

MONDAY, 9th May 1892.

GILBERT GOUDIE in the Chair.

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

Rev. ROBERT H. DUNLOP, Minister of the Parish of Elie.
 THOMAS A. MACKAY, Banker, 14 Henderson Row.
 AUGUSTUS A. MATHESON, M.D., 33 Buccleuch Place.
 ARTHUR BADENACH NICOLSON, Jun., of Glenbervie.
 WILLIAM RICHMOND, 17 Millerfield Place.
 J. PRINGLE TAYLOR, W.S., 33 York Place.

The following Donations to the Museum and Library were laid on the table, and thanks voted to the Donors :—

(1) By JAMES MACKAY, Trowbridge, F.S.A. Scot.

Collection of objects found in excavating the Broch of Ousdale, Caithness, consisting of Hammerstones, Whetstones, Stones with oblique hollows on opposite sides, Quernstones, Whorls, plain and ornamented ; portion of Vitrified Stone ; portion of large Ring of coarse Jet ; Fragments of coarse unglazed Pottery, and of Wooden Vessels ; portions of the Horns of Red-Deer, etc. [See subsequent communication by Mr Mackay.]

(2) By ROBERT CARFRAE, F.S.A. Scot.

Three Saucer-shaped Fibulæ, Buckle and Disc, of Bronze, with incised ornamentation, richly gilt, and six Circular Fibulæ, from Anglo-Saxon tumuli at Long Wittenham, Oxfordshire, formerly in the Londesborough Collection.

(3) By CHARLES STEWART, 4 Albyn Place.

Collection of Pottery, including some pieces of painted Ware and Samian Ware, from an excavation at Eskgrove, Inveresk.

- (4) By Rev. G. C. BAXTER, Cargill,
F.S.A. Scot.

Stone-Axe, polished, with a small hole through the butt, found in the parish of Cargill, Perthshire.

- (5) By GEORGE T. CLARK, the Editor.

Cartæ et Alia Munimenta quæ ad dominium de Glamorgan pertinent. 3 vols. 4to, 1891.

- (6) By ALEXANDER LAING, LL.D., F.S.A. Scot.

Portions of two Sculptured Stones from Abernethy, one with a fragment of an Ogam Inscription, and the other with a fragment of the Crucifixion and the Three Maries.

- (7) By EDWIN BROCKHOLST LIVINGSTON,
F.S.A. Scot.

The Livingstons of Callendar, and their principal Cadets. Privately printed. Part V.

- (8) By the HERITORS OF TULLIEBOLE,
through J. BALFOUR PAUL, Lyon
King-of-Arms.

Sculptured Stone from Tulliebole, Kinross. This Stone has been already described and figured in the *Proceedings*, vol. xiii. p. 316.

The following articles acquired during the session by the Purchase Committee, for the Museum, were also exhibited :—

Two Bronze Fibulæ of early Iron Age.

Small Bronze-Age Whetstone, found at Inverliver, Loch Etive.

Collection of Flint Implements, from the Culbin Sands.

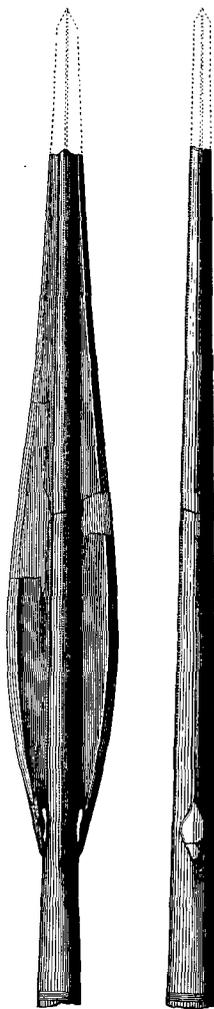


Fig. 1. Spear-head from New Downie. $\frac{1}{4}$.

Quernstone, polished Stone Axe, Hammerstone, and Flint Flakes, found in Glenfalloch.

Harness-mounting for a Driving-collar of early Iron Age, found at Kirriemuir.

Eleven Arrow and Spear heads of Chert, from N. America.

Four Flint Arrow-heads and two Sepulchral Urns of Drinking-cup type, from Ellon, Aberdeenshire.

Bronze Spear-head (broken), 18 inches in length, found at New Downie, Panmure, Forfarshire. This fine spear-head (which is figured on the previous page) bears a close resemblance to that figured by Evans (*Bronze Implements of Great Britain*, p. 329), from Lakenheath Fen, the leaf-shaped blade being similarly elongated, and the midrib ridged. In the New Downie specimen the midrib is further ornamented by lines of punctulations along the base and on either side of the summit of the ridge, and the oval socket has a series of parallel lines carried round it next the opening. The whole length of the weapon must have been about 22 inches.

The following Communications were read :—