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ARCHÆOLOGICAL AND NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY

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1952-3

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## ELECTED MEMBERS OF COUNCIL

- To retire at Annual Meeting, 1955 :* J. STEVENS COX, F.S.A.  
 MAJ-GEN. R. EVANS, C.B., M.C., (*Chairman*).  
 C. A. RALEGH RADFORD, F.S.A.  
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- To retire at Annual Meeting, 1953 :* CHARLES E. BURNELL.  
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 SIR WILLIAM SAVAGE, M.D.  
 REV. AELRED WATKIN, F.S.A.  
 H. S. L. DEWAR.
- To retire at Annual Meeting, 1954 :* MRS. J. B. CLARK.  
 GEORGE C. WYNDHAM.  
 MRS. E. A. B. CLIVE. (*deceased*)  
 R. M. WILLIAMS.  
 T. J. HUNT.  
 E. L. KELTING, O.B.E. (*co-opted*)

*The President, Vice-Presidents (Past Presidents), Hon. Treasurer, Hon. Secretaries, Hon. Editor, and the two Representatives of the Somerset County Council are also Members of the Council.*

## REPRESENTATIVES OF THE SOMERSET COUNTY COUNCIL

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## LOCAL CORRESPONDENTS

H. E. BALCH, F.S.A., *Wells*.  
 CAPT. G. P. BOWEN, O.B.E., R.N., *Glastonbury*.  
 DR. S. L. BRIMBLECOMBE, *Stoke-under-Ham*.  
 LT.-COL. C. H. G. COLLINS, O.B.E., *Chew Stoke*.  
 C. A. RALEGH RADFORD, F.S.A., *Devon border*.  
 F. S. WALLIS, D.SC., F.G.S., *Bristol*.

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*Representative Trustee on the Axbridge Town Trust :*

REV. W. F. BRIMSON, B.SC.

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*Representative Trustee on the Ilchester Town Trust :*

J. STEVENS COX, F.S.A.

*Society's Representatives, Leigh Woods Committee of Management :*

F. S. WALLIS, D.SC., PH.D., F.G.S.

BASIL H. STRIDE.

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*Trustees of the Pigott Collection of Drawings, Somerset :*

The Lord-Lieutenant of the County.

The Members of Parliament for the County.

The Lord Bishop of the Diocese.  
The Chairman of Quarter Sessions.

The Clerk of the Peace for the County.

## NATURAL HISTORY SECTIONS OF THE SOCIETY

Date of  
Formation

- 1910 ORNITHOLOGICAL SECTION.—*President* : W. R. TAYLOR. *Hon. Secretary* : G. YOUNG, Bank House, Martock.
- 1910 BOTANICAL SECTION.—*President* : W. E. PALMER, M.A., M.Sc. *Hon. Secretary* : A. D. HALLAM, M.A., B.Sc., Taunton Castle.
- 1946 GEOLOGICAL SECTION.—*President* : COMMANDER R. D. GRAHAM, R.N. *Hon. Secretary* : A. D. HALLAM, M.A., B.Sc., Taunton Castle.
- Reformed  
1949 ENTOMOLOGICAL SECTION.—*President* : E. G. NEAL, M.Sc. *Hon. Secretary* : J. COWLEY, M.A., F.R.E.S., Holywell House, Edington, Bridgewater.

Representatives of the above Sections to serve on the Council of the Parent Society

J. HARRY SAVORY, A. J. DODD, A. H. TURNER, E. G. NEAL.

## BRANCH SOCIETIES

Date of  
Formation

- 1891 WESTON-SUPER-MARE BRANCH.—*President* : J. E. BARTON, HON.A.R.I.B.A. *Hon. Secretary* : L. N. BROWN, 20 Brean Down Avenue, Weston-super-Mare. MISS P. M. BLENCOWE.\*
- 1938 WEST SOMERSET BRANCH.—*President* : GEOFFREY F. LUTTRELL. *Chairman of Committee* : DR. F. C. EELES, O.B.E.\* *Hon. Secretary* : H. W. KILLE. *Hon. Treasurer* : T. C. BRYANT, LL.B.

