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Donations

(1) Flint and stone artifacts from various localities in Scotland. By A. D. Lacaille, F.S.A.Scot.


(3) Sherds of Western Neolithic pottery found near Glenluce, Wigtownshire (25/132550). By D. Morris, Leamington Spa, per Dumfries Museum.


(7) Collection of flints, from either Craigsford Mains, Earlston or Bowerhouse, Lauder; two Roman water pipes from Newstead Roman fort and various nineteenth-century objects; from the collection of the late William Fleming, Pirntaton, Stow. By Andrew Innes, Thurso.

(8) Collection of flint and stone artifacts mainly from neighbourhood of Dunsyre, Lanarkshire, found by the late Mr Wilson. By W. Wilson, Leven.

(9) Stone axe-head from Camperdown, Dundee; prehistoric sherds from Tentsmuir, Fife. By D. Henderson, F.S.A.Scot.


(12) Stone battle axe of Beaker type, found in 1959 close to the Alt a’ Choire Bhuidhe, Allean Forest, Perthshire (27/809621). Smooth stone ball and a green glass bead from Wauchope, Roxburghshire. By H.M. Forestry Commission.

(13) Contents of a cist at Masterton, Pitreavie, Fife, including over 160 jet beads, a bronze dagger, fragments of 2 bronze armlets, and part of a small bronze blade. By The Forth Road Bridge Joint Board.

(14) Perforated stone hoe from Broomhouse Quarry, Maxton, nr St Boswells, Roxburghshire. By J. Simpson, St Boswells.


(16) Selection of Iron Age sherds from excavations at Little Dunagoil, Bute. (T. Bute N.H.S., XVI (1964), 7.) By Miss D. N. Marshall, F.S.A.Scot.

(17) Sandstone lamp (?) cup-like on a heavy base, found on the lower NE. slope of Arthur’s Seat (NT 286734). By G. Innes, Edinburgh.

(18) Vitrified material from a small promontory fort at Inverpolly, Ross-shire. By Mrs E. Mason, Edinburgh.

(19) Rotary quern from near Stow, the upper stone having a collar round the hopper and a horizontal handle-slot. By T. R. Laurie, Lauder.
(20) Collection including the finds from Hyndford Crannog (P.S.A.S., xxxiii (1898–9), 373–87), stone and flint implements, Lanimer Day medalets, Lanark mills pewter token, coins, powder flasks etc. By The Trustees, Lindsay Institute, Lanark.


(22) Whetstone from Pow Farm, Stromness, Orkney. By R. Allan, Pow Farm.

(23) Steatite loom weight. By A. Priest, Unst, Shetland.


(27) Finds from the excavations at Lour, Stobo, Peeblesshire. By Colonel Alistair Balfour of Dawyck, per J. Dunbar, F.S.A.Scot.

(28) Stone spindle whorl, possibly Anglo-Saxon, found at Stonefold, Greenlaw, Berwickshire. By Captain M. Macalister Hall, Stonefold.


(30) Stone button found in the Glebe, Lauder. By A. Nisbet, Lauder.

(31) A 6½ in. iron shot and fragment of a similar stone, both found in Tobermory Harbour, presumably from the Armada ship destroyed 1588. By Dr T. G. McIntyre, Tobermory.

(32) An object of horsehair, perhaps a hat, found in peat-cutting near Kirtomy, Bettyhill Sutherland. By D. J. Mackay, Kirtomy.

(33) Pewter plate inscribed ‘Belonging to the Associate Congregation at Ayton 1779’. By Mrs Campbell, Edinburgh.

(34) Armorial china plate with arms of Hay of Belton and of Maule. By Mrs Kennedy, North Berwick, per Dr J. S. Richardson, F.S.A.Scot.


(36) Over 120 gun flints, with some pistol flints and fragments, found during 1927–57 in one field east of Craigs House, Corstorphine, Edinburgh (36/184736). By John Crooks per Dr E. A. Cormack, F.S.A.Scot.


(38) Special Constable’s badge Calton (Glasgow) 1817. By W. N. Craik, Pathhead Ford.


(40-41) Linen damask napkins: crowned thistle and Scottish motto, Helen Waugh, 1772; and Edinburgh, 1776. By Mrs Cook, North Berwick, per Dr J. S. Richardson, F.S.A.Scot, and Mrs E. R. Robertson, Edinburgh.

(42) Thirteen specimens of linen from Berwickshire. By Miss M. S. B. Mackay, Lauder.

