The excursionists then returned to the lawn in the front of the rectory, where they were cordially welcomed by the Rector and Mrs. Peter, and invited to partake of afternoon tea; and at the conclusion of the refreshing repast the Honorary Secretary proposed a vote of thanks to the Rector and Mrs. Peter for their hospitality.

The guests bid adieu to the Vicar and Mrs. Peter, and then

proceeded to

# CAVENDISH CHURCH.

That there was a church at Cavendish at the time of the Conquest appears from the Survey of Domesday.

In the present building, however, no traces of Norman

work can be found.

The present fabric, dedicated to S. Mary, consists of chancel, nave, two aisles, and west tower. The greater part is Perpendicular, with portions of older work. There has been a chapel or vestry on the north side of the chancel, the piscina and locker of which still remain. The present vestry was erected upon the old site, and two original corbels support the lean-to roof. The Nave with clerestory is Perpendicular, with fine flat timber-roof. The chancel ceiling is Perpendicular, boarded and panelled.

The Tower is late Early English, the lower storey is vaulted, and has lancet windows. The stair turret at the South East corner is large. Rickman in describing the church mentions an original fire-place in the second storey of the tower. The belfry has poor Perpendicular windows; the battlement and top of the turret are partly of Early English work. The chimney shaft is carried up several feet above the tower, and finished with a battlemented capping which seems to be original. There is a chest with Decorated panelling and iron work.

Some old glass remains in the North aisle. The altar tomb on the north side of the chancel is to the memory of George Colt who died in 1570, and Elizabeth, his wife. They lived at Colts' Hall in this parish, which, formerly belonged to the ancient family of de Greys.

(For pedigree see Vol. vi., 14.)



CAVENDISH CHURCH.

The brass eagle is good, and is said to have been given to the Church by Queen Elizabeth.

There are no brasses save four small shields, with three / organd stags heads caboshed, on a stone beneath the tower, bearing the arms of Cavendish, supposed to be in memory of the Judge. The old two-sided wooden lectern is worthy of attention. It enables us to realize about the Bible having been at one time chained to the desk in our churches. On one side is a good black letter copy of Jewel's Apology, dated 1611, and on the other the Book of Homilies. Both volumes are chained to the lectern.

The modern altar stands a few feet from the East wall. It is probable that before the Reformation such arrangement was common, particularly in those churches where no vestry was provided, the space behind the altar serving for the purpose. In a small niche on the north side of East window is the figure of the Virgin and Child. The Monuments are not very remarkable. One in the Sacrarium is to the memory of Thomas Grey, alias Bishop, who was Rector of this Parish 50 years, and died in 1704. In the chancel is a flat stone for Dr. Warren, rector of Cavendish and Archdeacon of Suffolk. He was a native of Ashford in Kent, and died in 1748. His son, Dr. Warren, was Bishop of S. David's, and afterwards of Bangor, and was a native of Cavendish. Bishop Warren was buried in Westminster Abbey. He was brother to Dr. Richard Warren, the celebrated physician. The Font is octagonal and late Perpendicular.

# CHURCH NOTES BY DAVY, 1805.

The Church consists of a Chancel, Nave, and side Aisles.

The Chancel is 41 ft. long, and 20 ft. wide.

The Nave is 50 ft. 3 in. long, and 20 ft. 10 in. wide. It is separated from the Aisle by five pointed arches on each side, which are supported by clustered pillars, and it is lighted above by five clerestory windows on either side. The roof is leaded.

In the N. wall of the Chancel, at the East end and on the outside, are three openings or niches; one was probably a door-way, now

stopped, and the whole seem to show that there was formerly an additional building here, perhaps a chapel.

The S. Aisle is 51 ft. 8 in. long, and 12 ft. 5 in. wide; on the S. side of this is a Porch, 11 ft. by 9 ft. 4 in. The N. Aisle is

51 ft. 9 in. long, and 12 ft. 8 in. wide, covered with lead.

