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American School of Classical Studies 54 Swedies Street, Athens 140, Greece July 15, 1972

Dear Mr. Price,

Thank you for your comments of April 11 on my Samian Amphores. I have been in America in the meanwhile, and as a result am perhaps more than usually in arrears.

I was very much obliged to you for providing photographs for this article, and with great promptness too. In partial exchange, I send you enlargements of 28 and 29. (If you stop wanting to play with them, send them back to me.) Mrs. Petropoulakou, the only one of us who has seen the originals in Syme, thought the two were from the same die; and looking at the rubbings also, I am inclined to agree, especially as there are a number of duplicates in the group otherwise. Preservation confuses us; also the way the stamp happens to have been set in the wet clay, cf. P. Corbett, Hesperia, 24, 1955, pp. 172-186.

Forh a couple of other queries in your April letter:

- 1.) As to whether "1-4 can be compared with 'official' coins of Samos since the ox of Hera is changed to a zebu with prominent hump". I would say that the reference to the Samian type is unambiguous don't you agree? or have you other possibilities in mind but that another reference has been added, perhaps to honor and please somebody who had recently befriended Samians in exile. Perhaps, for instance, the Magnesians: see my p.65, note 28.
- 2.) As to a queried assumption "that die cutters of coins would follow closely the changing pattern of amphora shapes": what I assume is that they would normally show a very familiar and topically important object as they saw it, i.e. in its current aspect. There is quite a difference (when one notices these matters) between the amphora shown in Parron's pl.XVI, trihemiobol 2, and the one in his ibid., trihemiobol 4. The difference is more than the six years' worth he allows (in his table, p. 48), and it is in the wrong direction. It is indeed a reason to consider a rearrangement and respacing of coins in a sequence, if this reason to consider

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into account all the requirements on which the original sequence was set up, i.e. parallels with the tetradrachms taken as contemporary. See my note 62. Is it not in order?

I like your river god for 46, and add here prints (actual size) of this and of 47. with thanks for the suggestions.

Are you and Mrs. Price not coming out this summer?

Yours sincerely,

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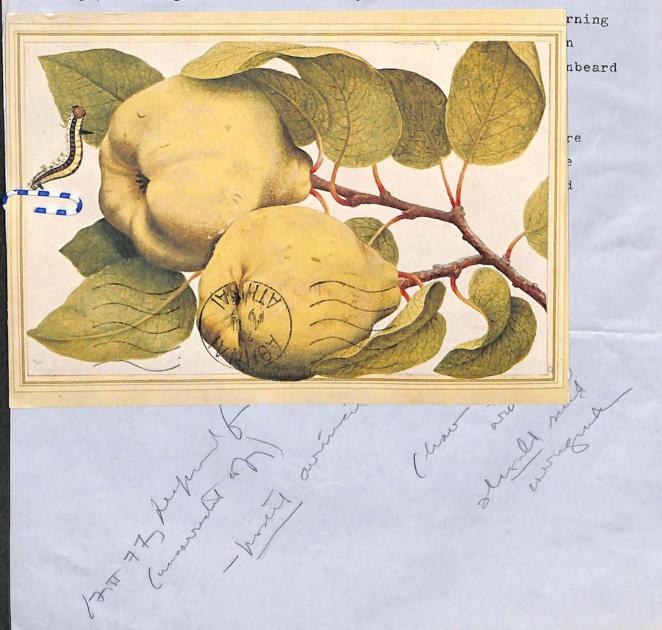
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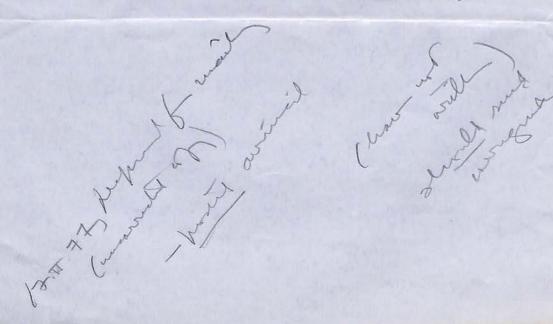
I hope all is well in Athens. I look forward to returning as soon as possible. I have what might be an early Lesbian amphora foot from Corinth, earlier than anything B. Clinkenbeard has dealt with!

Again, I must thank you for the great help you have given me while working on the few archaic amphoras there are at Corinth. I do hope you can spare a reprint of the above article, but I'll understand if you cannot. I look forward to hearing from you.

Yours sincerely,

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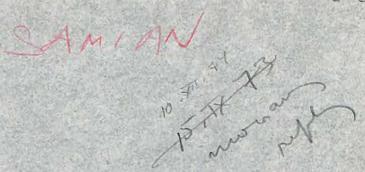
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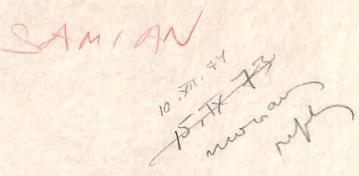