(43) A collection of 13 needlework samplers ranging from 1770s to 1880s. By Mrs J. Murray Thomson, Edinburgh.

(44) Silver teaspoon, Perth; three Paisley Shawls and a sampler, 1832. By Miss N. M. and Wm. M. Hume, Edinburgh.

(45) Court suit worn by William Boswell (1779–1841) on the occasion of George IV’s visit in 1822. By Mrs V. B. Hawkins, Dorchester, Dorset.

(46) Court suit (c. 1880) and seals of appointment as Solicitor General and Privy Councillor of John Millar, Lord Craighall; Court suit of his son. By the family of the late J. H. Millar, per C. M. H. Millar, Edinburgh.
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(47-65) Articles of nineteenth- and twentieth-century costume by
Mrs Adams, Edinburgh; Mrs E. Brown, Turriff; A. Dickson, Edinburgh; The
Misses Forrest, Edinburgh; Mrs T. Henderson, Lockerbie; Mrs H. Jenner,
Edinburgh; Miss M. M. Lawson, Edinburgh; Mrs J. R. MacMartin, West Kil-
bride; Mr Marwick, Edinburgh; Mrs Naomi Mitchison, Oxford; R. Oddy,
Edinburgh; Mrs Petrie, Culsalmond; Miss M. H. Ritchie, Bowden; Miss E.
Roberts, Edinburgh; Mrs H. J. Uldall, Edinburgh; Mrs M. S. Vans Agnew,
London; Mrs Grove White, Edinburgh; Miss Wight, Edinburgh; Miss Wood,
Edinburgh.

(66) A collection of nineteenth-century female costume photographs and jewellery,
samplers and domestic and personal items. By Mrs S. Claassen Carruth,
Edinburgh.

(67) A collection including an eighteenth-century stamped leather-covered box, costume,
numerous kitchen utensils and a pair of pistols by Richardson. By Mrs I. M.
Nicoll, St Andrews.


(69) Brooches, beads etc.; and a Berlin work cushion. By R. B. K. Stevenson, F.S.A.Scot.

(70) Lead pattern for a ‘Covenanter and Martyr’s Brooch’. By Jameson and Purvey,
Edinburgh.

(71) Two curiously engraved silver brooches, inscribed ‘Mrs. Rodgers 1878’ and ‘A.
McCrorie’. By H. J. Harrison, Edinburgh.

(72) Gold wedding ring marked I.A. (John Argo, Banff, 1771–95). By G. G. Kerr, Banff.

(73) Weights, forces and a skillet from a goldsmith’s workshop. By E. R. Tatton, Edin-
burgh.

(74) Silver school medal Edinburgh 1814, with an engraving of a schoolboy. By Mrs

(75-78) Various Coronation and prize medals by
W. Manuel, Dalkeith; Miss Mercer, Edinburgh; S. Muirhead, Edinburgh and
Anonymous.

(79) Metal sovereign purse, Victorian Christmas cards, silver medals. By J. L. Forrest,
Pitlochry.

(80) Painted silk banner of the Knights of St Joseph, of the Ancient Order of Free

(81) Victorian stereoscope, with a collection of photographs for it. By J. M. Urquhart,
Galashiels.

(82) Well cup of iron, with a chain, from the Heavenly Aqua Well, Rutherford Mains,
West Linton, Peeblesshire. By J. Weir, West Linton, per Anne Ross, F.S.A.Scot.

(83-105) Objects of domestic use by
Miss E. J. Begg, F.S.A.Scot.; Mr Brass, Quoyloo; J. Gordon, Marr; G. Grant,
Blacksboat; Miss H. Groundwater, Kirkwall; D. Macdonald, Edinburgh; Miss
McGill, Edinburgh; Lt.-Col. G. S. McKellar, Edinburgh; Miss Mackie,
Hallasdale; Mrs Mackie, Edinburgh; Mrs N. F. McMillan, Cheshire; Lady
Maitland, Forfar; Mrs Miles, Edinburgh; Lady Pentland, Guildford; J. Petrie,
Keith; Lt.-Col. Purvis, St Andrews; B. Skinner, Edinburgh; Miss M. Smith,
Turriff; Mrs B. Stronach, Nairn; Dr P. W. Tait, Edinburgh; Count Tarnowski,
Edinburgh; Miss A. B. Webster, Edinburgh; H. White, Edinburgh.
(106–111) Shoemaker's tools etc., by
J. S. Cowe, Alford; Mr Chalmers, Dounby; D. B. Dunbar, Dalkeith; P. K. I. Leith, Stenness; G. McLean, Leicester; B. Sinclair, Stromness.

