JOHN L. NEVINSON, M.A., F.S.A.

It is with sadness that we record the death, on Monday, 29th July, of John Nevinson, a Past President of the Society. He became a member in 1928 and served the Society in many ways. A full obituary will appear in a future issue of the Bulletin.

SURREY ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY RESEARCH FUND

This fund has been set up to support research on any aspect of the history or archaeology of the historic or administrative county of Surrey. Projects involving Surrey as part of a wider region will also be considered. The fund is available to any individual, whether or not a member of the Society and to local historical or archaeological societies or groups. The success of an application is not dependent on a proven record of research. This fund is not intended to supplant existing sources of grants (see below). An application form and a copy of the general conditions of grants are available from the Hon. Secretary, Surrey Archaeological Society, Castle Arch, Guildford GU1 3SX.

EXCAVATIONS COMMITTEE GRANTS

The Society's Excavation and Fieldwork fund is administered by the Excavations Committee and exists to support archaeological work in the historic or administrative County of Surrey. Grants are available to any individual member of, or group affiliated to, the Surrey Archaeological Society and the success of an application is not necessarily dependent on a proven record of work. Applications are normally considered on a quarterly basis, but the Officers of the Committee are empowered to make an earlier decision in the case of an emergency. Application forms and copies of the general conditions of grants can be obtained from the Hon. Secretary, Surrey Archaeological Society, Castle Arch, Guildford GU1 3SX.

EXCAVATIONS COMMITTEE ANNUAL SYMPOSIUM: MARGARY AWARD

The Excavations Committee's Margary Award competition has not been as successful as had been hoped, for it has proved surprisingly difficult to encourage entries. The Committee has considered the problem and gathered comments from various sources, and has decided to change the basis of the competition.
In future, the Award will be made every year for the best display at the Symposium. There will be first and second prizes of £50 and £25. Entrants must be members or (if groups) affiliated to the Society, but entry is otherwise unrestricted and may come from individuals or groups, amateur or professional. The judges will, however, take such factors into account, and they will also consider the worth of the project to which the display relates. Displays previously entered will not be eligible for a second year, but a new display can be entered relating to the same project if further project work has been undertaken. Displays may be set up as usual at the Symposium without entering for the Award, but it is hoped that as many groups or individuals as possible will take part.

Copies of the revised rules may be had from the writer at the County Planning Department (County Hall, Kingston upon Thames, KT1 2DT; telephone 01-541 9419: please note new number). Entries may be made on the usual form for booking display space which will be distributed in due course, or by telephone to the writer. You are reminded that the Symposium is to take place on 22nd February 1986; full details will be published later.

D. G. Bird

HAND DELIVERY OF SOCIETY PUBLICATIONS

Volume 76 of the Collections will be published in the autumn and most members within the county will be receiving their copy by hand using the system initiated last year.

New volunteers are needed to deliver publications in:

1. Kingston
2. Leatherhead

Also required are one or two people to take the publications from the central distribution point to a number of volunteers in one area of the county. Petrol costs will be paid by the Society.

If any of the volunteers who delivered publications last year are unable to do so this time, could they please inform the Hon. Secretaries as soon as possible so that a replacement can be found.

Members are urged to inform Mrs. Susan Janaway of any change of address (in advance if possible) or if they intend to resign their membership, in order to make the hand-deliverer’s task as easy as possible.

RECENT ACCESSIONS TO THE SOCIETY’S LIBRARY

1. General
   Anderson, M. D. Looking for history in British churches. (1951).
Frere, S. S. Roman Britain from the air. (1983).
Haverfield, F. The Romanization of Roman Britain. 4th ed. (1923).
Hogg, O. F. G. Clubs to cannon: warfare and weapons before the introduction of gunpowder. (1968).
Jewitt, Llewellyn. Grave mounds and their contents, a manual of archaeology.
Matthews, C. M. Your family history and how to discover it. Rev. ed. (1982).
Milne, J. G. Greek and Roman coins and the study of history. (1939).
Population studies from parish registers. (1982).
Richards, J. D. Data processing in archaeology. (1985).
Webster, Graham. The Roman Imperial army of the first and second centuries A.D. 2nd ed. (1979).

