

APPENDIX.

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*Extracts from the Proceedings of the Committee and at  
General Meetings.*

*May 4th, 1905.* Committee Meeting. The Honorary Secretary reported that he had bought two brasses, formerly in the Churches of St. John Maddermarket and St. Lawrence, Norwich, which he suggested might be restored to those Churches by the Society, and on the motion of Dr. Astley it was agreed to repay the Honorary Secretary the amount paid by him for the brasses and to authorise him to have the scrolls from St. John Maddermarket Church mounted in oak.

Mr. Tingey reported that, owing chiefly to Mr. Rye's agency, he was able to exhibit the ancient "Book of Customs" of the City of Norwich. The book is in excellent preservation and has been missing for many years; in fact, no one has mentioned it since Blomefield made copious and sometimes puzzling extracts from it, which can now be verified, for the book responds to all his references. The most interesting of the contents are naturally the chapters on the customs, and it is hoped that it will shortly be replaced among the Corporation Archives.

*June 8th, 1905.* Annual Meeting. The Honorary Secretary having announced that the Society had recently acquired a brass inscription in memory of John Castor, formerly in the Church of St. Lawrence, Norwich, and of two scrolls forming a portion of the

Rugge brass in the Church of St. John Maddermarket, Norwich, the President handed the former brass to the Rev. C. B. P. Ramsay, the Rector of St. Lawrence, for the purpose of restoring it to that Church, while he stated that it was intended to restore the scrolls to the Church of St. John Maddermarket.

Dr. Bensly next drew attention to the replicas of the missing Rose Water Dish and Ewer presented to the City of Norwich by Archbishop Parker, which were on exhibition at the meeting. The replicas were made from drawings of the originals in the possession of Mr. Walter Rye and had been presented to the City by Mr. G. F. Buxton and other past Mayors and Sheriffs of the City.

*November 28th, 1905.* Committee Meeting. With a view to a Record Part in the future, it was proposed by Dr. Bensly, seconded by Mr. Lovewell Blake, and carried, that Mr. Fred Johnson be requested to draw up a calendar of the Freemen of Yarmouth.

A vote of thanks was accorded to Miss Procter for her gift to the Society of an additional transcript of the Registers of Witton, of two volumes containing copies of the Accounts of the Churchwardens of Witton, and two volumes of miscellaneous notes relating to the Hundred of Tunstead.

*March 7th, 1906.* Committee Meeting. Two applications having been made for permission to borrow books from the Society's Library, it was decided that the Library must be regarded as a Reference and not a Lending Library, and that the books ought not to be taken away from the room.

*May 2nd, 1906.* Annual Meeting. Lord Orford on behalf of the Officers of the Society and Members of the Committee presented to General Bulwer a gold medal or

badge to express their appreciation of General Bulwer's services during the many years of his presidency.

*September 11th, 1906.* Committee Meeting. The Honorary Secretary produced a photograph, which had been taken for the Society, showing a section of that portion of the Norwich Castle Mound which had been exposed to view in digging the foundations for the addition to the Shirehall.

The Honorary Secretary having read some letters which he had received from Mr. Henry Laver, F.S.A., of Colchester, with reference to the discovery of indications of a Roman Tesselated Pavement at Grimston, and reported conversations he had held with Mr. St. John Hope and Mr. G. E. Fox, F.S.A., on the subject, and Mr. Tingey, who had visited the spot, having produced some fragments which he had collected there, it was resolved that Mr. Tingey be authorised to see Mr. Freuer, the Marquis of Cholmondeley's agent, with a view to obtaining permission to excavate; and further, that a Sub-Committee, consisting of Mr. Tingey, Mr. Purdy, Dr. Bensly, and the Honorary Secretary, be formed to consider the question of excavation at Grimston and with power to proceed to carry out the same at a cost of not more than £20.

*October 30th, 1906.* Committee Meeting. Proposed by Mr. Barnard, seconded by Mr. Harcourt, and carried, that the Sub-Committee be authorised to expend a sum not exceeding £30 in all on the excavations at Grimston.

*March 4th, 1907.* Committee Meeting. It was proposed by Mr. Hopper, seconded by Dr. Bately, and carried, that "no Papers which have been printed in the Society's publications be re-printed without the written permission of the Honorary Secretary or Editorial Secretary."

Dr. Bensly drew attention to the following extract from Mackerell's Church Notes (Additional MS. 12,525, British Museum), supplied by Mr. F. Johnson. Under St. Peter Mancroft, Norwich, it is stated:—"The late Dr. Jeffery gave notice to Sir Thomas Browne's nearest Relative that his Vault wanted Reparation, who sent him word it might then be filled up, which when the Dr. knew, desired that he might be interred therein who shortly after Dying His corps was deposited in the Vault and afterwards filled up with earth and over the Doctor on a stone is this Inscription—M S Johannis Jeffery S T P &c &c &c ob 1720 anno ætatis suæ 73—." These notes were made by Mackerell about 1723.

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