The Steeple is a square embattled Tower of flints and stone. On the S.E. corner of it is a turret, on which hangs the bell belonging to the clock. In the steeple are six bells. The dimensions of the Steeple within are 14 ft. 8 in. by 14 ft. 3 in. The ceiling of the Belfry is groined; a lancet window on three sides of the Steeple.

The Pulpit stands against the first pillar from the E. on the S. side,

of oak, large and handsome.

. Font of stone is octagonal, on the face are roses, lions, &c.

The Church appears to have been new roofed or repaired in 1696,

that date being upon the woodwork thereof.

The Communion Table is raised two steps, and railed off: over it are the Lord's Prayer, Belief, and Commandments, which fill the whole East end. In the N.E. corner is a narrow niche for an image; in the S. wall a plain cinquefoil-headed Piscina. The E. window is very large and handsome.

#### MONUMENTS.

### IN THE CHURCH.

Chancel.

Here lyeth ye body of ye Reved.
Mr Thomas Grey als Bishor,
who was Rector of this Parish
Church 50 years, he Died ye
18th of march 170%, Aged 82
years and 7 months

Brass on stone reredos.

To the greater Glory of God, and in memory of her mother, MARY DRUMMOND LYALL, who died at Dover, March 11th 1878, The paintings in this Reredos were offered by her daughter, CATHARINE STEWART PETER.

Altar tomb against north wall of sacrarium.

Hic:iacet:Georgivs:Colt:Armiger:qvi:obiit:die: Anno:dni:1570: Elizabetha:vxor:eivs:qvæ:obiit:13:die:se......

M. S.

The Revd. Benjamin Richardson a.m. Rector of this Parish whose Sanctity of Manners, exemplary Conduct, and unwearied Diligence in the Discharge of the Duties belonging to that station, entitled him to an higher Tribute of Respect to record his Virtues, Died 29th of Decr. 1779, Aged 65.

Henry Toundrow D D late Rector of this Parish Died 25th Sepr, 1765 Aged 65 Years.

H. S. E.

RICARDUS WARREN S.T.P.

hujus ecclesiæ rector,
et archidiaconus Suffolciensis:
vir pietate et doctrina insignis
natus est Ashfordiæ in agro Cantiano,
patre Samuele, ejusdem parochiæ vicario.

in matrimonio habuit Priscillam.
JOANNIS FENNER armigeri filiam,
fœminam dignissimam.
obiit iv Januarii M.D.C.C.XLVIII
Vixit annos LXVI, menses IX.
conjugem, et septem liberos,
patre Samuele, ejusdem parochiæ vicario.
reliquit sibi superstites.

Under this marble are interred the remains of Mrs Priscilla Warren relict of Richard Warren d.d. late rector of this parish.

she was a woman of great virtue and prudence and died, much lamented by all her relations and friends, on the 16<sup>th</sup> day of January 1774, aged 73 years.

Sacred to the memory of January 30th. 1850. aged 30 years.

MARY GERTRUDE CASTLEY, also of GERTRUDE JANET,
the beloved wife of THOMAS CASTLEY. Esq. their infant daughter,
who departed this life who died at Edwardston House, in this county:
at the rectory, Cavendish.

December 11th. 1839. aged 8 months.

ELIZABETH the truly-virtuous, & therefore this life w<sup>th</sup> full Assurance Dearely-Belov'd, Daughter of of Eternall life the 23<sup>d</sup> of Novemb.

Mr Tho: Grey Rector A.D. 1677. Ætatis Suæ. 24°.

On North Wall.

Anderneath lies the body of Ann Aells wife of A. Aells buried Decr. A.J. 1841. Those grave was overbuilt by the erection of this Chancel Aisle. A.J. 1865.

North Aisle.