2. Local — excluding Surrey
Green, Georgina. Epping Forest through the ages. (1982).

3. Surrey, general

4. Surrey, local
R.S.M. Memorial Brasses in Stoke D'Abernon church.
Ockham Mill, Surrey. 12-page pamphlet.

THE ROMAN TILE-KILN AT HORTON, EPSOM — AN APPEAL FOR HELP

A tile-kiln was discovered during the construction of West Park Asylum at Green Man Farm, Horton, near Epsom, in May 1922. R. G. Goodchild published a short note including a plan and two sections as part of his report on the tile-kiln at Wykehurst Farm, Cranleigh (SyAC 45 (1937) 90-92). Goodchild obtained the information on the Horton kiln from Mr. W. J. Pickering, a former member of the Society who lived at 86 Alexandra Road, Epsom, and then at 9 Heathcote Road, Epsom.

If any member has any information about Mr. Pickering (or his relatives) or about the kiln site, I would be very interested to know, and would particularly like samples of material from the kiln. Please contact John Leveson Gower, 28 Gingers Close, Cranleigh GU6 7JL (Cranleigh 271454).

BOOK REVIEW


A gazetteer-type booklet of 64 pages with numerous black and white pictures. Many places in the administrative county of Surrey are described. Eight chapters survey different aspects of the county, e.g. towns and villages, archaeology, gardens, museums, etc. An amazing amount of information is packed inside the covers; the details are accurate and up to date. Within the chapters entries are listed alphabetically but a place index is also provided so that information can be located quickly. The author is a member of our Society and is also a founder-member of the Roman Villa Group. He is to be congratulated on compressing so many facts into such a readable form. Altogether an excellent "buy" for £1.75.

ADULT EDUCATION CLASSES IN ARCHAEOLOGY

This list gives some of the many classes available throughout the county on archaeology and related subjects. Little information has been received about courses in the London boroughs. Brochures describing the classes in detail should be obtainable at local libraries. In cases of particular difficulty the Bulletin editor can supply some further information.

Addlestone. “Archaeology of Saxon and Medieval England”. Tutor: Mark Reeve. Morning class starting Monday, 23rd September, evening class starting Wednesday, 25th September. (Runnymede AEI class.)

“Archaeology of Ireland”. Mark Reeve. Evening, Thursday, 26th September. (Runnymede AEI.)
September (Falmouth AEL), "History of Molyce", Rev. E. Allen, Evening, Thursday, 26th.


Monday, 1st September (Falmouth AEL), "Rom in Britain — It's Still Survives", R. J. R. Moore, Evening, Monday, 1st.

Friday, 4th September (Falmouth AEL), "History of Architecture — The Gothic Period", A. B. Couch, Evening, Friday, 4th.

Saturday, 5th September (Falmouth AEL), "Gentleman!, E. W. O. M., Morning, Wednesday, 5th.

Monday, 7th September (Falmouth AEL), "A New World", F. J. J. S., Evening, Monday, 7th.

Tuesday, 8th September (Falmouth AEL), "Home and the Country House", C. Pringle, Evening, Thursday, 8th.

Puttenham. “Archaeology — In Search of European Roots”. John North. Afternoon, Tuesday, 24th September. (Puttenham and Wanborough WEA.)

Reigate. “Roman Britain”. Elizabeth Eames. Morning, Friday, 20th September. (Reigate and Redhill WEA.)

Surbiton. “Archaeology of Egypt”. Michael Shea. Evening, Tuesday, 24th September. (Surbiton AEI.)


“The Normans”. Peter Harris. Evening, Tuesday, 24th September. (Walton and Weybridge WEA.)


MEETINGS, ETC.

SEPTEMBER

Tuesday 10th, 8.00 p.m.
The Royal Windsor Tapestry Manufactory, talk by G. Callingham to Egham-by-Runnymede H.S. at the Literary Institute, Egham High Street.

Saturday 14th
S.A.S. visit to Godalming and Charterhouse. See Bulletin 202 for details.