\* Representative to serve on the Council of the Parent Society (Rule XIV).

## AFFILIATED SOCIETIES

Date of  
Affiliation

- 1902 GLASTONBURY ANTIQUARIAN SOCIETY.—*President* : STEPHEN C. MORLAND. *Hon. Secretary and Treasurer* : H. F. SCOTT STOKES, F.S.A.
- 1904 SHEPTON MALLET NATURAL HISTORY SOCIETY.—*President* : C. E. BURNELL. *Hon. Secretary* : L. R. FAWCUS, Old Bowlish House, Shepton Mallet. *Hon. Asst. Secretary and Treasurer* : MISS M. NORMAN, The Tall House, Park Road, Shepton Mallet.
- 1905 WELLS NATURAL HISTORY AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.—*President* : THE LORD BISHOP OF BATH AND WELLS. *Hon. Curator* : H. E. BALCH, F.S.A. *Hon. Secretary* : D. S. SPENCE, M.B. *Hon. Treasurer* : C. H. KENNEY, 5 Vicars' Close, Wells.
- 1948 CLEVEDON ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.—*Hon. Secretary* : MISS F. PAGE, The School House, Clevedon.
- 1950 ILMINSTER AND DISTRICT HISTORICAL SOCIETY.—*Hon. Secretary* : D. R. TANCOCK, Secondary Modern School, Ditton Street, Ilminster.
- 1952 AXBRIDGE CAVING GROUP AND ARCHAEOLOGICAL SOCIETY.—*Hon. Secretary* : MAJOR D. C. McKEAND, Hillside, Axbridge.
- 1952 CAMERTON EXCAVATION CLUB.—*Hon. Secretary* : T. H. CLEWORTH, 9 Forester Road, Bath.

**SOCIETIES, ETC., IN CORRESPONDENCE FOR THE EXCHANGE OF PUBLICATIONS**

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| <p>British Association for the Advancement of Science.<br/>         British Museum, Copyright Office.<br/>         British Museum, Natural History, South Kensington.<br/>         Public Record Office.<br/>         Society of Antiquaries of London.<br/>         *Royal Anthropological Institute of Great Britain and Ireland.<br/>         Society of Antiquaries of Scotland.<br/>         Royal Society of Antiquaries of Ireland.<br/>         Royal Irish Academy.<br/>         Royal Dublin Society.<br/>         Belfast, The Queen's University Library.<br/>         Berkshire Archaeological Society.<br/>         Birmingham Archaeological Society.<br/>         British School at Rome.<br/>         Bristol and Gloucestershire Archaeological Society.<br/>         Bristol, University of—Spelaeological Society.<br/>         Cambrian Archaeological Association.<br/>         Cambridge Antiquarian Society.<br/>         Cardiff Naturalists' Society.<br/>         Channel Islands,—Société Jersiaise.<br/>         Chester and North Wales Archaeological and Historic Society.<br/>         Cornwall, Royal Institution of.<br/>         Cumberland and Westmorland Archaeological Society.<br/>         Derbyshire Archaeological and Natural History Society.<br/>         Devonshire Association.<br/>         Devon Archaeological Exploration Society.<br/>         *Devon and Cornwall Record Society.<br/>         Dorset Natural History and Archaeological Society.<br/>         East Riding Antiquarian Society.<br/>         Essex Archaeological Society.<br/>         Essex Field Club.</p> | <p>Flintshire Historical Society<br/>         Hamburg Museum for Folk Culture.<br/>         Hampshire Field Club and Archaeological Society.<br/>         Kent Archaeological Society.<br/>         Lancashire and Cheshire Historic Society.<br/>         Lincolnshire Architectural &amp; Archaeological Society.<br/>         London and Middlesex Archaeological Society.<br/>         Newcastle-on-Tyne, Society of Antiquaries of.<br/>         Northamptonshire Natural History Society.<br/>         Oxford Architectural and Historical Society.<br/>         Powys-land Club, Montgomeryshire.<br/>         Roman Studies, Society for the Promotion of.<br/>         Shropshire Archaeological and Natural History Society.<br/>         Suffolk Institute of Archaeology and Natural History.<br/>         Surrey Archaeological Society.<br/>         Sussex Archaeological Society.<br/>         Thoresby Society, Leeds.<br/>         *Torquay Natural History Society.<br/>         Wiltshire Archaeological and Natural History Society.<br/>         Woolhope Naturalists' Field Club, Hereford.<br/>         Yorkshire Archaeological Society.<br/>         Geologists' Association.<br/>         Royal Canadian Institute.<br/>         Old Colony Historical Society, Taunton, Mass., U.S.A.<br/>         New England Historic Genealogical Society, U.S.A.<br/>         United States National Museum, Washington, U.S.A.<br/>         Lund University Library, Sweden.</p> |
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\* Part Exchange.

