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FRIDAY ANNUAL MEETING of the Society will be held at the Mechanics' 7.30.p.m. Institute, Otley. Business Meeting at 7.30, Election of Officers, MAY 8th Annual Report, Accounts, Signing of Tree Book.

FRIDAY MAY 8th

LECTURE BY MR. CHRISTOPHER GILBERT - The Keeper of Temple Newsam 8.00.p.m. House, at the Mechanics' Institute, Otley immediately after the business part of the Annual Meeting. Mr. Gilbert will speak about THOMAS CHIPPENDALE AND HIS PATRONS IN THE NORTH and show slides. General Public and non members invited.

FRIDAY

EIGHTH CHIPPENDALE DINNER will be held at the Mechanics' Insti-JUNE 26th 7.30.p.m. tute, Otley. Tickets 25/- can be obtained from Major Austin Hughes, C.C., Weston Lane, OTLEY and Mrs. John Nuttall, Whitegate, Arthington Lane, Pool in Wharfedale, nr, OTLEY. Lord St. Oswald was to be the chief speaker, but he is now unable to attend but is providing a deputy.

SATURDAY AUGUST 22nd

VISIT TO ASKE HALL RICHMOND, has been arranged by kind permission of the MARQUIS AND MARCHIONESS OF ZETLAND, who are the owners 4.00.p.m. of many pieces of Chippendale's work. A bus will leave Otley Post Office at 2.00.p.m. The excursion round the Hall commences at 4.00.p.m. Please apply for tickets to MR. G. E. CLARKSON, 16 Mount Pisgah, Otley.

FRIDAY DECEMBER 4th

8,00.p.m.

THIRD MEMORIAL LECTURE will be held at the Mechanics' Institute, OTLEY at 8.00.p.m. The Lecturer is MR. GEOFFREY BEARD, Head of Manchester College of Art and School of Design, who has written books about Chippendale and his times. He will speak about INTERIOR DECORATIONS 1660-1800. Tickets 6/- each can be obtained from Mrs. Nuttall, Whitegate, Arthington Lane, Pool in Wharfedale, nr. OTLEY.

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FRIDAY JANUARY 22nd

WINTER LECTURE will be given by the well known Wharfedale Craftsman, MR. ALLAN THOMPSON, the woodcarver from Grassington, 8.00.p.m. who will give a talk and demonstration on 18th CENTURY FURNITURE - THE GOLDEN AGE OF CABINET MAKING.

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MEMBERSHIP

The Society has just short of 500 Members, 50 who are Life Members. They reside in North, South and Central America and on the Continent of Europe, as well as the British Isles. Life Members include such Chippendale Authorities as Lord St. Oswald, Mr. Arthur Negus, Mr. Christopher Gilbert, Miss Cooper-Abbs, Mr. Waddingham.

EDUCATIONAL CHARITY The Society has now been accepted as an Educational Charity. As such the Society is not called upon to pay Income Tax, Corporation Tax, or S.E.T. Our Property Fund from which we hope to buy Chippendale's Cottage and Chippendale Works is now free from tax.