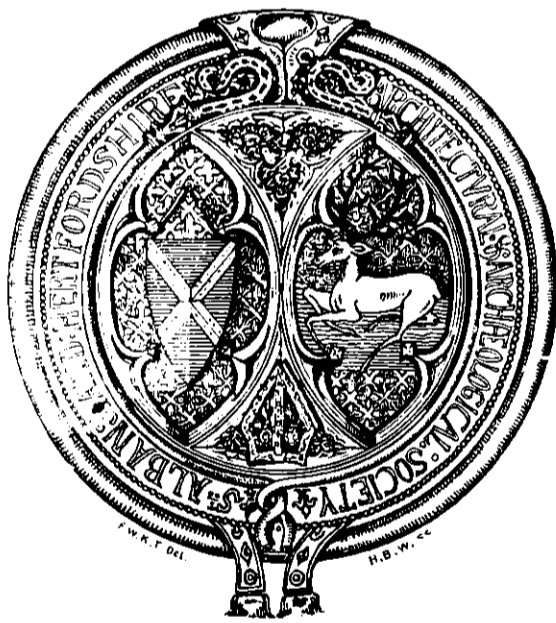


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Thorne, S. M., Cobblestones, Lemsford Road, St. Albans.
Thorne, Mrs., Cobblestones, Lemsford Road, St. Albans.
Tinney, G. F., Newlyn, Tennyson Road, Harpenden.
Toombs, E. A., L.R.I.B.A., Sun Crest, Chalk Hill, St. Albans.
- Verulam, The Right Hon. the Earl of, 7, South Square, N.W.11.
Verulam, The Right Hon. the Countess of, 7, South Square, N.W.11.
- Wace, Mrs., Leslie Lodge, Avenue Road, St. Albans.
- Wace, A. J. B., M.A., F.S.A., 6a, Ashburn Gardens, S.W.7.
Walker, Bevan P. M., 86, Clarence Road, St. Albans.
Ward, Mrs. E. E., 3, Grange Gardens, St. Albans.
Warren, Arthur, 10, Green Street, Stevenage.
*Watkins, J. T., 25, Hill Street, St. Albans.
West, S. H., Beckenham, Battlefield Road, St. Albans.
West, Mrs., Beckenham, Battlefield Road, St. Albans.
*Westell, W. Percival, F.L.S., F.S.A.Scot., The Museum, Letchworth Garden City.
*Wheeler, R. E. Mortimer, M.C., M.A., D.Litt., F.S.A., Lancaster House, S.W.1.
*Wheeler, Mrs. Mortimer, F.S.A., Lancaster House, S.W.1.
White, Miss, Elmsleigh, Bricket Road, St. Albans.
Whiting, F. Mure, Holmrook, Clarence Road, St. Albans.
Whiting, Mrs. Mure, Holmrook, Clarence Road, St. Albans.
Whiting, Miss I. M., Holmrook, Clarence Road, St. Albans.
Wickham, A. F., Ormond, 35, Woodstock Road, St. Albans.
Wigglesworth, Mrs., Dirleton House, Battlefield Road, St. Albans.
*Wigram, Sir Edgar T. A., Bart., M.A., A.R.I.B.A., Greenacres, Wells.
Wilde, S. A., F.S.I., Amberley, Christchurch Crescent, Radlett.
Wilson, Denis M., "1920," Park Avenue South, Harpenden.
Wilson, Mrs., "1920," Park Avenue South, Harpenden.
Wilson, Dr. R. E., M.A., M.B., 54, Holywell Hill, St. Albans.
Wilson, Mrs., 54, Holywell Hill, St. Albans.
Wimbush, Francis, Poldhu, Townsend Avenue, St. Albans.
Wimbush, Miss E., The Elms, Upper Marlborough Road, St. Albans.
Woodcock, Mrs., Heath House, Harpenden Road, St. Albans.
Woodmansey, Mrs., Sancton, Palfrey Close, St. Albans.
Woollev, Ernest, F.S.A., Collingworth, Lemsford Road, St. Albans.
Woolley, Mrs., Collingworth, Lemsford Road, St. Albans.
Wortley, Mrs. H. E., Whinstone, Harpenden Road, St. Albans.
Wright, Miss C., Abbeydore, King Harry Lane, St. Albans.
Wrigley, Miss F. C., Oster Hills, St. Albans.

President's Report for the Year 1933.

It is with regret that I announce the death of six of our members since my previous report. One of those who have passed away joined the Society fifty-one years ago and, although resident in Brighton, had attended two of our lectures and joined two of our excursions recently. Our membership now numbers three hundred.

The Verulamium excavations have resulted in discoveries of great interest and value. These will be recorded by Dr. and Mrs. Wheeler in our volume of Transactions for 1933. The visitors' book kept on the site shows that, as in former years, the work has drawn visitors from all parts of the world.

The Roman theatre in Gorhambury Park was partly uncovered during the year, and it is hoped that the task will be finished in 1934. When completely exposed the theatre will doubtless attract universal interest as being, so far as is at present known, unique in Britain.

