

## Books Received

*The inclusion of a book in this list does not preclude its subsequent review*

- ROMAN SPAIN: an Introduction to the Roman Antiquities of Spain and Portugal, by F. J. WISEMAN. G. Bell & Sons, London, 1956, 18s. 6d.
- JOURNEY INTO ROMAN BRITAIN, by G. M. DURANT. G. Bell & Sons, London, 1957, £1.
- THE ROMANS WERE HERE, by JACK LINDSAY. Frederick Muller Ltd., London, 1956, £1 5s.
- SEEING ROMAN BRITAIN, by LEONARD COTTRELL. Evans Bros., London, 1956, £1 1s.
- NARROW PASS, BLACK MOUNTAIN: the discovery of the Hitlite Empire, by C. W. CERAM. Gollancz, London, 1956, £1 5s.
- TIMES AND PLACES, by the late HAROLD PEAKE and HERBERT J. FLEURE (*The Corridors of Time*, vol. x). Oxford, 1956, £2 2s.
- THEY WROTE ON CLAY, by EDWARD CHIERA, edited by GEORGE G. CAMERON. Phoenix Books, the Univ. of Chicago Press, 1956. [Cambridge University Press, 8s. 6d.]
- ANGKOR: hommes et pierres, by BERNARD-PHILIPPE GROSLIER. Arthaud [Paris?], 1956. [A magnificent picture-book.]
- THE BURIED PYRAMID, by M. ZAKARIA GONEIM. Longmans, Green & Co., London, 1956, 18s.
- THE LAWS OF ESHNUNNA, by A. GOETZE. 1956.
- AN ANTHROPOLOGICAL RECONNAISSANCE in the Near East, 1950, by HENRY FIELD. Peabody Museum, 1956.
- COLLECTIONS PRÉHISTORIQUES: Planches, Album No. 1. Arts et Métiers, Paris. [Mostly flints.]
- DIE SEPTUAGINTA UND DAS NEUE TESTAMENT, by DAVID TABACHOVITZ. Gleerup, Lund, 1956, 20 Swedish crowns.
- PRIMITIVE CHRISTIANITY in its Contemporary Setting, by RUDOLF BULTMANN, translated by the Rev. R. H. FULLER. Thames and Hudson, 1956, 18s.
- PUZZLE OF THE PAST: the Wonderful World of Archaeology, by RONALD JESSUP. Rathbone Books, 1956, 15s.
- COGNAC: grotte peinte, by L. MÉROC and J. MAZET. Kohlhammer, Stuttgart, 1956, DM. 9.
- JAHRBUCH DES RÖMISCH-GERMANISCHEN ZENTRALMUSEUMS MAINZ, 3 Jahrgang, 1956.
- STUDIEN ZUR ARCHITEKTUR KONSTANTINOPELS im 5 und 6 Jahrhundert nach Christus, by F. W. DEICHMANN. Bruno Grimm, Baden-Baden, 1956, DM. 29.70.
- CYRENAICAN EXPEDITION, edited by ALAN ROWE. Manchester University Press, 1956, £1 5s.
- DER NEANDERTALER UND SEINE UMWELT: Gedenkschrift zur Erinnerung an die Auffindung im Jahre 1856, by KURT TACKENBERG. Habelt, Bonn, 1956, DM. 9.50.
- ETRUSKISCHES KUNST-HANDWERK (Bilderheft des Römisch-Germanischen Zentralmuseums Mainz), by H. KUTHMANN. 6 pp. and 16 plates. Mainz, 1956.
- GREECE AND ROME, vol. III, No. 2, Jubilee Number, 1931-56. Oxford, 1956, 12s.
- MEMOIRS OF THE AMERICAN ACADEMY IN ROME, vol. XXIV (1956), \$10.50.
- OPUSCULA ATHENIENSIA, vol. II (1955). Lund. [An important new periodical of the Swedish Institute at Athens including classical, prehistoric and Cypriote studies.—J. B.]