In this church are deposited the mortal remains of Shadrach Brise, gent,

(Son & Heir of Shadrach Brise, of Kingston upon Thames, Com: Surrey, Gent, by Anne his Wife,

Daur & Coheir of Gabriel & Martha Maynard, of Roxeth, Com: Middlesex,)

who departed this life 9th August 1699, at Cavendish Place,

which estate was purchased by him in 1671. and, of Elizabeth Brise, his widow,

(Dau'r of the Revd. Thomas Paneman,

Minister of Harrow on the Hill, Com: Middlesex, ejected therefrom in 1662, for non-conformity with the terms of the Act of the 13, and 14, Car. 11. cap. 4,) who died 10th October 1724, aged 77. having been the mother of six sons & three daughters. whereof also, are here interred; Anne, who died an infant in 1681,

THOMAS BRISE, 4th son, B. 16th February 1675, died s.p. 23rd April 1703. having married Ann Kendricke of Colchester.

OBEDIAH BRISE, 3rd son, B. at Kingston, 28th May 1670, died 4th September 1714. TIMOTHY BRISE, of London, citizen & merchant,

youngest son, B. 17th September 1681, died 25th February 1752.

Sacred to the memory of Georgiana Lucy, youngest daur of Sir Digby Mackworth, Bart, of Cavendish Hall: she died Febry 11th 1824, aged 20 years.

## DAVY adds the following:

Here lyeth the Body of Mrs Mary Grey, the wife of Reverend Mr Thomas Grey Rector of this Church, who dyed the 11th of September 1700,

Here lyeth the Body of Mr Thomas Grey, Grandson & heir to the Reverend Mr Thomas Grey late Rector of this place, designed to succeed him in the same ministry; a youth adorn- the 17 of December 1707, aged 18 years. ed with the gifts of Nature, &

Here lyeth the Body of Mrs Deborah Grey fourth daughter of the Reverend Mr Thomas Grey late Minister of Dedham in Essex in the 77 year of her age. who departed this life June ye 22d 1717

> fortune, of an early piety, & discerning Judgement; the hopes of his family, & delight He dyed of his acquaintance. Desired & lamented

Here lyeth the Body of Mr Tho. Grey ye truly orthodox, pious & much celebrated Preacher of the word of God, & dearly beloved Pastor of the Xch at Dedham in Essex, eldest son of Mr Thos Grey als Bp. Rector of this Xch, who haveing By his indefatigable Labra wasted and worn out his languishing Body quietly yealded up his soule into the hands of his Creator and Redeemer to the General greife & lamentation of all that knew him, ye 9th of Jan A.D. 1691, in the 36th yeare of his age.

Here lyeth the Body of the Reverend Mr Anthony Austen late Fellow of King's Colledge in Cambridge, who married Frances, the seventh daughter of the Reverend Mr Austen Novem ye 28 1696

Mr Thomas Grey, alias
Byshop, Rector of this
Parish Church, who died
November the 26, 1696
(Possibly part of inscription was gone
see a former monument.)

Under this Stone lieth the Body of  $M^{\rm r}$  Thomas Brown, who departed this life the  $17^{\rm th}$ 

of April 1710, aged 25 years, grandson to the Reverend Mr Thomas Grey, Rector of this Parish.

Maria primogenita Tho-Grey Clici, Rect. hujus Eccle. Obiit tertio Junii a.d. 1663, ætat. ejus 16.

Here lyeth the Body of Mrs Deborah
Grey, ye 5th daughter of Mr. Thos. Grey
als. Bp. Rector of this Parish Xth
who having lived a virtuous, innocent
& holy life, yealded up her soul
in quietude & calmnesse of
spirit & sweet assurance of eternal life
and a blessed resurrection at the last day
into the hands of Almighty God
& dyed a pure Virgin the 28 day of May A.D. 1691.

It appears by a mem. among other church notices taken in 1694, that there existed a monumental stone on weh was inscribed—".Hic jacet Willielmus Fuller," arms 3 harts heads cab. horned or., which probably lay over the body of Wm Cavendish whose name was also Fuller. 1397.

In the chancel lyeth the Body of Mrs Frances Austen, wife of the Reverend Mr Anthony Austen, who departed this life January the 6th 1700, aged 38 years.

and likewise the Body of M<sup>rs</sup>
Mary Austen (an Infant)
their onely child who
departed this life Feby.
14. 1700 aged 5 years.
Erected by Mr. Henry Grey.

