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Notes

ARCHAEOLOGY IN GLOUCESTERSHIRE, 1973-75

FROM 1966 to 1972 the Council for British Archaeology Groups XII and XIII sponsored an annual archaeological review of excavation, fieldwork and other research on sites in the south-west. As Gloucestershire was one of the counties covered, the Committee for Archaeology in Gloucestershire has undertaken to produce an annual review of work in the county to replace the now-discontinued Archaeological Review, to be published in the *Transactions*. In order that continuity should be maintained it has been necessary initially to recover information for the last three or four years. It has been decided that the most useful and economical method would be a list of sites, under parishes, with references to published material. It is hoped that any omissions will be picked up in the next review. Meanwhile the Committee would welcome information on new work and discoveries.

The list has been compiled by Mrs B. Rawes, making use of the Sites and Monuments Record and local and national journals as available on 1 January 1977. The Hon. Sec. for the Committee for Archaeology in Gloucestershire is Bernard Rawes.

Abbreviations

Ant. J.: *Antiquaries' Journal*.

B.A.R.G.: Bristol Archaeological Research Group *Bulletin*, Vol. 5, no. 9.

Brit.: *Britannia*.

Chelt. Mus.: Interim summary leaflet issued by Cheltenham Art Gallery and Museum: *Archaeological service for the North-East Cotswolds*.

C.R.A.A.G.S.: Committee for Rescue Archaeology in Avon, Gloucestershire and Somerset.

Glev.: *Glevensis*.

G.S.I.A.J.: *Journal of the Gloucestershire Society for Industrial Archaeology*.

Med. Arch.: *Medieval Archaeology*.

I.A.: Iron Age.

R.: Roman.

Site List

BARNSLEY, Barnsley Park R. villa: *Brit. V*, 446-8, *Brit. VI*, 271, *Brit. VII*, 352.

BRIMPSFIELD, Caudle Green, R. finds: *Glev. 9*, 15,

Manless Town R. quarry: *Glev. 8*, 8, *Brit. VI*, 273-4, *Glev. 9*, 12.

BROCKWORTH, R. settlement: *Brit. V*, 448 and plan, *Glev. 8*, 6.

CHELTHENHAM, Fiddler's Green, find of med. pottery: *Glev. 10*, 12.

CIRENCESTER, Beeches Road, R. buildings: *Brit. V*, 448.

R. cemetery, near amphitheatre: *Brit. V*, 448, *Brit. VI*, 271-3.

Admiral's Walk, Insula VI: *Brit. VI*, 271-3, *Brit. VII*, 352-3, plans, figs. 19 and 20.

Querns Maternity Hospital, two burials and length of road: *Brit. V*, 448.

Westgate, identification of R. gate confirmed: *Brit. VI*, 271-3.

Western Relief Road, R. coffins: *Brit. VII*, 353.

- COWLEY, Shab Hill, find of R. pottery: *Glev.* 9, 15.
- CRANHAM, The Hackett, find of R. material: *Glev.* 9, 15.
- DEERHURST, work on the church: *Ant. J. LV pt. II*, 346-64, *Council for British Archaeology Research Report No. 15*.
- DUMBLETON, Littleton Mill R. site, Leyfield Farm R. site, Dumbleton Mill R. site: *Glev.* 10, 16-17.
- FREETHERNE WITH SAUL, Barrow Hill med. finds: *Glev.* 9, 13.
- FROCESTER, Frocester Court, R. villa: *Brit. VII*, 354, *Glev.* 9, 13.
Hill Road: *Glev.* 8, 8 and section.
Church Moorfield, R. occupation: *T.B.G.A.S.* 93, 179-81.
Fieldwork: *Glev.* 10, 12.
- GLOUCESTER, Kingsholm excavations: *Ant. J. LV pt. II*, 267-94.
East and North Gates: *Interim Report: Gloucester 1974. C.R.A.A.G.S.*
Also reports in *Brit. VI*, 273 and figs 17 and 18, *Med. Arch. XIX*, 244, *Glev.* 9, 3-4 and plan.
King's Walk, 2nd century buildings: *Brit. VI*, 273.
Coney Hill R. settlement and Saintbridge burials: *Brit. VII*, 354, *Glev.* 9, 22, *Glev.* 10, 13.
1 Westgate Street, 3rd-12th century discoveries: *Glev.* 10, 18.
St Oswald's Priory: Saxon, med. and later discoveries: *Glev.* 10, 8, R. industrial area: *Brit. VII*, 354.
Barton Street car park, U-shaped features: *Brit. VII*, 354.
14-24 St. Mary's Street, excavation of med. and later buildings and R. features: *Glev.* 8, 5, *Glev.* 9, 11, *Glev.* 10, 13.
84 Northgate Street: *Med. Arch. XVIII*, 200, *Glev.* 9, 23-6, plan and elevation.
30 Eastgate Street, 16th century and later: *Glev.* 9, 23-6, plan and elevation.
66 Westgate Street: *Glev.* 10, 9 and elevations.
Westgate and Foreign Bridges and Over Causeway: *Med. Arch. XIX*, 234.
Blackfriars, examination of roof: *Med. Arch. XIX*, 234.
- GOTHERINGTON, R. finds: *Glev.* 7, 8.
Nottingham Hill, hillfort: *Antiquity XLVIII*, no. 192 (1974), 306-9.
- GUITING POWER, I. A. site: 1974 excavations: *Chelt. Mus.*
- HATHERLEY DOWN, R. site: *Glev.* 8, 8.
- HIGHNAM, Linton, R. finds: *Glev.* 9, 13.
- ICOMB, probable I.A. hillfort: *Chelt. Mus.*
- KINGSCOTE, section of R. road: *Glev.* 7, 11.
Ashel Barn R. villa: *Glev.* 10, 17-18 and plan. *B.A.R.G.*, 239-40.
- LYDNEY, Oldcroft, R. hoard: *Glev.* 8, 15, *Numismatic Chronicle, 7th Series, XIV* (1974), 65-74.
- MISERDEN, ice house: *Glev.* 9, 12.
- NYMPFIELD, chambered tomb: *Glev.* 9, 18.
- SHERBORNE, possible R. occupation: *T.B.G.A.S.* 93, 179.
- SOUTHAM, Haymes R. site: *Glev.* 10, 12, *Brit. VII*, 356.
- STANLEY, KINGS, R. villa: *Brit. V*, 448.
- STANWAY, Hailes Abbey: *Med. Arch. XVIII*, 189.
- SWELL, round barrow 8: *Chelt. Mus.*
- SYDE, Howmead: *Glev.* 7, 10.
Harcombe, flints: *Glev.* 10, 12.
- TEWKESBURY, Oldbury Road and Eagles Alley, R. and med. features: *Glev.* 8, 7.
Holm Castle, prehistoric, late Saxon discoveries and 13th century hall: *Med. Arch. XIX*, 239 and plan, *Glev.* 9, 9 and plan, *Glev.* 10, 10-11.
Malthouse in Red Lane: *G.S.I.A.J.* 1972, 39-40 and plans and elevations.
- TIDENHAM, Boughspring R. sites: *Glev.* 7, 7.
- ULEY, Uleybury hillfort and West Hill R. site: *C.R.A.A.G.S. preliminary statement: B.A.R.G.* 240-1.

