DONATIONS TO AND PURCHASES FOR THE MUSEUM,
1951–52.

Donations.

(1) Parts of three barbed points of bone from the kitchen-midden at Cnoc Sligeach, Oronsay (P.S.A.S., XLVIII); ornamental carved wooden box containing tool-handles, from Birsay, Orkney (P.S.A.S., xx; also above, p. 187). Presented by J. HENDERSON BISHOP, F.S.A.Scot.

(2) “Limpet-scoops,” shells and flint chips from Cnoc Sligeach (see foregoing) and Druim Hartsal, Oronsay. Sherds, borers of bone and flints from Ballevullin and elsewhere in Tiree. (All from Mungo Buchanan Collection.) Presented by FALKIRK BURGH MUSEUM.


(4) Relics from the excavation of a house-site at Stanydale, Sandsting, Shetland. Presented by the Most Hon. The Marquess of Zetland through C. S. T. Calder, F.S.A.Scot.


2 Archaeology and Society (1939), 135.
3 Cf. Abercromby, Bronze Age Pottery, 1 (1912), 51.
(6) Collection of flint and stone artifacts from Dryburgh and other sites in Roxburghshire and Berwickshire. Presented by the family of the late C. J. Brown, Buccleuch House, Melrose, through W. A. Munro, F.S.A.Scot.


(8) Thirteen artifacts from the collection of the late Rev. G. Lindsay Leslie, Eddleston. Presented by Miss E. R. Leslie, 1 Woodburn Terrace, Edinburgh, 10.


(13) Sherds of Middle or Late Bronze Age pottery found near Tober Neill Neonaich, Kilnave, Loch Gruinart, Islay. Presented by Dr H. B. Martin, 120 Findhorn Place, Edinburgh, and G. A. Black, 20 Springvalley Gardens, Edinburgh.

(14) Socketed bronze axe, 3-25 ins. long, 2-25 ins. across the cutting edge, 1-25 in. across nearly square socket; encircled by a moulding in line with the upper end of the loop. Found in 1952 at the base of 6-9 ins. of peat, 300-400 yds. SW. of the summit of Barr Mor, Lismore, Argyllshire. Presented by the finder, the Rev. J. D. M. Stuart, 38 Withdean Court, Brighton, per Mrs M. E. C. Stewart, F.S.A.Scot.

(15) Calcined flint knife from a cremation burial on the SW. slope of the Knock of Barbush, Dunblane, and coarse sherds of Early Iron Age fabric with part of a cannel-coal armlet, from the saddle of the hill (Nat. Grid ref. 27/786027). Presented by Mrs A. Fleming, Barbush Sand and Gravel Quarry, Dunblane, Perthshire.


(18) Cup-like sandstone lamp from Rossie Farm, Dunning, Perthshire. Presented by the finder, William Hume, 7 Columba Road, Edinburgh, 4.
(19) Scale model giving a reconstruction of the Roman fort at Fendoch, Perthshire. Presented by W. BULMER, Shanklin, Stocksfield, Northumberland.

(20) Perforated whetstone from Traprain Law. Presented by ROBERT CHIRNSIDE, Garvald, Haddington.

(21) Pendant (?), of black resinous material, and a stone whorl, from a cairn on Shebster Hill, Caithness. Presented by the finder, JAMES SUTHERLAND, Brims Cottage, Thurso, through J. B. Gair, F.S.A.Scot.


(23) Sherd from hut-circles near Loch Hasco, Kilmuir, Skye. Presented by Mr McCombe, 5 Jasmine Park West, Newcastle, 7.

(24) Sherds of "earth-house" pottery from sand-dunes at Borvemore, Harris. Presented by the finder, L. MACLELLAN, Borvemore, Isle of Harris.


(26) Base of a large crucible for melting bronze, found in a drain at Gask, Perthshire (Nat. Grid ref. 27/984189). Presented by the finder, A. McG. CLARK, The Bungalow, Fyfe Park, Port Glasgow.

(27) Bloom of iron, one of many found beside Gairloch Churchyard, Ross-shire. Presented by W. G. BANNERMAN, Gairloch, Ross and Cromarty.


(29) Architectural fragment, a drakonesque head of sandstone found near the site of the old church, Kirkintilloch, Dumbartonshire (see Notes, p. 202). Two wooden ladles used in the donor's family. Presented by JAMES FLETCHER, F.S.A.Scot.

