

R E P O R T  
OF  
**The Society of Antiquaries**

OF  
NEWCASTLE-UPON-TYNE.

ANNUAL MEETING, M.DCCC.XCV.

IN presenting to the members of the Society of Antiquaries of Newcastle-upon-Tyne the report for the year just ended, the council has not many important events to commemorate. The number of members is now 339, showing an increase of three from the preceding year. There has been a good supply of papers on antiquarian subjects, and the monthly meetings at the castle have been attended by a large number of members who have been rewarded for their diligence by several interesting discussions.

The literary activity of some of our members has been usefully displayed in various fields of archaeological research. Mr. Richard Welford's *Men of Mark 'twixt Tyne and Tweed* will help to preserve from unmerited oblivion many of our Northumbrian worthies. Mr. Maberly Phillips's *History of Banks, Bankers and Banking, in Northumberland, Durham, and North Yorkshire*, is a monument of patient industry and research, and will be invaluable to the future describer of life and manners in the North of England during the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries, besides recalling attention to a class of men whose unostentatious services to the community seldom meet with the recognition which they deserve. Mr. R. Oliver Heslop has at length brought to a conclusion his work on *Northumberland Words*, in which, with remarkable assiduity and ability, he has collected and preserved the folk-speech of Tyneside and the northernmost county of England. Another volume of the *New County History of Northumberland* is on

the eve of publication. We have to regret that the editor, Mr. Bateson, has now ended his connection with this interesting enterprise, but are glad to welcome his successor, Mr. A. B. Hinds, amongst the members of this society.

The Northumberland Excavation Committee has, during the past year, made researches at the Roman camp of AESICA, the results of which are detailed in their report.\* The discovery of scale-armour, rings and *fibulae*†, which must apparently have belonged to an officer of somewhat high rank in the Roman army, is an important event, and should stimulate the committee and the subscribers to the fund to undertake with fresh energy the campaign of 1895.

We have as usual to lament the gaps caused by death in the circle of our members. Sir Charles Thomas Newton, K.C.B., the illustrious discoverer of the sculptures of Halicarnassus, who was for many years keeper of Greek and Roman Antiquities at the British Museum, was the oldest member of our society,‡ having been elected as an honorary member in the year 1841. He died on the 28th November, 1894, aged 78 years.

A somewhat similar official position was held by another honorary member, Col. August von Cohausen, who was Conservator of the Museum of Antiquities at Wiesbaden, who died suddenly at that city on the 2nd December, 1894, at the age of 83. We have the satisfaction of knowing that it was the work of our late revered vice-president, Dr. Bruce, on the Roman Wall, which stimulated him to undertake those researches in his own country, which have for ever connected his name with the Roman *Limes Imperii* between the Rhine and the Danube, and to which he joyfully devoted so large a portion of his life.

The country meetings during the year have been well attended, and thanks are due to those gentlemen who so kindly received and entertained members, especially to Mr. Trevelyan of Netherwitton hall, Mr. Chaytor of Witton castle, and our secretary, Dr. Hodgkin, at Bamburgh castle.

\* See it at page xxii. † See *Proceedings*, vi. pp. 241-5.

‡ M. Ferdinand Denis, the next oldest on the list, who was head librarian of the 'Bibliothèque S<sup>te</sup> Geneviève' at Paris, died in the month of August, 1892, at the age of ninety-two years.

It will be observed that the name of 'His Excellency John Sigismund von Mösting' of Copenhagen, appears at the head of the list as the oldest member of the society; but he died so long ago as Sept. 6, 1843, 1759 having been the year of his birth.

The council gratefully records its high appreciation of the gift, by Mr. J. C. Brooks, one of the vice-presidents, of his large and valuable collection of portraits and autographs.

Considerable progress has been made with the supplement to the *Lapidarium Septentrionale*, and it is hoped that part of it may be ready for issue to the members in the course of the year.

One of the vice-presidents of the society, the Rev. Dr. Greenwell, has just made some most important discoveries in Durham cathedral. The foundations of the eastern termination of St. Carilef's church which was begun in August, 1093, have been partly uncovered, and they show that the plan of the east end comprised three apses and not as has been supposed one great apse with an encircling aisle. It is hoped that Mr. Greenwell will read a paper on the subject.

