

EDINBURGH IN EARLY TIMES: WITH ILLUSTRATIONS. BY DAVID LAING, ESQ., SECRETARY FOR FOREIGN CORRESPONDENCE. (THE PREFATORY NOTICES CONTINUED. THE EARLY VIEWS, BOTH NORTH AND SOUTH, OF THE CITY.)

This paper was illustrated by a number of early views of the City of Edinburgh, among which there was exhibited, by permission of the Right Hon. the Lord Clerk Register, a photograph (intended for the "National MSS. of Scotland") from the rare engraved view by Hollar, dated 1670, preserved in Her Majesty's Library at Windsor. Permission has been given to the Society by the Lord Clerk Register to use this view of Hollar's, and photo-zincographed copies have been obtained from the Ordnance Survey Office for that purpose. These, with a facsimile of Gordon of Rothiemay's View, in 1647, &c., will be given as illustrations in the "Archæologia Scotica," vol. v., which is now in progress.