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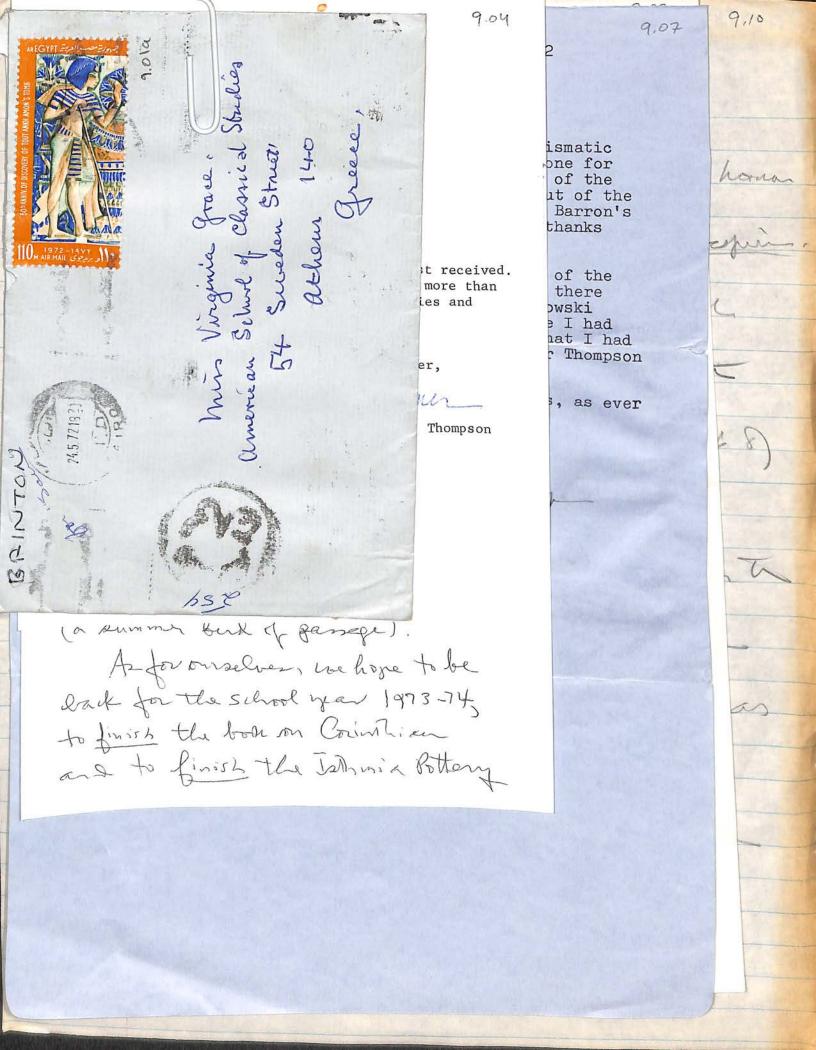
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Dear Virginia:

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Yours ever,

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Dear Virginia,

It is fascinating to have the ceramic and numismatic evidence brought together, as you have just done for Samos, and I am delighted to have an offprint of the article. Once the seminar preliminaties are out of the way, I look forward to having a close look at Barron's sequence and your suggested revisions. Many thanks indeed.

A few weeks ago I was in Poland for a meeting of the Bureau of the Numismatic Commission and while there we were given a reception by Professor Michalowski at the National Museum. It was the first time I had met him and he is a charmer. When he heard that I had worked at the Agora, he beamed "Ah, with Homer Thompson and Virginia Grace!"

I hope all goes well for you. Kindest regards, as ever

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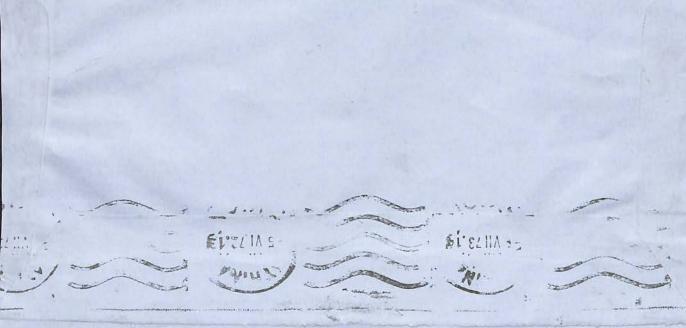


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you may they lived in our house here last year, Thank you very much for your most good letter of almost two months ago (I am ashamed to discover). It was one of the first congratulations on Agora XIII I received, since the distribution has been very slow here, and I still have not received my own extra copies, including the one I was going to deliver personally to Joe Sloane for the Art Library. I am pleased with it. although there must be other errors such as the one you called to my attention re the Canaanite jar. No, I hadn't meant to go against what you had said about two early types, nor do I think yours is obscure. I probably was just careless in my reading and reporting on what you had said. I remember thinking that this was such a careful article, that it wouldn't be necessary for me to investigate that particular pot!

Speaking of jars, I enclose a check for \$20 to cover that Samian jar you have already paid for, and we feel certain that by now it has found its way into the museum. At last I got around to have some prints made from the colored pictures of the Samos trip, and will be sending them to you shortly. Alas, those of the Speliano were taken by me and were mostly out of focus the bayonet lock, you know! I think we may have some b. and w. ones, which I will look into. Anyway, looking at the beautiful slides of Kokkari and the street and beach by Vicki's brought back that whole lovely trip, and how much you with your knowledge of Samos contributed to it. Yes, we have received a reprint of the Samian article, and are glad to have it even though we take Hesperia (reprints get filed according to author, and serve a separate function from the periodical, as you know). It is a major contribution, and even if people find it difficult, don't worry, for they can figure it out. How is the Coan material coming along? Incidentally, what of Fred Winter? H. talked to him in Cincinnati, and he still seemed to think he was in the running for the job.

This is the end of our one-week spring vacation. It has gone all too fast, what with income tax, and other necessary interventions. I had hoped to revise my Picture Book on Early Burials, but clearly needed somewhat longer than this vacation. The committee found it too difficult and obscure, and want a more straight-forward presentation - chronological, you know. Anyway, I have too much of an investment in time not to redo it, but somehow it isn't as exciting as it was lastspring. I think they found it hard to visualize, and some at least have little idea about what a P.B. can, and is supposed to do, in only 32 pages.

My knee continues to be substantially well, and rarely reminds me of what a trouble it was just a year ago. Tell, Mrs. K. that I still do my exercises (back as well) every day, and am so grateful to her for putting me back in condition. I think you must be much better too, if you are able to walk up Lykabettus again (spoiled I agree), and I shouldn't mind the tipped shoe and the arch support if they do the trick. Certainly, would not consider surgery, if I were you. It was good I was well this spring, because Heinrich had to undergo a hernia operation a little over a month ago. He was in the hospital here for 4 days, and then had to be home for another 3 or 4 and not go up and down stairs for another couple of weeks. He made a very good recovery, but then came down with the flu (mild); however, he is now altogether well, and is allowed to garden and do everything within reason. We are growing things under fluorescent lights upstairs in our study, and right now have pansy seeds, marigolds, lobelia, petunias, etc. coming up in flats and which we hope to transplant into our garden in about a month.

How are the Megaws? (You see I connect Electra with flowers!)

Well, I must go to my kitchen and see about starting a roast for dinner (Sunday evening). I am having Ken and Judy Sams, and some neighbors - you know they lived in our house here last year.

