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ToLoSo, Jr.

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Agora, 4 or 5 items (for context as well as for shape)

Kerameikos, 2 or 3 items

Alexandria, 1 or 2 items

The Agora items will all be from the old excavations. HAT approves the suggested use of them. The finished article will of course be submitted for approval. Please let us know if you have any objections to our plan.

cc B. Clinkenbeard, HAT

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Leslie:

Here is your copy of my letter of 7.VI.75 to Barbara Clinkenbeard. We spoke about this in Corinth the other day, you remember. I attach also, for you to see, her letter of 29.V.75 to which mine is a reply; also a copy of mine of 10.IX.74 to Barbara's professor, Miranda Marvin (for easy reference - you have another copy of this in file).

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June 7, 1975

Dear Barbara,

That is good news that the American Express may be willing to send your family to Greece this summer, with even a job for Steve. Carolyn is delighted and means to write to you. Many congratulations on achieving the M.A., in spite of all interruptions and difficulties.

I am planning to be away from Greece from June 10 to about June 25, but do not now contemplate other trips this summer. So my dates need not affect yours.

I am not going to be able to give you much time this summer, but will be glad to see you and talk with you; and it seems to me you will have plenty to do to fill up three weeks, not only profile drawings and improved photography, but also capacity measurements; and in particular a check of your descriptions, both of individual items and of development tendencies, in front of the actual material. As these descriptions took form in America, they need to be confronted with fact. I think some items lack even measurements. Some sequences are still not convincing, such as Nos. 3 - 6, No. 3 being more like 6 than 4 or 5. Speaking of capacity measurements, I find that we do have one for an Agora jar, and that is your no. 34 (SS 10289); it is 22,870 cc as measured with barley by Miss Lang in June 1954. I told her about your study, in connection with her current corres! pondence with Harold Mattingly, who will no doubt want to get into touch with you. It would be good if you could go to , hodes, becuase Carolyn and I when recently there looked at you No. 46, which I had given you as perhaps Lesbian, and we do not think it is. There was another of exactly the same kind but much bigger, and really the clay of these things is not your clay, we think. On the other hand, Carolyn had found you some lovely real Lesbian pieces from a well in Corinth, so I hope you can go there.

I have spoken with Mr. Shear, and he says you are welcome to come this summer and work on your material at the Agora. You will want to discuss with inimum him the matter of eventual publication.

I look forward to seeing you, and hope you all have a good trip in this direction.

Yours,

Virginia R. Grace

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Christmas Greetings

and best wishes for the New Year

Barbara and Pavid Clinkenbeard

940 Park Avenue New York, New York 10028 December 7th, 1974

Dear Miss Grace:

David will be in Athens on his way to Cairo just long enough to drop this material in the mail to you. It certainly is nice to have a personal courier service.

Having taken and PASSED my Comprehensive Exams at Wellesley two days before Thanksgiving, I can now, with a sigh of relief, turn my attention to other things - like thanking you for your letter of September 12 and the copy of the one written two days before to Miranda Marvin. Those at Wellesley and I are most grateful for the time and care you have taken concerning the Lesbian thesis. Thank you so much. I think that you were very fair in your appraisel of it, and that the steps to be followed in preparing it for publication are very clear and concise.

The thesis was turned in at the same time that I took the exams, revised as you suggested but without the results of the tests on the two Thasian sherds. They are, to my knowledge, still in the reactor at Brookhaven. Dr. Sayre was glad to test them for us, but I have no idea when the results will be forthcoming; it took six months the first time.

I will now undertake the search for some kind of grant or financing to get me to Athens to continue the work on the Lesbian amphoras. I can;t rely on our bank account or American Express (who financed the trip last summer), so must find something else. Any suggestions will be gratefully received. There is money at Wellesley, but I'm not sure that I'm eligible. I'll keep you posted on my progress.

Meanwhile, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year from us all.

Yours sincerely, Barbara

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September 12, 1974

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Dear Barbara:

Here is your copy of my letter of September 10 to Miranda Marvin. I enclose also prints of new photographs taken by Eugene Jr. of the stamp on SS 10234.

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When you wrote to me on April 26, you did not thank me for my long letter of December 9, which enclosed photostats of seven papers you had asked for. I suppose you would have written again if you had <u>not</u> received it, still it is nice to make acknowledgement. Please let me know now about receiving the present letter.

I hope things are going better for David, i.e. more agreably, and that the children are as pleased as ever with their new schools. Events continued in America after you left here! Here I have had a visit from my nephew Daniel Menaker who works for the <u>New Yorker</u> and sells them stories; I have seen two, and he said another is about due in print. Carolyn is working off and on at the Agora these days, and planning to go to Sicily and Italy on the 22nd, to look up Corinthian amphoras. Otherwise the Agora is rather empty, as Shears and Thompsons have gone to the US, and John Camp and Susan Rotroff and Effie Sakellaraki are having holidays in various places. The Thompsons left on the 8th, but fortunately not on the TWA that crashed that day off the Ionian islands.

> Best to you and David. Yours ever,

Sept. 10, 1974

Miss Miranda Marvin Department of Art Wellesley College Wellesley, Mass. 02181 U. S. A.

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Dear Miranda:

Thank you for your nice letter of June 28, which I should have acknowledged as received, in these confused times.

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Barbara Clinkenbeard left the draught of her thesis with me on July 18, before she and her husband left for Cairo. After her return, she and I went through it together on August 5 and 6. I had spent most of the interval on her text, and on the Lesbian class of amphoras itself.

This was the first MA thesis I had ever seen (I did not have to write one). So I asked Homer Thompson to have a look at it. Enclosed is a photo-copy of his comment of August 5, following study of the paper for an hour or so. The Agora material included comes from the old excavations, the publication of which needs his approval. You will see that he would like the "substance" of this thesis to appear some time in <u>Hesperia</u>; and that he finds the paper in its present shape satisfactory as an MA thesis. Evelyn Smithson was also good enough to look at the thesis, and was able to give more time to it. Following discussion with her and with Homer, I agree that the paper is certainly adequate as an MA thesis.

When Barbara and I had looked at her draught together, she agreed to revise her text at a number of points before having it retyped in final form as a thesis. Present minor revisions were to include, for instance, making the references to Agora contexts simpler and more consistent (actually in the form now used for publication). I also asked her to make some cuts, in particular the section on her Thasian parallels for the two stamps known on jars of khis class: the parallels proposed did not make her point, and I doubt if it could be made.

About her idea that the fragments of Lesbian shape that were found in Thases came from jars that were actually made in Thases: we both felt it a great lack that when the Brookhaven tests were made, there were no samples included 1) of the Thases Lesbian and 2) of normal stamped Thasian. We therefore ventured to break off two small bits, one from one of my sample pieces of Thases Lesbian, and the other from Agora SS 11639, a Thasian stamped handle of clay similar in appearance to the clay of the Theses Lesbian (Thasian clay varies a good deal). It is possible that Barbara will be able to get these bits tested by the same method as the other samples that were done for her at Brookhaven, and will be able to include the results in her thesis.

As to the value of the thesis, although there is much to be worked up further before publication, as well as further outs to be made (e.g. from general parts of the introduction), I find that Barbara has done a big job for an MA, in presenting such a body of material and in tackling the problems involved. Commendable if the successful investigation in Mytilene; and the further material pulled in from the Kerameikos. Much of this latter had been unknown to me, and I found that she had got most of it into what must be the right places, making a reasonable sequence of shape-development, confirmed by contexts at various points.

