Meetings of the Society, 1986–87

Monday, 8 December 1986, at 7.00 pm, Professor L Alcock, MA, FSA, FRSE, FRHistS, President, in the Chair.

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

Mrs Alta M Bearman, BFA, MasMusEd; Leonard C Bearman, BScE; Miss Alison Venetia Graham Betts, MA, PhD; Robert Craig Cameron, MA; Duncan Alan Francis Campbell; Ronald Douglas; Mrs Patricia Anne Gibson; Derek Wilson Hall, CertPracArch; Ms Rosemary Hannay, MA; Professor S W Jackman, PhD, FSA, FRHistS, FRSA; Mrs Elizabeth Conway Kelsall, MA; Malcolm Robert Crichton Lind, BA; Craig McLean Long, BS, MBA; Lawrence Maxwell Long, BS, ChE; Miss Ann Malloy, BA, ALA, AILAM, MBIM; Robert Rutherford Mason; Scott Murray Mason; Hugh McFadzean; Rev Peter T Macfarlane, LTh, BA, CF; Rev Robert Morrison Nicol, MBIM; W David Nixon, BS; Rev John Pagan, FRSA; Geoffrey A Petch, BTech, FSS; Mrs Maxine Roberts; Mrs Kathryn Margaret Greig Ross; James Brodie Sinclair; Robert P Stewart; Peter E F Stott, MA; Neil Arnold West; George Caldwell Golder Wilson; Miss Margaret Mary Lavinia Wilson; Mrs Rosaleen Woodhouse, BA.

The following Communication was read: 'Lairds and landscape in Upper Deeside', by John S Smith, MA, PhD, FSA Scot.

 ${\it Monday, 12 January 1987, at 5.30~pm, Professor L Alcock, MA, FSA, FRSE, FRHistS, President, in the Chair.}$

The following Communication was read:

'Rhum: the excavations', by Caroline Wickham-Jones, MA, MIFA, FSA Scot.

Monday, 9 February 1987, at 7.00 pm, Professor L Alcock, MA, FSA, FRSE, FRHistS, President, in the Chair.

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

Ian Malcolm Bramwell, BSc; Simon Hamilton Cottle, BA, AMA; Neil Malcolm Douglas Ewins; Miss Sally Foster, BA, AIFA; Gordon Mark Gentry, BSc, DipEd, DipHEd; Ms Anne Gibbons, FLIA (Dip); Charles Edward Goslin, BFA; Ian Hewitt, BEd; Mrs Irene Mary Hewitt, BEd; James Holloway; Mrs Frances Mary Hood; Mrs Frances Margaret Aitken Kelvin, MA; Martin Kelvin, MBChB, DRCOG; Ian Robert St John Lewis, MA; Thomas J Logan, BS, MLitt, CCSG; Mrs Nora Kivlin McCabe; Callum Alexander McLeod, MA; Miss Morag Young McKenzie, MA, LRAM, ARCM; Philip Edward McWilliams, MA; Alexander Marshall, MD; Mrs Catherine J Miller; David Arthur Moore, MB, BS, MFOM, DPH, DIH, DTM & H; James Falconer Neilson; Norman S Newton; Ms Elizabeth Jane Page, BA; Douglas Johnstone Philp, BSc, CEng, MIMechE; Peter David Robertson Powell, DA; Frank MacDonnel Radcliffe, LLB, MIPI; Mrs Elizabeth Ann Roads; Ian J B Sinclair, BSc, PhD; Ms Veronica Joyce Smart, MA, PhD; James Barclay Spence, MA; Major Michael Pilgrim Taitt; Ms Valerie Erica Turner, BA, MIFA; Miss Angela R Wardell, MA; Thomas Martin Waugh; Edward Brian Wilton; Edward A Young III; Paul Yoxon, BSc, FGS.

The following Communication was read:

'Excavation of an Iron Age "fort" at Dunion, Roxburghshire', by James S Rideout, MA, FSA Scot.

Monday, 9 March 1987, at 5.30 pm, Professor L Alcock, MA, FSA, FRSE, FRHistS, President, in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:

'The exploration of a prehistoric and historic landscape in Eskdalemuir, Dumfriesshire', by Roger J Mercer, MA, FSA, FSA Scot.

Monday, 30 March 1987, at 7.00 pm, Dr David J Breeze, BA, PhD, FSA, Vice-President, in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:

'The Roman forts at Strageath, Perthshire', by Professor J Wilkes, BA, PhD, FSA, FSA Scot.

Monday, 13 April 1987, at 7.00 pm, Professor L Alcock, MA, FSA, FRSE, FRHistS, President, in the Chair.

In honour of her retirement as Assistant Secretary, Miss Audrey S Henshall was presented with a radio-cassette player, a cheque and a vellum scroll of thanks by the President on behalf of the Fellows. The President paid tribute to Miss Henshall's 16 years of work in support of the Society, which had enabled the business of the Society to run smoothly and successfully. In reply, Miss Henshall expressed her thanks and appreciation to all Fellows for their gifts and good wishes.

The following Communication was read:

'The ancient sundials of Scotland', by Andrew R Somerville, BSc, PhD, FSA Scot.

Monday 12 October 1987, at 5.30 pm, Professor L Alcock, MA, FSA, FRSE, FRHistS, President, in the Chair.