We have received the following report from the librarian (Mr. M. Mackey, junr.):—

'In addition to the stock value included in the treasurer's report (p. xx), the following are a few notes for the consideration of the council. To take into consideration whether such works as Surtees's *History of Durham*, Hodgson's *History of Northumberland*, Whitaker's *Richmondshire*, and others equally scarce and valuable, should be allowed to circulate. Several local books of importance are not in the library, such as Sharp's *History of Hartlepool*, either first or second edition, Summers's *History of Sunderland*, and Lonsdale's *Cumberland Worthies*, in five volumes, which contains biographical notices of local worthies not to be found elsewhere, and a fitting companion to Atkinson's *Worthies of Westmorland*, already on our shelves. It would be advisable to purchase these. Several volumes of the publications of the Surtees Society are wanted to complete the society's set. These should be got; as time goes on many of them will be more difficult to procure. In conclusion, I think we should have in our library all works of local interest, especially relating to the history and topography of the district.'

The following is the report of the curators (Messrs. C. J. Spence and R. Oliver Heslop) presented to us:—

'During the years 1892, 1893, and 1894 the total number of donations to the museum have been sixty, comprising about one hundred and eighty-six separate objects. These include the 'Richard

Caïl collection' of sculptured stones, numbering seventy-five objects, presented by the executors of our late vice-president:

An epitome of the remaining donations shows the following relationship:—

*Prehistoric*, nine objects (including three sepulchral food vessels, two implements of stone, one bronze spear-head, and three fragments attributable to this era).

*Roman*, nine objects (including the large altar from Binchester, three centurial stones, and five objects of lesser consequence).

*Medieval*, six objects (including the fine ewer found in Pudding Chare, Newcastle, presented by our librarian):

*Weapons*, nine, of various dates (including five firearms of recent times and three swords).

*Coins*, nine (eight English and Scotch, one Wisby).

*Photographs, Drawings, and Casts*, twenty-five.

*Cannon Balls*, four of various dates from seventeenth century.

*Domestic Articles* (chiefly objects of comparatively recent date, but which have now, or about, gone out of use); thirty-four.

*Foreign objects*, five Indian gods, and a set of African bagpipes of grotesque construction (the latter presented by our librarian).

Efforts have been continued in the direction of a systematic arrangement of the contents of the Black Gate museum, but the conditions render this task necessarily slow. Many of the old cases were originally intended for altogether different situations; and they are at the best ill adapted for exhibition; whilst the imperfect lighting of the museum adds a further difficulty in the way of their disposal in an endeavour to show the contents to advantage. Supplemental cases of special design and suitable construction have been added at the personal cost of one of the curators, and it is hoped that the furniture of the museum may be further modified in the same direction by the society itself.

Improvements have been made in the arrangement of objects in the castle with a view of rendering the contents of the main building more attractive to visitors, and of compensating, to some extent, for the deplishing which took place on the formation of the Black Gate museum. In addition to the banners required to complete the series in the Great Hall, other objects of interest might be included with advantage: Collections of weapons and armour would be especially suitable for the purpose:

The representations of your curators of the danger to the public through the unprotected condition of the openings in the parapet of the castle have been met by the Mayor and Corporation of the city, and the thanks of the society are due to them, and to the city engineer Mr. W. G. Laws, for the courtesy and promptitude with which the open embrasures have been efficiently protected by strong iron bars.

The carronades and their mountings still lie on the gun platforms in a condition of dismantlement and decay, and your curators beg to suggest that old ship's gun-carriages be obtained to remount these now antiquated accessories to the castle.

Appended is a list of donations to the museum during the three years ending 31st December, 1894:—

1892?