A copy of this MA thesis in final form should be deposited at the Agora. Before publication on the Lesbian class, the detailed sequence and descriptive statements need to be restudied and adjusted in the presence of the objects, as must usually be the case when a text has had to be written in America, far from the subject material. Replacement of some of the photographs will be needed for the <u>Hesperis</u> article, also a number of profile drawings, for clear and accurate illustration of some of the text. Capacity measurements of some of the jars should

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be attempted. If possible, the material illustrated from the Russian publication by Mms. Zeest, Lesbian amphoras found in the Black Sea region, should be visited and studied and better recorded, since the published drawings seem to have been made rather too hastily, and they are supplemented by no photographs in the book. Although the class is not common, more examples will probably turn up here and there: for instance I heard this summer of a jar of this kind in a London university museum, derived I think from Petrie's investigations in Egypt. As recommended by Evelyn Smithson, publication of the Lesbian class should include in full the ancient references to the wine and to its containers, both in their original Greek text and in translation.

In giving permission in April 1972 for the use of Agera material in this thesis, Leslie Shear, as Director, did not authorize the candidate to publish it, in the publication but stipulated that there should be an Agera signature, at present mine; of. my letter of April 27, 1972, to Barbara. This is fair enough, since not only do Agera finds constitute about 46 per cent of the items in the catalogue of the thesis, but also a lot of preliminary work on the class had been done in or from this office, an Agera time, as is nicely acknowledged by Barbara in her preface. I should hope that Barbara may be able herself to do much of the work still needed, and that in the publication her signature may also appear, with mine or that of my successor at the Agera. The Lesbian class is an important - and particularly attractive - part of a huge and potentially very informative body of material, that of ancient container-amphoras. In this field, the harvest is plonteous and the labourers few. We welcome Earbara's contribution, and hope that she can for follow it up.

Yours sincerely,

Virginia R. Graco

Cc.: Barbara Clinkenbeard, H. A. Thompson, T. L. Shear, Jr., Agora amphora files (LESBIAN folder)

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Sept. 10, 1974

Miss Miranda Marvin Department of Art Wellesley College Wellesley, Mass. 02181 U. S. A.

Dear Miranda:

Thank you for your nice letter of June 28, which I should have acknowledged as received, in these confused times.

Barbara Clinkenbeard left the draught of her thesis with me on July 18, before she and her husband left for Cairo. After her return, she and I went through it together on August 5 and 6. I had spent most of the interval on her text, and on the Lesbian class of amphoras itself.

This was the first MA thesis I had ever seen (I did not have to write one). So I asked Homer Thompson to have a look at it. Enclosed is a photo-copy of his comment of August 3, following study of the paper for an hour or so. The Agora material included comes from the old excavations, the publication of which needs his approval. You will see that he would like the "substance" of this thesis to appear some time in <u>Hesperia</u>; and that he finds the paper in its present shape satisfactory as an MA thesis. Evelyn Smithson was also good enough to look at the thesis, and was able to give more time to it. Following discussion with her and with Homer, I agree that the paper is certainly adequate as an MA thesis.

When Barbara and I had looked at her draught together, she agreed to revise her text at a number of points before having it retyped in final form as a thesis. Fresent minor revisions were to include, for instance, making the references to Agora contexts simpler and more consistent (actually in the form now used for publication). I also asked her to make some cuts, in particular the section on her Thasian parallels for the two stamps known on jars of **this** class: the parallels proposed did not make her point, and I doubt if it could be made.

About her idea that the fragments of Lesbian shape **thatxwerm** found in Thasos came from jars that were actually made in Thasos: we both felt it a great lack that when the Brookhaven tests were made, there were no samples included 1) of the Thasos Lesbian and 2) of normal stamped Thasian. We therefore ventured to break off two small bits, one from one of my sample pieces of Thasos Lesbian, and the other from Agora SS 11639, a Thasian stamped handle of clay similar in appearance to the clay of the Thesos Lesbian (Thasian clay varies a good deal). It is possible that Barbara will be able to get these bits tested by the same method as the other samples that were done for her at Brookhaven, and will be able to include the results in her thesis.

As to the value of the thesis, although there is much to be worked up further before publication, as well as further the to be made (e.g. from general parts of the introduction), 1 find that Barbara has done a big job for an MA, in presenting such a body of material and in tackling the problems involved. Commendable id the successful investigation in Mytilene; and the further material pulled in from the Kerameikos. Much of this latter had been unknown to me, and I found that she had got most of it into what must be the right places, making a reasonable sequence of shape-development, confirmed by contexts at various points.

A copy of this MA thesis in final form should be deposited at the Agora. Before publication on the Lesbian class, the detailed sequence and descriptive statements need to be restudied and adjusted in the presence of the objects, as must usually be the case when a text has had to be written in America, far from the subject material. Replacement of some of the photographs will be needed for the <u>mesperis</u> article, also a number of profile drawings, for clear and accurate illustration of some of the text. Capacity measurements of some of the jars should

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be attempted. If possible, the material illustrated from the Russian publication by Mme. Zeest, Lesbian amphoras found in the Black Sea region, should be visited and studied and better recorded, since the published drawings seem to have been made rather too hastily, and they are supplemented by no photographs in the book. Although the class is not common, more examples will probably turn up here and there: for instance I heard this summer of a jar of this kind in a London university museum, derived I think from Petrie's investigations in Egypt. As recommended by Evelyn Smithson, publication of the Lesbian class should include in full the ancient references to the wine and to its containers, both in their original Greek text and in translation.

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In giving permission in April 1972 for the use of Agora material in this thesis, Leslie Shear, as Director, did not authorize the candidate to publish it, in the publication but stipulated that, there should be an Agora signature, at present mine; of. my letter of April 27, 1972, to Barbara. This is fair enough, since not only do Agora finds constitute about 46 per cent of the items in the catalogue of the thesis, but also a lot of preliminary work on the class had been done in or from this office, in Agora time, as is nicely acknowledged by Barbara in her preface. I should hope that Barbara may be able herself to do much of the work still needed, and that in the publication her signature may also appear, with mine or tha of my successor at the Agora. The Lesbian class is an important - and particularly attractive - part of a huge and potentially very informative body of material, that of ancient container-amphoras. In this field, the harvest is plenteous and the labourers few. We welcome Barbara's contribution, and hope that she can fr follow it up.

Yours sincerely,

Virginia R. Grace

Cc.: Barbara Clinkenbeard, A. A. Thompson, T. L. Shear, Jr., Agora amphora files (LESSIAN folder)

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Miss Virginia Grace c/o American School of Classical Studies 54 Souidias Street Athens 140, GREECE

Dear Miss Grace:

At some point this summer Barbara Clinkenbeard will be sending you her MA thesis - finished at last! I read it and have tried to do what I could but I'm not - - - well, I don't want to pre-judge anything since I don't know the field, so I'll just be quiet.

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as an MA thesis from Wellesley? I hate to ask you to do this, but since you are the only person who controls her material, I can't think what else to do. If you have correctons, emendations, etc., I'm sure she would gladly incorporate them. I've found that one has to be very specific with her, and tell her exactly what one wants done or it doesn't happen.

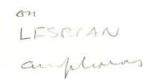
I'm so sorry I missed you when you were last in Cambridge; please hurry back!

