

MONDAY, 11th February 1929.

JAMES CURLE, LL.D., Curator of the Museum,
in the Chair.

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

ADAM CAIRNS, 22 Monreith Road, Newlands, Glasgow.

Rev. J. HUTCHISON COCKBURN, B.D., The Manse, Dunblane.

JOHN REID HEWISON, Pierowall, Westray, Orkney.

JOHN M. LAMONT, O.B.E., J.P., Clerk of Lieutenancy and Vice-Convener
of Buteshire, etc., Ardentigh, Port Bannatyne, Bute.

JOHN DRUMMOND MACAULAY, Bank Agent, Norwood, Milliken Park,
Renfrewshire.

JAMES T. MITCHELL, Editor, "The Western Home Monthly," 96 Lenore
Street, Winnipeg, Manitoba, Canada.

ROBERT CARFRAE NOTMAN, W.S., 1 Nelson Street, Edinburgh.

ERIC HARDWICKE RIDEOUT, B.Sc., A.I.C., 9 Rodney Street, Liverpool.

There was exhibited by J. STORER CLOUSTON, F.S.A.Scot., a large
Silver Penannular Brooch from the Scoto-Viking Hoard found at
Skaill, Orkney, in 1858.

The following Donations to the Museum were announced and thanks
voted to the Donors:—

(1) By A. D. LACAILLE, F.S.A.Scot.

Five Mousterian Implements of grey Chert, found by the donor one
mile west of Dinan, Côtes-du-Nord, France.

(2) By J. GRAHAM CALLANDER, F.S.A.Scot., Director of the Museum.

Spud of Copper with quadrangular blade, found 2½ feet below the
surface in the garden at Battleby House, near Perth.

Antler of Red Deer, the burr and points of two tines cleanly sawn
off, the points of two others broken off, one showing cut marks, and
a broken fragment of a similar Antler which has no artificial markings.
Found by the donor in a kitchen-midden on the east bank of the River
Avon, a short distance before it falls into the Firth of Forth (see
subsequent communication by Mr Callander).

(3) By Major M. GLYNN, 106 Hanover Street, Edinburgh.

Steel Dies for striking Communion Tokens (one-half of each), of South Leith and Marnoch, 1860.

(4) By Sir A. KAY MUIR, Bart., Blair Drummond.

Cinerary Urn, restored, but wanting the base, found inverted over the incinerated remains of a young adult, probably a female, near the top of a large burial mound just outside the garden at Blair Drummond, Perthshire (see subsequent communication by Mr Callander).

(5) Deposited by WALTER SCOTT WYLIE, Kincardine-on-Forth, through J. LOGAN MACK, S.S.C., F.S.A.Scot., F.S.A.

Silver Chronometer Watch, with stop action on centre seconds, and calendar, made by Breguet, Paris, and said to have been given by the Czar Alexander of Russia, in 1814, to his Scottish doctor Sir James Wylie.

It was announced that the following objects had been purchased for the Museum:—

Stone of triangular section, measuring $5\frac{3}{8}$ inches by $4\frac{1}{4}$ inches by $4\frac{11}{16}$ inches, with a picked cavity on two sides, found in a grave at Dale, Harray, Orkney.

Conical drinking Horn, measuring $6\frac{1}{8}$ inches in length and $2\frac{1}{4}$ inches in external diameter at the mouth. It is encircled by combed turned bands, and has the bust of a man in a wig, a tulip, foliaceous ornament, and the date 1699 engraved on it. From Aberdeenshire.

Conical drinking Horn measuring $8\frac{1}{8}$ inches in length, and $1\frac{7}{8}$ inches in external diameter at the mouth. At the foot is a whistle, and above it two vertical oblong slots cut at right angles to each other. The cup is encircled by five horizontal lines of intersecting single and double compass-made semicircles, and the whistle part shows incised oblique straight lines. From Aberdeenshire.

The following Donations to the Library were intimated and thanks voted to the Donors:—

(1) By DAVID COUPER THOMPSON, J.P., D.L., F.S.A.Scot.

Osler Genealogical Chart, showing the traced Descendants and Connections of James Osler, Farmer in Castleton of Eassie, Forfarshire. Dundee, 1924.

- (2) By THE GLASGOW ARCHÆOLOGICAL SOCIETY and S. N. MILLER, M.A., F.S.A.Scot., the Author.

The Roman Fort at Old Kilpatrick. Glasgow, 1928.

- (3) By ALEXANDER KEILLER of Morven, F.S.A.Scot., F.S.A., the Author.

Final Report upon such of the Megalithic Monuments of Aberdeenshire as have been scheduled as Ancient Monuments. Compiled from the Morven Records.

- (4) By ROBERT DINWOODIE, 117 High Street, Dumfries.

The Gallovidian Annual, 1928. Edited by DOROTHY M. M'BURNIE, M.A., B.Com. Dumfries, 1928.

- (5) By H.M. GOVERNMENT.

Calendar of State Papers, Colonial Series. America and West Indies, August 1714–December 1715. London, 1928.

- (6) By the SECRETARY, EAST LoTHIAN ANTIQUARIAN AND FIELD NATURALISTS' SOCIETY.

Transactions, Vol. I, Part 1, 1924–25, Part 2, 1925–26, and Part 3, 1926–27.

- (7) By W. DOUGLAS SIMPSON, D.Litt., F.S.A.Scot., the Author.

Pitcaple Castle. Reprinted from "The Aberdeen University Review," Vol. 15, No. 1, Nov. 1927.

- (8) By ALEXANDER O. CURLE, F.S.A.Scot., F.S.A.

Report for the Year 1927, by The Director, on The Royal Scottish Museum, Edinburgh. Edinburgh, 1928.

- (9) By CHARLES SCHLEICHER, F.S.A.Scot.

Bulletin de la Société Préhistorique Française, Tome XX. 1923, Tome XXI. 1924, Tome XXII. 1925.

Pointes de Flèches du Charollais, authentiques et douteuses. By the donor. Paris, 1908.

Comment Boucher de Perthes en 1860, concevait l'Emmanchement de Haches et autres outils de Silex (Antediluviens). By the donor. 1922.

Les Silex modernes (Pierres à fusil et à briquet) taillées à Meusnes (Loire-et-Cher). By the donor. Le Mans, 1911.

Formes Bizarres de quelques petits silex néolithiques des environs de Compiègne (Oise). By the donor. Le Mans, 1912.

Silex chelléens et acheuléens de la Vallée de la Tamise et du Comté de Suffolk (Angleterre). By the donor. Le Mans, 1908.

Le Préhistorique Français (Ages de la Pierre et du Bronze) au British Museum. By the donor. Le Mans, 1926.

Une Industrie qui Disparait. La Taille, des Silex modernes (Pierres à fusil et à briquet). By the donor. Le Mans, 1927.

Tranchets néolithiques. By the donor. Le Mans, 1909.