The following lectures have been given during the year :—

Jan. 23rd, 1933.—“ Rome: the City of the Seven Hills,” by Mr. Albert C. Dabbs, F.S.A., F.R.G.S.

Feb. 6th, 1933.—“ Rustic Life and Humour,” by Dr. Habberton Lulham, F.R.S.A.

Feb. 20th, 1933.—“ Verulamium: the Third Year's Excavations (1932),” by Mrs. Mortimer Wheeler, F.S.A.

Mar. 6th, 1933.—“ Corsica: the Bandit Island,” by Mr. Bernard Newman.

Oct. 3rd, 1933.—“ Architecture Old and New,” by Mr. E. R. Jarrett, A.R.I.B.A.

[This lecture was given in co-operation with the Hertfordshire Chapter of Architects, who very kindly defrayed the expenses.]

Oct. 17th, 1933.—“ Provence,” by Mr. William Edwards, M.A.

Oct. 31st, 1933.—“ The Incas of Peru,” by Mr. A. Stuart McNairn, F.R.G.S.

Nov. 14th, 1933.—“ Our Stone Age Ancestors in East Africa,” by Dr. L. S. B. Leakey, M.A., F.S.A.

Nov. 28th, 1933.—“ London in Roman Times,” by Mrs. Mortimer Wheeler, F.S.A.

During the summer Mr. F. N. Jackson arranged and conducted with marked success the following excursions :—

May 23rd, 1933.—Cambridge.

June 13th, 1933.—Queen Hoo Hall and St. Leonard's Church (Bengeo).

June 28th, 1933.—Brampton, Huntingdon and Hinchingsbrooke.

July 11th, 1933.—Sarratt Church and Denham Place.

GEORGE ARTHUR GUEST,
President.

December 30th, 1933.

The Society's Library.

We acknowledge with thanks the following gifts :—

- By Mr. H. C. Andrews.
Miscellanea Genealogica et Heraldica (Sept., 1932, and Dec., 1932). (Containing *Notes on the Rowlett and Jennings Families*, by the donor.)
- By Miss Helen Rudd.
History of the Finch Family, by Bryan l'Anson.
- By Mr. A. E. Robinson.
Greek and Roman Plated Coins, by William Campbell.
Discussion and Correspondence, reprinted from *American Anthropologist*, Vol. 35, No. 1.
- By Mr. H. G. Mantle.
Note on Glacial Boulders at Verulamium, by the donor.
- By Mr. W. P. Westell and Mr. E. S. Applebaum.
Romano-British Baldock, by the donors.

Other additions include :—

East Herts. Archæological Society's *Transactions*, 1930-1.
Cambridge Antiquarian Society's *Communications*, 1931-2.
Southend-on-Sea Antiquarian and Historical Society's *Transactions*.

Upper Norwood Athenæum's *Record*, 1932, containing *Verulam and St. Michael's Church, St. Albans*, by H. C. Andrews.

Carmarthenshire Antiquarian Society's *Transactions*, 1932.
Antiquity, March, 1933, containing *Belgic Cities of Britain*, by Dr. R. E. M. Wheeler.

One of our members has acquired and presented to the Society a small collection of newspaper and magazine articles relating to St. Albans and other parts of the county. These have been mounted in a book and placed in our library.

A notable gift has been made to us by Mr. J. L. Douthwaite, librarian at the Guildhall, London, consisting of a collection of magazine illustrations, including :—

St. Albans Abbey—Exterior Views.
St. Albans Abbey—Interior Views.
St. Albans Abbey—Plans, Elevations, Sections, etc.
Berkhamsted.
Cassiobury.
Cheshunt Church.
Hadley.
Hatfield House.
The 3rd Marquess of Salisbury—Portraits, etc.

Our thanks are due to Mr. Douthwaite and to Mr. A. F. Rowe, the latter having been instrumental in arranging for the gift.

Mr. E. Stanley Kent has very kindly lent us many negatives of his excellent photographs of the St. Albans of some thirty-five years ago. Prints of these are being made and will then be mounted in an album and placed in the Society's library.

K.A.J.

Obituary

RICHARD LOY WILCOX, M.R.C.S., L.R.C.P.
Dr. Wilcox, who died on December 22nd, 1932, joined
the Society in 1931.

ALICE DUMVILLE.

Miss Dumville was elected a member in 1911 and served
on the Council from 1912-14 and from 1916-18. She
died on January 10th, 1933.

CHARLES ALAN PALMER,

who died on March 24th, 1933, had been a member
since 1925.

EMMA VICTORIA SARAH HILTON.

Mrs. Hilton became a member in 1932 and died on
July 10th, 1933.

PAUL MATHEWS, M.A.,

who died on August 11th, 1933, joined the Society in
1929.

ARTHUR FOSTER GRIFFITH

was a member for 51 years, having been elected in 1882.
He died on December 30th, 1933.