Fondly,

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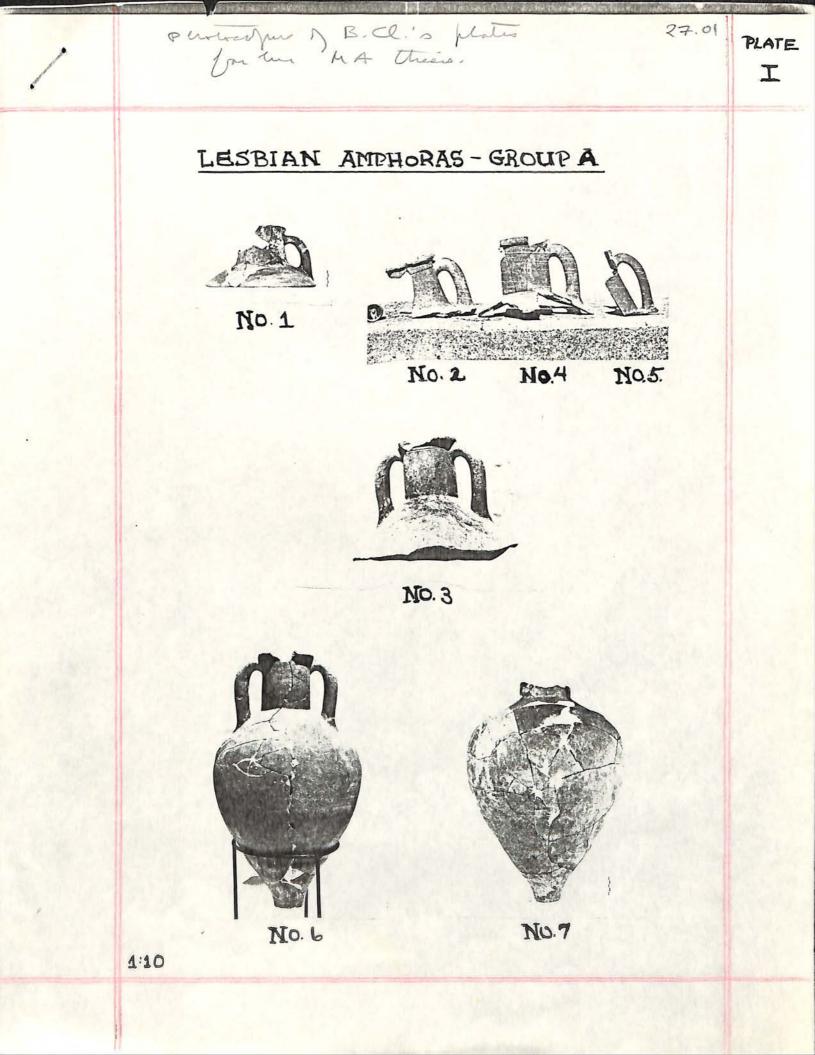
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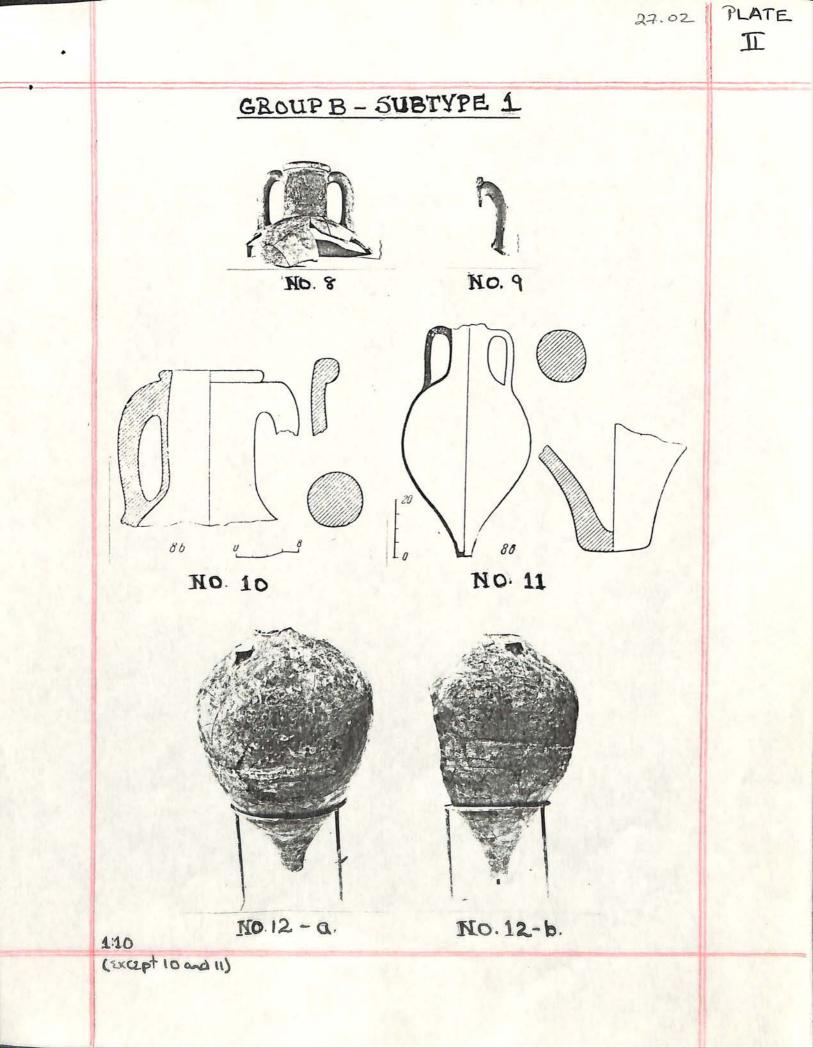
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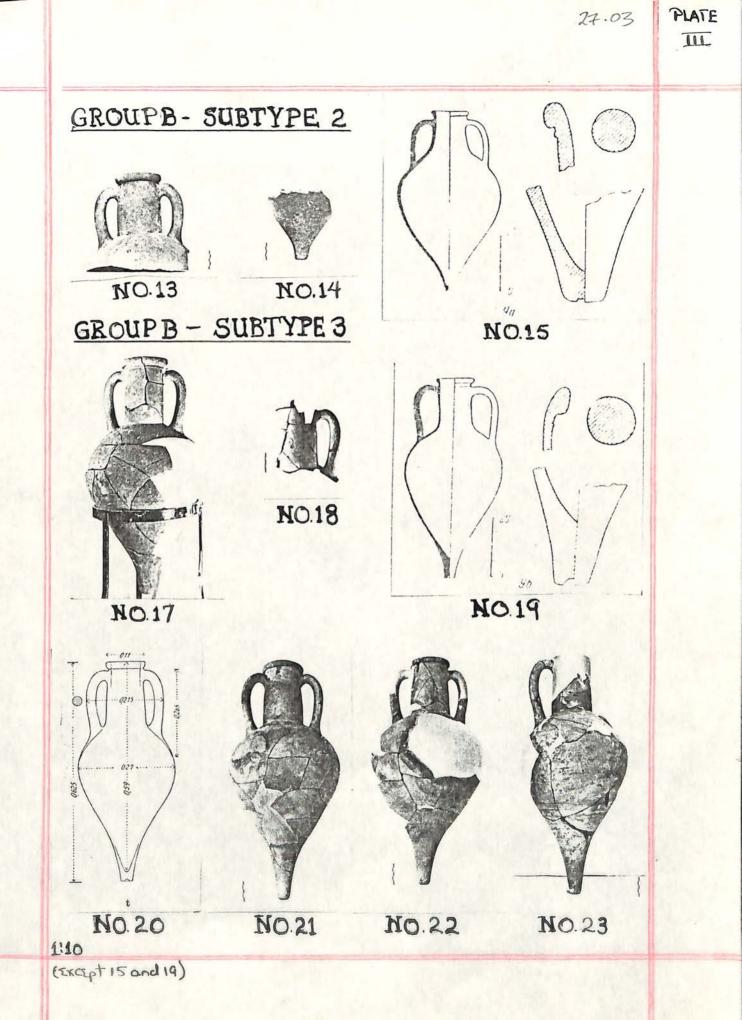
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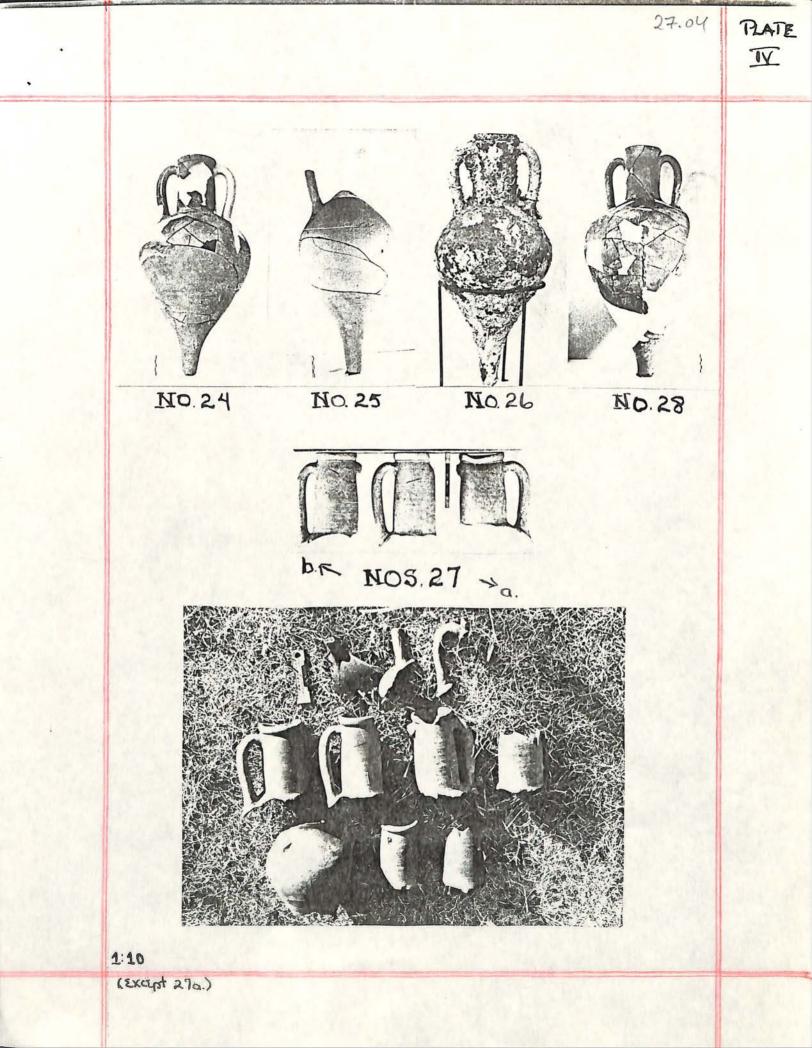
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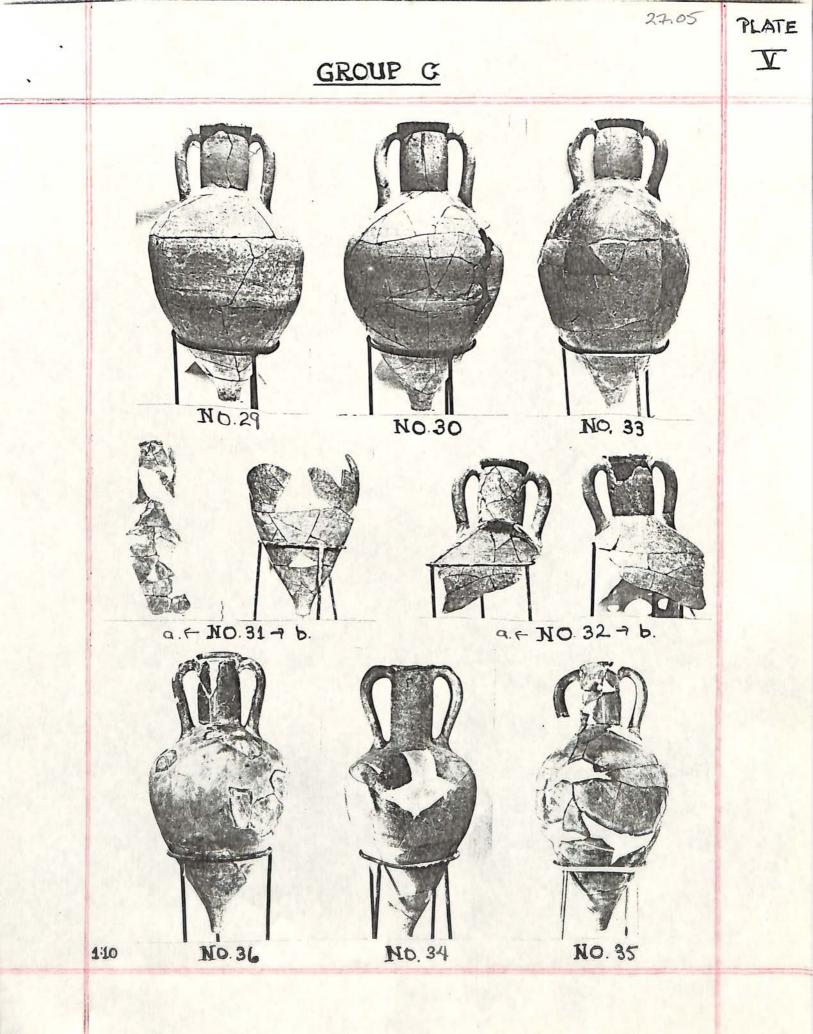
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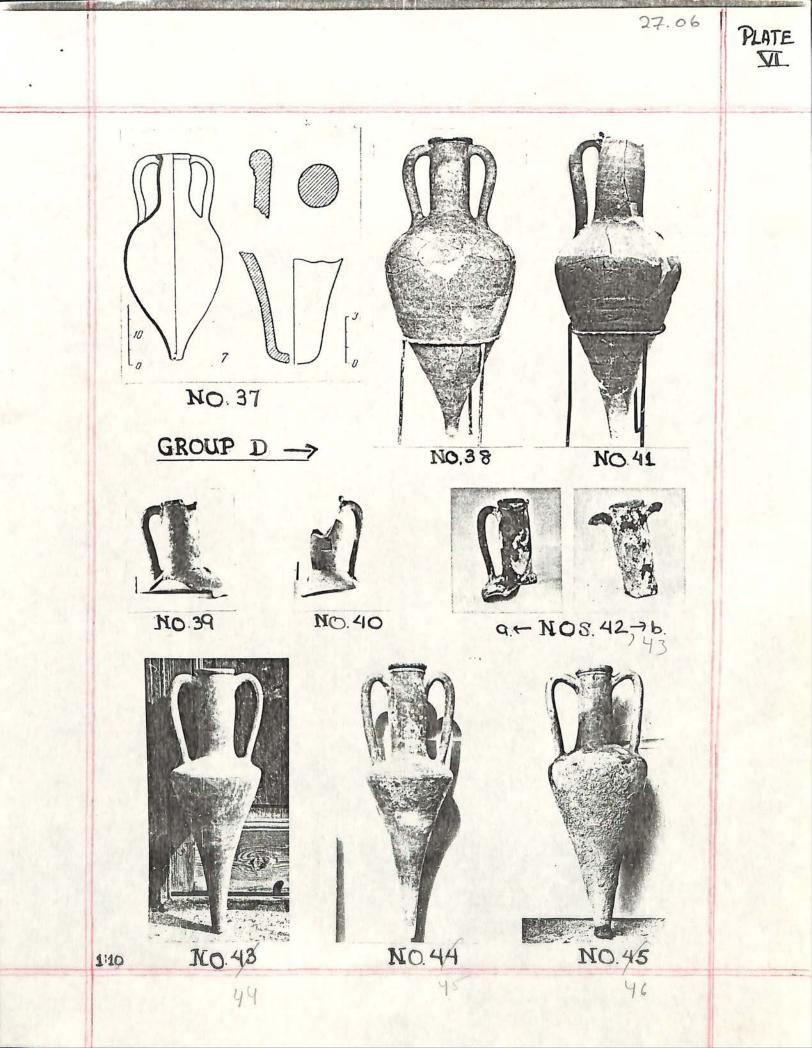


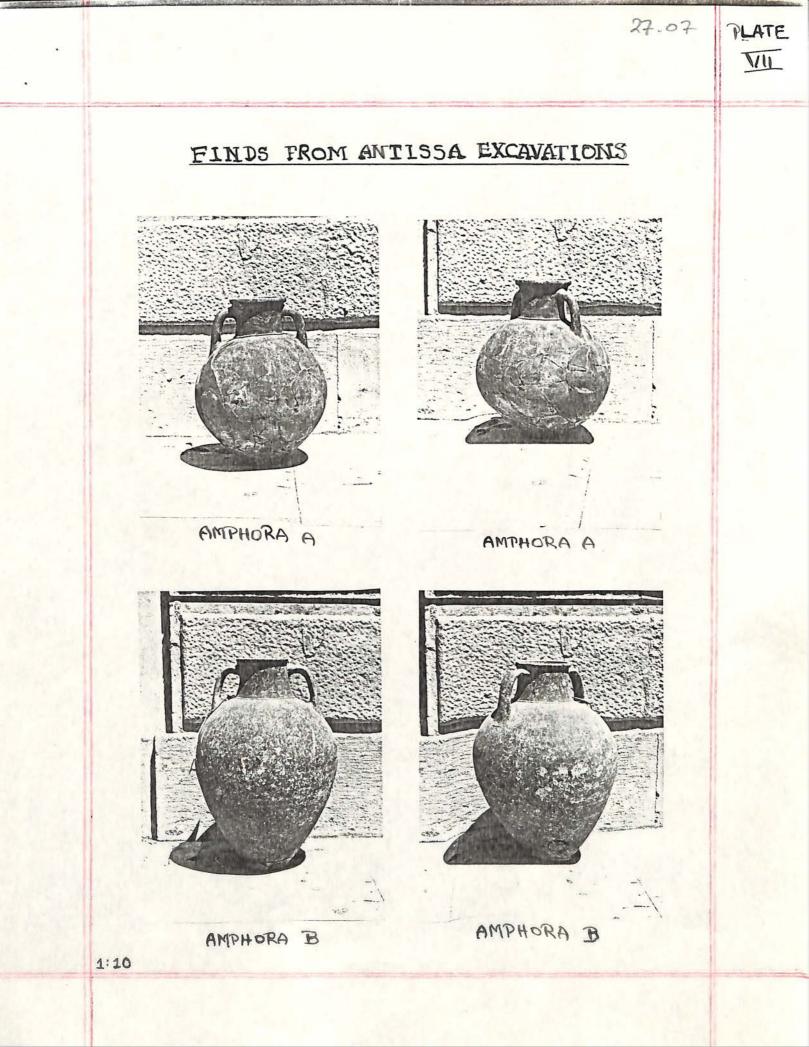




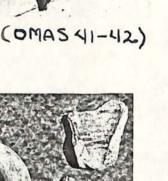






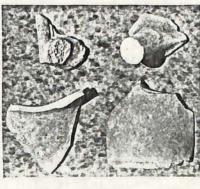


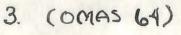
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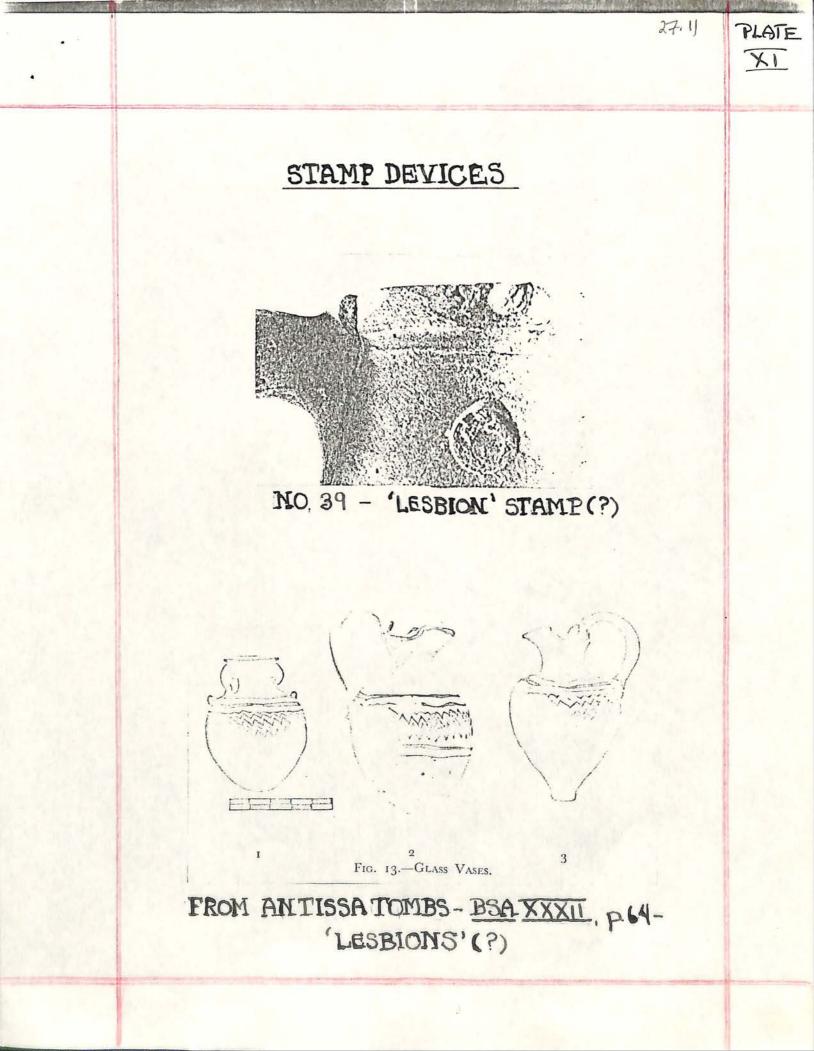


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-GZ25-LESHGEZ-GPT-1-	.555	1,776	451693	1,876	2402.217	17,194	38,827	54.445	1,688	1029
GZ26 LESBGEZ GP. 1	.682	2,229	40:285	1,614	896,567	15,231	31,589	45.955	1,395	1534
-G227-LFSRGEZ-GP-1-1		1,143	33,680	-1,516-	3143,587	16,759	32,957	58,166-	1;557	1505
GZ28 LESBGEZ GPT 1		1,474	44:163	1,457	2790,424	19,093	36,624	58,262	1,750	1528
		1,581	38,670	1,544	3144,652	19,558	38,872	58,594	1,551	1539
GZ30 LESEGEZ GP. 1		1,172	39:830	2,009	3401,942	17,870	34,740	58,302	1,539	1547
		1,642	37:456	1,238	3119,672	18,392	34,056	59.329 -	1;527	
GZ32 LESPGEZ GPT 1	.356	1,265	30:055	1,105	3079,777	15,544	33,898	52,250	1,538	528
-LA12-LFSRGEZ-GPT-1-		2,210	87:478	-5,623	384,475	33,295	39,963	87.091-	1,780-	
LA13 LESPGEZ GP. 1		3.322		15,924	739.327	25,889	43,528	91.075	1.742	448
LA14 LESRGEZ GP - 1-			113:693	8,701	497,191	31,150	44,516	91,895	1,765	670 -
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-LI11 LESRGEZ-GP: 1			134;693	14,746	506,120	47,818		156.748	3,727	1,100
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-L122 LFSPGFZ GP-1				12,060-	621.817	31.308		127.542	2,662	
LM17 LESPGEZ GP. 1				12,980	800,138	26,818		112.278	1,926	650
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MONOGRAM STAMPS



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BON THASIAN MONOGRAM STAMPS







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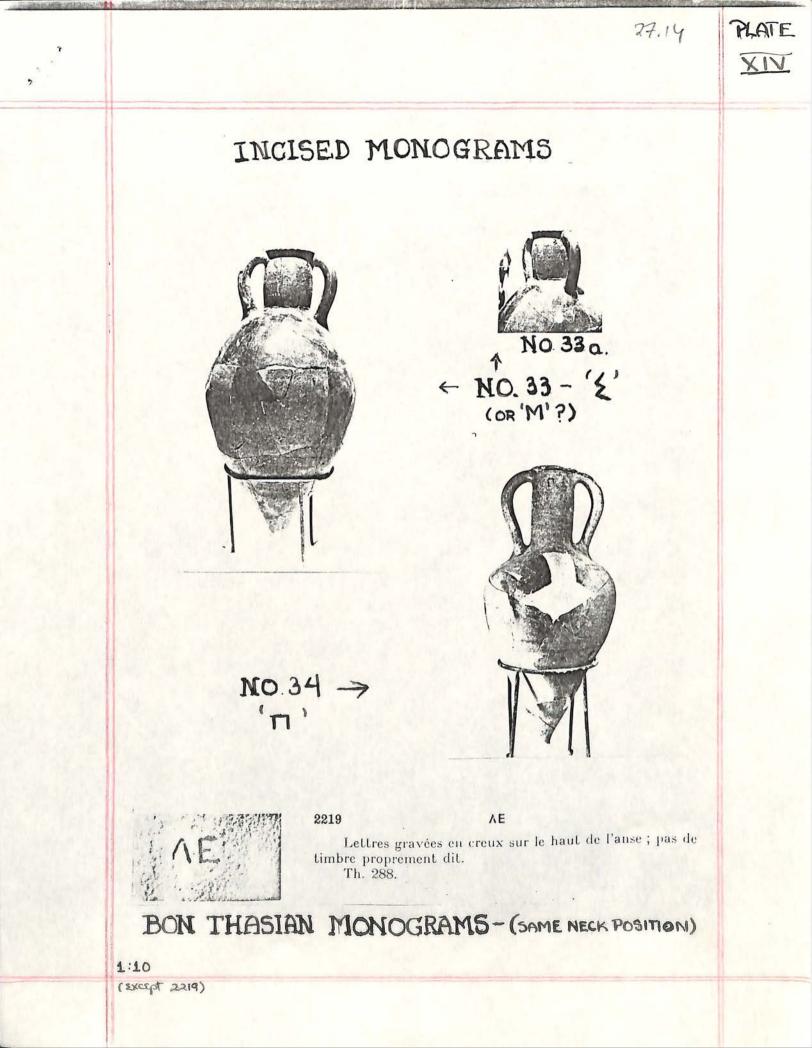
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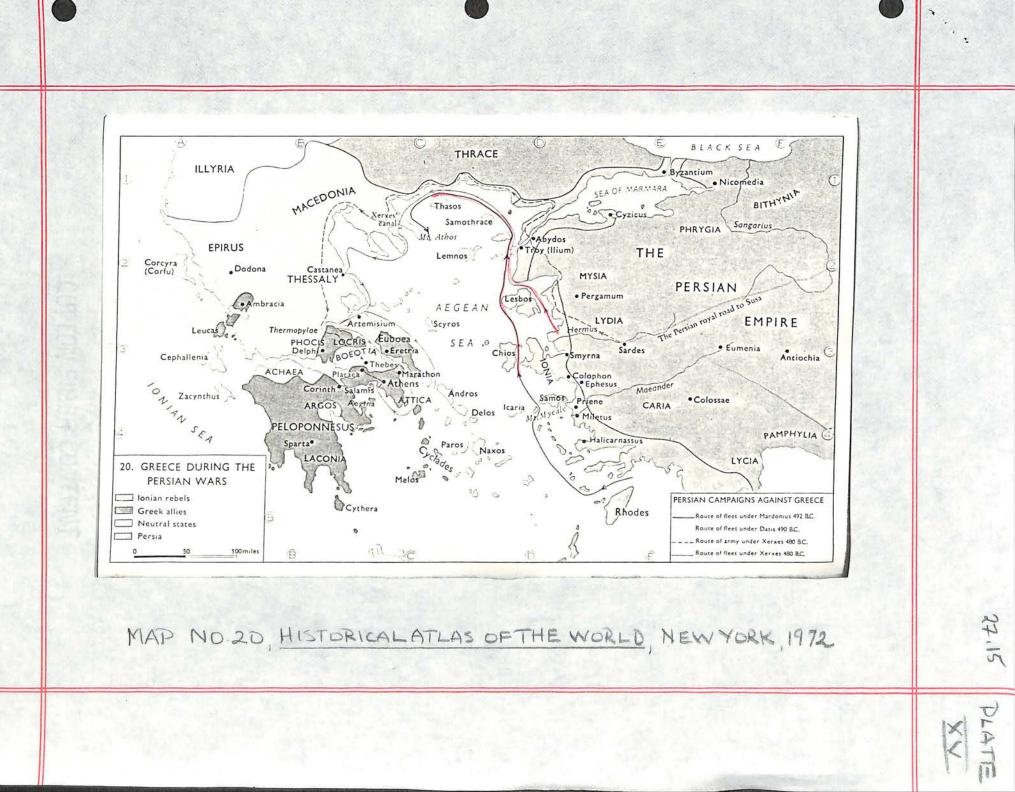
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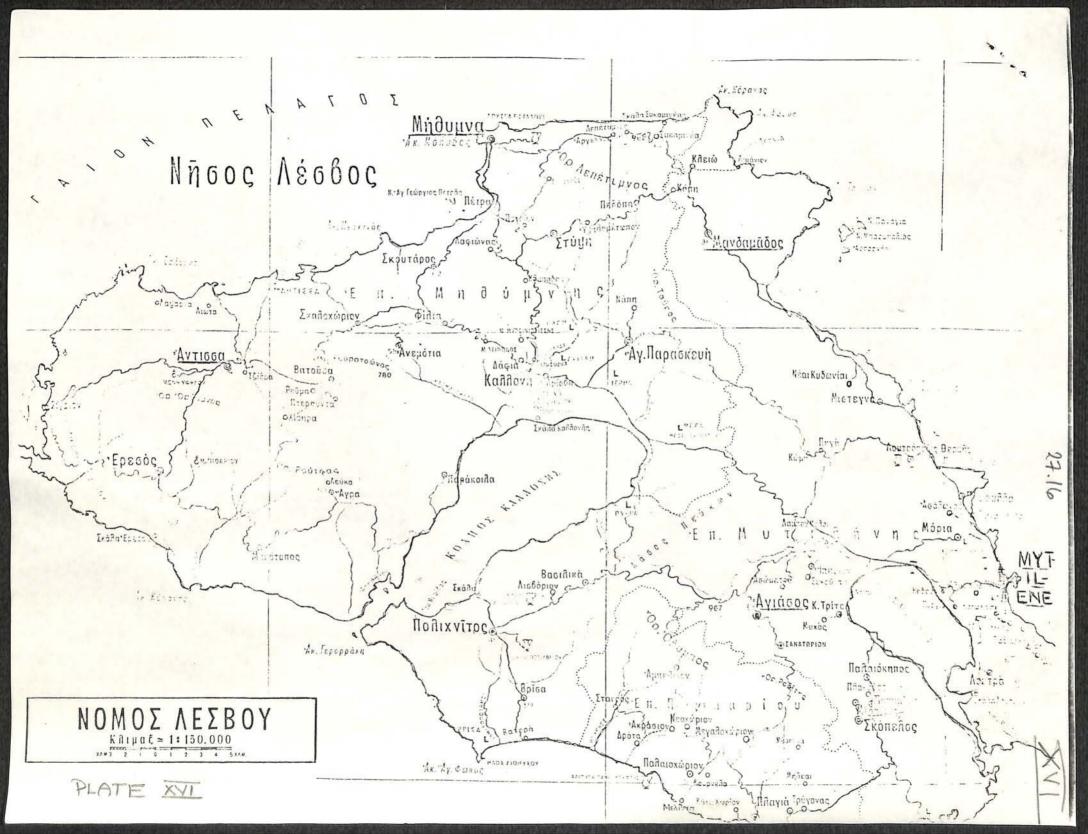
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MRS. DAVID E. CLINKENBEARD 940 PARK AVENUE, NEW YORK, N. Y. 10028

Thursday, July 11, 1974

Dear Miss Grace:

Just a quick note to let you know that David and I will be arriving in Greece on Weds., July 17th carrying a copy of my Lesbian Amphora thesis to be delivered to you. Miranda Marvin said that she would write you a note concerning the paper, so presumably you have been expecting its arrival by some means.

I will try and call and get in to see you on Thurs., the 18th - will leave the thesis on your desk in any event. We leave the next day for Cairo for about a week, then will return to Athens for about the same ammount of time, so hopefully will be able to discuss things with you sometime during this period.

Do hope this will not inconvenience you in any way. Looking forward to seeing you.

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This letter is to introduce Phillipa Shaplin, afellow-graduate student at Wellesley and daughter of Dows Dunham, Curator Emeritus of the Near Eastern Department at the Boston Museum of Fine Arts. Her specialty is Pre-Columbian art, about which she knows more than anyone else on the entire Wellesley faculty. She had better take things from there, because I don't know anything about it!

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She has kindly consented to bring you the things I have been meaning to mail to you for the past month. Enclosed in the envelope are the two rolls of film that I took with me last summer - #722 and, I think, #727; the processor lost the label that went with it, but Carolyn Koehler will know what it is since several of her pictures are also on the roll. The letter and pamphlet from Belfast must win some kind of prize for elapsed time between letter and answer; it took me a while to identify it as an answer to a letter I had written for you in 1971!

Another prize in this category is the answer I received from Miss Hadzi in Mytilene in the first week in March! If you remember, I had written to her in early October. Her letter was most cordial, however, and contained all the information that I needed. She also enclosed copies of toe drawings, more copies of which I am sending on to you, that were made of material found recently during excavation of a mole at the South harbor of Mytilene dated in the 5th century B.C. I don't think any of them pertain to my class, but the color differences vitter Drawing bringhal in fr GREER ISLANDS are interesting. What do you think of them?

MYTHEAL I also received the results of the nuclear activation tests in the first week in March, so the creation of my thesis is taking exactly twice as long as I expected. I was also informed that the people who will be reading this thesis know nothing about 1) Greece, 2)archaeology, and 3) amphoras, so I have had to write long explanatory introductions, etc.; what promised to be a fairly straightforward article at first has turned into an alltime extravaganza. I am heartily sick of the whole thing, and am laboring to meet a May 16th deadline. At the same time, real estate people are pouring through the house, David is already resident in NY, and we haven't found a place to live in NYC yet. This, too, shall pass...

I ran into the Millers at the MFA recently - they were blooming. My best to all,

Derbard Clinkenbeard

American School of Classical Studies 54 Swedias Street Athens 140, Greece

December 9, 1972

Dear Barbara,

I'm glad to hear that on the whole you are enjoying your work and feel that progress is taking place. I'll take up matters in the order of your letter of Dec.9. First of all let me congratulate you on **xypi** having <u>typed</u> the letter, but just call attention to the fact that your ADDRESS should also be <u>typed</u> at the upper right corner of your letter (i.e. not just on the envelope, and not just "in relief")

SIAN,

I'm glad you have been doing well with Miranda Marvin, and hope you had a good talk with her about your thesis. Did I know that you had been permitted to take samples to America, and were having them tested at Brookhaven? If you got that expense money, it shows that Wellesley is really interested in your project. I'm glad you are going to meet my sister-in-law, as I think you will like each other and agree on lots of things. Perhaps she will send the films by my sister, who is coming next month. My picture of the Lesbian in the Peiraeus Museum seems not bad, a picture with but perhaps you hoped to get the barnacles off. Or were there more Lesbian than I had photographed? Perhaps some from those wrecks - I guess that was it.

For Miss Hadzi: Effie did call her up, yesterday or the day before, and had to me your letter before her, perhaps read that part to her over the telephone. She said that she had been away for 2 months, but had received a letter from you, and as yet would answer. She said she had no more information, than she had already given to you, and my impression is that there will be nothing doing in that line in time for your purposes. I imagine she feels she has done a lot for you, since it appears that with most people she is not at all helpful (for whatever reasons or with whatever excuse - you never can tell what may be eating somebody, I mean in addition to the nuisance that we undoubtedly are when we work on their material, especially if it is not yet processed).

I suggest that you write out this part of your text in what you would like to

be its final form, and sent it to her in some such way as this:

Dear Miss H ...

The material that you permitted me to study in Mytilene has proved of considerable interest etc etc and I am very much obliged to you for the time you gave me etc etc

The text which I propose to use on the subject of this material is as follows:

(text)

If you find anything to criticize in the proposed text (which is not for for instance publication), that is, if I have misunderstood something that you told me, please write to me and let me know. I would need to know before about (date). With renewed thanks for your kindness, and best wishes for the New ear,

Yours sincerely,

Of course I don't mean for you to use just my words, but you should be very polite, and think of her feelings, and write in such a way that no answer means consent on her part. But you must give her a generous margin of time - not a few days with lick in the post. Probably better write right away, as soon as the text is ready. And put your address plainly on the letter.

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Marie Farnsworth is not connected with any university at present as far as D know, certainly not Princeton; I think she was connected with Missouri - the Weinbergs would know. You would do well perhaps to cite some publication of hers, to identify her. I can't answer questions about the Merameikos; Inxfant if you must have answers, write to Miss Ursula Knigge, at the German Archeological Institute. Don't think me anything but sympathetic about your problems, but I did not have

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this half-day free that has gone into your affairs, and you do remember that last summer I told you that you must finish up averything while you, were here, and not seven leave things to be dome for you. I enclose the photostats of the papers you had assembled for copying.

Right now I am trying to finish my article for the BCH number in celebration of 100 years of excavation in ^Delos. I was supposed to publish in this some stamped handles found in connection with one of the buildingdand helping to date the bldg, but unfortunately **iterate** the handles were found during a conservation job by the Archeological Service, and the ^Greek official in charge at that time has not been able since last April to decide, yes or no, whether to permit me to publish these objects. ^He is another friend of Effie's, but the last time has she called him about this (end of Oct.) all he could say was "I see Miss Grace in my dreams." After that I gave up, and am pushing on a different article. So try to manage for yourself now, always with my good wishes.

Thank you so much for the photos - I am especially glad to have that nice record if of you and Carolyn at the Kerameikos, in the dappled sunshine. I am sorry you are going to have to move again - maybe it won't happen.

In the meanwhile, Merry Christmas and Happy New Year!

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November 27, 1972

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As for questions:

- 1) What are Marie Farnsworth's affiliations? Do I-just refer to her as 'Dr. Marie Farnsworth, Research Chemist', or is she connected with Princeton, etc.?
- 2) How do I refer to unnumbered pieces from the Kerameikos? Some records from the 'old' excavations have been lost - is this a result of the war? Does 'new' excavations mean postwar?
- 3) Were Xerox copies ever made of that group of papers I didn't have time to do before I left?I think there were three or four pages paperclipped together and marked for copying from your Lesbian folder. I'm particularly interested in the translation of the pseudo-Aristotelian text which has a slightly different interpretation from the one Rostovtzeff gives. There was a translation of the Stephanides article in <u>Athenai</u> XX, 1903 on 'To Melan XromaArxaion ...' and some references to ancient writers, I think. Could these be sent to me?

I hopeall is well with you. David is anticipating a job change, which means we may have to move again. And we're trying to decide where to sed Steveie to school next year - to boarding school or not. So all is mass confusion as usual. I only hope I can finish my MA before we take off for parts unknown again.

Give our best to everyone. Have a nice Christmas - and I thought of you at Thanksgiving having turkey in the Library!

Sharely, Ribac Chikablad

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Department of Archaeology

5th June, 1972

Mrs. David Clinkenbeard, 120 Ridgeway Road, WESTON MASS. U.S.A. 02193

Dear Mrs. Clinkenbeard,

Your letter of May 24th reached me just as I was setting out for the Antipodes - hence my delay in answering.

I am very glad to know that you are prepared to continue your study of amphorae under Miss Grace's direction and in particular to work up the Lesbian series. The project as Miss Grace has outlined it seems to me very promising, and I am sure that with some hard work on your part the results will be rewarding.

I assume that you, or Miss Grace on your behalf, will have let our secretary in the Stoa know just when you expect to be there this summer. I am sending a copy of this letter to Frofessor Leslie Shear so that he may know of my approval of the project.

Please keep me informed of developments, and accept my best wishes, in which Mrs. Thompson joins.

Yours sincerely.

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P.S. I may be addressed as above through June and July.

c.c. Miss V. Grace Prof. T. L. Shear

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Mrs. David E. Clinkenbeard 120 Ridgeway Road Weston, Mass., 02193 U. S. A.

Dear Barbara:

Thank you for your letter of April 5, with current news and plans for the summer and later.

It seemed to me that the LESBIAN class of jars was one crying to be done, and perhaps nice for you to do for your M.A. thesis. So I have written up a project in this part of the field, and I enclose here the typescript, "For a study of Lesbian amphoras." Mr. Shear has a copy of this. He thought the project good, and he is willing for you to use the Agora material in your M.A. thesis. He does not now assign the material to you for publication, but if it is, later, included in an article for publication, the article should have another signature, at present mine. Depending on how your manuscript turns out, the article might be signed by both of us.

I see that this Agora material (I have identified 17 pieces) all belongs to the earlier excavations, the publication of which I believe is under Mr. Thompson's jurisdiction. I am sending him a copy of the project and of this letter. I suggest you write to him, fairly soon, before he leaves for Australia:

> Professor H. A. Thompson Institute for Advanced Study Princeton, N.J. 08540

After you get here, I will give you lots of other people to whom to write for permission!

Yesterday I had Paul Broneer here to translate to me the Lesbian section of Zeest's book (see text on project). If you decide to work on this project, and would

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FOR DEVELOPMENTY

Dear Leslie,

Here is a letter from Mrs. Clinkenbeard, asking whether I could suggest a subject for a Master's thesis which might be a continuation, to some extent, of work she has done with me.

ASSIGNMENT OF LESRIAN CLASS

I enclose a copy for you of what I would like to send her if you approve. You know she was an associate member of the School for several years, even taking the Training Session at Corinth. She is now at Wellesley, working toward an M.A. I enclose also, for your information, a copy of a letter I wrote for her to Wellesley.

Yours,

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For a study of Lesbian amphoras

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A distinctive class of amphoras, occasionally stamped, has been tentatively identified as that of the containers of Lesbian wine, one of the noted wines mentioned by posts of the 5th and 4th centuries B.C. and later. The containers are mentioned in a pseudo-Aristotelian text of the early 3rd century B.C. and in Ptolemaic papyri, and their shape, done into glass, is celebrated in an epigram of Hedylus. For the series we have identified as Lesbian, see Agora Ficture Book no. 6 (1961) figs. 52, left, and 53; also Zeest, Pottery amphoras from the Bosphoros, Moscow, 1360, pl.II, Types 7 and 8, discussed on p. 75. Mme. Zeest cites the tentative identification by J. K. Anderson, B.S.A., XLIX, 1954, see pp. 139, 142, 175, fig. 8; she had also seen our series of jars labelled as Lesbian (?) in the amphora study collection in the basement of the Stoa of Attalos, before her book came out. Fublications of examples of the class, but without identification as Lesbian, include Hesperia, XVIII, 1949, p. 336, no. 101 (Corbett); Heaperia, XXII, 1953, pp. 102-104, under nos. 148, 149 (Grace apud Boulter; description of class, and notes on development, but no mention of identification of class, as it seemed that the arguments needed to be presented). The identification was first suggested by J. M. Cook (because of the bucchero character of the clay) in connection with pieces found in ancient Smyrna; a photograph of some of these is on file with us at the Stoas Cock's publication of finds at Smyrna has not yet reached the container-amphoras.

A definitive publication of this class is needed, which should include an examination as to whether it is lesbian; and, if not, what other suggestions can be made a) for the place where the series in question was produced, and b) for a better identification, among shapes now known, of the Lesbian series known to the ancients.

I would suggest development on the following lines:

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1) Background reading. See references on previous page. If there is further time for reading before coming to Greece, a start may be made in the investigation of ancient references to Lesbos and its wine, e.g. in Pauly-Wissowa, and in Athenaeus, Deipnosophists, I, 28, ff.

2) In Greece, material to be gathered for the full presentation of the class; and a trip made to Hytilene, to see whether there are amphoras or fragments there of the class being studied or of any other class that might be local. In the island, whole jars may be found in the local museum and/or in peoples' houses; measurements and publishable photographs should be made of any found. For fragments, it would be desirable to get permission to look at excavation material. Permission will also be needed, from the Archaeological Service, for photographing amphoras in the museum.

The basic material for the tentatively identified class will be found through our archives at the Athenian Agora, where we now have about 36 Lesbian (?) pieces on file, many of which are Agora finds. The student should assemble publishable photographs and other records, including those of finding place, as systematically as possible. Measurements should include capacity when it can be taken. A careful study should be made of the clay. All preparations should be made that are needed to enable the student to set out the amphoras and fragments in chromological order, the dates based mainly on context of discovery, the sequence illustrated by photo-

Two of the pieces on file have stamps, both circular, and both on the neck: one is the top of a jar at the Agora, and the stamp contains a round jug; the other is a whole jar in Rhodes, from a published tomb, and the stamp is a monogram, possibly My(tilene). A search should be made among stamped fragments not yet assigned to classes, in case there are more.

A problem that must be considered is that we have not as yet identified examples of our present Lesbian (?) series that are later than the 4th century B.C., whereas various mentions (see above) indicate that the class was commercially familiar in

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the 3rd century, if not later. $(N \sim b \sim b)$

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3) The material is to be written up as a Master's thesis in the first semester of 1972-1973.

It would be desirable to have it publishable in a journal, as soon as possible thereafter.

For a study of Lesbian amphoras

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Stoa of Attalos, April 20, 1972

Dear Jim,

I have had the enclosed letter of April 5 from Barbara Clinkenbeard, as requested. and have draughted a suggested subject for an MA thesis study, The draught also is enclosed. I would be glad if you would read it and tell me whether you think it is a suitable MA thesis subject, and whether bit is something that Barbara could probably do, and would get done in reasonable time, according to your directorial knowledge of her. If so, I will type it up fairly, with carbons for Leslie and Homer, and Leslie should pass on the use of Agora material before I post it to Barbara. The presentation of this material is needed.

Yours,

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Graduate to the wellisty at pipt. Staduate Students that I could apply for it a spicific projectad more orless specific expenses cald be worked out. Thally EnjoyEd working for your and wanted be very pleased if my Thesis could be in some way a conprication of what I lamed from Jan. I Still Lave SEveral months to do any background radens that carmight think hectssay, Ifjour Leve to suggestions Ill just have to find some topic in potter to work on Mirada Manin is my addisor and Well be interested in the proceedings. The children hinally seen happy in their new life. Susie continues to beg blicke spirit-she just pronounced her new Spring clothes "Groove threads" and steve is deepin battle to see who will hnish the year Primes or Secundars in his class. Best regards from a sall. Barbara Clinkenbeard

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Many many thanks her your letter 40.02 on my behalf to wellesty 1 should know The attent after Christmas and Well Izt ja, know. an meanwhile audity Courses on Sr. Drama + History - to hill in The gaps, Stuhich There are many. We seem to be settled and heritioning Loronally - finally. Stuc is doing will at Dexter and seems to hid starting hatin and Ancient Spick (prictely) at the same time a Rescincting chaltenge! Susie has a has kitten - mate pur white, one blue Eye, one orange, and hamed 'Spook." He has both dogs completely under control and is trying to do the Same with the rest of this. He da worderful thanksquing_ 12 of hs showed in (18") for 3 days at the old Janily Farm in N. H. Mitting socks books the stranted on the screen in hont of the hre the Jeason's Greetings What time! AND BEST WISHES FOR A HAPPY NEW YEAR lith love,

From AU Mc Clinkenbeards.

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