

MR WEBB'S OFFICE

Excavations: Shepton Mallet

Although this excavation was not arranged by the Society, several members assisted with the excavation, which was sponsored by the RESCUE archaeological organization. A large area in the

centre of the town is due to be developed and your Director considered it essential that an emergency excavation should take place on this site. A small committee was formed and a mechanical excavator was employed for the heavy work; the cost of hiring this machine was generously paid by the Showering family of Shepton Mallet. The examination of the large area was made at a cost of less than £100. A report on this work will be published in due course.