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NOTICES

Newsletter: Copy Dates

The copy deadline for the following issue of the *Newsletter* is 29 March 2010 (for the May 2010 issue). Please send any items for inclusion to Meriel Jeater at Museum of London, London Wall, London EC2Y 5HN, or you can email me at mjeater@museumoflondon.org.uk

LAMAS Lecture Programme 2010

Unless otherwise stated, meetings take place in the Clore Learning Centre at the Museum of London on Tuesday evenings at 6.30pm – refreshments from 6pm. Meetings are open to all; members may bring guests, and non-members are welcome.

12 January 2010

A Place by the Thames: Exploring the Ancient Riverscape of Fulham Palace, Nathalie Cohen, Team Leader for the Thames Discovery Programme

16 February 2010

AGM & Presidential Address: The Cult of St Zita of Lucca in London and Southern England, Prof. Caroline Barron (6.15pm with refreshments from 5.30pm)

St Zita, who died in 1278, was an Italian servant girl who led a pious life as a domestic servant in the household of the Faitinelli family in Lucca. When she died she was unofficially canonised by popular acclaim and her body was (and is) preserved in a special chapel dedicated to her in the church of San Frediano in Lucca. What is surprising is that Zita's cult spread to late medieval England where she was widely venerated. There are some hundred surviving images of her in churches, manuscripts, embroideries and alabasters. This talk will discuss the development and popularity of Zita's cult in London and elsewhere, and look at the various ways in which this very ordinary saint was depicted until she disappeared entirely at the Reformation.

9 March 2010

The New Medieval Europe Galleries at the British Museum, James Robinson, Curator (Late Medieval Europe) British Museum

9 April 2010

Tour of the Bank of England, John Keyworth (5.30pm)

Led by John Keyworth, Curator of the Bank of England Museum, the tour will briefly visit the 1988 reconstruction of Soane's Bank Stock Office before moving on to the Parlours, the area comprising the Court Room and other principal rooms. The Court Room and Committee Room are both reconstructions by the Bank's interwar architect, Herbert Baker, of the rooms built by Sir Robert Taylor (1767/8). The visit will end at 7pm. There is a maximum of 20 people, so booking is essential. Please email Cheryl Smith at Cheryl.Smith@islington.gov.uk or phone 020 7527 7971 to book a place.

13 April 2010

London Stone: Making a Myth, John Clark, Senior Curator Emeritus (Medieval), Museum of London

11 May 2010

Life in London's Eastern Suburb c.1550-1700, Philip Baker, Senior Research Officer, Centre for Metropolitan History, University of London

**LAMAS 154th Annual General Meeting & Presidential Address
Tuesday 16 February 2010**

Notice is hereby given of the LAMAS 154th Annual General Meeting and Presidential Address to be held on Tuesday 16 February at 6.15pm in the Clore Learning Centre at Museum of London, London Wall. Light refreshments will be available from 5.30pm. The AGM will be followed by the Presidential Address by Professor Caroline Barron, entitled **The Cult of St Zita of Lucca in London and Southern England**. Minutes of the 153rd AGM, held on 19 February 2009, will be available.

The 154th AGM Agenda is as follows:

1. Apologies for absence
2. Minutes of the 153rd AGM, 2009
3. Annual Report and Accounts
4. Election of Officers and Members of Council
5. Appointment of Auditor(s)
6. Any other business

Council would welcome nominations of anyone interested in becoming a member of Council. These should be addressed to the Chairman at the

address given on the back page of the *Newsletter*, to arrive no later than Wednesday 27 January 2010.

2010 Archaeology Conference

After three enjoyable years in the Museum of London Docklands lecture theatre, the annual Archaeology Conference returns to its spiritual home at the Museum of London at London Wall in 2010. So join us on 13 March in the newly re-furnished Weston Theatre for a packed programme of talks.

The morning session features the usual mix of recent work, while the afternoon session looks back on forty years of Saxon and Medieval endeavour in honour of the recently retired John Clark (formerly Senior Curator of the medieval period at the Museum of London and now Senior Curator, Emeritus). Full details including ticket booking can be found at the centre of the *Newsletter* and on our website (with PayPal booking). Exhibition space is available, and prospective exhibitors should contact Jon Cotton for details: 020 7814 5736; jcotton@museumoflondon.org.uk.
Jon Cotton, Honorary Secretary, LAMAS Archaeological Committee

LAMAS Research Fund News

In 2005, to mark our 150th anniversary, we set up a Research Fund to award research funding to work on the history and archaeology of London and Middlesex. We usually aim to award between £2000 and £5000, the amount being set each year by Council. The closing date for the award is 30 September each year. Full details of the fund and how to apply can be found on our website (www.lamas.org.uk). Last year we were pleased to be able to fund two projects: the production of a DVD and article on the history of the Royal Patriotic Building, Wandsworth Common (Simon McNeill-Ritchie) and an article 'The Steelyard and the age of steam – the collection of John Walker Baily (1809-73) and the former Hanseatic *Kontor* in London' (Lyn Blackmore). This year, 2009-2010, we are delighted to announce that £4420 has been awarded to Jane Corcoran, MOLA, for work on the Syon Park Palaeochannel. The work will include the augering and logging of core samples, preparing the samples for dating and the completion of an article presenting the results of the research.

Jackie Keily, Honorary Secretary

LAMAS Local History Workshop

The LAMAS Local History Committee is planning a workshop for Saturday 20 March 2010, to demonstrate how members of affiliated local history societies can construct a 19th-century population history of their parish. The workshop will be conducted between 10am and 1pm in the new e-learning suite of the Museum of London.

The workshop will consist of a presentation showing how the census statistics have been used to create a population profile for one particular 19th-century Middlesex parish.

There will then be an extended hands-on session during which participants will be able to extract figures for their own parish from *The Online Historical Population Reports* website and compile a full set of data to take away.

There is no admission charge but there are only 16 computers in the e-learning suite so the number of places will be limited. Booking is essential and places will be given on a 'first come, first served' basis.