(112) Plumber's tools. By Mr Bishop, Edinburgh.

(113) Large part of the contents of Kingston Smithy, East Lothian, including beam drill and a tiring platform presented in the name of the family of the late James Douglas Cowan, whose family had worked the Smithy since about 1830. By Wm. Cowan, Edinburgh.

(114–118) Joiner's and Wheelwright's tools etc., by

(119) Sample model of a cane-bottomed arm-chair, Wigtownshire, c. 1900. By Miss Wilson, Musselburgh.


(121) Various Account Books and Receipt Books, 1896 to 1924, from the old Joiner's shop at Broxburn, Dunbar. By Miss A. Gibson, Broxburn.


(123–132) Tools and other objects illustrating coopering per J. M. Steven, H.M. Inspector of Fisheries, by
Messrs Bonthron, Anstruther; J. Burgon, Eyemouth; G. Brack, Edinburgh; W. Dickson, Eyemouth; R. Lamb, Edinburgh; Maclachlan's Castle Brewery, Edinburgh; E. Noble, Fraserburgh; R. Morton, Edinburgh; D. Robertson & Sons, Eyemouth; A. Wood & Son, Peterhead.

(133) An exciseman's scriber, mounted on a board bearing samples of the marks made by it. By J. Lewis, Edinburgh.

(134–137) Various tools etc., by

(138) Tile-making equipment etc., from the Blackpotts Tileworks, Whitehills, Banffshire. By J. P. Lawrence, Whitehills.

(139) Collection of baskets, and a set of Shetland pony harness for peat-carrying. By the late Dr E. V. Baxter and Miss L. J. Rintoul.

(140–141) Horse-collar making equipment by
W. Taylor, Edinburgh and St Cuthbert's Co-operative Association Ltd., Edinburgh.

(142) A barn threshing mill, mid-nineteenth century, formerly used at the farm of Wester Kinnear. By J. C. Henderson, Tayport.

(143–148) Dairy, byre and cattle equipment by
Miss Angus, Corstorphine; D. Bertram, Mid Hartwood, West Calder per W. B. Sampson, Department of Health for Scotland; Miss M. S. Boyd, Edinburgh; J. J. Laurensen, Fetlar; R. Morton, Corstorphine; Mrs J. E. Tait, Inverurie.

(149–173) Other farm equipment and agricultural implements by
Mr Binnie, Bowhouse, Grangemouth; H. Binnie, Gamrie; Mr Brown, Edinburgh; Mr Burnett, Turriff; D. J. Cadzow, Pencaitland; G. Cook, Banff; W. B. Coutts, Alford; H. Cumming, Greendykes, West Lothian; A. Fenton, F.S.A.Scot.; G. A. Garrick, Tingwall; J. S. Gaudie, Marwick; G. Grant, Oldmeldrum; P. Gray,
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(182) Collection of photographic negatives, including 33 of life in Foula, of sculptured crosses, churches, etc., taken 1901-4 by H. B. Curwen. By Dr E. C. Curwen, Sussex.


Purchases

(1) The Kames Brooch (See Notes p. 308).

Fig. 1. Medieval vessel from Cliff Sound, Shetland (\(\text{i}\))

(2) Medieval clay pot from the sea at Cliff Sound, Shetland (see figure 1).

(3-4) Armchair of oak and firwood with initials WW and A, seventeenth century, NE. Scotland. Dresser of Scotch pine, c. 1800, SE. Scotland.

(5) Powderhorn with engraved silver mounts, George Scott, Edinburgh, c. 1680 (Pl. LX); armchair of oak dated 1690.


(9) Countermarked tokens, Alloa Colliery on 1775 halfpenny and Culgreuch Mill, Stirlingshire on 1797 Leith halfpenny.

(10-11) Gold-mounted moss-agate cross, two brooches and a 'Breadalbane' china dish. Two pebble brooches.

(12-16) Two eighteenth-century lady's dresses. Suit of Highland dress c. 1820. Other articles of clothing.


(18) Two painted grandfather-clock faces.

(19) Tools etc., formerly part of the 'Burn o' Vat' museum, Dinnet, Aberdeenshire.

Blacksmith's spring hammer from near Galashiels.
Various nineteenth-century objects mainly agricultural.

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**Donations**

Transactions of the Buchan Field Club, 17, 4. By the Buchan Field Club.
Proceedings of the West Cornwall Field Club, 2, 4. By A. C. Thomas.
*Nouvelles fouilles archéologiques in Tchécoslovaquie*. By the Academy of Science, Prague.
Pyddoke, E., *Stratification for the Archaeologist*. By The Publisher.
Robertson, C., *Dunning Folk Lore, 1890*. By Mr and Miss Hume.
The Book of Methlick. By A. Fenton.
Møller-Christensen, V., *Ten Lepers from Næstved in Denmark*. By The Author.

In addition, annual reports, offprints of papers, exhibition guides, etc., have been presented by:

Purchases (excluding previously current periodicals)


Grant, I. F., *Highland Folk Ways.*
Codex Lindisfarnensis. *Introduction and Facsimile.*
*Encyclopaedia of British Empire Postage stamps* (1661–1951), I. 2 ed.
MacNeill, F. Marian, *The Silver Bough. III.*
MEETINGS OF THE SOCIETY

Monday, 11th December 1961, the Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A., in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:

Monday, 8th January 1962, the Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A., in the Chair.

The following Communications were read:
1. 'Finds from Caerlaverock Castle', by Iain MacIvor, M.A., F.S.A.Scot.

Monday, 12th February 1962, the Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: Mrs Agnes Rona M. Barr, M.A. (Edin.); Rev. F. Routledge Bell; R. E. Birley, B.A.; Leslie A. Buttle; Miss V. N. Carnegie, M.A.; Basil Clarke, M.A., B.Litt. Dip. Psych.; T. Clarke, D.A. (Edin.); Rev. James J. Davidson; Captain T. S. Davidson; A. C. S. Dixon, B.Arch. (Dunelm), A.R.I.B.A.; James Drummond, M.A.; G. Cameron Foley, D.A.; W. A. Fraser-Cameron, M.I.M.E.; A. W. R. C. Huie; R. G. S. Hunter, B.Sc., A.R.C.S.T., A.M.I.CHEM.E.; Alan L. Jeffreys; Miss Isla J. McInnes; Lt. Cdr. M. F. MacGregor; Cecil James Macintosh; Rev. James Scott Marshall, M.A.; Miss Helen C. Nisbet; R. A. P. Peek; Peter Scott-Gray; Mrs Lilian Shaw of Tordarroch; Mrs Nan Thomson; W. A. Thorburn; Rev. Thomas Veitch, C.L.J., M.A.; Thomas E. Weir, Ph.D; K. G. White, M.A.; Alexander Birrell Wilkinson; Miss Loulie M. Wilson.

The following Communication was read:

Monday, 12th March 1962, the Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A., in the Chair.

The following Communications were read:
2. 'Excavations at Cramond, 1961', by Alan Rae, M.A., F.S.A.Scot.

Monday, 26th March 1962, the Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A., in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:


The following Communications were read:
1. 'The Chambered Cairn at Beacharra, Kintyre, Argyll.'
Monday, 8th October 1962, the Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows: James Goudie Arcus; Rev. J. E. Bazille-Corbin, M.A., D.D., Barrister-at-Law; Miss Edna Durrell; James Dykes, B.A.; Daniel Fairbairn, M.A.; Miss Katherine F. Finlay; Harry Franklin, Dip.Arch., A.R.I.B.A.; Miss Magdalene G. Gibson, M.A.; Frederick J. Glen, B.Sc.; Frank Hall; Nicolas G. Holness; Miss Falba Love Johnson, M.A., M.S., B.A.; John H. Leakey, M.A., F.R.G.S.; Rognvald Livingstone; Ian H. Longworth, M.A.; Ronald Ian McAllister; John Drummond MacDonald, B.Sc.; J. Leslie McIntosh, M.A.; Henry McE. Matthews; Mrs Sheila Maule; Alexander Fyffe Miller; Mrs Rosalind Mitchison, M.A.; Ian Morrison; Edward Perry; Miss Jessie D. Philip; O. K. Schram, M.A., Ph.D.; Mark Roy Solomon, A.M.I.E.E.; Donald B. Stewart; Miss Georgina M. Wood; Kenneth Alexander Wood, M.A.


Monday, 12th November 1962, the Hon. Lord Migdale, M.A., in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:
Powderhorn by George Scott, Edinburgh, c. 1680
(see purchases No. 5)