Here lies the Body of the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Rich<sup>d</sup>. Waddington M.A. who departed this Life July 25 1808 aged 70 years.

 M. A. French died Febry 27<sup>th</sup> 1815 aged 79 years and 9 months.
 (Note. Mary Arabella French aunt, to the Rev. Thos. Castley Rector, Bu. March 3.)

#### Parish Registers begin 1594.

On cover NB. Baptized May 28 1612 William son of Ralph Cavendish.

- 1645 Many buryalls & baptizings cold not be set downe this year & the yeare after by reason of ye negligence of ye Sexton.
- 1657 Deborah daughter of Master Thomas Gray minnister of our Parish was borne the 19th of August. He signs Thomas Grey 1657.
- 1658 Feb. 22, Christina of Thomas Grey Clerke borne baptized & deceased the same day.
- 1663 Peregrina of Thomas Grey Clerke Rector of this pish and Mary his wife born 28 Aprill.
- 1665 Henry s. of Thomas Grey Clerke Rector of this pish & Mary his wife born May 4 being Ascension day, & his mothers birthday: & being weake, & we afraid of his death, bap. May ye 6th.

### Burials.

- June 5. ffrancis Abbott minister. (was V. of Poslingford.) 1654
- 1663 Mary, the gratious & therefore dearely beloved daughter of Tho. Grey Clerke Rector of this pish aged fyfteene yeares six months & fourteene dayes. 5 June.
- 1691 May 31. Deborah, the Virtuous & gratious child of Tho: Grey als Bishop Rector of this Xch, & Mary his Wife who dyed a pure Virgin in Ano Ætat 34 being borne upon Wednesday 19 Aug. 1657.
- 1691 Tho: the truly pious & celebrated Preacher of the Word at Dedham in Essex, eldest son of Mr Tho: Grey ats Bishop Rector of this Parish & Mary his wife, who dyed upon Sattday morning An 36 of his Age being borne upon Satterday ye 22 of September A.D. 1655. Jan. 12.
- 1700 Mary wife of ye Rev. Mr T. Grey, Rector of this Parish. Sep. 13.
- 1705 Mr Thomas Grey senior, Rector of this Parish Church.
- 1707 Mr Thomas Grey 25 December.
- Jan. 27 Rev<sup>d</sup> M<sup>r</sup> Hen. Grey Rect<sup>r</sup>. 1720
- Jan. 9 Richard Warren D.D. Archdeacon of Suffolk, and Rectr. 1747
- 1765 Sep. 29 The Revd. Doctor Henry Toundrow
- 1774 Jan. 24 Mrs Priscilla Warren widow of Dr Warren late Rector.
- 1779 Dec. 31 Revd. Benjamin Richardson Rector of this Parish 15 years. 1808
- Aug. 1. Rev. Richard Waddington Rector of this Parish agd. 69 years.
- 1860 May 26. The Rev. Thomas Castley; fifty-two years Rector of Cavendish, aged 94 years 10 months.
- This entry was made by his son Thomas Castley, in the presence of Thomas Woods, Parish Clerk.
- Dr. Tanner has this note (f. 1358). Testm Joes Cavendish Militis dat. apd Bur. S. Edm. sepeliend in canc. coram summo altari juxta corpus Aliciæ nup uxoris 1381. (Heyd. 191.)

#### RECTORS OF CAVENDISH.

Dr. Tanner (f. 1358) mentions Galfridus Vic. de Cavendis Hen. III. Reg. Sacr. Bur. III.

PHILI DE INSULA, 9 Ed. III. Dug. War. 686. Hugo Leidet, Rector of Cavendish, s. d.

1251 Johes de Bedes, Clicus de Cavendish. Reg. de Stoke 61. fo. 106.

1350 PHILIP DE LYLE, 24 E. III. dns psona de Cav.

1355 Galfridus Taylor de Pakynton Feb. 21, ad præs. dñi Jōis de Clynton mil. 1381. (Reg. v. 13.)

1386 Thomas Walcotte, July 21, ad præs. Dīii Andr. de Cavendish mil. (Heyd. 192.) (vi. 117.)

1389 John Robtot, Ap. 16, p'mam hens tonsuram clicale ad præs. ejusd. (f. 137.)

1392 JOHN WACE de Finchingfeld, Aug. 3, ad præs. ejusd. (168.)

1404 Thomas Hokkely, Jun. 23, vac. p. libam resignationem dni J.
Wace (ex causa pmut de Finchingfeld Lond.) ad præs. Robti
Thorley Arm. (307.)
Nicholas Gille.

1419 Peter de Alcobasse, May 20, by res. of N. Gille (pmut cum Sileby, Linc.) ad præs. Jois Montgomery Mil. (viii. 44.)

WILLIAM BARTHILMEW Jul. 18, vac. by res. of P. de Alcobasse. ad præs. eorund. Test ejus dat Nou. prob. 20 Mart. 1442 (Doke 197.) (46.)

1442 WILLIAM BREWER, Jan. 4, vac. by d. of W. Bartilmew, ad præs. Jöis dñi Tiptoft, Joes Falstoff, &c. (x. 46.)

1453 THOMAS HALDENAM, Feb. 23, vac. by res. of W. Brewer, ad præs Edv. Mulso Mil. (xi. 73.)

1455 ROBERT WYATT, Aug. 8 (pmut cum Berlee Lond) ad præs ejusd. (83.)

1460 WILLIAM BASSET, Feb. 6 (pmut. cum Beryfeld Linc.) ad præs. Thæ Cobham Mil. (124.)

1470 ROGER CHESSHYR, Jan. 26, vac. by res. of W. Basset (pmut. cum Benyngton Linc.) ad præs. ejusd. (177.)

1489 WILLIAM HEYGHAM, S.T.D., Nov. 26, vac. by death of R. Chesshyr, ad præs. Nob. Viror Willi Felton de Sudbury Sen. et Edmd Filij sui. (XII. 141.)

JOHN LYNSEY.

1490 John Argentine, M.D., Jul. 17, vac. by res. of J. Lynsey, ad præs. eorund. In 1487 inst. to Hartest cum Loxted, 1488 to Glemsford, quam resignabat 1490, quo anno institutus fuit ad rectoriam de Cavendish. (143.) Tanner's Bibl. Brit. 48.

1508 WILLIAM FELTON, May 19, vac. by d. of J. Argentine. (XIV. 79.)

1509 THOMAS KEYNE, M.A., Feb. 6, vac. by d. of W. Felton, ad præs. Edi Felton. Gen. (92.)

1524 WILLIAM CHURCHE, Feb. 20, vac. by d. of T. Keyne, ad præs. ejusd. (190.)

1560 RICHARD ROBSON, Jan. 18, vac. by d. of W. Churche, ad præs. Edmd Felton de Lond. Arm. (xix. 45.)

1570 NICHOLAS WALLIS, B.A., Jul. 13, vac. by d. of R. Robson, ad præs. Geo. Smith Arm. (161.)

1570 RICHARD MASON, M.A., Dec. 16, ad præs. Frances Danyell viduæ 1604. R. of Henuy M. in Essex where he lived 1576. (165.)

1609 WILLIAM FEMORS, M.A., Mar. 27, vac. per mortem ult, ad præs.
Briani Smith Cler. (XXII. 22.)

1610 Brian Smith, M.A., Sep. 26 or Nov. 14, ordinatus presb. p. Samuel Epūm Norwic 16 Feb. 1610, ad præs. Thæ Wilson, M.A., Cler. (27.) 1636.

Dispensation also of Bures 22 Nov. 1612. Lib. Institutionum A. III. 68. Record Office. Consignation Bks. f. 39 Bures, ordained priest by Bp. of Norw. 17 Feb. 1610. A letter from Master Brian Smith H.M.S. Bonaventure 1642.

