

alone in the next seate to it; and the Sermon being ended, was carried after Mr. Ludlam to his house and lodged there and Mrs. Wanley returned to her house attended as before.

“The Lord’s Day, being the 21st day of November.

“Mr. Ludlam went to the Church, attended by the Mace Bearer, where he sat as on Friday before, the Mace lying as before, Mrs. Wanley, attended by the Town Clerk and Mourners, went to Church and satt in the Mayores(s’) seate, it still continuing covered with blacke.”

On the following day Mr. William Franke was elected Mayor for the remainder of the term.

May 29th, 1876.

THE REV. J. H. HILL in the chair.

The following NEW MEMBERS were elected:—The Right Honourable the Lord de Clifford, and Dr. Mutch, M.R.C.S.

The Right Honourable the Earl Howe, and The Right Honourable the Lord de Clifford were elected Vice-Presidents of the Society.

The following antiquities, &c., were exhibited:

By MR. G. H. NEVINSON: Five Roman coins (Maximianus, Constantine, &c.) and a weight, all found in Leicester. Also a button of copper plated with silver, inscribed “Loyal Leicestershire Volunteers.” Silver coin of Charles II. (For Mr. T. Nevinson.)—An encaustic tile, found in the excavations for S. Leonard’s Church, Leicester, being on the site of the ancient church destroyed in the Civil Wars. The tile was remarkable for its unusual size, having been, when perfect, $10\frac{1}{2}$ inches square. It was of a red colour, the pattern being left in relief, and the ground being filled in with green glaze. The pattern was a shield (set anglewise) in a square of five inches, the bearings being a cross potent between four Maltese crosses, the two upper ones being larger than the lower ones. The corners of the square were filled in with foliage in relief. The broad border beyond the five inch square was quite plain.

By MR. HUNT: a manacle of the early part of the seventeenth century, found in an old bureau at Smockton, March, 1876.

By the CHAIRMAN: a large paper illustrated copy of Blore’s East Hundred of Rutland.