## BOOKS RECEIVED

- EPONA, 'Déesse Gauloise des chevaux protectrice des cavaliers', by RENÉ MAGNEN, with an inventory of monuments by Émile Thevenot. 72 pp. with 66 plates. Delmas, 1953.
- A HISTORICAL COMMENTARY ON THUCYDIDES, vols. II-III (Thuc. Books II-V, 24), by A. W. GOMME. Oxford, 1956, 84s.
- A HISTORICAL COMMENTARY ON POLYBIUS, vol. I (Books I-VI), by F. W. WALBANK. Oxford, 1957, 84s.
- A HITTITE CEMETERY AT GORDION, by MACHTELD J. MELLINK. University of Pennsylvania Museum, 1956, \$2.50. [It appears that a segmented faience bead was found (plate 21, no. n), but the author of this report seems ignorant of its significance and also of that of the biconical faience beads on Necklace b, pl. 22.]
- INVENTARIA ARCHAEOLOGICA. Germany, no. 3. Habelt, Bonn, 1956.
- ANTAS NAS HERDALES da Casa de Bragança no Concelho de Estremoz, by GEORG AND VERA LEISNER, Lisbon, 1955.
- THE PERSONALITY OF INDIA, by B. SUBBARAO. Baroda, 1956.
- ISRAEL AND REVELATION, by ERIC VOEGELIN. Louisiana State University Press. Price in United Kingdom 60s. net. [This is a first volume of a series of World History, of which the other numbers will be: II. *The World of the Polis*; III. *Plato and Aristotle*; IV. *Empire and Christianity*; V. *The Protestant Centuries*; VI. *The Crisis of Western Civilization*. It treats the long period of the History of Israel and of the Ancient Empires as one of a gradual and progressive revelation.—C.S.]
- THE ROMAN INSCRIBED AND SCULPTURED STONES IN THE GROSVENOR MUSEUM, CHESTER, by R. P. WRIGHT and I. A. RICHMOND. The Chester and North Wales Archaeological Society, Grosvenor Museum, Chester, 1955, 25s. [Contains full descriptions, with excellent half-tone illustrations, of over 200 stones, mostly tombstones. Classified indices increase the value of this well-produced catalogue.—F.A.]
- BRIDGEND: THE STORY OF A MARKET TOWN, by HENRY JOHN RANDALL. R. H. Johns, Newport, Mon., 1955, 21s. [It is evident that the author found the writing of this local history, and the research which it entailed, of absorbing interest.—F.A.]
- EARLY MAN IN SOUTH BUCKINGHAMSHIRE, by J. F. HEAD. John Wright and Sons, Ltd., Bristol, 1955. No price given. [A detailed and adequately illustrated account of the antiquities—fixed and movable—of the region follows a brief survey of their geological and geographical setting.—F.A.]
- WHEATLEY RECORDS, 956-1956. The Oxfordshire Record Society, 1956, 25s. [Wheatley is a large village six miles east of Oxford. There are reproductions of many of the records included in the collection.—F.A.]
- THE MEDIEVAL FLOOR-TILES OF LEICESTERSHIRE, by NORMA R. WHITCOMB. The Leicestershire Archaeological and Historical Society, The Guildhall, Leicester, 25s. [A fully illustrated catalogue with notes and index.—F.A.]
- ESSAYS IN HONOUR OF FRANK WARREN, edited by W. J. CARPENTER TURNER. H. M. Gilbert and Son, Southampton, 1956. No price given. [This is vol. XX of the *Papers and Proceedings of the Hampshire Field Club and Archaeological Society*, specially bound and issued as a festschrift to Mr Warren. All the essays are of interest and the contributors include O. G. S. Crawford and C. F. C. Hawkes.—F.A.]
- SHEFFIELD AND ITS REGION: A SCIENTIFIC AND HISTORICAL SURVEY, edited by DAVID L. LINTON. [This handsome volume, printed by the O.U.P., was published for the British Association by the Local Executive Committee in Sheffield on the occasion of the meeting in that city in 1956. The survey is encyclopedic in its scope and on its historical side it covers every period from the lower Paleolithic to the present day. The contributors are mainly professors or lecturers on the staff of Sheffield University

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- or technical officers of the Sheffield Corporation. No price is given nor is there any indication how anyone interested may obtain a copy of the book.—F.A.]
- CATALOGUE OF GREEK AND ROMAN ANTIQUITIES IN THE DUMBARTON OAKS COLLECTION, by G. M. A. RICHTER. 78 pp. with 27 plates. Harvard, 1956, 40s. [Includes Persepolitan reliefs and Antioch mosaics. Nearly all the important pieces have been published before but Miss Richter's observations on little-known or loved periods and objects are always valuable. Fine illustrations.—J. B.]
- LE SANCTUAIRE D'APOLLON PYTHÉEN À ARGOS (Études Péloponnésiennes I), by W. VOLLGRAFF, with W. van der Pluym and A. Roes. Paris, 1956. [The first of a new series from the French School which will be largely devoted to their excavations at Argos and Gortys in Arcadia of recent years. The present volume, however, deals with an excavation now fifty years old. It is most creditable that it should still be remembered and so well presented.—J. B.]
- LABRAUNDA, vol. 1, part 1: The Propylaea, by K. JEPPESEN. 52 pp. with 30 figures, 23 plates and a plan. Lund, 1955, Sw. Crs. 35. [The publication of the Swedish excavations of 1948 to 1951 is planned for 4 volumes in 13 parts. The two propylaea to the sanctuary are 4th century B.C. Ionic.—J. B.]
- ATHENS. Photographs by M. HÜRLIMANN, introduction by REX WARNER. 118 pp. with 74 black and white and 5 colour plates. Thames and Hudson, 1956, 25s. [Nostalgically good photographs and a most sympathetic introduction. Sunium in the summer sun with dozing and chatting visitors reconciles ancient and modern; in most such books they clash unhappily.—J. B.]
- THE ANCIENT MAYA, by SYLVANUS G. MORLEY. Third edition, revised by George W. Brainerd. pp. x + 494, 102 plates, 57 figures, 10 tables. Stanford University Press, 1956, £4. [This new edition brings a very useful handbook up to date. Space is made for some new information by pruning Dr Morley's picturesque style. Pull-outs are eliminated by reduction in scale, which is generally an improvement, but it makes two maps rather difficult to read. Two weak points of the older editions remain—the bad definition of a few of the plates and the unbalanced selection of the pottery illustrations.—G. H. S. B.]
- MODOC ROCK SHELTER, Preliminary Report, by MELVIN L. FOWLER and HOWARD WINTERS. Illinois State Museum, 1956, 25 cents.
- ARCHAEOLOGY OF THE FUNERAL MOUND, OCMULGEE NATIONAL MONUMENT, by C. H. FAIRBANKS. National Park Service, U.S. Dept. of the Interior, Washington, 1956, \$1.00.