- Jan. 27. From the late J. W. BARNES, Durham—  
 Five coins found at Neville's Cross—two Robert II. (1371-90); Edinburgh and Perth; half groat, London; penny, York; penny, Durham, 1327-1377.  
 Water-colour drawing of window in Holy Island church, by T. S. Good.  
 Twelve etchings, by Good (*Proc.* vol. v. p. 133).
- From C. C. HODGES—  
 Three photographs of illuminations to a MS. of Cassiodorus in Durham Chapter library (*ibid.*).
- From M. MACKAY, jun.—  
 A large earthenware pitcher; 13½ inches high; 4½ inches diameter at mouth, and 6½ inches at base, found during excavations in Wallace's Yard, Pudding Chare, Newcastle. It was found embedded in solid clay, surrounded by oak stakes 6 inches apart (*ibid.* p. 134).
- Feb. 24. From W. LISLE, Bilsmoor Foot (per D. D. Dixon)—  
 Iron cannon ball, weighing 5 lbs. 4 oz., found in 1886 in the heather on Carrock Moor, near Elsdón, Redesdale.
- Mar. 30. From R. G. BOLAM, Berwick—  
 Grant on parchment from Queen Elizabeth (1587) of tenement at Souther Field, Berwick, with pendent seal (*Proc.* v. p. 146).
- From JOHN GIBSON—  
 Fragment of gravestone from Darn Crook, Newcastle (*ibid.*).
- Apr. 27. From J. CRAWFORD HODGSON, Warkworth—  
 Pair of steel snufflers (*ibid.* p. 155).
- May 25. From Mrs. WALKER—  
 Portrait of John Walker, 1835, in the attitude of playing the Northumberland small pipes.

- June 29. From W. G. LAWS, city surveyor—  
 Large stone missile, found May 11th, 1892, in excavating for wall at Newcastle Quay, at about depth of low tide mark (*Proc. v. p. 184*).  
 From GEORGE WILSON of Hepple—  
 Red deer's horn, fragment from Hetchester camp, near Rothbury, showing saw marks (*ibid.*).  
 From J. MORRIS, Medomsley—  
 Bronze spear head,  $8\frac{1}{2}$  inches long, blade  $5\frac{3}{8}$  inches long, found in a field on High Bradley farm, a little south-west of Medomsley, and a short distance from the Watling Street (*ibid. p. 184 and 190*).
- July 27. From HUGH W. YOUNG, F.S.A., Scot., of Edinburgh—  
 Cast of a bull, from an incised stone of Celtic date, in British Museum, from Burghead (*ibid. p. 191*).  
 From J. E. NEWBY, late of Binchester Hall—  
 Roman altar, found at Binchester, May, 1891, inscribed MATRES OLLTOTAE SIVE TRANSMARINIS (*Proc. v. pp. 36, 130, 143, and 191; Arch. Ael. xiv. p. 225-227*).
- Aug. 31. From H. COULTER, 36 Rodsley Avenue, Gateshead—  
 Pipe, found in digging a cellar in Chillingham Road, Heaton, at a depth of 14 feet below the surface, August 26th, 1892.  
 Coin, found at same time and place, but 15 feet below the surface; probably a farthing of Charles II. (*Proc. v. p. 204*).
- Sep. 29. From HENRY HINDE, South Shields—  
 Brass guinea scales of early nineteenth century.  
 Brass ticket, used on Newcastle and North Shields Railway Company about 1840; *obverse*, 'Newcastle, North Shields, and Tynemouth Railway:' *reverse*, 'Third Class' (*ibid. p. 220*).  
 From R. Y. GREEN of Newcastle—  
 Old spectacles with circular glasses (two pairs).  
 Old clasp knife (*ibid. p. 220*).  
 From Fleet Surgeon S. A. WILLIS, M.D., R.N.—  
 Remington rifle, } from Egyptian soldier's equipment, Tel-el-Knapsack and canteen, } Kebir, September 13th, 1882.  
 French musket, carried by a Zulu native at Ginghilovo, April 2nd, 1879 (*ibid. p. 220*).  
 From H. J. W. COULSON, Lythecourt, Tiverton, Devon—  
 Centurial stone from Walltown turret (*ibid. p. 220*).
- Oct. 26. From W. D. CRUDDAS of Haughton Castle, North Tynedale—  
 Two centurial stones, found in wall by side of Military road near Sewingshields in June, 1892 (*ibid. pp. 188, 227*).
- Dec. 28. From His Grace the DUKE OF NORTHUMBERLAND—  
 Plaster cast of penny of Henry earl of Northumberland; struck at Bamburgh (*ibid. p. 243*).  
 From R. E. RUDDOCK, of Newcastle—  
 Portrait of vice-president John Philipson (*ibid. p. 242*).