## NEW MEMBERS

(Elected since the publication of Vol. xcvi (1951))

Those marked \* are Life Members.  
 Those marked † are Honorary Life Members.  
 Those marked A are Associate Members.  
 Those marked T are Teacher Members.  
 Those marked J are Junior Members.

- 1952 T BAKER, G. F., Thatchings, Bradford-on-Tone, nr. Taunton.  
 1952 A BAKER, Mrs. G. F., Thatchings, Bradford-on-Tone, nr. Taunton.  
 1952 BARRY, L. G., Rose and Portcullis, Butleigh, Glastonbury.  
 1952 † BENNETT, R., Brown Gates, Broadstone, Dorset.  
 1952 BRASS, J. C., F.R.C.S., Tudor Cottage, Fivehead, Taunton.  
 1953 CATFORD, P. H. C., c/o Westminster Bank Ltd., Bridport.  
 1952 CHAVE, Miss D., 11 Hovelands, Trull Road, Taunton.  
 1953 T DAVIE, A. B., 26 Hermitage Street, Crewkerne.  
 1953 ELTON, SIR ARTHUR, Bart., Clevedon Court, Somerset.  
 1952 ESHELBY, A. D., Luckbarrow, West Luccombe, nr. Minehead (deceased)  
 1952 ESHELBY, Mrs. P. D., Luckbarrow, West Luccombe, nr. Minehead.  
 1953 A FARRAR, Miss R. M. H., Stapleton Manor, Martock.  
 1953 FREER, Miss R. W. F., Fyrnham, Church Steps, Crewkerne.  
 1952 GARE, ALAN G., Camelot, Queen Camel, Yeovil.  
 1952 GOULD, M. H., 28 Newbridge Hill, Lower Weston, Bath.  
 1952 GRINSELL, L. V., F.S.A., Dept. of Archaeology, City Museum, Bristol, 8.  
 1952 J HAGGETT, PETER, The Bungalow, Pawlett, Bridgwater.  
 1952 HAMILTON, C. F., Greenacres, Charlton Adam, Somerton.  
 1953 HEBDITCH, Mrs. W. H., New Cross Farm, South Petherton.  
 1952 T HILL, Miss D. I., School House, Thurlbear, Taunton.  
 1952 HILL, Miss E. G., 12 Holland House, South Road, Weston-super-Mare.  
 1953 HOBBS, Rev. A. J. H., Winford Rectory, nr. Bristol.  
 1952 T HORSTMANN, F. C., A.R.C.A., Uphill Cottage, 24 All Saints Road, Weston  
 -super-Mare.  
 1952 HYDE-LEES, Rev. H. M., Withycombe Rectory, Watchet.  
 1952 LEIGH, Mrs. HAMILTON, Shenley Cottage, Bagborough, Taunton.  
 1952 JOWITT, H., 70 Wellington Road, Taunton.  
 1953 A LODER, The Hon. MARY, Stapleton Manor, Martock.  
 1953 A MALTBY, Miss B. H. J., Greenacre, Shoreditch, Taunton.  
 1953 J MELHUISH, Miss JUNE, 9 Mill Lane, Trull, Taunton.  
 1952 J MILES, TREVOR J., 39 Worston Road, Burnham-on-Sea.  
 1952 MILNER, C. E., Hiccombe House, Brompton Regis.  
 1952 A MILNER, Mrs. C. E., Hiccombe House, Brompton Regis.  
 1952 MORRISON, Miss E. J. D., 2 Flatwoods, Claverton Down, Bath.  
 1952 MOSS, G. J., c/o W. Potter & Sons, Ltd., Watcombe House, Taunton.  
 1952 MOSS, J., 101 Shakespeare Avenue, Wellsway, Bath.  
 1952 NAGLE, C. L. J., King's Farm House, North Newton, Bridgwater.  
 1952 A NAGLE, Mrs. S. W., King's Farm House, North Newton, Bridgwater.  
 1953 A NORWOOD, Commander H. P., Coombe Brook, Glastonbury.  
 1953 NORWOOD, Mrs. H. P., Coombe Brook, Glastonbury.  
 1952 \* PERKINS, D. L. J., 9 Wadham Gardens, London, N.W.3.  
 1952 PHILLIPS, C. G., Sunnyside, New Road, Comeytrowe Road, Taunton.  
 1952 PHIPPS, J. D. V., c/o Westminster Bank Ltd., High Street, Winchester.  
 1952 POLLOCK, Mrs. A., Meadows, Hatch Beauchamp, Taunton.  
 1952 POTTER, H. F., c/o Watcombe House, Taunton.  
 1953 PRATT, E. J., Northover, Galmington, Taunton.  
 1952 J PRICE, R. M., Bulford House, Wellington.  
 1953 PULSFORD, Mrs. S., The Manor, Wiveliscombe.  
 1953 T REED, Miss M., Glebelands, Gardenhurst, Burnham-on-Sea.

