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The first communication was a Letter from John Henderson, Esq., Queen’s Remembrancer, stating, that he had been directed by the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury to present to the Museum of the Scottish Antiquaries in Edinburgh the articles of Treasure Trove mentioned above in the list of Donations; viz.—

Sixteen Coins, being a selection from 46 silver English and Irish
pennies of Edward I., and Scottish of Alexander III., discovered on
digging the foundation of a house near the Shore at Portobello.

Eleven Coins, a selection from 693 silver pennies, chiefly of the
reigns of Edward I. and II., found on the farm of Cairncross, the
property of David Milne Home, Esq., in the parish of Coldinghame,
and county of Berwick.

Two Roman Copper Coins, dug up in the garden of Lieutenant-
Colonel Maclean, at the site of the Bishop's Palace, in Fortrose, in
the county of Ross.

Twenty Roman Coins, a selection from 141 found on the Hill of
Megray, the property of Captain Barclay of Ury, near Stonehaven,
in the county of Kincardine.

And two Bronze Swords and a Bronze Scabbard Tip, found in
the lands of Cauldinghame, the property of Lord Panmure, in the
county of Forfar. Of these fine bronze relics a short notice was laid
before the Society at their Meeting on the 9th May 1853.—(See
PROCEEDINGS, Part II., p. 181.)