(30) Commissions appointing Lord Cardross and Lieut.-Colonel Milne to be Colonel and Lieut.-Colonel of Dragoons, 1689, and oath of allegiance signed by the officers of Lord Cardross' Dragoons, 1690. Presented by the Right Hon. THE EARL OF BUCHAN, World's End Farm, Chobham, Surrey.


(32) Silver sterling of David II and a communion token. Presented by Dr W. A. BLYTH CLARK, 20 Forth Street, Edinburgh.

(33) Sterling of John Balliol, three of Edward I, and one of Flanders;
from the Mellendean Hoard, 1911 (P.S.A.S., XLVI). Countermarked crown of George III and a brass medalet. Presented by the late Robert Carmichael, Rossiebank, Coldstream.

(34) Twenty-three coins (Elizabeth, James I, Charles I, Spain and Netherlands) and remains of three-legged brass cooking-pot, from the hoard found at Fisherrow, Musselburgh. Acquired through The Queen’s and Lord Treasurer’s Remembrancer.


(36) Nineteenth-century Greenock trade token. Presented by The Trustees of the Late Dr D. S. Jordan.


(39) Three silver medals for draughts, bowling and chess, Falkirk, 1816–1855. Presented by Mrs Morrison, 39 Lygon Road, Edinburgh, through Dr A. B. Flett, F.S.A.Scot.


(41) Fifteen Free Church communion tokens. Presented by Mrs Murray, 97 Kirkintilloch Road, Bishopbriggs, Glasgow.


(43) Two communion tokens, Fairmilehead Parish Church, Edinburgh, 1938. Presented by the Minister, the Rev. Ian R. Gillan, 10 Frogston Road West, Edinburgh.


(45) Mould for communion tokens, Associate Congregation, Muckhart. Presented by Miss C. C. Dickson, Librarian, Goldsmiths’ College, London.

(46) Quartz pebble pendant, 1·25 in. long, imitating a crystal ball, found on the Culbin Sands, Moray. Presented by the finder, E. S. Harrison, F.S.A.Scot.

(47) Two hearts of lead, under 2 ins. long, said to have been used in the neighbourhood of Forres for curing heart ailments of children. Presented by Leicester Museums and Art Gallery.


(49) Chemist’s bottle and two glass feeding cups. Presented by W. B. Gray, Messrs Duncan Flockhart & Co. Ltd., 104 Holyrood Road, Edinburgh.

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(52) Silver dessert-spoon, made by John Steven, Dundee. Presented by Derek Wilmot, 16 Bellevue Road, Barnes, London, S.W. 13.

(53) Wooden mould used in making Hallow Fair gingerbread in Edinburgh 60 years ago. Presented by W. Jamieson, 21 St Peter's Buildings, Gilmore Place, Edinburgh.

(54) Pin-container of wood. Presented by Mrs Macdonald, Ilala, Kirkcudbrightshire.


(57) Brass snuff-box and bone snuff-spoon. Presented by Alexander Green, c/o 46 Grindlay Street, Edinburgh.

(58) Two baking-stones from Ross-shire, collected by the late Dr J. J. Galbraith. Presented by J. W. Christie, 4 Park Street, Dingwall.


(60) Two chisels incised with their owner's marks. Presented by the late A. J. Turner, M.B.E., F.S.A.Scot.

(61) Goffering iron-stand. Presented by Mrs Theurer, 68 Pilrig Street, Edinburgh.


(63) Outer and inner clothing, three late 17th-century coins and objects of wood and horn, found with human remains in a bog at Gunnister, Shetland (see above, p. 30). Acquired through The Queen's and Lord Treasurer's Remembrancer.

(64–78) One hundred articles of dress, of which only the principal can be specified. Presented by the following donors:—

Miss Niven, 47 West Savile Terrace, Edinburgh. (Eighteenth-century lady's brocaded silk dress.)

Mrs J. L. Wilson, Mayday, Gullane. (Eighteenth-century man's suit of elaborately brocaded material.)

Mrs R. Pares, 7 Carlton Terrace, Edinburgh. (Two early 19th-century ladies' dresses and a "turban").

Miss Binning, 224 Bruntsfield Place, Edinburgh. (Four late 19th-century ladies' dresses and several coats.)

Mrs J. C. Herd, 27 Nelson Street, Edinburgh.