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Dear Sally,

Very good to have your letter of Dec. 14, also Christmas greetings. I passed on your messages to Mrs. Klonaridou, and she continues to ask after you, and tell me how much she loves you. She had taken it into her head that Heinrich was a Nazi, and how awful for you, because you are so nice. She was astonished and relieved when I told her I had first known him at a time when he was escaping from the Germans. I am not the case you were, alas: I have had 20 or 30 sessions, spending all my time and money, and the other day she said I am stil an AMIPO KENTHMA as far as exercises go, evrything still to be done. Certainly I do not seem to make progress in being able to walk barefoot: explanation I finally got an opinion from Attzi that it is not bones (that might be set) nor muscles (that might yield to exercise) but ligaments or tendons or zubekike suchlike that as I understand it have let go after too much strain. What they could surgically do about this situation sounded to me bloody and restricting, that is, to allow enter me to walk barefoot. So long as I am on top of the tipped shoe and the arch support, I am ok, and this morning climbed Lykabettos (and saw how they have smartened up the church and swept away its character). Mrs. Klon. certainly does me much general good, and climbing this morning, I felt well pushed up by the musexime she has been working on, which had fallen into desuetude with all this not climbing.

I hope you had a lovely Christmas with Mary. Give her my love, and tell her to take care of her feet. I look again at the Meetings program, and think which sessions you must have gone to. Do tell me any incidents or any comments.

On the Samian amphora, I enclose a photocopy of a letter from John Nettos, which letter I had interlined with a typed translation for our convenience. I have only just finished the <u>letter</u> in reply, as I had mislaid the papers; but I sent the money right away by postal order, the receipt is dated Dec.18. In my letter, Dask him to tell us whether the jar is now in the museum. You must not do anything till we get the definitive news. Notice that he did find more

stamped handles in Speliani - how tantalizing that he does not send rubbings or even say what is on them, or even how many he found. I have asked now for rubbings.

You will see by his letter that I did send him a copy of my article, despite the ridiculatous scarcity thereof. I thought there had to be one there, both for the convenience of visiting scholars, and to keep John in mind of things to look for, both amphoras and stamps. But I have still received only a third of those ordered (and paid for). The parcel (one of three sent, according to the postage bill) that I did receive was posted in Baltimore off July 20 and I collected it in Athens on Sept. 20. I have written a couple of times to Furst to inquire. They did not answer, but finally Homer induced Anne the Publications assistant to telephone them and ask them for me 1) had they sent all 3 parcels at once (they said, yes) and 2) had any come back to them (they said no). The P.O. at this end - or the clerk who talked to Andreas the Gardener - said I should institute a search from the American end, but I doubt if Furst would do anything. What I did receive was neither insured nor registered.

So I have not sent a copy to you and Heinrich, supposing that you subscribe to are the speria, and for all I know find offprints from it a nuisance - what to do with them. Now I have received lote of lovely offprints from Heinrich, and am he sitant again, because if you and/or he would actively like to have an offprint of "Samian A.", I have held out a few, and could send one. Or I would be very glad for you to send a copy of the number, though this would be less convenient, for filing.

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Then Brashinsky writes from Moscow, asking why I did not refer to his two articles

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says I am the only person ever to ask for it! - while the other is in a Polish (It was news to me that by no means all new stuff is exposed as such in the journal I had never heard of, but we do take it.) His shape is quite like my fig.

5, 3, and in fact it is interesting that we should have hit upon this independently - les grands esprits se joignent, as M. Bon said. The original article in which he makes the identification has still not reached me. Finally, I have a letter from Herr Kienast, that German architect who was digging the ancient city wall when we were there, and who had found a handle stamped with the Hera head (of. my nos.

25-27) in a key place in his dig. He asks, "ob ich Sie richtig verstanden habe, wenn dieser Stempel auf 370-365 datiert ist." I mean, he asks this after having read the article, he says.

Having prepared you for the inadequate idea people tend to get from one's publications, I come to your beautiful Agora XIII. It does indeed "look nice" as you say. The people who will make use of the Agora copy have been led by Effie. who clutched it as soon as it arrived. Soula has been working on it assiduously. and it has now got quantities of pencilled inventory numbers. (The catalogue people put up a fierce little sign about not having the catalogue copies removed from their room. Now they have replaced this with large handsome photographs of the Library of Pantainos affiche (no book shall be taken out, because we have sworn it), which are hung in strategic places.) I think it a juste and lovely thought to dedicate to Lucy, especially nice as it follows her volume. I am impressed with the extent to which one already uses Lerna results; you make me more concerned that Jack should manage to get it all out. I wish I were going to read the whole thing; after all I was once a pre-historian, and as such I appear in Who's Who in Cypriote Archaeology. Instead like others I look to see how my own stuff has fitted in, and offer a little corrigendum: on p. 164, you say I "subdivided them [i.e. Canaanite jars] into two groups: an earlier form of the late 15th to 14th century, to which our example belongs, and a later form with more angular shoulder of the 13th century."

Actually my (1) and (2) - of. "Canaanite Jar", p. 86 - were not two date-groups but two series distinguishable by their very different fabric, so that presumably in Canaan they are the products of different centers (bottom of my p. 88). I suggested a center in southern Canaan for (1), the round-shouldered jars of coarser darker clay, like the Agora one, because of the quantities found in for instance Lachish and BethPelet in Palestine (my Picture Book, fig. 11, tomb at Esthe Beth Pelet). And a center in Syria, northern Canaan, for (2), the fine-clayed, light-colored jars with angular shoulders, because of the masses in that warehouse at Ugarit (fig.14 in my Picture Bk.) In "C.J.", pl. IX, nos. 1 and 2 are of class (1). while nos. 3 and 5 are of class (2), all four of the earlier period, late 15th and 14th centuryes. In pl. X, you see four of class (2), of the 13th century, from Mycenae and Menidi. You don't see any 13th century examples of class (1), but that is because the jar of that class in the Menidi tomb is all in bits and couldn't be photographed, see "C.J.", p. 100, description of fig. 5, no. 4: I looked at the bits. You are quite right that there is a noticeable sharpening of the angle of the jars of class ta (2) as between the 15th-14th centuries and the 13th. And look at Wace's jar of this same (non-Agora) class, which he dates in the late 12th century, my Picture Book, fig. 15. I could not put dates in the captions of figs. 14 and 15, because Schaeffer dates his warehouse terribly early (15th century I think), and it would have seemed ridiculous, and confusing to Picture Book readers, to put such a date on fig. 14 when it is full of jars looking very much like Wace's in fig. 15.

 ducing centers in Canaan; it seems probable.