1893.

- Jan. 25. From WM. DAVIDSON, Harbottle—  
 A perforated stone hammer, of Cheviot porphyry,  $4\frac{1}{4}$  inches diameter, having a central hole  $\frac{5}{8}$  inch diameter; found in the Coquet in 1892 (*ibid.* vol. vi. p. 1).
- From Superintendent DOBSON, Rothbury—  
 Constable's baton or staff, formerly belonging to a petty constable.  
 Constable's twitch (*ibid.* pp. 1 and 2).
- From WM. LISLE, Billsmoor Foot—  
 Key, found in a slag heap on moors near Elsdon (*ibid.* p. 2).
- From D. D. DIXON, Rothbury—  
 A dirk, 17 inches long from knob of pommel to point, found in digging a foundation in June, 1883, at Borough Butts, near Rothbury. Supposed fifteenth or sixteenth century workmanship.  
 A sword, found on the moors west of Rothbury, about 1870. Length, knob to point,  $37\frac{1}{2}$  inches; blade,  $32\frac{1}{2}$  inches; width of blade,  $1\frac{1}{2}$  inches. Mark on blade, an object like an orb.  
 Handcuffs (as formerly used by petty constables of townships), from the township of Castron, Northumberland.  
 Handcuffs, from township of Mount Healy (*ibid.* p. 2, also vol. i. p. 335).
- Feb. 22. From the late J. W. BENTHAM of Newcastle—  
 Inscribed stone wall tablet—'Thomas Bryckwel, 1579.' From old house formerly standing on the site of Bentham Buildings, Side, Newcastle. Demolished 1892 (*Proc.* vi. p. 10).
- From C. W. HENZELL of Tynemouth—  
 Iron cannon ball,  $4\frac{3}{4}$  inches diameter, found lying below Tynemouth cliffs, 1892. Supposed to have come from a stranded vessel (*ibid.* p. 12).
- From R. BLAIR (secretary)—  
 Brass figure of Billy Purvis,  $4\frac{3}{4}$  inches high.  
 Flint pistol, probably Turkish,  $16\frac{1}{2}$  inches long.  
 Flint pistol,  $10\frac{3}{4}$  inches long (*ibid.* p. 12).
- Mar. 29. From BARRON EBDY, Durham—  
 Three weights, used in weighing hemp at Durham up to the year 1892. All are made of stone, with iron ring handles. Two weigh about 32 lbs. each, and are 8 inches diameter by 11 inches high. The smallest weighs 16 lbs., size 4 inches diameter by 6 inches high (*ibid.* p. 19).
- From THOMAS MAY, now of Warrington—  
 Stone celt, North America.  
 Cruzie from the north of Scotland (*ibid.* p. 19).
- From R. BLAIR (secretary)—  
 Flint-lock gun, detachable, for putting in the pocket, used so by poachers. Made by Johnson, Newcastle (*ibid.* p. 19).