Mrs Sturrock, 13 South Gray Street, Edinburgh.
Miss TAIT, 38 George Square, Edinburgh.
Mrs F. G. BUCHER, 17 Mayfield Gardens, Edinburgh.
Miss MARIA STEUART, 2 Lynedoch Place, Edinburgh.
The Misses Ross, 14 Saxe-Coburg Place, Edinburgh.
Mrs SPENCE, 61 Inverleith Place, Edinburgh.
LADY SALTOUN, Cairnbulg Castle, Fraserburgh.
The Misses RAE, 9 Drummond Place, Edinburgh.
Mrs PEASE, Skirinish, Oban, Argyll.
Mrs M. E. C. STEWART, F.S.A.Scot.


Purchases.

(1) Beaker, 7 ins. high, with convex neck, decorated with zones of serrated impressions, found about 1949 in a sand-pit at Bandoch, Inverkeilor, Angus (Nat. Grid ref. 37/646491).

(2) Whetstone of polished red quartzite, 2·6 ins. long, from Barclay Farm, Rerrick, Kirkcudbrightshire.

(3) William II forty-shilling piece, 1700; medals on the Restoration, the birth and flight of Prince James, landing of William of Orange, Union of the Parliaments, and St Mary's Cathedral.

(4) Sterlings of David I (2) and Alexander II (1), from Ryan Collection.

(5) Unissued £1 note, East Lothian Banking Company.

(6) Silver medal or badge of Edinburgh Caddies ("Running Stationer").

(7) Agate seal, Edinburgh and Glasgow Union Canal Company, 1817.

(8) Glazed plate depicting George IV.

(9) Earthenware bottle, masonic.

(10) Wooden bowl.

(11) Vase-shaped snuff-box of tortoise-shell.

(12) Knitting-stick, 1801.

(13—15) Souvenir wooden knick-knacks.

(16) Silver "plaid" brooch and two heart brooches.

(17) Two oak panels from Seton Collegiate Church, East Lothian.

(18) Two carved swags of wood, from "Mary of Guise's House," Castlehill, Edinburgh.

(19) Weapons and accessories from the J. Milne-Davidson Collection, purchased with the assistance of the National Art Collections Fund and a bequest by the late R. I. Cochrane, F.S.A.Scot. (see Report, p. 226 below, and Notes, p. 198).
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Donations.


(4) Notes on History and Possessions of the Society of Antiquaries of London. By Mrs C. M. Piggott.


(8) Congress of Roman Frontier Studies, ed. E. Birley. By The Editor.


(13) Amagerdragter vævninger og syninger. E. Mygdal; Folkedragter i Nordvestsjælland. J. S. Møller. By Dr M. Hald.


(21) Folk Lore. 1951. By Professor W. B. Stevenson.
(22) Register of Privy Seal of Scotland, vol. IV; Calendar of State Papers relating to Scotland, 1547–1603; Index to Register of Deeds. By the Scottish Record Office.
(23) Calendar of Treasury Books, vols. xx, i, iii; xxi, i; xxiv, i. By the Public Record Office.

In addition, offprints of papers, exhibition guides, etc. have been presented by Mrs G. M. Crowfoot, A. Duncan, R. H. Edleston, F. A. Greenhill, Miss A. S. Henshall, A. T. Lucas, H. P. E. Pereira, R. U. Sayce, P. D. Thomson, Ashmolean Museum, National Maritime Museum and Platt Hall Museum.

Purchases.

Prelude to History. A. Coates.
Glacial Geology and the Pleistocene Epoch. F. F. Flint.
British Association Scientific Survey of S.E. Scotland.
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Ur- und Frühgeschichte als historische Wissenschaft: Wahle Festschrift.
Notes on the Prehistoric Metallurgy of Copper and Bronze in the Old World. H. H. Coghlan.
Social Evolution. V. G. Childe.
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Preliminary Excavations of a Mesolithic Site at Abinger Common, Surrey. L. S. B. Leakey.
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Los Sepulcros Megaliticos Catalanes y la Cultura Pirenaica. L. Pericot Garcia.

Corpus Petroglyphorum Gallaeciae. R. Buhigas.

Estudios sobre las relaciones Atlánticas de la Península Hispanica en la edad del Bronce. E. MacWhite.


Danske Oldsager, yngre stenalder. P. V. Glob.

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Technology of a Modern Stone-Age People in New Guinea. B. Blackwood.

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La Tombe Gallo-Romaine. J. J. Hatt.

Der Römische Schatzfund von Straubing. J. Keim and H. Klumbach.

Romano-British Baths at Well. R. Gilyard-Beer.

La Civilisation Merovingienne, I. E. Salin.


Norwegian account of King Haco’s Expedition against Scotland, 1762; trans. by J. Johnstone, ed. by E. Goldsmid. 1885.

Boats and Boatmen. T. C. Lethbridge.

Fishing Boats and Fisher Folk on the East Coast of Scotland. P. F. Anson. 1930.


Castles. C. Oman. 1926.


Building in England down to 1540. L. F. Salzman.

Monastic Sites from the Air. D. Knowles and J. K. St Joseph.


Ancient Towers and Doorways. A. Galletly. 1896.


Bits of Old Edinburgh. John Reid. 1900.


Monmouthshire Houses, I. Sir C. Fox and Lord Raglan.

The Methods of Construction of Celtic Art. George Bain.


Scottish Art. Stanley Cursiter.
High Victorian Design. Nikolaus Pevsner.
Snuff and Snuff Boxes. Hugh McCausland.
Woodchester Glass House. J. S. Daniels.
Exhibition of Arms, Armour and Militaria in Tower of London.
An Introduction to Music. Anne Gunn. 1803.
The History of Underclothing. C. W. and P. Cunnington.
English Husbandry. R. Trow-Smith.
Catalogue of printed books and pamphlets on agriculture, 1471–1840;
2nd ed. Rothamsted. 1940.
Gaelic Place-names of the Lothians, n.d.
Scottish Place-names. W. C. Mackenzie. 1931.
Supra Crepidam. Lord Cooper.
Shetland Folk Book, vols. 1 and 2. 1947 and 1951.
Handbook of Irish Folklore. Sean o Suilleabhain. 1942.
The Scottish Jacobite Movement. G. P. Insh.

MEETINGS OF THE SOCIETY.

Monday, 10th December 1951, Professor W. M. Calder, M.A., LL.D., F.B.A.,
in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: Walter B. Dickson, M.A.(Cantab.); Michael R. E. Gough, M.A.; William Robertson Harvey; Alexander Ingles, M.A.; George G. McWhannell; David D. Ruddy, M.A., B.Sc.; Geoffrey G. Watson, F.R.A.I.

The following Communication was read:—

MEETINGS OF THE SOCIETY.

Monday, 14th January 1952, Professor W. M. Calder, M.A., LL.D., F.B.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: Miss Mary Arnold, B.A.; Andrew B. Chisholm, D.A.(Edin.); Miss Hilda M. Connor; Peter McIntyre, M.A.(Hons.); Iain F. B. Stedman, M.A.

The following Communication was read:—

Monday, 11th February 1952, Professor W. M. Calder, M.A., LL.D., F.B.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, W. H. Sanders, M.B.E., B.Sc., A.R.I.B.A., was elected a Fellow.

The following Communications were read:—
II. Three Metal-work Hoards of the Iron Age from Southern Scotland, by Professor S. Piggott, B.Litt., F.S.A., F.S.A.Scot.

Monday, 10th March 1952, Professor W. M. Calder, M.A., LL.D., F.B.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: S. W. Gee; R. I. Johnstone, M.A.; Rev. I. R. Young.

The following Communications were read:—
I. Excavations at Mote of Urr, by Brian Hope-Taylor, F.S.A.

Monday, 14th April 1952, Professor W. M. Calder, M.A., LL.D., F.B.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: J. X. W. P. Corcoran; D. F. Lenton.

The following Communication was read:—

Monday, 13th October 1952, Professor W. M. Calder, M.A., LL.D., F.B.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: M. R. Apted, M.A.; Miss G. C. G. Bonthrone, M.A.; A. R. Burn; The Rt. Hon. J. L. Clyde, Q.C., M.P.; C. J. Coleman, A.B., LL.B.; Councillor R. Gray; T. Lawrie; J. MacIntyre; T. McPhail; Captain H. MacPherson; Lt.-Colonel G. Malcolm of Foltalloch; J. C. Milligan, Ph.D., M.A., B.Sc.; Miss K. G. Moodie, D.A.; A. Rae;
Mrs V. Rae; N. Scwires, M.A.; J. R. Watson, M.R.S.L.; Mrs M. F. Watson; A. A. Woodham.

The following Communication was read:—


Monday, 10th November 1952, WILLIAM ANGUS, LL.D., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: Professor A. J. Beattie, M.A.; R. Ferguson; A. Niven Robertson, M.D.; P. Wilson Brown.

The following Communications were read:—

I. Dug-out Canoes in Scotland, by Mrs ENID GRANT, F.S.A.Scot.