For further information or to book a place contact:

LAMAS Local History Workshop, c/o 9 Umfreville Road, London, N4 1RY, or email johnhinshelwood@btinternet.com (subject: 'Local History Workshop')

John Hinshelwood, LAMAS Local History Committee

Revised Standards for Depositing Archaeological Archives Available Online

The revised *Standards for the preparation of archaeological archives deposited with the Museum of London* are now available on the LAARC website:

<http://www.museumoflondonarchaeology.org.uk/English/ArchiveResearch/DeposResource/>

This is the first major revision of the *Standards* since 1998, and key changes include new requirements for:

- Digital data
- Ordering, packing and presentation of an archive
- Environmental material (ecofacts)

Generally the revision places more emphasis on standardisation for all aspects of archiving, from packing objects to labels and terminology.

We have added lots more extras:

- Appendices, including bulk and registered finds lists, examples of selected records and conservation treatment card guidelines
- Term Lists - including contexts, materials, box and bag labels and worked stone; it is our intention to add specialist lists, e.g. pottery, in the near future
- Proformas - a range of proformas to aid in the production of required documents and the ordering of supplies of required labels and cards, e.g. archive checklists, finds and ecofact inventories, conservation treatment cards and box and bag labels
- Additional Resources - includes an up-to-date list of UK suppliers of approved storage media, a handy list of what finds can be discarded, a useful summary of the *Standards* (with references to relevant sections) and a useful checklist of all the elements that need to have been completed before deposition can take place (these last two we hope will aid the first-time depositor in particular). We aim to add 'Finds Procedures Manual' in the near future

The revised *Standards* are only published online. Additions and alterations will be undertaken as and when they occur, giving us greater flexibility to respond quickly to issues as they arise and changes in the market place. Users will be alerted on the website to the changes and a history of the changes will be maintained on the website for reference. The Legal Supplement (Part 3) has not been revised – this will now be undertaken.

Cath Maloney, LAARC Archivist

William Faden's 1788 Map of London Online

A new website has been launched which has details of a digital redrawing of William Faden's 1788 map of London, including Middlesex. The site is www.fadensmapoflondon.co.uk. A similar map of Norfolk (www.fadensmapofnorfolk.co.uk) has been of great value to archaeologists, local, social and agricultural historians and research students.

Dr Andrew Macnair

REVIEW

LAMAS 44th Local History Conference: Saturday 21 November 2009 Open-Air London: Pleasure, Parks and Protest

The 44th Local History Conference took place at the City of London School for Girls on Saturday 21 November 2009. It began with a

welcome from LAMAS President, Professor Caroline Barron, who also introduced the subject of the day: London's open spaces. The first speaker was **Dr Colin Bowlt**, well-known to many audience members as a member of LAMAS's Archaeology Committee. His paper on *Woodlands and Commons* concentrated on the early history of such lands in the London area, but particularly on the north side of the River Thames. Today, he reminded his listeners, English Nature records 122 heaths, commons and greens in Greater London. These are all relics of a land use system dating back to medieval times, and possibly even earlier.

The paper contained a wealth of interesting insights into the way woodlands and commons were developed and cultivated. The Saxons were responsible for clearing many woods and by the Domesday Survey in 1086 only 10% of Middlesex was composed of woodland. Commoners had the right to graze animals such as pigs, cattle or sheep and cut upper branches of trees for fuel (pollarding) on land such as woods, heaths and commons, although it was normally privately owned. However, heavy grazing could destroy trees and so the primary reason for enclosing areas was to keep animals out and allow trees to regenerate.

The pressure to enclose common land was constant as owners saw other ways of making money from their open spaces. From the second half of the 18th century more and more common land was removed from traditional public use. However, the second half of the 19th century saw growing public pressure against enclosures as common land was increasingly used for leisure. The Corporation of London led the way in buying up land in order to preserve public rights of access. Thus Hampstead Heath, Epping Forest and many other such former woodlands and commons became the public amenities that we value so much today.

The second speaker of the day, **Todd Longstaffe-Gowan**, took as his title *The London Square: Islets in our Desert of Brick, Slate and Mud*. His talk covered three aspects of the London square: its origins, its early management and its social composition. The London square began as the enclosure of common ground in the City suburbs in order to maintain the land for public use. Early examples were found at Moorfields (now Finsbury Circus) and Lincoln's Inn Fields.

With the development of choice residential areas much further west, the square changed character to become a more private undertaking. Squares were created as a large central garden surrounded by quality houses, intended for the exclusive use of the residents and locked against all others. Residents paid for the maintenance of this private amenity, which provided a secure, controlled environment for nursemaids and children,

but was also potentially useful to intruders bent on concealment behind the high hedges.

The square was an English development, much copied on the continent, although in many cases the central spaces were more genuinely public. In England residential squares formed a sort of gated community and some deplored their social divisiveness. In Paris, squares took on a different feel, some being more integrated into the city plan and less obviously private and picturesque. The talk included some fascinating reflections on the place of statuary in London squares, including an extraordinarily fulsome Baroque monument to Queen Anne, planned for Lincoln's Inn's Fields but never built.

The morning concluded with the award of the local history publications award, which this year went to Camden History Society, for *Camden History Review* 32 (2008) edited by David A Hayes (ISBN 978-0-904491-76-0).

The first speaker after lunch was **Dr Michael Berlin** from the Department of Life Long Learning at Birkbeck College. The subject of his talk, *Common People, Common Land: a history of London's open spaces as places of protest*, picked up on several issues discussed earlier in the day, notably the practice of enclosing common land and the outrage this provoked in the 19th century. The talk traced many links between past and present, for example in the carnivalesque 'rough music' tradition in London's street protest, which can be seen in Hogarth prints and which lives on in London's May Day marches where anarchist street theatre takes its place alongside the labour movement.

The talk explored the topography of protest from Clerkenwell, to St George's Fields and Bonners Hall Fields in Bethnal Green, all areas with a natural predisposition towards large gatherings. In central London, Hyde Park was the most famous place of protest until around 1914, when the role passed to Trafalgar Square. The talk was extremely well illustrated and full of vivid accounts of memorable people, from 19th century anti-enclosure 'eco-warriors' to suffragette swimmers.

The final item on the programme provided a marvellous finale to the day: **Katrina Burnett**, from Finchcocks Musical Museum gave a talk on *The Pleasure Gardens of London: A Creative Use for Open Spaces*. Not only did she provide an informative and wide-ranging review of the rise, enormous popularity and final demise of the Pleasure Gardens from the late 17th to the beginning of the 19th century, but her talk was illustrated by songs of the period, performed charmingly by the soprano, **Kate Semmens**, accompanied on the harpsichord by **Steven Devine**.

