Donations to and Purchases for the Museum, 1968–9

Donations

2. Specimens from the axe factory at Mynydd Rhiw, Caernarvonshire. By Prehistoric Society per C. H. Houlden, F.S.A.
4. Polished flint adze found at Castlesteads, Dalkeith, Midlothian. By Mrs Wrigley, Castlesteads.
5. Sherds of neolithic and early bronze age pottery and trimmed flint flake, from a cairn at Pitglassie, Aberdeenshire (fig. 1). By A. Fenton, F.S.A.Scot.
6. Two leaf-shaped and two hollow-based arrowheads of flint, and one leaf-shaped of pitch-stone (fig. 2), a flat bronze axe 5-9 in. long, and other artifacts, from sites in Glenrickard Forest, Arran, and Ardfin, Jura. By the Forestry Commission (Conservator for West Scotland).

![Fig. 1](image1)

![Fig. 2](image2)

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7. Beaker (fig. 3), found in a cist by the shore of Loch More, West Sutherland (N.G.R. NC 336362). By R. Ross, Achriesgill, Lairg.


10. Flint scraper from Thomanean Farm, Kinross-shire. By G. S. Guthrie, Kinross.


15. Quernstone with slot for handle, found at Seton Court, Gullane, East Lothian. By Mrs G. S. Hitchman, Gullane.


17. Large collection of surface finds from Fife, Angus, Perthshire and Berwickshire, including prehistoric flints and pottery, Roman objects from Cardean fort, medieval and later sherds. By D. Henderson, F.S.A.Scot.

18. Sherds of Roman and native pottery, fragment of quernstone, segment of jet armlet, worked pieces of cannel coal, from Traprain Law, East Lothian; pieces of two sandstone columns, found 1946, at Inveresk Roman Fort, Midlothian (fig. 4), pottery and stone object from the earth-house at Hatston Airfield, Orkney (Proc. Soc. Antiq. Scot. lxxxiii, 236); pottery, thought to be from the Knap of Howar, Papa Westray, Orkney (Proc. Soc. Antiq. Scot., lxxi, 309); two quern-stones from one of the Glenelg brochs, Inverness; six coins and a counter from Jarlshof, Shetland; medieval floor tiles and pottery (see Trans. Dumfriesshire Galloway Natur. Hist. Antiq. Soc., xxix (1950–1)); later glazed earthenware, medieval and later glass, and medieval metalwork, including iron knives, a bronze candlestick, lead counters and coins, from Glenluce Abbey, Wigtownshire; post-medieval
Fig. 4.
objects from Culross Palace, Fife; an iron axehead, medieval bronze fragments and other objects from Bothwell Castle, Lanarkshire; medieval and later pottery, glass and objects of metal, wood and stone from Aberdour Castle, Fife; wooden bed-ends from Crichton Castle, Midlothian (Proc. Soc. Antiq. Scot., LXXXIX) 451); and three wooden quaichs, part of a leather shoe, also pottery and glass etc. from Abbey Strand, Edinburgh. By the Ministry of Public Building and Works, Edinburgh.


20. Dupondius of Domitian or Trajan, found at Inveresk, Midlothian (N.G.R. NT 347711). By J. McNair, Inveresk, per Dr J. K. St Joseph, F.S.A.Scot.


23. Upper quernstone, found near long cist burials in December 1968. By the Captain and Members of Gullane Golf Club, East Lothian.


33. Gold medal presented by the Fisheries Board at the International Fisheries Exhibition in London in 1883. By the Department of Agriculture and Fisheries for Scotland, Edinburgh.


36. Jubilee medal (1897) and two Prestonpans Coronation medals (1902 and 1911); jet earrings and wooden souvenirs. By Miss C. Ritchie, Prestonpans.


38. A collection of the donor's family costume and accessories. By Miss J. Petrie, South Croydon.

39. Items of dress, uniform and personal ornament by the Rev. W. J. Anderson, Edinburgh; W. Ballantyne, Edinburgh; Miss C. Campbell, Edinburgh; G. R. Campbell, Lasswade; Mrs I. Cartwright, Lincolnshire; Miss M. H. Dagg, Newcastle; D. J. M. Edward, Edinburgh; Mrs Frazer, Edinburgh; Captain J. Mackenzie-Grieve, R.N. (Retd.), Tolleshunt D'Arcy; Representatives of the late Miss J. J. Simpson of Fala Dam, Midlothian, per Messrs Gray, Muirhead and Carmichael, Dalkeith; Dr A. E. Stevenson, Sanquhar; Mrs B. M. B. Stevenson, Edinburgh; Mrs Sutherland, Halkirk; Miss M. B. Taylor, Banbury; Mrs E. Telfer, Newcastle; Miss A. J. A. Watson, Edinburgh.


