NOTANDA.

- 1. A Mediæval Ewer.—During the session a fine mediæval ewer (Pl. XXXVII, 1) was exhibited to the Society by Dr Douglas E. Ross, 35 Moray Place, Edinburgh. It was found about 1840 at Ashkirk, near Selkirk, while part of the glebe was being ploughed. As recorded in the New Statistical Account, the glebe is the site of a residence of the mediæval bishops of Glasgow, to one of whom the ewer doubtless belonged. Of brass or latten, its height to the top of the lid is 11.7 inches. Unusual features are the double zoomorphic spout, and the strong ornamental protuberances that rise at the widest part on each of the six sides.
- 2. Burials at Aberdour.—Two burials were found at the end of February 1949 in a small sandpit on the edge of Aberdour Golf Course. The site is rather more than 50 yards south-south-west of Kenniker Cottage, and rather less from the top of the present beach (Nat. Grid Ref. 36/188846). As described by the finders, one burial was crouched in a short cist of four side slabs and a stout coverstone sunk quite deep in the sand, while the other might have been a long cist. Some five yards away a long cist with a child's grave beside it was examined on behalf of the Museum about twenty years ago, but was not considered worth recording.