Akerström has lately come up with another example of series (1), like our jar, and that is an item from Asine which had been wrongly restored with a broad bottom, and he has demplished the plaster, and drawn up a profile restored from ours at the bottom. He gives the publication ref. for the wrong restoration:

Asine, p. 386, fig. 250: 2, from Ch. Tomb I. I have not looked this up, and do not know what date is assigned. I observe from the pictures he has given me that the Asine jar has a little more neck than ours.

I add a reference for the Argos jar of this kind, my pl. IX, no. 2, that ought to have been in my "C.J." and was not: Deshayes' publication in B.C.H. 1953 of this jar and its group. (Sorry, don't find a more precise reference, and down here can't look up.)

All this for a sentence in your book!

Finishing this letter now, January 27, I am pleased to announce that, beyond expectation, my offprints HAVE ARTIVED. I cannot deny that recipients may find them a bit stale by the time they get them. Six months from Baltimore to Athens - they also are cancelled July 20, like the other parcel. Now you will get one whether you want it or not, as in William Wallace's antileftist story that ended up: "You will est strawberriesandeream and you will like them."

I have shown Agora XIII to Andreas to tell Poly about it, including your acknowledgement for her help. She has taken a place as language teacher in his Water Company, where it seems she is very welcome, and the hours are convenient for her - it is part-time and does not interfere with her homelife. He told me they had had a very good position open in the summer, but she had been persuaded by Leslie to stay through his season, so she was not free.

Akerström later referred me to another Canaanite jar in a publication, Antiquity and Survival (The Hague and Jerusalem), vol. II, 2-3, p.195, fig. 27; have not checked this either.

Dear Virginia,

Sorry not to have assured your nice letter before this, but our streamlined semester and my many students closed in on me all too fast, and I am just now having a little reprieve between the last day of classes and my first exam this Sat. will then have another mad sprint to get the exams graded and get off to Ann Arbor on Dec. 23rd where we will spend Christmas with Mary before going to Ganat Cincinnati on the 27th. (Mary is also on this new schedule, and Bryn Mawr too has succumbed this year I understand!) Perhaps, eventually one will get used to it, but it does mean a watering down of content and a lowering of expectations re term papers ch.

I hope that you have bound Mrs. Klonaridou as beneficial as I did. If you are still going to her, please tell her that my knee is now almost completely well, and I have no trouble walking or with stairs, etc. Howen't climbed any mountains! I do my exercises faithfully every morning and even invested in an exercise mat!

Gerry Gesell reports that you are well, and I'm looking forward to seeing her and hearing more

about friends at the school. She has sent me 4 chapters of her dissertation, and it reads well (what I've had time to read).

Please let us know more about that Samian amphora and how we can assure its getting preserved for posterity. When I have a few spare moments, I want to have printed some of our lovely pictures of Kokkari and send them to you as a reminder of that heavenly vacation spot!

Heinrich joins me in love and best wishes,
As always,
Sally

P.S. I've had an advance copy of Agora XIII for about 6 weeks (E. coast dock strike has delayed shipment but should be distributed about first of year, L.S.M. reports). It looks quite nice and I am pleased, although I haven't had time to find more than one or two misprints to date!

How about next year ??

Love, Heir with

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Professor of Ancient History Harold B. Mattingly

Dear Miss Grace,

Many thanks for the offprint of your <u>Hæsperia</u> article on Samian Amphoras, with the useful <u>corrigenda</u> and the tantalising note that there is additional material soon to appear! I am very pleased to have my own copy of this important work of yours. Just recently I have heard from Professor Braschinsky (to whom you had most kindly passed on my request about capacities) and he gives me useful capacity measurements for Chian and "Lesbian" jars. It is all very exciting.

With all good wishes to you personally and for your work,

Yours sincerely,

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Miss Virginia Grace, Agora Excavations, American School of Classical Studies, Athens, Greece.

P.S. Could you convey my best regards to Professor Shear and others at the Agora?

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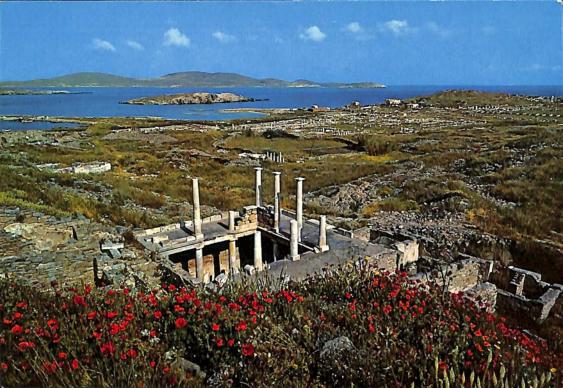
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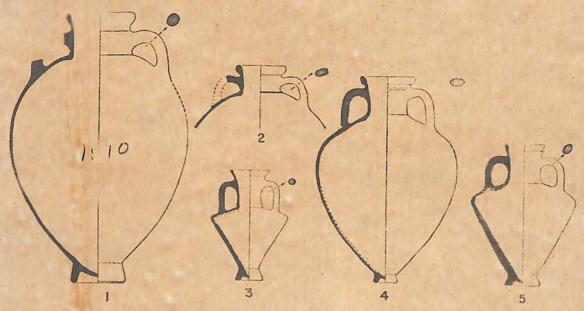
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Plate 15, 1-4 Illustrate, then, some tentatively identified Samian and of about 600 and 21, about 500 B.C. (3), and probably the early 5th com-The identify so far is based mainly on discovery of many apparently avations of a cemetery in Samos, with some support from amphor



Attic (1) and Samian (?) amphoras from the Agora Example Early 7th 1, 2, 3, and 5, 3, 40, 59, and again 59; for 4, see Documentation of 15, 3 (p. 93) Helen Bezi (4) and W. B. Dinsmoor, Jr. (1-3, 5) cheil original-SEE I mis. Scale 1:10. William Tank

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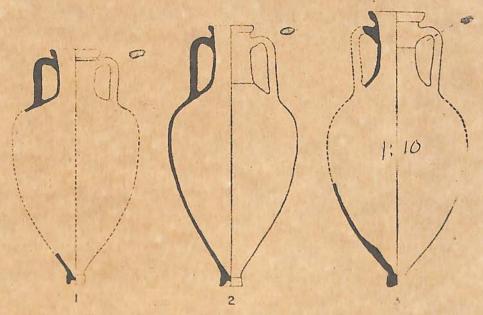


