

MONDAY, 11th March 1867.

SIR JAMES Y. SIMPSON, BART., F.S.A. Scot., in the Chair.

The following Gentlemen were balloted for and elected Fellows of the Society :—

G. H. MONRO BINNING of Argaty, Esq., Perthshire.
 LOCKHART THOMSON, Esq., S.S.C.
 JAMES COPLAND, Esq.
 ALEXANDER HARRIS, Esq.

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

(1.) By JOHN WALKER, Esq.

Two Stone Celts, $6\frac{1}{2}$ inches and $4\frac{1}{2}$ inches in length, and portions of two others, of greenstone and sandstone ; and a

Fragment of a Stone Vessel, $1\frac{1}{3}$ inch in thickness ; found in the parish of Daviot, Aberdeenshire.

(2.) By Mr JOHN GOW, Langton.

Bronze three-legged Pot, 8 inches high, with straight handle projecting from lip, found at Langton, near Dunse.

(3.) By D. H. ROBERTSON, M.D., F.S.A. Scot.

Balls, one of Iron, $2\frac{1}{2}$ inches diameter, and one of Stone, 2 inches in diameter, found in digging at Leith.

Circular Brass Matrix ; pair of Iron Wrist Fetters ; pair of Shoe Buckles, Excise Stamp for Candles for Scotland, Geo. III. with crest of Lion seated on Crown.

Figure of Osiris in Glazed Earthenware, $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches high, from Egypt ; and a small Basin 1 inch in height, and Jar with handle, 2 inches high, of Black Ware, ornamented with striped patterns of yellow and red ; from Mexico, &c.

(4.) By WILLIAM TAAP, Esq., North Bridge.

Half-quarter Unit of Charles I., gold ; with Royal Arms on *Reverse* crowned, between C and R not crowned.

Small Bronze Memorial Medal of Napoleon, on occasion of transporting his remains from St Helena to France ; Bust to right, NAPOLEON BONA-PARTE ; *Reverse*, Ship of War under sail—IL PORTA DIGNEMENT LES COULEURS DE LA NATION. Below, TRANSLATION, 1840.

Small Bronze Medal of Louis Philippe ; Laureated Head to left ; LOUIS PHILLIPE I. ROI DES FRANÇAIS ; *Reverse*, Column of the Place de la Bastille—AUX HÉROS MORT EN DEFENDANT LES LOIS ; on field, 27, 28, et 29 JUIL^r 1830.

(5.) By Mr JOHN SMITH, Beaumont Place.

Five square-shaped Church Communion Tokens, in Lead, $\frac{5}{8}$ to $\frac{1}{2}$ inch square, with the letters, W. K., Whamphray Kirk ; I. K., Johnstone Kirk, near Lockerbie ; K. K., 1775 ; K. K., and K., Kirkpatrick Juxta.

(6.) By GEORGE SIM, Esq., Curator of Coins S.A. Scot.

Two Specimens of the Spurious Medals in Lead, stated to have been found at the Shadwell Docks, London. The medals are circular in shape, and 3 inches in diameter ; one has three loops above for suspension, and represents two men in mail, fighting ; on the reverse, a crowned figure standing, holding a crucifix, &c. ; the other has one loop above, a bust of a king looking to front, with spiked crown, and on the reverse, a bird flying.

(7.) By General J. H. LEFRÖY.

Photographs of Arrow Heads and Flakes of Stone, Flint, and Quartz, from the Great Fish River, South Africa.

(8.) By DAVID LAING, Esq., LL.D., V.P.S.A. Scot.

Horn and Rimenhild, Recueil de ce qui reste des Poèmes relatifs a leurs Aventures, &c. 4to. Paris, 1845.

Consultation pour James Hamilton Marquis d'Abercorn contre le Duc d'Hamilton, &c. 4to. Paris, 1865.

(9.) By the ROYAL ARCHÆOLOGICAL INSTITUTE, London.
Archæological Journal. No. 90. 8vo. London, 1866.

(10.) By the ARCHÆOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION.
Journal of the British Archæological Association. 8vo. December 1866.
London, 1866.

(11.) By the CAMBRIAN ARCHÆOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION.
Archæologia Cambrensis. No. 48. 8vo. London, 1866.

(12.) By F. W. HOYLE, Esq. (the Author.)
Pedigree of the Family of Rhodes of New Zealand. 4to. (pp. 6). Sher-
field, 1860.

(13.) By the SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.
Report of the Smithsonian Institution. 8vo. Washington, 1865.

There were exhibited to the meeting—

(1.) By Dr LAWSON TAIT, Golspie.

A Rubbing of a Sculptured Stone recently discovered by him in the
Churchyard of Clyne.

(2.) ARTICLES PURCHASED FOR THE MUSEUM.

“Patera” or flat dish, 10 inches in diameter, with figures of bulls, &c.,
red, on a cream-coloured ground (of an early period), with a projecting
knob or handle on each side.

“Ceinochœ” or Wine Jug, 6 inches high, with handle, black figures
on cream-coloured ground, man on horse with spear, and helmeted warrior
with shield, on the ground.

“Cylinx” or Drinking Cup, a shallow dish on a raised stem, 12 inches
in diameter and 5 inches in height, with two looped handles rising from
each side, rather lower than the lip; draped and nude figures with
strigils (bath scenes), both above and below; and honeysuckle pattern,
red on a black ground.

“Leeythus” or Vase for Oil, 12 inches in height, with a handle, honey-

suckle ornaments on side, and group of figures, in black and red, on a cream-coloured ground.—Priam entreating Achilles for the body of Hector.

“Celebe” or large Vase for Liquids, 17 inches in height and 12 inches in diameter, ornamented with groups of figures in red on a black ground, ivy pattern on neck, honeysuckle over handles, and the water pattern round the lip of the vase.

Bowl-shaped Vase with cover, 5 inches in height, and a looped handle at each side, ornamented with bands and birds, in dark brown, on a cream-coloured ground.

“Bombylios” or egg-shaped perfume Vase, 5 inches in height, with small perforated handle at neck, with figure of a harpy, in red and brown on a cream-coloured ground.

Small cylindrical Jar, with three projecting feet, 3 inches high, ornamented with red bands, on a cream-coloured ground.

A male, and a female head, with hoods, in terra cotta, 5 and $5\frac{1}{2}$ inches in height.

A Bronze Tube covered with projecting knobs, like the branch of a tree, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in length; or,

A small Ring of Bronze, six sided, and grooved, half inch in length; probably the bronze tips of a flagellum.

Small Bronze Perfume Jar, with handle, $1\frac{1}{2}$ inches in height.

A flat double spiral Brooch, of Bronze Wire, measuring 4 inches in greatest length, found in 1862 in Castlemain, Ireland.

Brass Penannular Ring or Bracelet, with flattened ends, and weighing $2\frac{1}{2}$ ounces avoirdupois, stated to be designated a “Manilla,” and used as money on the east coast of Africa.

The following Communications were read:—