42. Examples of glass engraved by E. Lerche (mid-late nineteenth century) and glass and pottery engraved by his son S. Lerche. By Miss M. S. Lerche, Alloa.

43. Objects of domestic use and ornament by Miss A. S. Aitken, Edinburgh; Miss Brockie, Edinburgh; Mrs J. A. Cowley, Edinburgh; G. B. Dallas, Edinburgh; Mr Holloway, Cambuslang; A. Kennedy, F.S.A.Scot.; D. Letham, Edinburgh; Miss C. A. Peddie, Chermside, Brisbane; J. R.
RILEY, Kirkcaldy; Mrs G. ROW-FOGO, Dunblane; G. SHEPHERD, Edinburgh; Miss L. M. SLOAN, Edinburgh; Mrs STEWART, Edinburgh; G. A. STRACHAN, Edinburgh; C. SWAN, Edinburgh.

44. Two late nineteenth-century perambulators. By Miss M. PICKSTONE, Dundee.

45. Eight tools used by the donor and others in engraving maps at John Bartholomew & Son Ltd. Edinburgh; also a piece of copper engraved by him. By D. WEBSTER, Edinburgh.

46. Grocer’s vanman’s leather bag and wallet, for money. By J. PETRIE, Keith, Banffshire.

47. Relics from St Kilda by Miss G. FAIRLEY, Edinburgh; Dr J. EGGELING, Edinburgh.

48. Loom from Westray, Orkney. By J. TURFUS, Orkney.

49. Photographs, documents etc, by Dr D. HUTCHISON, Musselburgh; the Rev. Father CHARLES C. McGUIRE, Aberdeen; S. MAXWELL, F.S.A.SCOT.; D. MURISON, Edinburgh; R. B. K. STEVENSON, F.S.A.SCOT.

50. Pair of iron quoits, weighing 17 lb. By J. JARDINE, Dumfries.

51. Ball used in Kirkwall at the New Year’s Day Ba, 1914 (J. D. M. Robertson, Uppies and Doonies). By J. D. M. ROBERTSON, Kirkwall, Orkney.


54. Fisherman’s lug-spade, used 1900–45 in connection with Moray Firth line-fishing. By Miss BARBARA MEIN, Nairn.

55. An American Oliver plough, two framed photographs of the Glasgow tractor, a number of catalogues and other records of the firm of John Wallace & Sons Ltd. By R. G. BRYSON, Maybole.

56. Farm implements and equipment by THE SCHOOL OF AGRICULTURE, Edinburgh; G. E. DAVIDSON, Coldingham; Colonel FORBES, Dalry; G. H. T. GUILD, Moffat; R. KENNEDY, Aberfeldy; R. LAING, Jedburgh; A. MACKENZIE, Invergordon; L. D. MACMILLAN, Edinburgh; J. P. NIVEN & Co., Duns; J. REID, Alness; D. RIDDELL, Ormiston; W. L. SCOTT & SON, Duns; J. SMITH, Laurieston; The COUNTESS OF SUTHERLAND; R. TRAINER, Gullane; A. & T. WIGHTMAN, Berwick-on-Tweed.

57. Peat cutting equipment, including spades and peat samples by Mr MACKEY, Ardross; Managers, SCOTTISH MALT DISTILLERS LTD., Aberlour, Elgin and Glenlessie; A. TOMTER, Winchburgh; R. WALKER, Lasswade.

58. Draining tiles. By the COUNTY CLERK, CLACKMANNANSHIRE, per Mr W. CAMPBELL.

59. Samples of bricks (Sutherland 1872–1968 and Newbattle 1862) by Mrs M. M. BANNERMAN, Brora; R. D. MELROSE, Newtongrange; S. SUTHERLAND, Golspie.

**Purchases**

Stone axe-hammer, from Bassendean, Gordon, Berwickshire.
Grindstone, Aberdeen.
Silver groat and one-third groat, James V.
Silver coins, Charles I (12), Charles II (14) and William II.
Copper coins, Charles I and Charles II.
Medals, Queen Mary 1689, George VI coronation.
Collection of recent medals, and plastic tokens.
Eighteenth-century firchair, Morayshire.
Jacobite snuff box with concealed enamel miniature of Prince Charles Edward, also silver wing-funnel c. 1825.
Linen damask table cloth 1770.
Mahogany games and multi-purpose table (‘polyterpic table’) incorporating a ‘camera obscura’ with views of Rome, made by Buchanan, Greenock, 1817, also from the same source, an ivory snuff mull 1710, cloth-printing block, fireback, music medals, spoons and a miniature.
Articles of dress (two sources).
Pottery mug and a silver agriculture medal.
Flail, Orkney.
Large meal-girnel of wood.
Replica of an eighteenth-century plough sock.
Replica of Shetland water-wheel.
Peat barrow (new).
(The following silver is Edinburgh-made unless noted)

Three-lugged quaich c. 1730-50 (Edward Lothian), engraved inside with Fortune on a wheel, and mottoes

    A Hundred to One, Scob as i.  (Contributed to by the Endowment Fund including the Theodore Stewart
    and Mrs K. E. C. Grieve Bequests.)

