

Mosaizisten; besonders geht Donderer dem onomastischen Befund nach und fragt sich, was die Namen über den Status der Mosaizisten besagen können, vieles bleibt aber sehr unsicher (dem Autor sind auch manche Ungenauigkeiten und Mißverständnisse unterlaufen). Zum Katalogteil nur eine Einzelbemerkung. In A 46 ist *architect(us)* doch eher Berufsbezeichnung. – Alles in allem, ein nützliches Quellenwerk, mit interessanten Einblicken.

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FRANÇOISE AUDOUZE – OLIVIER BÜCHSENSCHÜTZ: *Towns, Villages and Countryside of Celtic Europe. From the beginning of the second millennium to the end of the first century BC*. Tr. by Henry Cleere. B.T. Batsford Ltd, London 1992. ISBN 0-7134-6523-9. 256 pp. GBP 35.00.

The authors' *Villes, Villages et Campagnes de l'Europe Celtique* (1989) has now been translated into English, with the additional foreword by Ian Ralston. It is the first broad-scale account of settlement archaeology of later European prehistory, covering the Continent from the Pyrenees to the eastern confines of European Russia, Great Britain and Southern Scandinavia. One of Audouze and Büchenschütz' principal concerns is to establish the foundations provided by archaeological data for historical approaches to the settlement record of France in post-Roman times. The Bronze and Iron Ages, ending with the Roman Conquest, form the core of their study, since that period quite definitely was marked by the first substantial colonization of much of Europe's terrain. The text sketches the material history of the Bronze and Iron Ages, gives a general account of the methods of research, raw materials and building techniques of the period, house architecture, different types of fortifications, houses and daily life, activity areas and social spaces, village typology, the development of villages in to towns. They conclude by stressing the fact that the Gauls were not the 'latest geological stratum in France', but a contributing part of the process of formation of the distinctive appearance of the countryside of temperate Europe.

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BARRY C. BURNHAM – JOHN WACHER: *The 'Small Towns' of Roman Britain*. B.T. Batsford Ltd, London 1990. xii, 388 p. GBP 45.