- Apr. 26. From MIDDLETON H. DAND of Hauxley—  
Hank of flax, for spinning wheel (*ibid.* p. 26).  
From the WALBOTTLE COAL COMPANY—  
Wooden wheel, from wheelbarrow, found in pit workings at Whorlton, Northumberland (*ibid.* p. 26).
- May. 31. From Sir GAINSFORD BRUCE and co-trustees of the late Dr. BRUCE—  
Head of Hadrian, of heroic size. A plaster cast, bronzed.  
Spode plate, from the Mansion House, Newcastle, with arms and motto of the town in centre (*ibid.* p. 32).
- June 28. From WALTER S. CORDER of North Shields—  
Photograph by himself of Bewcastle cross, framed (*ibid.* p. 41).
- July 26. From Sir GAINSFORD BRUCE and co-trustees—  
Three chalk drawings of places on the Antonine Wall, near Falkirk, by S. Holmes (*ibid.* p. 53).  
From JOHN VENTRESS of Newcastle—  
Rubbing of Tyzack tombstone, Heaton park (*ibid.* p. 54).
- July 26. From WALTER SCOTT, Sunderland—  
Piscina from Boldon church (*ibid.* vi. p. 54).
- Sept. 27. From Mrs. THOMPSON—  
Flint and steel, with tinder (*ibid.* vi. p. 77).  
From GEORGE IRVING—  
Fragment of Roman altar, from Greenhead, [1] . O . M . [A] EL .  
DA . . . P (*ibid.* p. 77).  
From THOMAS MAY—  
Fragment of a vitrified fort at Lochhell, Argyll (*ibid.* p. 78).  
From C. WILLIAMS, Cullercoats—  
Durham Penny of Bp. Booth (*temp.* Ed. IV.) found at Clock house, Cullercoats, July, 1893 (*ibid.* p. 78).  
From the Rev. J. F. FABROW, Felling—  
Fragment of Roman tile, Procolitia (LEG—) (*ibid.* p. 78).
- Oct. 25. From G. H. THOMPSON, Alnwick—  
Two harvesting sickles and one hook (*ibid.* p. 89. See also letter p. 95.)  
From THOMAS MAY—  
Vitrified rock, from hill fort, near Brechin (*ibid.* p. 89).  
From R. C. CLEPHAN of Southdene Tower, Gateshead—  
Small copper coin of Wisby, fifteenth or sixteenth century (*ibid.* p. 89).  
From STATION MASTER, Whitley—  
Old railway chair from Whitley colliery (*ibid.* p. 89).  
From W. W. TOMLINSON—  
Old door key, from Whitley (*ibid.*).



- Nov. 29. From MATTHEW MACKEY, JUN.—  
 African bagpipes, purchased at sale of the effects of the late Dr. Bruce (*ibid.* p. 94).  
 From the Rev. J. M. LISTER—  
 Iron fetters, found on north side of St. Andrew's church, Newcastle (*ibid.*).
- Dec. 20. From JOHN ROBINSON of Newcastle—  
 Reaping hook, found in pulling down the Fox and Lamb public house, Pilgrim Street, Newcastle, 1893 (*ibid.* p. 101).  
 From GEORGE IRVING of Newcastle—  
 A heavy timber crane, jib, and stays, from a warehouse in City Road, Newcastle (*ibid.* p. 101).

1894.

- Jan. 31. From the Rev. G. ROME HALL, F.S.A., vice president—  
 Three small plates or scales (bronze), forming part of the attachment of a Roman *lorica*; found west of the Mucklebank turret (*ibid.* p. 129).
- April 25. From HENRY RICHARDSON, Backworth—  
 'Food vessel,' found in prehistoric cist in excavating a foundation at The Hirst, Ashington (*ibid.* p. 153).  
 From the executors of the late RICHARD CAIL—  
 'The Richard Cail collection' of sculptured stones, etc.:—  
 Nine large stone balls, dredged from the river Tyne at Newcastle.  
 Thirty-five sculptured stones from church of St. Nicholas, Newcastle (Norman).  
 Six fragments of window tracery from church of St. Nicholas, Newcastle.  
 Four base rounds from columns of crypt of chapel of St. Mary the Virgin, Spital, Newcastle.  
 Corbel with face of satyr.  
 Three carved heads from the ends of drip mouldings.  
 Spandril, carved, brought from rockery, which stood at Anderson Place, Newcastle.  
 Six 'creein trows' or husking mortars.  
 Three hand-mill stones.  
 Two heraldic figures of paroquets in Portland stone, each bearing on its breast the Lumley arms, and on an escutcheon of pretence the arms of Jones of Oxfordshire (*ibid.* p. 51). Originally brought from Lumley castle, these birds long stood at the doorway of Mr. Todd's residence, Picton house, now the terminus of the Blyth and Tyne Railway at Newcastle.  
 Two balusters from Tyne bridge (eighteenth century).  
 Cruciform sundial from Carlisle.  
 Multiface sundial.  
 Sundial on pedestal dated 1754 (Thomas Wilson's) (*ibid.* p. 155).

- July 25. From HENRY RICHARDSON, Backworth—  
 Sepulchral 'food vessel,'  $4\frac{1}{2}$  inches high, 5 inches wide at mouth;  
 found near the vessel (presented April 25th last) in a cist at The  
 Hirst, Acklington (*ibid.* p. 202).
- Aug. 29. From MARGARET ROBSON, Red Lion inn, Haltwhistle—  
 Toasting cranks.  
 'Tom' candlestick (*ibid.* p. 220).
- From HENRY RICHARDSON—  
 Sepulchral 'food vessel' (the third), from The Hirst; 5 inches  
 high,  $5\frac{1}{2}$  inches diameter, and 3 inches at base (*ibid.* p. 221).
- From W. S. CORDER—  
 Fragments of Samian ware, earthenware, and glass (Roman) from  
*Segedunum* (Wallsend) (*ibid.* p. 221).
- Sept. 26. From R. NEWTON of Newcastle—  
 Two cement casts of heraldic shields, representing the arms of  
 Barnes of Durham, and probably Acton. From a house front  
 in Westmoreland Court, Newcastle (*ibid.* p. 241).
- From Mrs. BARNES, Whitburn—  
 Bronze mortar, Dutch, five inches high by six inches diameter, with  
 pestle, inscribed LOF GODT VAN AL ANNO 1651.  
 Five Indian gods of bronze.  
 Carved horn.  
 Short sword.  
 Tinder box and candlestick in one (*ibid.* p. 241).
- Oct. 31. From WILLIAM ANGUS of London—  
 Newcastle silver token of Alex. Kelty, 1812 (*ibid.* p. 262).
- From J. W. WATSON, Tynemouth—  
 Statuette of stone,  $12\frac{1}{2}$  inches high, and fragments of others, probably  
 Graeco-Roman workmanship found near Larnaca, Cyprus, sup-  
 posed to have been broken off the face of another sculptured  
 work (*ibid.* p. 262).
- Nov. 28. From THE INCORPORATED COMPANY OF PLUMBERS, GLAZIERS,  
 AND PEWTERERS—  
 Cannon ball,  $17\frac{1}{2}$  inches circumference, found in 1700 during repairs  
 in the town wall, Newcastle, at Morden tower. The ball, formerly  
 gilded, used to hang from the centre of the ceiling at Morden  
 tower, and was supposed to have been discharged in the siege of  
 1644 (*ibid.* p. 265).
- From Mr. MENDELSSOHN, formerly of Newcastle—  
 A large photographic portrait of the late Dr. Bruce, with frame  
 complete (*ibid.* p. 265).
- From C. J. SPENCE, one of the curators—  
 Two show-cases for the Roman room, Black Gate museum, with  
 stands complete.

The following is the

REPORT OF THE TREASURER

for the year ending 31st December, 1894:—

The number of ordinary members is now 339, being an increase of 18 for the past year. During the year we have lost seven members by death, and eight have resigned.

The total income from revenue sources has been £490 12s. 1d., and the expenditure £506 18s. 7d., which shows a balance of expenditure over income of £16 6s. 6d., but this is equivalented by the value of the prints from the plate of St. Nicholas's church remaining in stock.

The balance of the revenue account carried forward to 1895 is £201 5s., and the capital invested in  $2\frac{3}{4}$  consols with dividends thereon is now £47 3s. 2d.

The receipts from members' subscriptions have been £348 12s., which is an increase of £28 7s. over that of 1893.

The receipts from the castle have increased £10, and from the Black Gate £1. The balance of receipts over expenditure for the two places is £3 12s. 6d. for the year, but the Black Gate museum continues very far from paying its way, and it is a question whether some better mode of advertising it could not be adopted.