Pair of shell-shaped soup ladles 1763.
Sugar basket 1772, and six spoons Banff, c. 1785.
Cake server 1775.
Teaspoons c. 1775, spoons and ladle, Aberdeen c. 1820-30.
Two Onslow pattern serving spoons 1783, teaspoon Perth c. 1800.
Salver presented to Dr J. Y. Simpson 1844.
Nutmeg grater 1839.
Teapot 1776 also a carved dirk handle, seventeenth century, and a late eighteenth-century mantelpiece.
Teapot 1865, tablespoon Aberdeen c. 1785, spoons c. 1790, Glasgow?; also writing medal, bezique
    scorers and a penknife-hone.
Silver bowl 1900.
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Meetings of the Society

Monday 9th December 1968, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. Piggott, B.Litt., D.Litt.Hum., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows:
Michael L. Ansell; Rev. Dom William W. Bayne, O.S.B.; Alan Carter, F.L.A.; David Victor Clarke, B.A.;
Michael Barry Cottam, M.A.(Hons.) (St. Andrews); Graham Donald, D.F.C., H.W.C.; Francis Benson
David William Robertson Ridgway, B.A.; Peter Saunders; Alexander Thom, Ph.D., D.Sc., L.L.D.(Glas.),
M.A.(Oxon.); Miss Lisbeth M. Thoms; Ian Alexander Varrie, F.A.C.C.A.; Miss Marion Banfield Walker,
M.A.; Miss Alice Erskine Watson.

The following Communication was read:
Crescentic Jet Necklaces of the British Bronze Age, by Mrs Winifred Coutts, M.A., F.S.A.Scot.


The following Communication was read:

Monday, 10th February 1969, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. Piggott, B.Litt., D.Litt.Hum., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.

A Ballot having been taken, the following were elected Fellows:
Richard John Ardern; Thomas Bryden, M.A.; David Lewis Cawley; John di Folco, M.A.; John Fryer, B.A.;
F.I.L., C.A.; Roger James Mercer, M.A.; Archibald Russell Murray, B.A. (Dunelm); James McBriarty,
Edward Jefferyes Price; Walter Macarthur Reid, B.A. (Oxon), I.I.B.; Walter Willard Taylor, Ph.D.
(Harvard), A.B. (Yale); Miss Janet Thomason; Mrs Margaret Hannah Cornish Veitch; Frederick Richard

The following were elected Honorary Fellows under Law 5:
Dr J.B. Colbert de Beaulieu; Gerhard Fischer; Dr A. T. Lucas; Professor Dr Hans Schônberger; Professor Axel Steensberg.

The following Communication was read:

Monday, 24th February 1969, at 5.30 p.m., Basil C. Skinner, M.A., in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:

Monday, 10th March 1969, at 5.30 p.m., Basil C. Skinner, M.A., in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:
A Norse and Medieval Homestead at Skaill, Deerness, Orkney, by P. S. Gelling, M.A., F.S.A., University
of Birmingham.
Monday, 14th April 1969, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. Piggott, B.L.IIT., D.L.IIT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.

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

The following were elected Honorary Fellows under Law 5:
Professor S. J. de Laet; Academician Professor Jan Filip; Professor E. Vogt; Professor Konrad Jazdewski; Dr J. D. Cowen.

The following Communication was read:
Laboratory Archaeology - Current Activities of the National Museum Research Laboratory, by H. McKerrell, Ph.D., A.R.I.C., F.S.A.Scot.

Monday, 13th October 1969, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. Piggott, B.L.IIT., D.L.IIT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.

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

The following Communication was read:
Cups-And-Rings and Similar Rock Art in Southern Scotland and Elsewhere, by R. W. B. Morris, B.L., F.S.A.Scot.

Monday, 10th November 1969, at 5.30 p.m., Professor S. Piggott, B.L.IIT., D.L.IIT.HUM., F.B.A., F.S.A., in the Chair.

The following Communication was read: