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(Volume containing record of the group's studies, talks and visits relating to the arts, social services, local history, politics, etc, February 1959-January 1969. Includes The Mirror of Literature, Amusement, and Instruction, no. CXCII, 22 April 1826, including article on Archbishop William Laud and illustration of his birthplace in Broad Street Reading (p.7); postcards of Reading scenes, n.d. [c.1950s-1960s] (pp.8-14,19,118); souvenir card and menu commerating the laying of the foundation stone of the new town hall, Reading, 1879 (p.19); and photographs of visit to Pangbourne Pumping Station, 1959 Visits included one to Berkshire Record Office in 1967 (p.127). Includes detailed notes on some talks, particularly those given c.1959-1960, subjects including the education system in Reading, 1959 (pp.27-29).)