- 1953 RENDELL, Miss I. M., 1 Greystones Court, Hendford Hill, Yeovil.  
 1952 ROSSITER, C. E., Shoreditch, Taunton.  
 1952 RYLANDS, Rev. T. M., Wilton Vicarage, Taunton.  
 1952 SAVERY, MAURICE, Ivy Cottage, Charlton Adam, Somerton.  
 1952 SIMMONS, Mrs. D. L., Five Elms, Hamp Avenue, Bridgwater.  
 1952 A SIMMONS, W. H., Five Elms, Hamp Avenue, Bridgwater.  
 1953 STOAKES, F. K., 31 St. George's Avenue, Yeovil.  
 1952 T STOWE, Miss C. M., 25 Belvedere Road West, Taunton.  
 1952 THORNTON, Mrs. P., Box Cottage, Bishops Lydeard, Taunton.  
 1953 T TREVOR, C. F., 21 Somerset Road, Frome.  
 1953 WAKEHURST, The Dowager Lady, Stapleton Manor, Martock.  
 1953 WALSH, Rev. L. E., The Vicarage, Martock.  
 1952 A WILLIAMS, Mrs. R. M., The Laurels, Cossington, Bridgwater.  
 1953 A WILTON, Miss E. G., Greenfields, Wild Oak Lane, Taunton.  
 1953 WINSTONE, F. R., 23 Hyland Grove, Henbury Hill, Bristol.  
 1952 LEICESTER, UNIVERSITY COLLEGE (Miss R. Bennett, *Librarian*).

## DECEASED MEMBERS

(since Annual General Meeting, June 1952)

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| (1931) C. H. Abbot.             | (1921) W. H. Lock.              |
| (1939) Brigadier R. Benson.     | (1915) Canon J. Lyons.          |
| (1907) Sir Frederick Berryman.  | (1919) Lt.-Col. G. E. G. Malet. |
| (1934) Rev. Canon L. Bevan.     | (1946) E. Marchetti.            |
| (1923) Mrs. E. Clive.           | (1913) W. A. K. Matterson.      |
| (1952) A. D. Eshelby.           | (1946) A. J. Merrifield.        |
| (1909) H. H. Hallett.           | (1950) Miss H. Boog-Scott.      |
| (1911) Mrs. Hignett.            | (1932) T. D. Westcott.          |
| (1886) Rt. Rev. Abbot E. Horne. | (1946) Sir Ernest Wilton.       |