Miss M. O. MacDougall, 6 Dalneigh Road, Inverness. 1945
Major J. G. Marwick, 21 Graham Place, Stromness, Orkney. 1925
W. A. Munro, D.Litt., 7 Laverockbank Terrace, Edinburgh, 5. 1932
R. M. Pringle, 2 Inverleith Row, Edinburgh, 3. 1966
Sir Robert Russell, 43 Grange Road, Edinburgh, 9. 1955
L. G. Scott, Rocklea, Lerwick, Shetland. 1935
E. S. R. Tait, Braknahool, Scalloway, Shetland. 1916*
Alexander Westwater, c/o The Bank of Scotland, Lochgelly, Fife. 1937

The following have intimated their resignation: Miss J. Allan; Mrs I. E. H. Crome; Donald G. Duff; Donald Gillies; A. Esme Gordon; Mrs Helen Hill-Scott; Rev. C. Rogersson; G. Mackenzie Trench.

The Secretary read the following Report by the Council on the affairs of the Society.

* Life Fellow.
ANNUAL REPORT


Fellowship. 42 Fellows were elected during the past year and 7 Honorary Fellows, of whom 3, Professor Hencken, Dr Reid and Mr Lacaille, were Fellows of the Society. 23 Fellows died including our late President Sir William Calder, who held office from 1950 to 1955 and was Rhind Lecturer in 1948. 8 Fellows resigned and 11 allowed their membership to lapse. There are therefore at present 939 Fellows, 14 Honorary Fellows, 1 Lady Associate and 2 Corresponding members. Our one Lady Associate, Dr Margaret Murray, completes today 60 years in that position and a letter of congratulation has been sent to her on behalf of the Society.

Meetings. Meetings of the Society were held each month from October 1959 to May 1960 as well as the Anniversary Meeting and an extra meeting for Professor Richmond's annual report on his work at Inchtuthil.

Rhind Lectureship. A highly successful series of Rhind Lectures was given by Mr J. B. Ward Perkins, Director of the British School at Rome, his subject being Roman Imperial Art. This coming year Professor Haseloff of Würzburg is to give the Lectures on The Origins of Later Celtic Art.

Proceedings. Volume XCI is just about to be published and it is hoped that various changes that have now been made as regards printers will enable volumes to be issued more expeditiously in future. Four new libraries became subscribers to the Proceedings and two new exchanges have been arranged. At present the Society exchanges with 131 Societies, British and foreign, and 76 libraries subscribe.

Excavations. Grants for excavations were made to Mr Feachem, Miss Marshall, Dr Reid, Dr Steer, Mrs Stewart, Dr Wainwright, Mrs Young and Miss Henshall. Dr Reid's grant, which was for excavations to be carried out by Mr A. C. Thomas, was not after all required, as he obtained the money from another source.

Gunning Fellowship. The Fellowship was awarded to Mr Alexander Fenton, Assistant Keeper, who visited Folk Museums in England and Wales.

Chalmers-Jervise Prize. The results of the Chalmers-Jervise Prize under the new regulations were announced in the spring of 1960. The Prize was awarded to Dr J. M. Coles for a paper on Scottish Swan's-Neck Sunflower Pins, which will be published in Volume xcni of the Proceedings. The next award of the Prize will be in 1962.

This Report was unanimously approved on the motion of the President seconded by Mr J. H. Hendrie.

The Treasurer then made a statement regarding the funds of the Society for 1959–60, which had been duly audited. The Accounts were unanimously approved on the motion of the President seconded by Commander More-Nisbett.

Lord Clyde thanked the retiring members of Council for their services and expressed the interest and pleasure he had derived from his own term of office. He then invited the new President, Lord Migdale, to take the Chair. Lord Migdale did so and thanked Lord Clyde for all that he had done for the Society during his Presidency and hoped that he might serve it as well.

A talk on the work of the Islay Survey Group was given by Mr Francis Celoria, B.A., F.S.A.SCOT. At the conclusion of the meeting sherry was served to Fellows and friends.
1. Mace-head from Ardroil, Lewis. 2. Flint adze from Kimback, Fife. 3. Enamelled harness mount from the Legionary Fortress, Inchtuthil, Perthshire

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1, 3 and 4. Medieval objects from Bothwell Castle, Lanarkshire. 2. Bronze disc from Tentsmuir, Fife.
5. Sterling of Alexander III. 6-9. Other obverses of the same issue

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