We were shown how for a fairly modest fee – usually one shilling – the people of London could enter a *rus in urbe*: a fairy-wonderland, with fancy lighting, musical entertainment, dancing, food and drink, and watch fireworks. The various entrepreneurs involved were not all good businessmen, and many of the sixty gardens known in the mid-18th century were short-lived affairs. But Vauxhall and Ranelagh were particularly successful, partly due to their position on the river, with ease of access, but also to their owners' sponsorship of excellent musicians and composers.

The coming of the railways, which provided a means of accessing the real countryside, marked the beginning of the end for pleasure gardens, a process hastened by the rise of the music halls with their alternative form of entertainment. But such was the fame of Vauxhall in particular, that when the railways were introduced into Russia, the terminus of the country's first railway line was a Pleasure Garden. The station created there was called Vauxhall, after the original model, and to this day the Russian word for train station is in effect Vauxhall. This talk-cum-musical recital proved a uniquely delightful conclusion to the day, as well as a fascinating one.

Accounts of the 44th conference by LAMAS Local History Committee members: Patricia Clarke, Ann Hignell, Diane Tough and Cathy Ross

BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS

John Farrer: the man who changed Hornsey, by Janet Owen (2009) Hornsey Historical Society. ISBN: 978-0-905794-40-2, 80pp. 29 illustrations, 1 map. Price £11.99 + £1.10 p&p

John Farrer was born in 1843 into a respected family of Westmorland farmers and master carpenter-builders, but John was born on the 'wrong side of the blanket' and disadvantaged by the lack of a father. Like many ambitious young men of his generation, Farrer came to London, then expanding rapidly. In 1865 Farrer was articled to a City architect and surveyor, rising to become his principal assistant. After a spell in a more prestigious office, Farrer set up his own practice in the City in 1877. The following year, a commission to lay out roads and drains for Henry Weston Elder of Crouch End on part of his estate helped to establish Farrer in Hornsey; other commissions followed. When Elder died Farrer became agent for the Elder estate. Farrer was still working daily when he died in 1930 at the age of 87. Most of the 1800 houses he designed were built, and may be seen today. Farrer was active in civic life. Admitted to the freedom and livery of the Worshipful Company of Makers of Playing Cards in 1901, he was elected master in 1919.

Janet Owen has painstakingly extracted John Farrer's professional career from the minutes of the Plans Committees of Hornsey Local Board and its successors, and from planning applications where they survive. These have been supplemented by records from the Middlesex Deeds Registry and numerous other sources. The author has crafted them into a very readable account of the professional life of one man, John Farrer. His architecture is illustrated, mainly in colour. Regrettably the lack of an index will be a hindrance to researchers. This book will be of interest to students of suburban development, not just to Hornsey residents who live in the houses and walk the streets that John Farrer built.

Graham Javes

The Medieval Period in the Local Area, by Brian Warren (2009), Potters Bar and District Historical Society. 36pp, 11 illustrations, 8 maps. Price £2 + £1 p&p. Available from Mrs Mabel Hammett, 4 Heath Cottages, Heath Road, Potters Bar, Herts EN6 1LS

Brian Warren has delved into numerous documents including court rolls, indentures, charters and wills, to bring to life the medieval landscape around South Mimms and Potters Bar. He has tramped the countryside, tracing old roads, bridges and moated sites and has marked their positions on maps. Tombstones in St Giles's Church at South Mimms have aroused his interest as well as the wills of the people who lie under them. John Bygnore, who died in 1470, had three doublets of varying quality, which he bequeathed to different men. Two of them were made of deerskin, reminding us of the proximity of Enfield Chace.

The court rolls provide a tapestry of agricultural life, with all the usual minor misdemeanours of breaking hedges, blocking ditches and breaking the assize of ale, as well as some major felonies, enriched by the number of place and field names that might otherwise have been lost.

The Manor of South Mimms belonged to the Marquess of Salisbury and the book is dedicated to Robin Harcourt Williams, Librarian and Archivist at Hatfield House, who provided access to many of the documents.

Eileen Bowl

New Books!

Protz, Christine (2009): *Tottenham: A History*, Phillimore & Co. Price: £18.99. ISBN: 978-1-86077-599-4

Blatherwick, Simon & Bluer, Richard (2009): *Great Houses, Moats and Mills on the South Bank of the Thames: Medieval and Tudor Southwark and Rotherhithe*, Museum of London Archaeology (MOLA Monograph Series 47). Price: £22.95. ISBN: 978-1-901992-83-0

Bowsher, Julian & Miller, Pat (2009): *The Rose and the Globe – Playhouses of Shakespeare’s Bankside. Southwark Excavations 1988-1991*, Museum of London Archaeology & English Heritage, (MOLA Monograph Series 48). Price: £26.00

CONFERENCES AND COURSES

Contract Archaeology Symposium Institute of Archaeology 12-14 February 2010

London will play host next year to the first Contract Archaeology Symposium (C.A.S), an event to provide the springboard for much closer liaison in the future between contract archaeologists, academics and curators, consultants and developers. It will share some of contract archaeology’s most important finds over the past 15 years in London, encourage further research using contract archaeology’s archived material, facilitate an ongoing discussion between all key players on the impact of PPG16 and find ways of collaborating more closely in the future. The best papers will be published after the symposium.

Ticket price: £25 (£10 for students and unemployed). For more information, contact David Hodson, C.A.S chairman, Flat 1, 54 High Street, Penge, London SE20 7HB or email cas2010@btinternet.com.

Surrey Archaeological Society Annual Symposium 27 February 2010 Peace Memorial Hall, Ashstead

The Research Committee’s programme as usual reports recent work, mainly in Surrey. Professor Martin Bell from Reading University will talk on his experimental archaeological studies on earthworks, buildings and activity areas, some of which have been carried out at Butser. Abby Guinness, Community Archaeologist, will describe her work involving estate communities in East Surrey. There will be reports on the Brockham Power Mill, the Woking project, the year’s finds, and an update on Hatch Furlong; also reports from SCAU, the Roman Studies Group and the Surrey Heath Archaeology Group. Tickets: £8 in advance from Castle Arch, Guildford GU1 3SX, or £10 on the door.

LECTURES AND EVENTS

British Archaeological Association Lecture Series 2010

Meetings are held at 5.00pm in the rooms of the Society of Antiquaries of London, Burlington House, Piccadilly, London W1V 0HS. Tea will be served at 4.30pm. Non-members are welcome to attend occasional lectures but are asked to make themselves known to the Hon. Director on arrival and to sign the visitors' book.

6 January 2010

New Light on the English Peasantry: the Furnishings of Rural Houses in the Later Middle Ages, Christopher Dyer

3 February 2010

The Sculpture of the East End of Cluny III, Neil Stratford

3 March 2010

Sir Goddard Pemberton and the Fear of Oblivion, Phillip Lindley

7 April 2010

Pavilion'd in Splendour: Henry V's Welcome into London in 1415, Nicola Coldstream

Seminars on Metropolitan History Institute of Historical Research Senate House

Seminars are held on alternate Wednesdays at 5.30pm in the Pollard Room, First Floor, Institute of Historical Research, Senate House, Malet Street, London WC1E 7HU. For a full list of the other seminar series run by the Institute of Historical Research, visit their website: <http://www.history.ac.uk/events/seminars>

13 January 2010

Music for Diversion and Seduction at Ranelagh Gardens, Berta Joncus

27 January 2010

London Women in the City and Westminster Courts in the Later Middle Ages, Matthew Stevens

10 February 2010

Public Health, Political Culture and the Decline of Infant Mortality in West Ham, 1886-1939, Tim Wales

24 February 2010

Remaking the Bow Back Rivers: Environmental and Social Intervention to Decrease Flooding and Unemployment in West Ham, 1905-1935, Jim Clifford

10 March 2010

London Quakers in the Atlantic World Before 1725, Jordan Landes

**Institute of Archaeology & British Museum
Medieval Seminars**

All Spring Term meetings are held in the Seminar Room, Department of Africa, Oceania and the Americas, British Museum at 5.30pm.

19 January 2010

Sutton Hoo, Scandinavia and the Boat Graves of Middle Sweden - Revising Some 50-Year-Old Truths, Dr John Ljungkvist

9 February 2010

Recent Excavations at the Winchester Medieval Leper Hospital, Dr Simon Roffey

2 March 2010

The Archaeology of Stuff: Early Medieval Interiors, Maureen Mellor

**Surrey Industrial History Group
Industrial Archaeology Lectures 2010**

Lecture Theatre F, University of Surrey, Guildford

Lectures are on Tuesdays from 7.30-9.30pm. Single lectures are open to all at £5 each on the door. Enquiries to Programme Co-ordinator: Bob Bryson 01483 302389.

12 January 2010

Days at the Factory, David Perrett

26 January 2010

Beginnings of the Public Utilities in Surrey, Peter Tarplee

9 February 2010

Atkinson's High Efficiency Engines, Ed Marshall

23 February 2010

Leather Manufacture at Gomshall, Colin Woolmington

9 March 2010

Bridges of Britain, Peter Cross-Rudkin

**Leyton & Leytonstone Historical Society
Local History Fair
17 April 2010, 2pm-4pm
St John's Church, Leytonstone**

To commemorate the 5th anniversary of the founding of Leyton & Leytonstone Historical Society and to celebrate the history of the local area, L&LHS are organising a local history fair on Saturday 17 April 2010 at St John's Church, corner of Church Lane and Leytonstone High Road, Leytonstone, E11. The Fair will be open to the public from 2pm-4pm, admission free. For more information, please contact Bill Measure, 90 Richmond Road, Leytonstone E11 4BU, email: measure@btinternet.com or call 020 8558 5491.

Harrow Museum
Tuesday Talks Programme 2010

Talks are held in Harrow Museum's 500-year-old tithe barn, Pinner View HA2 6PX. They start at 2pm and last one hour, £3 per person. For more details, call 020 8861 2626 or 020 8863 6720, email harrow.museum@harrow.gov.uk or see their website: www.harrow.gov.uk/museum.

5 January 2010

I've Taken My Fun Where I Found It - Kipling's Life and Verse, Colin Pinney

19 January 2010

Historic Views of London, Anne Saunders

2 February 2010

The History of Computing, Derek Sayers

16 February 2010

The Great Train Robbery, Hugh Granger

2 March 2010

My Life as a Fleet Street Photo Journalist, Dennis Hart

16 March 2010

Hidden Gardens of the City of London, John Garrod

LOCAL SOCIETY MEETINGS

Acton History Group

Events on the 2nd Wednesday in the month at 7.30pm in St Mary's Church Hall, admission £1. Contact Secretary David Knights, 30 Highland Avenue, Acton W3 6EU, Tel: 020 8992 8698. Email: info@actonhistory.co.uk. Website: www.actonhistory.co.uk

13 January 2010

Passmore Edwards: An Acton Benefactor, Dean Evans

10 February 2010

Goths and Romantics, 1860-1939, Ray Batchelor

10 March 2010

The Great Western Comes to West London, John Chapman

Barking and District Historical Society

Meetings are held at 7.45pm at the Salvation Army Hall, Morley Road (off Movers Lane), Barking. Buses 287, 368, 369 and 887 stop nearby. Free to members, £1.50 to non-members. Email: barkinghistorical@hotmail.com; tel. 020 8597 7210.

Barnes and Mortlake History Society

Meetings are held at Sheen Lane Centre, Sheen Lane, London SW14 at 8pm on the 3rd Thursday of the month from September to April (with a break in December). The meetings are free to members and £2 for non-members. For further details please

contact the Hon. Secretary on 020 8878 4071 or visit us at www.barnes-history.org.uk.

21 January 2010

The History of Pub Signs and Their Names, David Roe

13 February 2010

The History of Our Local Railways, Graham Stacey

18 March 2010

Tudor Gardens in Barnes and Mortlake, Mary Thorp

15 April 2010

The Royal Family at Kew, Susanne Groom

Barnet and District Local History Society

All meetings are held in Church House, Wood Street, Barnet at 3pm on Mondays (opposite the Museum). Contact Barnet Museum, 31 Wood Street, Barnet EN5 4BE (020 8440 8066) or visit www.barnetmuseum.co.uk for more information.

11 January 2010

Hospital and Quarantine Ships on the River Thames, Ian Johnston

8 February 2010

500 Years of English Portraiture, Pamela Wright

8 March 2010

Hornblower's Navy, Paul Chamberlain

12 April 2010

In the Footsteps of the Famous in Finchley, Paul Baker

Bexley Archaeological Group

The Group is open to all likeminded people encouraging those with disabilities to take part in archaeological activities. Anyone may participate in whichever level they want, from a person with just general interest to the experienced field worker. All meetings are held at Bexley and Sidcup Conservative Club, 19 Station Road, Sidcup, Kent and excavations are carried out at the weekends (Mar-Nov). For further information contact the Chairman, Mr Martin Baker, 24 Valliers Wood Road, Sidcup, Kent DA15 8BG (020 8300 1752), email: martin.baker@btinternet.com or see the website: www.bag.org.uk

Brentford and Chiswick Local History Society

The society meets at the Chiswick Memorial Club, Afton House, Bourne Place, Chiswick W4, starting at 7.30pm, on the 3rd Monday in the month, from September to May inclusive. For further information please contact the Hon. Secretary, Tess Powell, 7 Dale Street, London W4 2BJ or visit www.brentfordandchiswicklhs.org.uk.

Camden History Society

The society normally meets at 7.30pm on the 3rd Thursday of each month, except August. Venues vary. For further information please contact the Hon. Secretary, Mrs Jane Ramsay (020 7586 4436) or visit: www.camdenhistorysociety.org

21 January 2010

Royal Free Buildings from Hatton Garden to Hampstead, Neil McIntyre (Charlie Ratchford Resource Centre, Belmont Street, London NW1 8RF)

18 March 2010

The Life of John Harrison, Clockmaker, Andrew King (Charlie Ratchford Resource Centre, Belmont Street, London NW1 8RF)

Chadwell Heath Historical Society

Meetings are held at 7.30pm on the 3rd Wednesday of every month from September to June. All meetings are held at Wangey Road Chapel, Wangey Road, Chadwell Heath, starting at 7.30pm. Enquiries to 020 8590 0013 or email: chadwellheathhs@hotmail.com

City of London Archaeological Society

Society's meetings are held at the hall of St Olave's Parish Hall, Mark Lane EC3R. Doors open at 6.30pm for a 7pm start. Lectures usually last about an hour with questions following. Light refreshments are available after the lecture. Non-members are welcome to attend occasional lectures but are asked to sign the visitors' book and make a £2 contribution towards expenses. For further details, visit: www.colas.org.uk, email: mail@colas.org.uk or text/voicemail 07964694128.

15 January 2010

Excavating in Egypt - Rediscovery and Change, Patricia Spencer

19 February 2010

Roman Sculpture in London: the Geology. 400 Years of Quarrying, Kevin Haywood

19 March 2010

Recent Fieldwork on London's Scheduled Monuments, Jane Sidell

16 April 2010

Deptford and Chichester, an Archaeological Comparison, Joanna Taylor

Cuffley Industrial Heritage Society

The society meets at Northaw Village Hall, 5 Northaw Road West, Northaw, Hertfordshire EN6 4NW. The village is near Potters Bar and Cuffley. Talks start at 8pm with doors opening from 7.30pm. Talks are free to members and £3 for visitors. For more information, contact David Freeman, Honorary Treasurer, 18 Homewood Avenue, Cuffley, Hertfordshire EN6 4QG (01707 875481) or email: treasurer@cihs.org.uk.

12 January 2010

Technology in the English Country Estates, Denis Smith

9 February 2010

The History of Croydon Airport, speaker tbc

9 March 2010

Gutenberg – the Story of Print, Peter Balding

13 April 2010

The Great Northern Railway – Cuffley Extension, Roger Elkin & Dave Cockle

The Docklands History Group

Meetings will be held on the 1st Thursday of every month in the Museum of London Docklands, No 1 Warehouse, West India Quay, Hertsmere Road, London E14 4AL, at 5.30 for 6pm. Visitors are welcome to attend the talks, which are usually illustrated, for a donation of £2. For further information and membership details, please call 020 7286 0196.

Edmonton Hundred Historical Society

Talks are free to members, and are held at Jubilee Hall, 2 Parsonage Lane (at the junction with Chase Side), Enfield, at the Charity School Hall, Church Street, Edmonton N9 and at Bruce Castle, Lordship Lane, Tottenham N17. There is a charge of £1 per head for visitors. Further details may be obtained from the Local History Section at the Town Hall, Green Lanes, Palmers Green, London N13 (020 8379 2724) or email: edmontonhundred@freeukisp.co.uk.

20 January 2010

La Routes des Tonneaux et des Canons, David & Beryl Holliday (8pm, Jubilee Hall)

16 February 2010

The Story of Ice Cream, Ruth Hazeldine (8pm, Jubilee Hall)

26 February 2010

John Keats, Ken Page (8pm, Charity School Hall, Church St, Edmonton)

17 March 2010

Bulls Cross to Ordnance Road, Stephen Sellick (8pm, Jubilee Hall)

15 April 2010

The Extension of the Railway from Grange Park to Cuffley, David Cockle (8pm, Jubilee Hall)

Enfield Archaeological Society

Meetings are held at the Jubilee Hall, junction of Chase Side and Parsonage Lane, Enfield, starting at 8pm. Tea and coffee are available from 7.30pm. Visitors are welcome, (£1 per person). For further information please contact David Willis, Secretary, 43 Millers Green Close, Enfield, Middlesex EN2 7BD.

The Friends of Kensal Green Cemetery

The FOKGC are no longer organising lectures. To find out more about their work and future events, such as their annual Open Day, visit www.kensalgreen.co.uk

Friern Barnet and District Local History Society

Meetings are held in St John's Church Hall, next to Whetstone Police Station, in Friern Barnet Lane N20, normally on the last Wednesday of the month, starting at 8pm. Free refreshments are available from 7.45pm. Visitors welcome (£2 per person). For further details, contact David Berguer (0208 292 7328).

27 January 2010
50 Years in Estate Agency, Barry Carmody

24 February 2010
Freemasonry, Norman Greenshields

24 March 2010
Allotments, Leon Price & Phyll Miles

28 April 2010
The Fleet Valley, John Neal

Greenwich Industrial History Society

All meetings will be held at The Old Bakehouse (rear of), Age Exchange Reminiscence Centre, 11 Blackheath Village, London SE23 9LA, at 7.30pm. For further information about the Greenwich Industrial History Society and their meetings, please contact Mary Mills, 24 Humber Road, London SE3 (020 8858 9482).

Hayes and Harlington Local History Society

Most meetings are held at Hayes Library, Golden Crescent, Hayes, on the 3rd Tuesday of each month and begin at 8pm. Further information from the Secretary, Mr John Walters, 7 St Jerome's Grove, Hayes, Middlesex UB3 2PJ (020 8561 7555) or email chris.berridge@blueyonder.co.uk

Hendon & District Archaeological Society

Unless otherwise indicated, lectures and meetings are held at Avenue House, East End Road, Finchley, London N3, at 8pm on the 2nd Tuesday of the month. For further information please contact the Membership Secretary, Stephen Brunning, 1 Reddings Close, Mill Hill, London NW7 4JL (020 8959 6419), membership@hadas.org.uk.

12 January 2010
The Archaeology of Anglo-Jewry in London 1066-1290 and 1656-c.1850, Ken Marks

9 February 2010
The Trendles Project, William Cumber

9 March 2010
The History of RAF Bentley Priory, Erica Ferguson

13 April 2010
The GWR Comes to the Thames Valley, John Chapman

Hornsey Historical Society

Lecture meetings are held on the 2nd Wednesday of every month at the Union Church Hall, corner of Ferme Park Road and Weston Park (a short walk from the Old Schoolhouse, the Society's HQ on Tottenham Lane), starting at 8pm. Members attend free; non-members are welcome and pay £1 entrance fee. For further information please ring The Old Schoolhouse (020 8348 8429), write to the Society at 136 Tottenham Lane N8 7EL or visit www.hornseyhistorical.org.uk

13 January 2010

History of Crouch End and Hornsey, Steven Denford

10 February 2010

The Church Memorials at Tottenham and Elsewhere, Simon Watney

10 March 2010

The History of London's Underground, Peter McMahan

14 April 2010

Percy Joseph Barralet: Victorian Photographer, John Hinshelwood

Hounslow & District History Society

Meetings are held on Tuesdays at Montague Hall, Montague Road, Hounslow, starting at 8pm. For further details contact the Honorary Secretary, Mr R. Ferguson, 219 Staines Road, Bedfont, Middlesex TW14 9EB (020 8890 5078).

26 January 2010

Hounslow Heath and Hounslow Barracks: the History of the Army in Hounslow, James Marshall

23 February 2010

Hampton Court Palace and Gardens, John Garrod

30 March 2010

The Life and Legacy of George Peabody, Christine Wagg

27 April 2010

The Wonder of Covent Garden, Margaret Collins

Islington Archaeology and History Society

Meetings are held at 8pm at Islington Town Hall, Upper Street N1. All meetings are free. Enquiries: 020 7833 1541 or visit the website: www.iahs.org.uk.

20 January 2010

Islington's Baby Farms, Joan Lock

Kingston upon Thames Archaeological Society

Meetings are held at 8pm in Mayo Hall, United Reformed Church at the corner of Union Street and Eden Street, Kingston upon Thames (visitors will be asked for a donation of £1.50 towards expenses). Processing and cataloguing of excavated remains and museum collections takes place every Thursday (10am) at the North Kingston Centre, Richmond Road, Kingston upon Thames KT2 5PE. Enquiries to 020 8547 6755 or e-mail: kutas.archaeology@gmail.com.

Leyton and Leytonstone Historical Society

Meetings at Leyton Sixth Form College, Essex Road, Leyton E10 6EQ begin at 7.30pm. Meetings at St John's Church, E11 1HH, corner of Leytonstone High Road and Church Lane begin at 8pm. Light refreshments are served 15 minutes before the talks. For further details please contact Maureen Measure, Secretary, L&LHS, 020 8558 5491 or email measure@btinternet.com.

21 January 2010

Evidence for Iron Age and Roman Occupation in Epping Forest, Tony O'Connor (St John's Church)

6 February 2010

The Life and Legacy of George Peabody, Christine Wagg (St John's Church)

10 March 2010

Fresh Air and Fine Houses: Gentlemen's Estates in South West Essex, Peter Lawrence (St John's Church)

22 April 2010

Ten Minutes to Noon, a History of Copped Hall, Peter Dalton (St John's Church)

London Natural History Society

Indoor meetings usually consist of talks, slide shows or discussions. Most indoor meetings are held at Camley Street Natural Park, Camley Street, London NW1 0PW. It is a short walk from King's Cross and St Pancras stations along Pancras Road. Visitors are very welcome at all meetings. For further information visit www.lnhs.org.uk/program.htm

11 January 2010

Best Botanical Photos, David Bevan (Seminar & Learning Centre, Level 5 Sherfield Building, Imperial College, South Kensington, SW2 7AZ, 6.30pm)

21 January 2010

What's That Noise? David Darrell-Lambert (Camley Street Natural Park, 7pm)

27 January 2010

The Works of Greenspace Information for Greater London (GIGL), Mandy Rudd (Room 7, Seminar & Learning Centre, Sherfield Building, Imperial College, South Kensington, SW2 7AZ, 6.30pm)

18 February 2010

How to Photograph Wildlife, David Darrell-Lambert (Camley Street Natural Park, 7pm)

Lewisham Local History Society

All meetings commence at 7.45pm and are held at the Methodist Church Hall, Albion Way SE13. Full access for people with disabilities. Non-members welcome. For further information please contact John King, 44 Le May Avenue, London SE12 9SU (020 8857 1819) or visit the website: www.lewishamhistory.org.uk

Merton Historical Society

Meetings are held monthly from October until April, on Saturday afternoons during the winter months and on Friday evenings during the autumn and spring. There are also regular workshop sessions to share current research. For further information please contact the Honorary Secretary, Mrs Sheila Harris, 100 Canon Hill Lane, London SW20 9ET (020 8540 6656) or email mhs@mertonhistoricalsociety.org.uk

Orpington & District Archaeological Society

Meetings are held in The Priory, Church Hill, Orpington, on the 1st Wednesday of each month (except August) from 8pm. Non-members are welcome to attend, space permitting. Coffee and biscuits are served at the end of each meeting, for which a donation is invited. For further information please contact Brenda Rogers, 5 Lodge Crescent, Orpington, Kent BR6 0QE (01689 827213).

3 February 2010

Anglo-Saxon Trade and Material Culture in the South of England during 5th to 7th Centuries, Andrew Richardson

3 March 2010

A View of the Summit – a History of Fort Halstead, Dave Perry

7 April 2010

Egyptian Archaeology, John Johnston

Pinner Local History Society

All meetings start at 8pm. Meetings take place in the Village Hall, Pinner. Visitors are welcome for a donation of £2. For further information please contact Mrs Sheila Cole, 40 Cambridge Road, North Harrow, Middlesex HA2 7LD (020 88663972) or visit www.pinnerlhs.freeserve.co.uk

7 January 2010

London's Woodlands, Colin Bowlt

4 February 2010

Public Statements and Private Lives: British Church Monuments through the Ages, Jane Kelsall

4 March 2010

Tudor Pinner, Pinner Local History Society Research Group

1 April 2010

London and the Visiting Musician, Adrian Brown

Potters Bar and District Society

Meetings are held at the Sixty Plus Room, Wyllyotts Centre, starting at 8pm prompt. All are welcome. For further details please contact Richard Lee (Hon. Sec.), 38 Ladbrooke Drive, Potters Bar, Herts EN6 1QR (01707 652975).

Richmond Archaeological Society

Meetings take place on Friday nights at Vestry Hall, 21 Paradise Road, Richmond, commencing at 8pm. For further information please contact Mrs Yvonne Masson, the Society's publicity secretary, at 65 St Margaret's Grove, East Twickenham, Middlesex TW1 1JF or visit the website: www.richmondarchaeology.org.uk

12 February 2010

The Archaeology of St Paul's, John Schofield

12 March 2010

From London to Luxor: the Work of an Egyptologist/Digger, Chris Naunton

16 April 2010

Place Names in the Landscape, Natalie Cohen

Richmond Local History Society

All meetings are held at Duke Street Baptist Church, Richmond, usually at 8pm with coffee available from 7.30pm (see below for specific times). Non-members are welcome, admission £1. For further information please contact the Secretary, Elizabeth Velluet (020 8891 3825) rich.hist@yahoo.co.uk or see the website: www.richmondhistory.org.uk.

11 January 2010

The Brewer vs the Princess – the Story of an 18th-Century Campaigner, Max Lankester

8 February 2010

Kew at War, Christopher May

19 April 2010

Strawberry Hill Reborn, Anna Chalcraft

Rotherhithe and Bermondsey Local History Group

Unless otherwise stated, meetings take place at the Time & Talents Centre, The Old Mortuary, St Marychurch Street, Rotherhithe and begin at 7.45pm. For more information visit: <http://kingstairs.com/rotherhithe/>

27 January 2010

Limehouse, King Alfred and the Olympics, Jeremy Batch

24 February 2010

‘Saynte George in Suthwerke’: Parish and People in the Middle Ages, Tony Lucas

31 March 2010

History of Medicines from Nature: Royal Pharmaceutical Society, Lambeth, Julie Wakefield

Ruislip, Northwood and Eastcote Local History Society

Meetings are held on Mondays at 8.15pm at St Martin’s Church Hall, Ruislip. Visitors are welcome (£2 admission charge). For further information please contact the society’s Secretary, Susan Toms, 3 Elmbridge Close, Ruislip, Middlesex HA4 7XA (01895 637 134) or visit: www.rnelhs.flyer.co.uk

18 January 2010

40 Years at Kodak, Tony Earle

15 February 2010

Researching Manor Farm, Geraint Franklin

15 March 2010

Mr Waite and Mr Rose: Their First Waitrose Shop, Janet Hobbs

19 April 2010

Museums and Archaeology: Their Relationship, Hedley Swain

St Albans and Hertfordshire Architectural and Archaeological Society

Tuesday meetings are held in St Albans School and start at 8pm. Friday meetings are held in the College of Law, Hatfield Road, and start at 7.45pm. They are open to all members of the society. Non-members may attend two meetings as guests.

12 January 2010

Commerce and Conflict – the Early Development of London’s Docks, Tom Wareham

19 January 2010

The BBC in Wartime, Stephen Barnard

9 March 2010

The Villages of East London, Peter Lawrence

26 March 2010

Bedlam – London and its Mad, Catherine Arnold

Southgate District Civic Trust

The Trust is a local amenity society covering Southgate, Palmers Green, Winchmore Hill, New Southgate and Cockfosters. It has active local history and publications groups. Meetings are held at the Friends Meeting House, Church Hill, Winchmore Hill, London N21. There is a small charge for some meetings. Non-members are welcome. For further information please contact Geoffrey Bone, The Tower, Quakers Walk, London N21 2DE (020 8360 2289).

Southwark and Lambeth Archaeological Society

All lectures are held on Tuesday evenings at 7.30pm at The Housing Co-Op Hall, 106 The Cut (opposite the Old Vic). Light refreshments are served at 7pm. Visitors are always welcome but are asked to contribute £1. For further details please contact Richard Buchanan, 79 Ashridge Crescent, Shooter’s Hill, London SE18 3EA. For enquires please call 020 8764 8314.

12 January 2010

Recent Archaeological Work in Southwark, Chris Constable

9 February 2010

The Elephant Entertains, Richard Norman

9 March 2010

Recent Local Archaeological and Historical Work, various speakers

13 April 2010

Recent Discoveries by Museum of London Archaeology, Sophie Jackson

Spelthorne Archaeological Field Group & Friends of Spelthorne Museum

Unless otherwise stated, all meetings take place at the Methodist Church, Thames Street, Staines and begin at 8pm. Members free, non members welcome (£1 please). For further details please contact Nick Pollard (01932 561585).

7 January 2010

History of Sunbury Regatta, Nick Pollard

4 February 2010

Old Ashford, Bob Calder

4 March 2010

Excavations at Hampton Court, Ben Ford

1 April 2010

Two Local Artists: Mary Stella Edwards and Judith Ackland, Alice Eden

Stanmore & Harrow Historical Society

Meetings are held at the Wealdstone Baptist Church, High Road, Wealdstone, at 8pm on the 1st Wednesday of each month to which visitors are welcome at a charge of £1. Members' evenings are held at the same venue on the 3rd Wednesday of the month. For further information please contact Mrs Sheila Lowe, 62 Walton Drive, Harrow HA1 4XA.

6 January 2010

Forty Years with Kodak, Tony Earle

3 February 2010

City Streets and Their Stories, Miss M. B. Jones

3 March 2010

The History of Uxbridge, K. Pearce

7 April 2010

Israel and Beyond, 2008, Ian Jackson

Streatham Society

Meetings are held on the 1st and 3rd Monday of the month at "Woodlawns", 16 Leigham Court Road, London SW16, starting at 8pm ("Woodlawns" is a 5-minute walk up Leigham Court Road from Streatham High Road, nearest transport Streatham Hill BR station). Admission is free. For further information please contact Brian Bloice (020 8764 8314). Streatham Society is on the Internet: www.streathamsociety.org.uk (or email secretary@streathamsociety.org.uk).

4 January 2010

Recent Local History Discoveries, various speakers

18 January 2010

Conservation in Lambeth, Rachel Godden

1 February 2010

The History of Shops and Shopping, Brian Bloice

15 February 2010

The Work of the London Assembly, Val Shawcross

1 March 2010

The Edwardian Heritage of Lambeth, Edmund Bird

15 March 2010

How Did They Get There? The Story of a South London Family, John Roberts

5 April 2010

Aspects of South Norwood's History, John Huckman

19 April 2010

Dippers and Piers – the British Seaside Story, Graham Gower & Brian Bloice

Sunbury and Shepperton Local History Society

The Society meets at 8pm on the 2nd Tuesday of the month from October to May in the Theatre at Halliford School, Russell Road, Shepperton. The September meeting is held in Sunbury. Any queries should be addressed to Geoff French (Treasurer and Membership Secretary), 18 Burchetts Way, Shepperton, Middlesex TW17 9BS (01932 245774).

19 January 2010

History of Chertsey, Jocelyn Barker

16 March 2010

Life on the Thames, Linda Miller

27 April 2010

Life of A. K. Brunel, Brian Thorne

The Thorney Island Society, Friends of St James's Park and The Green Park

Meetings are held at various historical locations where members listen to a talk by an expert in a relevant field of interest and are able to ask questions. For further information please contact the Chairman June A. Stubbs, 39 Westminster Mansions, Great Smith Street, London SW1P 3BP, www.thethorneyislandsociety.co.uk

Borough of Twickenham Local History Society

Meetings are held at St Mary's Church Hall, Church Street, Twickenham, at 8pm on the first Monday of each month from October to June, and take the form of an illustrated lecture by a guest speaker. Guests and non-members are welcome (there is a small charge). For further information please contact the Secretary, Mr R.S. Knight (020 8878 7041) or visit our website <http://www.botlhs.co.uk>

1 February 2010

The Life and Times of Mortlake Brewery, Murray Hedgcock

1 March 2010

The Thames Discovery Programme, Natalie Cohen

12 April 2010

Hogarth and the Foundling Hospital, Jane King

Uxbridge Local History and Archives Society

All meetings take place at Christ Church, Redford Way (off Belmont Road), Uxbridge, starting at 7.30pm unless otherwise stated. For further information please contact Mr K. R. Pearce, 29 Norton Road, Uxbridge UB8 2PT or visit www.eddiethecomputer.co.uk/history

19 January 2010

Victorian Costume, Davina Watson (2.30pm)

16 February 2010

Belmont House and its People, Tony Mitchell

16 March 2010

The History of RAF Northolt, Chris Wren

Walthamstow Historical Society

Our meetings take place once a month and are held in the Main Hall at Greenleaf Road Baptist Church, Walthamstow, London E17 (just off Hoe Street near Ye Olde Rose & Crown PH). The meetings are free to members. Visitors are welcome but we ask for £1.50. For further details please visit us at www.walthamstowhistoricalsociety.org

14 January 2010

Under the Wires, Neil Houghton

11 March 2010

The London Way of Death, Joyce Hewitt & David McCarthy

Wandsworth Historical Society

Meetings held at the Friends' Meeting House, Wandsworth High Street (opposite Town Hall) on the last Friday of the month at 8pm (until 10pm). For more information, visit the website: www.wandsworthhistory.org.uk

Wanstead Historical Society

Meetings are held in the Warren Hall, Chapel Path, Cambridge Park (at the rear of Cambridge Park Methodist Church, Wanstead), on the 3rd Thursday of the month. Doors open at 7.30pm with all talks starting at 8pm. Our meetings are open to visitors for a charge of £2 per meeting. For further details contact the Honorary Secretary, Mr Mark Galloway, 52 Eastbourne Road, East Ham E6 6AT (020 8471 1171).

Wembley History Society

Meetings take place once a month in the church hall adjoining St Andrew's Church, Church Lane, Kingsbury NW9, starting at 7.30pm. Refreshments are provided. For further information please contact the Honorary Secretary, Mrs Pam Carter, 84 Kingsbury Road, London NW9 0AX (020 8205 3263) or e-mail Philgrant69@aol.com.

15 January 2010

The History of the Welsh Harp, Leslie Williams

19 February 2010

The History of Neasden, Len Snow

19 March 2010

My Little Bit of History, various speakers

West Drayton & District Local History Society

Meetings are held in St Martin's Church Hall, Church Road, West Drayton, starting at 7.30pm. For further information please contact Cyril Wroth (Programme Secretary), 15 Brooklyn Way, West Drayton UB7 7PD (01895 854597).

26 January 2010

Signs of the Times – Isleworth, Christine Diwell

23 February 2010

London Bridges and Tunnels, David Wadley

30 March 2010

St Lawrence Church Timeline, Helena Plowright

West Essex Archaeological Group

Meetings are held on the 2nd Monday of the month in the Sixth Form Block, Woodford County High School, High Road, Woodford Green at 7.45 pm. New members welcome. For further information, please contact Anne Stacey, 20B Grove Hill, South Woodford E18 2JG (020 8989 9294).

8 February 2010

The Boudiccan Revolt, Ralph Jackson

8 March 2010

Excavations at Copped Hall and Wanstead Park (7.30pm)

19 April 2010

Excavations in Syon Park, Harvey Sheldon

Willesden Local History Society

Unless otherwise shown, the Society meets on Wednesday from September to June in The Scout House, High Road (on the corner of Strode Road), Willesden NW10, at 7.30pm. For further information please contact the Secretary, Margaret Pratt, 51 West Ella Road, London NW10 9PT (020 8965 7230) or visit: www.willesden-local-history.co.uk

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