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PREFACE

IN the following pages an attempt has been made to survey the history and to trace the significance of St. Catharine's Hill, Winchester, through all the centuries from its first occupation by Early Iron Age Man to the present day. In so doing we have endeavoured to bring into a single whole evidence derived from a great variety of sources. The excavations of 1925-28 have supplied the basis of our conclusions for the prehistoric and mediæval periods, but they have been supplemented wherever possible by the use of primary and secondary written authorities, and in the last section on the post-Reformation period, which will, we hope, appeal especially to Wykehamist readers, we have been able to draw on that store of tradition which is part of the rich heritage of Winchester College. We have endeavoured, that is to say, to do something more than write an Excavation Report. It has been our aim to focus all the available evidence on the continuous story of a single very limited area, and to shew the effects upon it of those many changes and chances whose interplay in the course of centuries has produced the History of England. λέγωμεν οὖν ἀρχάμενοι.

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LIST OF PRINCIPAL ABBREVIATIONS
USED IN REFERENCES

<i>A.-F.</i>	F. Arnold-Forster, <i>Studies in Church Dedications</i> (3 vols., 1899).
<i>A.U.H.V.</i>	Die Altertümer unserer heidnischen Vorzeit (Mainz, 5 vols., 1858 - 1911).
<i>Ant. Journ.</i>	The Antiquaries' Journal.
<i>Arch.</i>	Archæologia.
<i>Arch. Camb.</i>	Archæologia Cambrensis.
<i>Arch. Journ.</i>	The Archæological Journal.
<i>(Fox) Arch. Camb. Reg.</i>	Cyril Fox, <i>The Archæology of the Cambridge Region</i> (1923).
<i>B.G.</i>	Cæsar, <i>De Bello Gallico</i> .
<i>B.M.</i>	British Museum.
<i>B.S.P.F.</i>	Bulletin de la Société Préhistorique Française.
<i>C.P.F.</i>	Congrès Préhistorique de France.
<i>Cook.</i>	A. K. Cook, <i>About Winchester College</i> (1917).
<i>Evans.</i>	Sir John Evans, <i>Coins of the Ancient Britons</i> (1864).
<i>Field Archaeology.</i>	J. P. Williams Freeman, <i>Field Archæology as illustrated by Hampshire</i> (1915).
<i>Glastonbury.</i>	A. Bulleid and H. St. George Gray, <i>The Glastonbury Lake - Village</i> (2 vols., 1911, 1917).
<i>G.G. Report.</i>	Report on the Excavations at Grime's Graves, Norfolk, 1914 (Prehistoric Society of East Anglia, 1915).
<i>H.F.C.</i>	Proceedings of the Hampshire Field Club and Archæological Society.
<i>Hengistbury Report.</i>	J. P. Bushe-Fox, <i>Excavations at Hengistbury Head, Hampshire</i> (Reports of the Research Committee of the Society of Antiquaries of London, no. III, 1915).
<i>J.B.A.A.</i>	Journal of the British Archæological Association.
<i>J.R.S.</i>	Journal of Roman Studies.
<i>J.R.A.I.</i>	Journal of the Royal Anthropological Institute.
<i>(Déchelette) Manuel.</i>	J. Déchelette, <i>Manuel d'Archéologie</i> (Paris, 4 vols.). <i>N.B. Quotations are throughout from the Second Edition, 1924 - 7.</i>
<i>P.Z.</i>	Prähistorische Zeitschrift.
<i>P.P.S.E.A.</i>	Proceedings of the Prehistoric Society of East Anglia.
<i>P.S.A.</i>	Proceedings of the Society of Antiquaries of London, Second Series.
<i>P.S.A. Scot.</i>	Proceedings of the Society of Antiquaries of Scotland.
<i>R.V.</i>	Reallexikon der Vorgeschichte, herausgegeben von Max Ebert (Berlin, 14 vols., 1924-29).

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- (Schumacher)
S.K.R. I. K. Schumacher, Siedlungs- und Kulturgeschichte der Rheinlande, band I, 1921.
- (May) *Silchester.* T. May, The Pottery found at Silchester, 1916.
- S.A.C.* or
Suss. Arch. Coll. Sussex Archæological Collections.
- Swatling Report.* J. P. Bushe-Fox, Excavation of the Late-Celtic Urnfield at Swatling, Kent (Reports of the Research Committee of the Society of Antiquaries of London, no. V, 1925).
- V.C.H.* The Victoria County History.
- W.A.M.* The Wiltshire Archæological and Natural History Magazine.
- Williams Freeman. See *Field Archaeology*.
- Win. Coll.;*
W.C.A.S. Winchester College, its History, Buildings, and Customs (Winchester College Archæological Society, 1926).

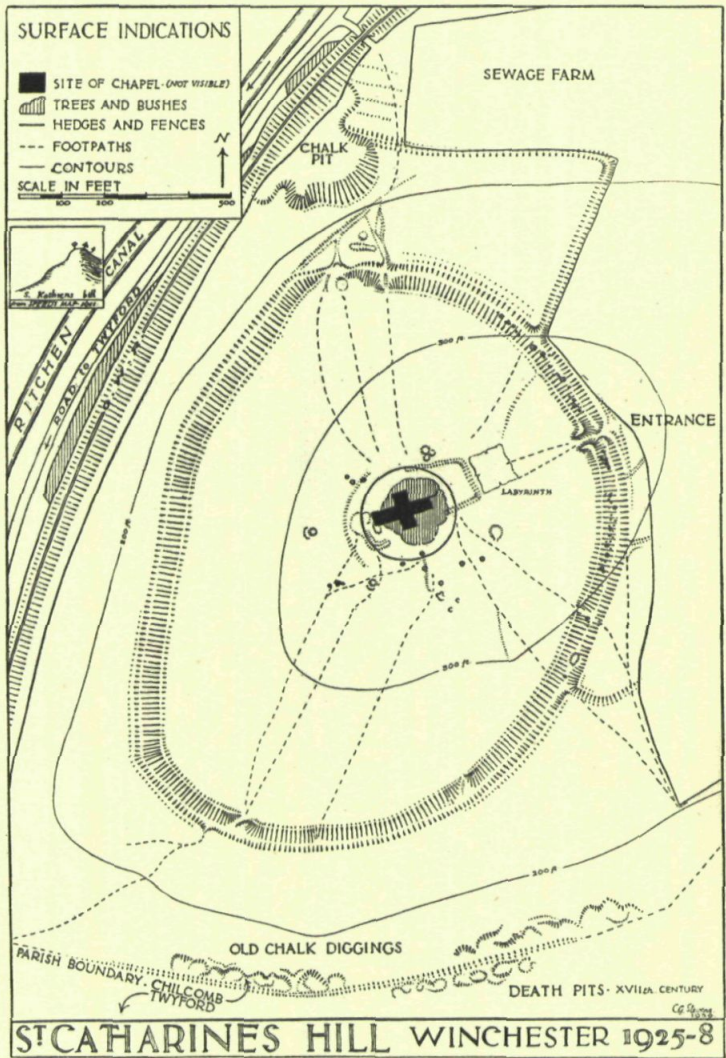


FIG. 1. GENERAL MAP OF THE SITE.

Saint Catharine's Hill Winchester

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