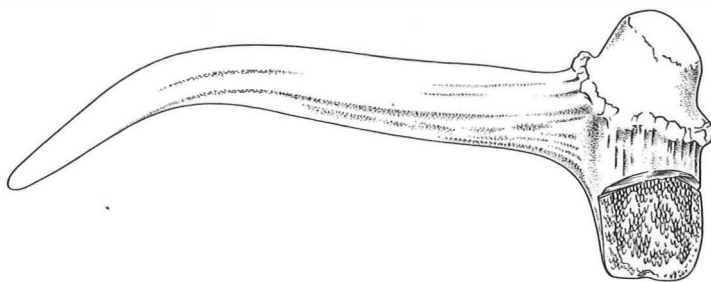
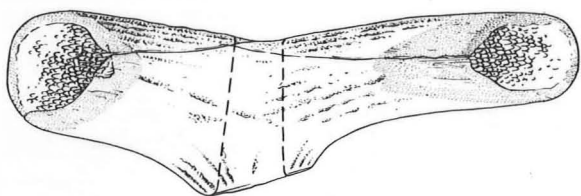


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INTRODUCTION

Volume 25 of *Palaeohistoria* celebrates the 25th anniversary of the Archaeozoology Department in the Biologisch-Archaeologisch Instituut of the Groningen State University. A. E. van Giffen, the Institute's founder, began with archaeozoology 70 years ago; but it was in 1959 that the B.A.I. appointed its first full-time research worker in this field. Since then the Department has developed so as to include

several research workers, a number of technical assistants, and research students of prehistory and/or archaeozoology.

This volume, to which former students as well as present researchers have contributed, gives an impression of the Department's current research activity. To it has been added, on micro-fiches, a catalogue of its recent reference collection.