Fig. 3. Samian (?) amphora shapes from the Agora Excavation quarter (1) and last quarter of 5th century B.c. For 1 and 3, see in notes 60 and 61; for 2, see Documentation of Plate 15, 5 (p. 94) is drawings by Helen Bezi (1 and 2) and by W. B. Dinsmoor, Jr., or encouragnals by Andreas Dimoulinis. Scale 1:10.

longer-handled shape Figure 3, 1 (and its parallel, the jar seen in Eretria) is more comparable to the amphora in the coin Plate 15, 7, and the context of its parts (ca. 460-440 mc.) goes well enough with the new date attributed to the coin, considering that pure of a jar may be expected to belong with an earlier part of a context a whole say. Note that at this stage the neck still narrows toward the body feature is more or less visible in the coin. An unpublished amphora form in context perhaps of the 5th century n.c., seems to have about the say in the coin Plate 15, 8; as compared with Figure 3, 1, a heavier ring less rising handles, a rock that spreads to the shoulder, and a slime a photo-

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December 2, 1971

Dear Rhys,

I have written quite a long article, Hesperia XL, 1971, pp. 52-95, of which you are the Onlie Begetter, see pp. 54-55. I am sad that it was too large and too late, and so did not get into your Festschrift number. There has been confusion about the offprints, which came late and I still have only a third of them. Of course there is one for you. But now I would like to have it bound before sending it to you. So will you tell me the colour and style of the binding of your presentation copy of the Festscrift number, so that I can imitate it? with my little supplement.

It was a great pleasure to see you and Eleanor in your new house, now just about a year ago. It made a lasting impression. I hope you are both well, and are liking the place more and more. It must have been very beautiful in the spring.

Things go on here much in their old routine. The long School Trips are over.

They included an attempted climb of Mount Lykain stopped by heavy snow, through which Jim McCredie managed with difficulty in, to lead his charges down to a road where they could be picked up. Thanksgiving dinner is now held in the library again, as in our day; it has outgrown Loring Hall. Regular guests are William Dinsmoor, Sr.; also Dr. Papantoniou, School doctor, son-in-law of Dr. Lorando, who died a year or so ago. This year as extra we had Machteld Mellink, on her way to Bryn Mawr from her Turkish dig.

Yesterday were the ETKAINIA of the new house in Corinth finally replacing Oakley House. From the outside it is a pleasant building, looking quite like other Corinth houses except for its greater length. Inside it has all it ought - dining room, sitting room, library, draughting room, bedrooms, A offices, a fine kitchen, a darkeroom, lots of plumbing, and splendid views. The bishop held a short service and

ended a little sermon (?) by charging us not to dig up all the antiquities.

Marinatos also spoke. Our ambassador Tasca had just gone to America (perhaps for good?), so he was repredented by his wife, who arrived good and late and talking a haute voix a little before the last speech had ended. After lunch, old Corinthians called on George Kachros, who had declined to come to the ceremonies because of his feeling about Oscar, very sad. William Dinsmoor came to this affair also, and inspected the draughting room, one of the nicest parts of the new house. I saw Mary Zelia wandering about as a loving Old Corinthian with her John.

Were there any better days in Greece than those we all shared?
With love to you both,

Yours,

March Shir Shir

Αγαπητέ κύριε Χαβιαρᾶ

'Ο κύριος Λουκᾶς Μπενάκης μοῦ ἔδωσε τάς πληροφορίας, πού εἶχε ἀπό τηλεφωνικήν συνδιάλεξιν μετά τῆς συζύγου σας, ὅταν αὔτη εὑρί-σκετο πρό δύο ἐβδομάδων εἰς ᾿Αθήνας. Μέ μεγάλην συγκίνησιν ἐπλη-ροφορήθην ὅτι εἶσθε υἰός τοῦ ἀξέχαστου φίλου μας Νικήτα Χαβιαρᾶ καί ὅτι φέρετε τό γνωστόν ὄνομα τοῦ παπποῦ σας Δημοσθένη.

Μόλις έλαβον τήν άνωτέρω πληροφορίαν έστειλα άμέσως ένα άντίγραφον τοῦ άρθρου μου, εἰς τό ὁποῖον δημοσιεύεται λεπτομερῶς ἡ εἰδική συλλογή τοῦ πατέρα σας, "Σαμιακαί Σφραγίδες", μέ τάς ὁποίας τό πρῶτον ἡσχολήθη ὁ ἴδιος καί τάς ἀναφέρει εἰς τό Μικρασιατικόν

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Έλπίζω ότι θα μείνετε ἰκανοποιημένος μέ τήν ἔκθεσίν μου ἀπό τήν πολύτιμην αὐτήν συλλογήν τοῦ πατέρα σας. Πιστεύω ότι, ἴσως θελήσουν καί ἄλλοι ἀρχαιολόγοι να ἰδοῦν αὐτάς τάς σφραγίδας, διά αὐτό σκέφθηκα να σᾶς στείλω ἕναν κατάλογον ὁ ὁποῖος θα σᾶς διευκολύνη να βρίσκετε εἰς ποῖον σημεῖον τοῦ ἄρθρου ἀναφέρεται ἐκάστη σφραγίς. Θα προσέξατε πῶς ἡ κυρία Πετροπουλάκου ἔχει γράψει ἐπάνω εἰς τὰ χέρια μίαν σειρά ἀπό νούμερα, ἀρχίζοντας ἀπό τό νούμερο Χ 441 ἔως τό Χ 509. Τό Χ εἶναι διά τό ὄνομα Χ(αβιαρᾶς). Τὰ νούμερα ἀρχίζουν με τό 441 διότι τὰ προηγούμενα τὰ εἴχαμε δώσει κατά τό παρελθόν εἰς μίαν διαλεχτή σειράν ἀπό χέρια τῆς συλλογῆς τοῦ παπποῦ σας. Διά τὰ νούμερα Χ βλέπετε εἰς τὰς σελίδας 60-61 ὑποσημείωσις 23 τοῦ ἄρθρου, ὡς ἐπίσης εἰς τὰς σελίδας 88-93 δίδεται μία ἐξήγησις τῶν πινάκων 12-14, καί μία περιγραφή τῶν χερι-

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November 29, 1971

Dear Herr Jantzen,

Thank you for your letter of the 23rd.

