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NOW WE ARE TEN

... or thereabouts. As Chairman Thomas Cocke observed in *Newsletter N° 16*, the Mausolea & Monuments Trust emerged in response to a need, without any specific inaugural meeting or event to mark its foundation. But there certainly has been a good ten years' worth of solid work behind the initiative, so the occasion of the Annual General Meeting of 23 May 2007, at the Art Workers' Guild in Queen Square, London, also celebrated the tenth anniversary of the Trust, with an address by our Patron, Sir Howard Colvin, and a lecture by the effervescent architectural historian Lucinda Lambton.

Information wanted

Lucinda Lambton's text makes up the bulk of this anniversary issue, not least as members may wish to savour and pursue her tantalizing descriptions of monuments of note around the country. Not all these yet feature in the Trust's online gazetteer, but new entries are always welcome – most welcome, indeed, when informants can provide location, description, architect, date, history and condition, informed by observation as well as desk research.

Moreover, the Trust's archive would benefit greatly from a stock of digital images, of monuments already featured in the gazetteer and others of note that members may have occasion to photograph. Please send your images, in any digital format (e.g. .jpg, .tif, .pdf), to the editor at MMT@signefied.me.uk – and please incorporate the name of the monument into each file name (e.g. Ducrow1.jpg) to facilitate identification!

Annual Report & Membership Leaflet

Thanks not least to inexpensive digital printing, two items are enclosed with this issue – the Trust's Annual Report 2007, and a new membership leaflet, both of which are being used for promotional activities, and to support applications and reports. We sincerely hope that members will pass on the leaflet to potential new members – additional copies are available through the Trust's office (*contact details, back page*).