Thomas Grey, alias Bishop, M.A., Jul. 26, vac. per mort B. Smith, ad præs. Thæ. Bishop de Thorndon. Gen. ob. 1705. (xxvi. 14.) He signs the Cavendish Register in 1657, but apparently was not instituted till 1661. Lib. Inst. B. II. 208. M. Elizabeth Scamler (Blomef. Norf. vi. 455), she d. Nov. 23, 1677, æt. 24. He mentioned by J. Walker, Suff. of Clergy, II. 372. Founded the Grammar School here. He d. Mar. 18, 1702, æt. 82. M.I.

1705 HENRY GREY, July 20, vac. per mort. Th. Grey (his father), ad præs. Jois Browne de Rickinghall. (xxvIII. 202.)
Bu. Jan. 27, 1720.

1720 RICHARD WARREN, S.T.P., Mar. 4, vac. by death of H. Grey, in pres. of Charles Ashton, S.T.P. (fo. 168.) Son of Samuel, a native of Ashford, Kent. For account of his father see Ashford, by A. J. Pearman, 112. 1886. Magist. and custodia Coll. bt. Mar. Virgin Sti Johis Evangelist, and Jesus Coll. in Cantab. Pleno Jure. Lib. Inst. C. I. 257. R. O. Fell. Jes. Coll., Cam., B.A. 1699, M.A. 1703, S.T.B. 1710, S.T.P. 1718. Presented Feb., instituted Mar. 4, 1720. Was Archdeacon of Suffolk in 1745. He died Jan. 4, 1748, æt. 66. (Gent. Mag. XVIII., 42.) M.I. Author of a Plain Account of the Lord's Supper, in two parts. Pub. 1737 and 1747, 8vo. His son Dr. John Warren was Bp. of S. Davids, and Bangor, bo. at Cavendish 1728; and died 1800, bu. in N. Transept Westminster Abbey, where Mont., brother to Dr. R. Warren celebrated physician.

1748 HENRY TOUNDROW, D.D., Jan. 26, Jes. Col., Cam., B.A. 1722, M.A. 1726, S.T.P. 1751. Pats. Master and Fellows of Jesus Coll. (xxx., 127.) D. Sep. 25, 1765, æt. 65. M.I. Gent. Mag. xxxv., 491.

1766 EDWARD ALLENSON, M.A., Feb. 18, void by death of H. Toundrow. (xxxi., 28.) Gent. Mag. xxxv., 592.

1766 Benjamin Richardson, June 10, Jes. Coll. B.A. 1733, M.A. 1737, void by res. of E. Allenson. (31.) Lond. Mag. 1766, 326. D. Dec. 29, 1779, æt. 65. M.I.

1780 RICHARD WADDINGTON, M.A., Mar. 28, Jes. Coll. B.A. 1761, M.A. 1764. (XXXI., 148.) M. May 15, 1701, at Bromley, Mrs. Wright, relict of Rev. W. of Gt. Waldingfield, she d. in York, Oct. 27, 1821, et. 86. He d. July 25, 1808. M.I. (Gent. Mag. LXXVIII., 755.) His character is pourtrayed in the following lines by his friend Mr. Stewart.

Firm was his faith, from bigotry refin'd,
His hand liberal, as his heart was kind;
By friends respected, by his flock rever'd,
To every tender relative endear'd;
Thus did he live, and thus resign his breath,
Lov'd in his life, lamented in his death:
And here, in hope, beneath this sacred stone,
In sure and certain hope, lies Waddington."
Suffolk Garland, 103, ed. 1818.

1808 Thomas Castley, M.A., Dec. 20, Fell. Jes. Coll., Cam., B.A. 1787,
M.A. 1790. (f. XXXII. 132.) His father, also named Thomas,
was master of Grammar School at Castletown, I. Man. Was
Rector of Cavendish fifty-three years. Died May 19, 1860,
20t. 94. (Gent. Mag. 1860, 97.)

Author of Essays and Dissertations on Philosophy, and a work on the French Revolution. (Nichols Illus. vi. 802.) For a long humourous sketch of his appearance and eccentricities see "Reminiscences of Cambridge, by Henry Gunning, Vol. II., 128, ed. 1855.