I have sent copies of my article to Dr. Gehrig and Frau Dr. Renate Kastenbein TBle, as you suggested. A copy has also gone to John Nettos, also a letter in which I ask him to show his copy to the various Samians mentioned in it, including Herr Kienast. If any more copies ever arrive, more can be sent to Samos, as well as to certain colleagues whom I have omitted because I know they subscribe to Hesperia.

I also asked John to buy for the Pythagoreion museum one of the amphoras at the shop of the Markos, the one referred to on pp. 69-70 of my article, with note 46. He had photographed it for me, and last July I photographed it again, and I sent prints with my letter to John to be sure of identification. The wife of Markos, in charge of the shop while he is away (in the U.S.?), had asked for 700 dr. and later went down to 600. Processor and Mrs. Immerwahr, who were with me in July, have written (after reading my article) and asked that I buy the amphora for the museum at their expense. I think it would be good to assemble in that museum a series of Samian amphoras, of various periods, before they all get sold to tourists and decorators.

Yours sincerely,

Virginia R. Grace

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Sehr verehrtes Fräulein Grace!

Wie ich schon auf der vorgedruckten Karte schrieb, bin ich Ihnen für die "Samian Amphoras" sehr dankbar. In unserem "Samos-Archiv" sammele ich alles, was sich auf Samos bezieht.

Sie fragen nach weiterem Interessenten Ihren Aufsatzes. Wenn Sie nur so wenig haben, sparen Sie Herrn Kienast aus, der als Architekt dies nicht so nötig braucht. Aber schicken Sie ein Exemplar an: Dr. Ulrich Gehrig, D-1 Berlin 19, Schloss-Str. 1 (Bearbeiter der Samos-Bronzen), und eins an Frau Dr. Renate Kastenbein-Tölle, D-463 Bochum, Graf-Engelbert-Str. 4, die immer noch an Samos interessiert ist. Sicher ist es sehr nützlich, wenn der John Nettos ein Exemplar im Museum von Tigani zur Verfügung hat. Mehr Namen weiss ich im Augenblick nicht zu nennen.

Mit bestem Dank und den besten Grüssen

Ihr

(Prof. Dr. U. Jantzen)

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November 19, 1971

Dear Herr Jantzen,

Yesterday I posted to you an offprint of my article "Samian Amphoras" from Mesperia 1971. I regret that it comes so late. On top of all other latenesses connected with this number of Mesperia, none of my offprints arrived in Athens until September, and then only a third of those I had ordered and paid for. At first I thought the rest would come with the next post, and I would send all at once, rather than study and work out which third of my list could not be omitted, because of my obligations, or because of special uses to be made of this piece. Such fuss I had hoped to avoid by ordering enough copies. I have not entirely lost hope of more parcels coming, but have decided to send out what I can now.

I wanted to ask you what other Samians in your opinion should certainly have copies? The Wedekings called on me before they left, and they did receive a copy. I wanted to send one to Herr Kienast, who showed me last June some similar stamps which he had found in his City Wall dig; stones for the City Wall seem to have been quarried from the Spiliani crypt. I antended to send one to for John Nettos, in fact he asked for one, to help him look out for Samian stamps and jars; if he kept it there in the museum, it would be convenient for some others. I wanted to send to some virtuous owners of amphoras in Samos, to encourage them in their virtue. Further, Herr Schmidt of your Institute was kind enough to say that the article would be of importance to some of your people working on matters Samian. Will you mention two or three people to whom you think it would be specially convenient to have a copy? It is ridiculous that it should have become scarce.

With very many thanks for your own help and advice, Yours sincerely,

Nov. 29, 1971

Frau Dr. Renata T811e-Kastenbein D-463 Bochum Graf-Engelbert-Str. 4 Germany

Dear Frau Kastenbein-T511e:

Two days ago I posted to you a copy of my article "Samian Amphoras," Hesperia XL, 1971, pp. 52-95. This was sent to you at the suggestion of Dr. Jantzen. I would be obliged if you would let me know when you receive it.

Dr. Jantzen tells me you are continuing your Samian studies. I hope the article will be useful to these.

Yours sincerely,

Virginia R. Grace

November 27, 1971

Dr. Ulrich Gehrig D-1 Berlin 19 Schloss-Str. 1 Germany

Dear Dr. Gehrig:

At the suggestion of Dr. Jantzen of the German Institute here, I am sending you a copy of my article "Samian Amphoras," Hesperia XL, 1971, pp. 52-95. I shall be glad if it is useful to you. I should be obliged if you would let me know if it arrives.

Yours sincerely,

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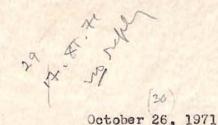
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Dear Lucy,

I hope you are well, also Ben. I hear from Oscar Reinmuth about what Ben will be doing in Texas; Oscar is of course very pleased.

I enclose a copy of a letter I wrote to Furst on the 8th, to which I have not had an answer. To date I have still received only the one parcel with 45 copies of "Samian Amphoras," so I have distributed few, not knowing what to expect. The Samos Germans are much interested; the Wedekings paid a call at my apartment, and thus got their copy.

I imagine you are in frequent communication with Furst. Could you ask them to write to me about the posting of those parcels?

Last evening the McCredies had their archaeological cocktail, which is always the nicest I think, and I wish I could stand enough to be there for its whole extent. I did see Hector Catling, whom I meant to have called on before this. The Catlings are already very much liked, both at the British School and otherwise.

With best greetings to you both,

Yours,

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J. H. Furst Company Printers and Publishers 109 Market Place Baltimore, Maryland 21202 U. S. A.

Dear Sirs:

With reference to my offprints paid for by my check to you of August 28 (check no. 89 on the Bryn Mawr Trust Co.), following a notice from the Post Office here, I took delivery on September 20 of a parcel from you. This turned out to contain 45 copies, i.e. only a part of my request. Can you please tell me how many parcels you sent to me, and whether they were all posted at the same time? It is now three weeks since I had the notice for the parcel which I have received, and nothing more has been received.

Let me take this opportunity to thank your staff for their remarkable care and accuracy - almost never an error in numbers, unless it is the author's error!

Yours sincerely,

Virginia R. Grace

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School of History, The University, LEEDS 2

10-9-71

Dear Virginia Grace,

AMIAN

I have read with great enjoyment and interest your recent article in Hesperia 1971 in the series of Samian amphorai. It is marvellous having this identified at last and traced so convincingly—with new help now for the Samian 5th century fractional coinage—from the late sixth, through the fifth and then into subsequent centuries. I do congratulate you on this valuable work. If you have an offprint to spare, I should be most grateful to have it for my personal annotation—so much easier to handle these problems, if one can freely write in the margins etc.!

Reading it received my concern to obtain more evidence on fifth century capacity standards and I wonder if you can help me with a few specific queries? I'm sending separately an offprint of my article in BSA 1970, from p.142 of which you will see my angle of approach. Also later, when it is published (c.0ct.?), I'll send on a copy of my Inaugural Lecture at Leeds (given last February)—the last section is very much concerned with the Athenian Coinage Decree and the question of uniformity of standards.

Three amphora series specially interest me in this context:

I. The Samian

a) Dimensions of amphorai:

Early 5th C. (your Pl.15 no.3): 0.56 high, 0.376 diam.

(" " no.4): 0.589 x(0.385?)

c.460? (" "Fig. 3.1) : 0.648 x(0.335?), restored.

Later fifth C. (Pl.15.5): 0.691 x 0.334 (last quarter) (Plgl3.3): ? 0.74 x 0.375(c.425) (Pl.15.9): 0.74 x 0.334 (slightly later)

Between these groups comes the amphora(unpublished) from Thasos, of which you say you had seen a photograph. Have you the dimensions(hte and diam) for this one, please?

b) Capacity of amphorai:

You give just one figure-for Pl.15.4(from sea near Samos). At c.33,000 cc. this should be 10+ Attic choes?

Could the Shakian amphora/be measured for capacity(or has this been done?)-and what about the Agora example shown in Pl.15.9?

I suspect a change of standard in the last quarter, if not before.

II. The Menkean

a) Dimensions of amphorai:

? Ind and 3rd quarters 5th C: c.0.54 x (?0.36), restored (Hesp. 1953, no.161)

(<u>Hesp. 1953, no. 161)</u>
: 0.565 x 0.39(<u>Hesp. 1935, no. 88)</u>,
p. 514,496 Fig. 17)

I've found nowhere yet any complete-or even restoredlate fifth century Mendaean amphorai with dimensions given. The coin-stamped jars and related Mendaean pieces seem always very fragmentary. Or am I too pessimistic, in fact? Is there anything helpful in store or as yet unpublished?

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II Mendaean series

b) Capacity of amphorai

I know of no single measured capacity figure—only the two given by Mabel Lang from numerical notation on amphora necks (Hesp. 1956, pp. 10 and 12, nos. 44 and 57).

Rarly, third quarter; Mendaean? (P 11382)-10 choes+ 2 kotylae'(AKK)

Late 5th century Mendaean(P 18988)-18 choes+3+4? (CIII T/

I used to be a bit worried by that question-mark attached to the first one of these, but somewhere I came across a reference of yours to these two jars, with their varying capacity, as Mendaean—so I've assumed that it is now reasonably certain.

Were the 'choes' Attic or local standard? I thought we couldn't be sure about the first—at least with no early Mendaean jar measured; though the one from the Agora well(Hasp. 1935, p. 496 Fig. 88) looked as though it was capable of being estimated(filled with wheat?), even measured with water.

I noted, however, that the dimensions of the two c.440 Mendaean amphorai—one admittedly restored—were extremely similar, as also the shape. There were moreover, apparently some four other comparable jars 'put together from Miss Talcott's third quarter deposit' (P 2364; 2376; 2377 and 2378). Should we under stand from this that their general shape and dimensions sould be restored at least approximately? Were they too almost identical with P 2375 and clearly standard?

If the Samian jar shown on your Pl.15.4—with shape and dimensions fairly close to Mendaean P 2375—holds c.33000 cc. or just over 10 Attic choes, I would expect the Mendaean standard container at that period to hold just about the same. (I know that depearances can be quite deceptive in this matter, as you noted in Hesp. Suppl. viii, p.1761). This would seem nicely confirmed by the notation '10+ choes' on the third quarter Mendaean amphora neck in Lang(p.10,no.44).

The later neck with its notation '8+ choes' presumably/contemporary with the jars stamped with Mende's coin typesuggests a change of standard, to conform with the Attic 8 choes ampliora.

III Chian series

I can be briefer here, as there are many more published dimensions and capacities+Mabel Lang's evidence for the notations '8 choes(Chian)' or '7 choes(Attic)'on jars of very varied date through the fifth century(nos.2,6,10,15,17 and 30); Despite the change of shape the standardised jars—following those with the partial bulging of the neck—seem to be of this same 8/7 choes standard. The addition of the coin-type/th the third quarter, on the first new jars) thus presumably guarantees that, though they look different, they still contain the familiar standard amount. Both analogy of the relation of coin standards(8/7 between Chian and Attic) and the Chian measure published by Forrest in BSA 1963? (corrected version) help to clinch the argument. The coins continue on the Chian standard throughout-despite D 14 and SEG x 87—and so do the measures. But then Chios was the sole surviving 'autonomous ally.

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 $(\underline{\text{Hesp.}}, 1953, 107)$

The Thasian series has puzzled me for rather a long time, since there seemed no clear forerunners (in the Agora material to the earliest stamped examples-of ?420-410 B.C.which inaugurate the long series with its growing complexity of marks. Or have I missed some published information?

Lately I noticed—what you rather suggested in AJA 1946 and Hesp. Suppl. viii, p. 180 f.)—that the literary references at Athens are basically late fifth/early fourth century: Xen. Sympos. iv. 41 (T.a choice luxury provided by Kallias in 422 B.C.), Hermippos frg. 82 E(Dionysos' favourites), Aristoph. Lysist. 196 (Athenian women's favourite: 411 B.C.), Philyllios frg. 24(filoruit in 390s?) etc. Was it not breally being imported on any scale before the last quarter of &?