The expenditure upon the *Archaeologia Aeliana* has been about the same as last year. The illustrations have cost £10 more, and there is an increase of £10 under the head of sundries. The printing of the *Proceedings* has cost £16 more than last year, but included in this is the cost of printing the Elsdon registers. The sum of £28 15s. 2d. has been expended in the purchase of books, and the sale of the society's publications has amounted to £16 3s. 9d., which is a heavy decrease upon the previous year's sale.

The life members remain at three as previously.

SHERITON HOLMES,  
Hon. Treasurer.

*Sheriton Holmes, Treasurer, in account with the Society of Antiquaries  
of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.*

STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURE FOR THE YEAR ENDING  
DECEMBER 31, 1894.

	Receipts.			Expenditure.		
	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Balance on January 1st, 1894 ... ..	217	11	6			
Members' Subscriptions ... ..	348	12	0			
Castle ... ..	106	2	0	84	0	5
Black Gate ... ..	19	14	4	38	3	5
Museum ... ..				26	1	8
Books ... ..	16	3	9	28	15	2
<i>Archaeologia Aeliana</i> ... ..				96	16	6
<i>Proceedings</i> ... ..				56	19	0
Illustrations ... ..				53	8	2
Sundries ... ..				77	14	3
Secretary (clerical assistance) ... ..				40	0	0
Balance ... ..				201	5	0
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	£708	3	7	£708	3	7

Capital Account.

	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Invested in 2½ per cent. Consols ... ..	42	18	5			
Interest to end of 1894 ... ..	4	4	9			
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				£47	3	2

Audited and certified.

2nd February, 1895.

J. A. DIXON.

R. W. SISSON.

The present value of the Society's publications in stock is, as per statement furnished by the Librarian, £527 17s. 9d.

Details of Expenditure.

CASTLE—	£	s.	d.
Salaries ... ..	67	8	0
Gas ... ..	1	7	4
Water ... ..	0	6	0
Property Tax ... ..	1	12	1
Insurance ... ..	0	7	6
Rent ... ..	0	2	6
Trestles, &c. ... ..	5	18	5
Explorations in the Castle ... ..	4	11	1
Sundries, Coal, Firewood, &c. ... ..	2	7	6
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	£84	0	5

BLACK GATE—	£	s.	d.
Salaries ... ..	22	0	0
Gas ... ..	1	4	7
Water ... ..	1	0	0
Property Tax ... ..	1	6	3
Insurance ... ..	2	15	0
Rent ... ..	1	0	0
Repairs ... ..	7	2	3
Sundries, Coal, &c. ... ..	1	15	4
	<b>£38</b>	<b>3</b>	<b>5</b>

MUSEUM—	£	s.	d.
Carriage of Stones ... ..	7	7	8
Cases ... ..	8	5	0
Copper Plate of St. Nicholas's Church ... ..	10	9	0
	<b>£26</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>8</b>

BOOKS BOUGHT—	£	s.	d.
<i>Illustrated Archaeologist</i> ... ..	1	1	0
<i>Chronicles of Great Britain and Ireland</i> ... ..	1	16	8
<i>New County History of Northumberland, vol. 1</i> ... ..	1	1	0
<i>Collection of State Papers</i> ... ..	2	1	6
Ordnance Maps ... ..	0	14	3
Gilpin's <i>Memoirs</i> ... ..	0	4	6
German Year-book ... ..	0	17	0
<i>Year-book of Societies</i> ... ..	0	7	6
Brockie's <i>Sunderland Notabilities</i> ... ..	0	7	6
German publication ... ..	0	13	0
Ferguson's <i>Royal Charters of Carlisle</i> ... ..	0	18	6
Waters, for lettering ... ..	0	4	6
<i>Calendar Border Papers</i> ... ..	0	17	6
Northcote & Brownlow, <i>Roma Sotteranea</i> ... ..	0	16	0
Phillips's <i>Banks, Bankers, and Banking</i> ... ..	1	1	0
Itinerary of Antoninus and <i>Notitia Dignitatum</i> ... ..	1	16	9
Indexing ... ..	3	3	0
Printing 50 copies of St. Nicholas's plate ... ..	5	1	6
Binding <i>Border Holds</i> (8vo copies) ... ..	5	12	6
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