1860 ROBERT GODOLPHIN PETER, M.A., Jes. Coll., Cam., B.A. 1842, M.A.
 1845, D. 1845, P. 1846. C. S. Alphege, Cant. 1848-51;
 R. S. Geo. Mart. Cant. 1851-58; Tut. Jesus Coll. 1858-60.
 Author of Manual of Prayer for Students, 1859.

Upon leaving Clare Church the excursionists were driven to Melford Railway Station, where members separated, and thus terminated the excursion of 1893.

The company included Prince Frederick Duleep Singh, Canon Scott and Mrs. Scott, Rev. E. Hill, Rev. C. J. Stower, Mr. W. J. Langdon, and Mrs. Langdon, Mr. F. Methold, Major Meller, Mr. W. W. Hodson, Rev. Dr. Haslewood, Rev. M. Allen and Miss Allen, Rev. R. A. L. Nunns, Mr. H. W. Trigg, Rev. F. D. Brown, Mr. W. S. Spanton, Dr. Bensly, Mr. W. and Miss Biddell, Mr. T. E. Key and Miss Key, Rev. J. L. M. Moore and Mrs. Moore, Rev. W. E. and Mrs. Layton, Rev. Henry Jarvis, Rev. C. H. E. White, F.S.A., and Rev. Francis Haslewood, Honorary Secretary, and Miss Haslewood, Mr. Henry and Mrs. Miller, Mr. H. J. Wright, Mr. G. Abbott, Mr. W. B. Hanson, Mr. E. Barrett, Mr. R. E. Bunn, Mr. Geo. Calver Mason, Mr. W. Vick, Mr. Thos. Harrison, Mr. B. Binyon, Mr. C. Barrell, Mr. R. Hunt, Mr. H. C. Casley, besides a large number of visitors introduced by members.

## ABSTRACT OF PROCEEDINGS, 1893.

A meeting of the Council was held at the Athenæum, Bury S. Edmund's, on Wednesday, May 3rd, 1893. Mr. R. Burrell took the Chair. Letters were read from the Bishop of Norwich (Dr. Pelham), Captain Pretyman, and Lord de Saumarez, expressing their thanks to the Council for their election as Vice-Presidents. The subject of the Insurance of the property of the Institute against Fire was discussed at considerable length. The Books and Bookcases were examined by the Council, and it was then proposed that the Bookcases, Books, and Manuscripts be insured in the Alliance office for £500. A letter was then read from Mr. Hope, inviting the Suffolk Institute to be in Union with the Society of Antiquaries of London. The annual report was approved and adopted. The summer excursion was then discussed, and it was agreed that Clare, Poslingford, and Cavendish should be visited, and the date fixed for June 22nd, 1893.

The General Annual Meeting of Members was held at the Athenæum, Bury S. Edmund's, May 3, 1893. Mr. Casley was voted in the Chair. The minutes of the last meeting were confirmed. It was then resolved that the annual report be adopted and printed. The officers were again appointed, the Lord Henniker being re-elected president. The names of Sir Brampton Gurdon, and Professors Babington and Newton were added to the list of vice-presidents. Mr. Casley proposed and Mr. C. Mason seconded that Rev. C. L. Feltoe should be elected a member of the Council. Four new names were added to the list of members.

On Thursday, July 20th, 1893, the Council met at the Town Hall, Ipswich, when upon the proposition of Lord John Hervey, seconded by Mr. J. S. Corder, Mr. Casley took the Chair. The chief subject of discussion was the illustrations for our volume of Proceedings. Preference being given to views by photo-processes the meeting decided that specimens of the various styles and prices should be obtained.

The Council met again, at the same place, July 31st, 1893, when five members were present. The Rev. C. R. Manning presided. It was moved by Mr. H. C. Casley, and seconded by Lord John Hervey, that the Suffolk Institute of Archæology, &c., be enrolled amongst the Societies in Union with the Society of Antiquaries of London. Specimens of various processes, by several artists, were submitted to the Council, and a selection of views having been made, it was resolved that photo-process-blocks should be employed for their re-production.