A ballot having been taken, Miss Audrey Shore Henshall, MA, FSA, FSA Scot, Edinburgh, was elected an Honorary Fellow.

The following were elected Fellows:

Mrs Catrina Anne Appleby, BA, MA; Mrs Eve Armstrong; Malcolm Armstrong; Reverend Alan Graeme Auld, MA, BD, PhD; Mrs Sylvia Joyce Auld, MA; Cameron Iain Charles Bishop; Charles Stuart Borthwick; William John Brigham; Mrs Catherine Brown; Mrs Irene M Bryce; John Cairney, BA, DipRSAMD; James Alister Grant Campbell; Miss Marsaili Anne Chisholm, BSc, DipTCP; Ashley David Martin Cook; Alan Court; George Cruickshank, DipArch, ARIBA, DipTP, FRTPI, FRIAS; Alexander Davidson; James Allan Denholm; Mark D Dennis, BA, LLB, JD; Mrs Mary Dudgeon; Ms Sally Dummer, BA; James Dunlop; Peter Albert Esgate, BA, LCG, DipEdTech, FCertEd, MIOP, MIRT; Duncan Stuart Fairbrother; Miss Mary Mathieson Ferguson, MA; Reverend Robert Ferguson, PhD; Mrs Margaret Clair Forsyth; Douglas Gordon Gair, FRSA; Roderick Munn Renshaw Gilchrist; Mrs Anne Gordon; Randall R Graham; Denzil Mohum Bede Grant; Mrs Margaret Grant, DA; Miss Terry L Griest; Ms Christine Pamela Graves, MA; Robert Arthur Hall, MEd; Ms Caroline Hardie, MA; David Iain Harvie; Robert Stuart Haszeldine, BSc, PhD, FGS; James F Hollan III, BA, BS, MS; Mrs Nadja Mae Guyer Hudson; John Hurworth Hutchinson, DipArch, FSA, FRHistS, FSAI; Keith Barry Jackson, MNAEA, FPCS; John Jardine; Jeffrey M Johnstone, MA, AB; Hugh Maclean Kennedy, PE; Mrs Isabella Munro Lennie, DipRSAMD; David Dudley Logan; Michael Lynch, MA, PhD, FRHistS; Charles John Howell Mann, OBE, OStJ, TD, DL, MB, DPh; Sidney Richards Maxwell, DC, AAS; Miss Deborah Clare Mays, MA; Mrs Diane Morgan, MA, BA; Miss Nicola Anne Murray, MA; Reverend Richard McAlpine, BA; Mrs Eileen H L Macaskill; Murray McBay; Stuart Robb Macbeth, ALA; Miss Grace-Ellen Elisabeth Bridgid McCrann; Jack Swan Macdonald; Ms Miriam Ross McDonald, MA; Donald M Mackintosh, MusB, MM; Alan John Lyon MacLeod; William Reynolds McLeod, BA, MA, PhD; John Rayment Macmartin, DA, FRSA, DMDA; Mrs Doris B McNeill, BS; Thomas Alexander Stewart Macpherson, FRICS; James William Oag; Donald Robert Paterson, BSc; Robert Wilson Pollock, MA; Edgar John Priestley, MA, MPhil, AMA; Miss Charlotte Ann Pringle; John Reid, FRICS; John Kennedy Reid, BS, BT, HSW; Alasdair F B Roberts, MA, MEd; Ms Alison Sheridan, MA, PhD; David Stephen Simon, BA; Andrew Kirkpatrick Sloan, QPM, BA; George Henry Steele, DMS, MInstBRM, MBIM, MILAM; Reverend James C Stewart, MA, BD, STM; Miss Marion Mitchell Stewart, MA, MLitt; Garry Stork, BA; Alexander Anderson Strachan; Scott Crichton Styles, MA, LLB; John William Trotter, Jr; Mrs Frances Mary Walker, ALA; Alexander B Watson, MA, MEd, FBIM; Mark Stephen Watson, BA, MSocSc; Thomas Nicolson Watson, DipArch, DipConStud, RIBA, FRIAS, FCIArb, FGA; Klaus Peter Wieten Webber; John Hutchieson Wight, MA; Michael Roy Yarborough, MA.

The President referred to the notice, circulated in advance of the meeting, of the proposed amendment to Law 13. This was agreed unanimously, and Law 13 will now read:

'The Council shall consist of the Office-bearers, the Conveners of the Programme, Publication, Research, and Finance and Administration Committees, a member of the Board of Trustees of the National Museums of Scotland who is also a Fellow of the Society (nominated by the Board of Trustees), the Director of the National Museums of Scotland, the Keeper of Archaeology and the Keeper of History and Applied Arts of the National Museums of Scotland, a representative of the Friends of the National Museums of Scotland (nominated by the governing body of the Friends), the Society representative on the Ancient Monuments Board (nominated by the Secretary of State for Scotland), these last five to sit as Assessors, and twelve Fellows elected by the Society'.

The following Communication was read:

'The Spanish Armada and its Irish Legacy', by Laurence Flanagan, Keeper of Antiquities, Ulster Museum, Belfast.

Monday 9 November 1987, at 5.30 pm, Professor L Alcock, MA, FSA, FRSE, FRHistS, President, in the Chair.

The following Communication was read:

'From Neolithic to Viking ~ excavations at Pool, Sanday, Orkney', by John R Hunter, BA, PhD, DipArch, FSA Scot.