UPTON ST LEONARDS, Portway R. settlement: *Glev.* 9, 15.

WESTON SUBEDGE, single inhumation (R?): *West Midland Arch. News Sheet*, 18, 46. *Glev.* 10, 16-17.

WOODCHESTER, R. villa: *Brit. V*, 451, *Glev.* 8, 16-18.

Surveys

LECHLADE, crop-mark sites: *The Upper Thames Valley, An Archaeological Survey of the River Gravels, Oxfordshire Archaeological Unit, Survey no. 2 (1974)*, 27-8.

Mill Sites on the LONGHOPE-FLAXLEY-WESTBURY streams, *G.S.I.A.J.* 1974, 9-31.

Observations on water pipe-line trench between STANDISH and CHURCHDOWN, *Glev.* 8, 11-12.

Excavations have taken place at the following sites in the period under review: BADGEWORTH, Crickle Hill hillfort 1972-6, LYDNEY, Whitecross Manor House; WHITMINSTER, trial excavation at R. villa; WINCHCOMBE, section of rampart.

Fieldwork has been carried out at BIBURY R. villa site and on the road system in the area; also at development sites at Charlton Park, CHELTENHAM; and around GLOUCESTER; also at Crockett's Hole, Cugley, NEWENT; and on the water pipe-line trench from Selsley Common to Uley.

BRISTOL RECORD OFFICE LIST OF PRINCIPAL ACCESSIONS 1974-1975

FAMILY, ESTATE AND PERSONAL

Cann, Ald. P. W.: papers, photographs, corres. 1895-1972.

Charlton, plan 1881.

Earle and Harper families: deeds of Northstoke manor, papers 1604-1719.

Fitzgerald, Andrew: letter from Bristol *re* journey, naval shipbuilding, 18th century.

Gibbons family inc. John King, Maria Edgeworth, Thomas Haynes Bayley: papers, drawings, corres. 1737-1942.

Goldney and Speed families: merchant's ledger, deeds of Small St. 1562-1708.

Henwood family: deeds 1724-1825.

Hunt, N. D., City Archivist 1924-33: papers, corres. 1921-42.

Kingsweston, plans for estate buildings 19th century.

'Sir John Vanbrugh's Designs for Kings Weston,' 18th century.

Stothert family: wills 1879, 1909.

Streeter, Smart and Phillips families: deeds, corres. 1754-1860.

Vanderhorst family (addnl.): letters mainly to Mme. Laetizia Buonaparte from her family inc. Napoleon 1806-28.

DEEDS

Bristol 1724-1970.

BUSINESS

Bartlett and Clayton, tin ware manufacturers: bills, corres. 1897-1900.

Bryant, Joseph Ltd., inc. Stephens Bros. and Martin Ltd.: ledgers, deeds, corres. 1767-1974.

Cooksley's Ltd., packing case manufacturers: wages book and expenditure journal 1933-42.

Fry, Joseph Storrs, cocoa manufacturer: recipe for cocoa, n.d.

Fry, Ball and Co., brewers: trade card, c. 1803-8.

Goad insurance surveys, 1890s, revised to 1960s.