

## Books Received

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

- DIE JUNGFERNHÖHLE BEI TEIFENELLERN**: eine Neolithische Kultstätte auf dem Fränkischen Jura bei Bamberg, by OTTO KUNKEL, C. H. Beck'sche Verlagsbuchhandlung, Munich, 1955. DM. 25.
- DIE RÖMERZEIT IN ÖSTERREICH**, by ARNOLD SCHÖBER. Rohrer Verlag, Vienna, 1953. 2nd edition. (An enlarged and revised edition of a work of the same title which appeared in 1935).
- THE OFFICIAL PRIESTS OF ROME UNDER THE JULIO-CLAUDIANS**, by MARTHA W. HOFFMAN LEWIS. American Academy in Rome Papers and Monographs, xvi, 1955.
- VOICES ON THE WIND**, by KATHERINE LUOMALA. Bishop Museum Press, 1955. (A study of Polynesian folklore with translations of poems and stories).
- OFFA'S DYKE: A Field Survey of the Western Frontier Works of Mercia in the 7th and 8th centuries A.D.**, by CYRIL FOX. Published for the British Academy by Oxford U.P., 1955. (The definitive publication of a classic piece of field work. It combines the earlier reports published in *Archaeologia Cambrensis* between 1926 and 1934 with later comment. This topographical and archaeological survey of one of the major earthworks of the British Isles is a model of how such work should be done and should be studied by field workers in whatever part of the world they operate. The principles remain the same).
- SMALL OBJECTS FROM THE PNYX: II**, by LUCY TALCOTT, BARBARA PHILIPPAKI, G. R. EDWARDS, VIRGINIA GRACE. *Hesperia*: Supplement x. American School of Classical Studies at Athens, Princeton, New Jersey, 1956. \$7.50. (Deals with Classical and Hellenistic pottery and stamped wine jar fragments found in 1931-37).
- EXCAVATIONS AT NEW TESTAMENT JERICHO AND KHIRBET EN NITLA**, by JAMES KELSO and DIMITRI BARAMKI. Annual of the American Schools of Oriental Research, vols. 29-30, New Haven, 1955. (A dull presentation of some interesting material. Some of the least informative drawings of sections we have seen for a long time).
- THE APPRECIATION OF ANCIENT AND MEDIEVAL SCIENCE DURING THE RENAISSANCE (1450-1600)**, by GEORGE SARTON. Pennsylvania University Press. London: Cumberlege, 1956. £2.
- A SHORT GUIDE TO ROMAN YORK**. Yorkshire Architectural and York Archaeological Society, 1956.
- ROMAN AND SAXON WITHINGTON**, by H. P. R. FINBERG. University College of Leicester, 1955. 6s.
- TERRACOTTA FIGURINES FROM KOURION IN CYPRUS**, by JOHN HOWARD YOUNG and SUZANNE HALSTEAD YOUNG. University Museum, Philadelphia, 1955. \$5.50.
- STUDIER I BOTTNISK STENÅLDER 1-V**, by CARL-AXEL MOBERG. Kungl. Vitterhets Historie och Antikvitets Akademiens Handlingar, Antikvariska Serien 3. Stockholm, 1955. Swedish Crowns 15.
- ARCHAEOLOGY FROM THE EARTH**, by SIR MORTIMER WHEELER. Penguin Books, Harmondsworth, 1956. 3s. 6d. (A reprint of the original edition).

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- CICERO AND THE ROMAN REPUBLIC, by F. R. COWELL. Penguin Books, Harmondsworth, 1956. 5s.
- DOCUMENTA ARCHAEOLOGICA: Wolfgang La Baume Dedicata. Ludwig Röhrscheid Verlag, Bonn, 1956. (This Festschrift for La Baume's 70th birthday contains a number of articles on German pre-history).
- GERMANIC ART DURING THE FIRST MILLENNIUM A.D., by WILHELM HOLMQVIST. Kungl. Vitterhets Historie och Antikvitets Akademiens Handlingar, Del. 90, Stockholm, 1955. Swedish crowns 25. (Deals only with pagan art. The illustrations are excellent).
- BRYCHEINIOG, volume 1, edited by D. J. DAVIES. The Brecknock Society, Brecon. 15s. (The first number of a journal to be devoted to the study of Brecknock. This first number contains, amongst others, two major articles, on the geology by F. J. NORTH and on the Prehistory by H. N. SAVORY. The venture promises well).
- SUR LES TRACES DES MARS CELTIQUES (ENTRE LOIRE ET MONT BLANC), by EMILE THEVENOT. Dissertationes Archaeologicae Gandenses, vol. III. De Tempel, Brugge, 1955. Belgian francs 250.
- RITEs OF THE STATE RELIGION IN ROMAN ART, by INEZ SCOTT RYBERG. American Academy in Rome, Memoirs XXII, 1955.
- CORPUS NUMMORUM NUMIDIAE MAURETANIAEQUE, by JEAN MAZAREL. Arts et Métiers Graphiques, Paris, 1955.
- HIPPONE LA ROYALE: ANTIQUE HIPPO REGIUS, by ERWAN MAREC. Service des Antiquités, Algiers, 1950. (A well illustrated and printed guide to the site).
- L'AFRIQUE ROMAINE, by EUGENE ALBERTINI. Service des Antiquités, Algiers, 1955.
- DEUXIÈME NOTE SUR L'ETHNOGRAPHIE, LA PREHISTOIRE, L'ARCHÉOLOGIE, L'ART MUSULMAN, LES BEAUX ARTS EN ALGÉRIE. Algiers, 1955.
- VICTOR DE VITA ET SON OEUVRE, by CHRISTIAN COURTOIS. Service des Antiquités, Algiers, 1954. (These last five items are all issued by or for the Service des Antiquités of the Direction de l'Intérieur et des Beaux Arts of the Government of Algeria. They are a remarkable example of official enterprise ranging from works of distinguished scholarship to guides for visitors to ancient sites. The Service also publishes an excellent journal, Libya).
- STREET NAMES OF THE CITY OF LONDON, by EILERT EK WALL. Oxford U.P., 1954. 15s. (This work by the leading authority on English place names gives nearly all street-names found before 1500 and some later ones. It is an essential book for all concerned with the history of London).
- FURNITURE IN ROMAN BRITAIN, by JOAN LIVERSIDGE. Tiranti, London, 1955. 10s 6d.
- TREASURE IN THE THAMES, by IVOR NOEL HUME. Muller, London, 1956. 21s. (A popular account of antiquities found in the Thames. Though making no claims to be scholarly and giving no references the collection of the material into a single book may be found of value).
- THE ROMANS WERE HERE, by JACK LINDSAY. Muller, London, 1956. 25s. (An attempt to cash in on the present popular interest in Roman Britain. Describes in an interesting but uncritical way the Roman occupation and will be of use to many general readers. Nothing in it for the specialist).