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Dr. E. B. TYLOR read extracts from a paper "On the Akkas," by Sir Richard Burton, K.C.M.G. The communication was illustrated by several photographs, including those of the Akka boys brought to Europe by Miani. Dr. Tylor, in commenting upon the paper, said that in the spring of 1881, four years after Sir Richard Burton's visit, he passed through Verona and called on Count Miniscalchi, in whose household the two "Miani" Akkas were living, evidently happily. They scarcely seemed to have grown, and the photograph (sent by Sir R. Burton) continued to give a good idea of their appearance. Dr. Tylor confirmed the description of their complexion as deep brown, negroid, quite unlike that of the Bushmen, with whom no one who had seen them could confound them. He brought away specimens of their hair, spirals of negro type.

M. HENRI SIRET, of Brussels, exhibited a number of illustrations of prehistoric antiquities found by himself and his brother, M. Louis Siret, during their explorations in the south-east of Spain.

The EARLY AGE of METAL in the SOUTH-EAST of SPAIN.

By MM. HENRI and LOUIS SIRET.

[WITH PLATE VII.]

SPAIN offers a great field for investigations in prehistoric archaeology; and the scarcity of researches made in this country is the more to be deplored, inasmuch as we look to Spain, on account of her geographical position and of the natural riches of her soil, for the solution of many prehistoric mysteries as yet