

THE WISCONSIN ARCHEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

MILWAUKEE

The Society is a state department, receiving a part of its support from the state. Its funds are under state control. Its work is well and widely known. It has received the approval of leading American archeologists, who agree that it deserves the full support of all Wisconsin citizens interested in the state's archeological history.

The Society's activities comprise the location, recording, investigating, and preservation of Wisconsin Indian remains, folklore and history, all of which are rapidly disappearing and must be recorded and saved immediately if ever.

Through its efforts many fine groups of Indian earthworks and other aboriginal monuments and remains have been permanently preserved to the public. Most have been marked with descriptive metal tablets. Others are being protected. Surveys and explorations have been conducted in many sections of the state.

It is also engaged in encouraging the establishment of public museums and collections and in discouraging the manufacture and sale of fraudulent antiquities.

During nine months in the year regular monthly meetings of the Society are held at Milwaukee. Field meetings are held during the summer. All are open to the public.

The results of its research and other activities are made known through its regular quarterly publication, *The Wisconsin Archeologist*. Twenty volumes have appeared. The Society has a large membership distributed through every part of the state.

It is co-operating to the fullest extent with all of the various scientific and educational organizations and institutions of Wisconsin.