Thursday 26th, 7.45 p.m.
Croydon in the Second World War, talk by Dr. Ron Cox to Croydon N.H.S.S. at East Croydon U.R. Church Hall, Addiscombe Grove.

Saturday 28th
Coach visit to Rockbourne and Winchester by Surrey Roman Villa Group. See Bulletin 203 for details.

OCTOBER

Wednesday 2nd, 8.00 p.m.
Victorian Medicine, talk by Colin Reed to Nonsuch A.S. at St. Mary’s Church Hall, Ewell.

Tuesday 8th, 8.00 p.m.
Reflections on Pageantry, talk by David Clarke to Egham-by-Runnymede H.S. at the Literary Institute, Egham High Street.

Wednesday 9th, 7.45 p.m.
Map Making in Britain, lecture by Peter Ellis (Ordnance Survey) to Croydon N.H.S.S. at East Croydon U.R. Church Hall, Addiscombe Grove.
Friday 18th, Coffee 7.45, Lecture 8.15 p.m.
Dallaway Memorial Lecture by J. C. Mervyn Blatch on “Great Cathedrals of Europe” at the City of London Freemans School, Ashtead Park. Leatherhead and District L.H.S.

Saturday 19th
S.A.S. visit to Windlesham and Bagshot. See Bulletin 203 for details.
EARLY NOTICE — SATURDAY, 23rd NOVEMBER
S.A.S. Annual General Meeting. Details will be given later.

Next Bulletin
For the October issue copy is required by Saturday, 7th September. For the November issue material will be needed by Saturday, 5th October.

Waverley Archaeological Advisory Committee

CHURCHES IN WAVERLEY
An afternoon Symposium to be held at The Court Room, Godalming Borough Hall.
Saturday, 12th October 1985

12.30 a.m. (optional). Meet at Godalming Parish Church for a guided tour — approximately ¾-hour duration.
1.45 p.m. Hall opens.
2.00 p.m. Introduction and Farnham Parish Church — G. Jackman.
2.30 p.m. Chiddingfold Parish Church — H. White.
3.00 p.m. Cranleigh Parish Church — W. Colverson.
3.30 p.m. Tea.
4.00 p.m. Godalming Parish Church (and earlier tour) — A. Bott.
4.30 p.m. Close.
Tickets at £1.00 in advance from Mrs. C. Sacha, Farnham Museum, 38 West Street, Farnham, Surrey, or at the door while seats are available. Cheques payable to W.A.A.C. please.
SURREY ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY
UNIVERSITY OF SURREY
Dept. of Educational Studies

ARCHAEOLOGICAL FIELDWALKING

A ONE-DAY SYMPOSIUM
to be held at
The University of Surrey
SATURDAY 26th OCTOBER 1985

PROGRAMME
(Chairman: Mark Corney)

10.00 a.m.  Introduction and welcome
John Gower, Surrey Archaeological Society.

10.15 a.m.  Surface Sampling Approaches with particular reference to the Stonehenge area
Julian Richards, Trust for Wessex Archaeology

10.55 a.m.  Fieldwalking in Hampshire
Richard Whinney, Winchester District Archaeologist

11.35 a.m.  COFFEE

11.55 a.m.  Maddle Farm Project (Berks)
Vince Gaffney and Mog Tingle

12.35 p.m.  LUNCH and opportunity to view displays

2.00 p.m.  Silchester Survey
Mark Corney, RCHM (England)

2.30 p.m.  Fieldwalking in Kent
Brian Philp, Kent Rescue Trust

3.10 p.m.  TEA

3.30 p.m.  Fieldwalking Survey in Sussex
Robin Holgate, Institute of Archaeology

4.10 p.m.  General Discussion
Mark Corney, Chairman

4.45 p.m.  CLOSE

The aim of the Symposium is to compare techniques and results of a number of field-walking projects carried out in Southern England.

Symposium fee: £3.50 without lunch
£5.80 with lunch

Please send remittance (payable to Surrey Archaeological Society) and application for tickets to Mrs. Susan Janaway, (Fieldwalking Symposium), Surrey Archaeological Society, Castle Arch, Guildford, GU1 3SX.