There is also, for me, the puzzle that Maroneia-such a rich wine-producing state to judge by its fifth wentury coinage and its legends-does not seem to feature in our records as well, archaeological or fifth century comic poets etc. On the other hand Hermippos frg. 82 (Edmonds) Dionysios praises May 174 To perform though Edmonds restored 'Magnesian' in Philyllios frg. 24 on the strength of this passages I don't know whether there is any evidence for Magnesian wine (from Magnetes near Pagasai?) being in great demand at Athens. I wonder whether one might not suggest Magneta to method of suggest in the Hermippos frg. and compare Kratinos frg. 147 E

Maewra (Though this has seemed to be sufficiently explained by Homer Odyssey ix 355 ff. - Odysseus makes Cyclops drunk with wine given him by 'Maron of Ismaros').

(oaneway?) oaneos and marvellously sweet-smelling(witharich bouquet?). I note-from Hesp. 1953, pp. 109 f.?-that amphorai of possibly Corcyrean fabric (rather than Corinthian) begin appearing at Athens from c.440 B.C., and that Xen. Hell. vi? (Timotheos in Corcyra, 375 B.C.) records the rich belly-matured body and sweet smell of the Corcyrean wine. Could this be the mysterious vintage so praised by Dionysis in Hermippos' play?

> One last query-and I am finished. Somewhere I recall your writing about a characteristic grey-ware series of amphorai(and other jars?), which might well prove to have connections with earlier grey Lesbian ware. Has it been possible to get further with this? It would be great to have a Lesbian series of wine amphorai, to set beling the Samian oil amphorai and the wine-containers from Chios and Mende.

I look forward with keen anticipation to any comments which you feel able to make and any information which you can give me on these problems-especially that of capacity standards in the three series that most concern me now.

With all good wishes to you and colleagues at the Agora,

Yours sincerely,

Haveld Matteryly,

Is there any/formula for estimating within reasonably approximate limits the capacity(volume) of an amphora of known shape, height, maximum and minimum and ?neck diameter? I seem to remember Mabel Lang in BCH 1964(?) publishing a Thasian fifth century inscribed record of the formula apparently used there for producing pithoi of standard capacity—and a capacity in direct relation to the Attic rather than local standards.

Please forward, if away







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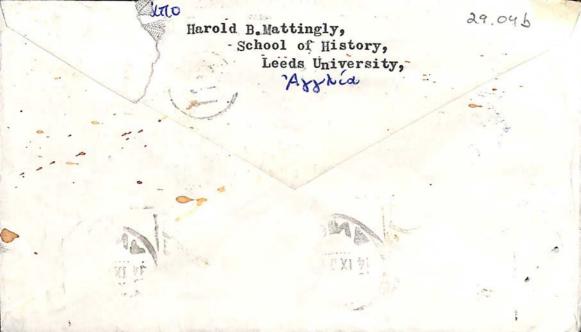
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September 18, 1971

Dear Mr. Mattingly,

Thank you for your letter of the 10th. I am flattered that you accept my tentative identifications of the Samian shape, the article being really basically about the stamps. I will try to keep an offprint for you. None have reached me yet, though others here have theirs from the same Hesperia number.

About the capacities that Mabel Lang publishes, where the jar as a whole was preserved, the figures she gives as interpretations of the markings do take into account actual capacity measurements that she made by filling the jars with barley, and she has the figures in liters and cubic centimeters, and would likely supply you with them. I thought it a pity that she did not publish these actual, found capacities, but I think she thought they would confuse the reader, unless she gave a lot of explanations, i.e. of things that have to be Like you, always taken into account. I find her not wary clear as to what kind of choes she is using as a unit.

On the Chian series, see now my text in Explor. Arch. de Belos, Vol. 27, pp. 359-360, of reference given in "Samian Amphoras", p. 86, note 89. The Delos text and footnotes sum/s up the situation as I now see it, and gives bibliography; p. 360, note 4, gives some capacity figures for Chians, also a comment on how one has to interpret what one finds. As you will see there, apparently the change in shape was a declaration they found they needed to make of a change in the standard Chian containers' span capacity.

On the Thasian series, see again Delos 27, now pp. 354-357.

The Lesbian series is so identified in my Picture Book (Amphoras and the Ancient Wine Trade, Princeton, 1961) though rather tentatively: see text with

name by me in Hesperia 1953, pp. 1/2 102-104, under nos. 148-149. It has always seemed as though there should be a special study to introduce the class as such, before just referring to it in anything more professional than a picture book.

But in fact Lesbian amphoras are cited by Jock Anderson in his Chios article EXSEAUXX by name the B.S.A. XLIX, 1954, see p. 139. Also the class is cited as found in the Bosporos, the pp. 72-73 by Zeest, Pottery Containers from Bosposos, Moscow, 1960 (in Russian), Zeest cites Anderson, but she may have goth the lead from her visit to us early in 1960, as she is of a fractional speciman in Alexandria datable no doubt in the 4th century, found (Ht. of this one is 0.735; drawn-in body). to hold 5700 cc. The fabric of the 5th century ones is a crumbly.

When you get to pp. 85 ff. of my Samian article, you will see that though capacity studies are needed, they are not to be expected from me, and I mean the basic studies, beginning with actual messy measurements. Homer Thompson thought there would be no problem about your being permitted to make capacity measurements tourself on our jars, i.e. permission from Leslie Shear. It is certainly useful for anybody who plays with such measurements to know just how they are arrived at, what the sources of error, etc.

With my best wishes,

Yours sincerely,

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Dear Virginia Grace,

Many thanks for your prompt and friendly reply to my letter of Sept.10th. It was very good to have it. With some difficulty our Library people managed to extract the bulky <u>Délos</u> Vol.27(1970) from the depths of the basement store-rooms! I have read your latest views on Chian and Thasian amphorai with great interest—had indeed noted the references in <u>Hesp.1971</u>, but at the time was too busy to chase up the Delos volume (indeed the Library was in chaos then, with new shelving and lighting being installed all around us, everyone busy, books everywhere except of the shelves.)

I'm still puzzled about the Thasian series at Athens before c.400. I just can't see that any of the two-named stamp series need go back more than a very few years into the fifth century(if that). The earliest contexts(Athens and elsewhere) seem late last quarter/even very early fourth century. In fact I wonder if this evidence (at least the stamped jars) has anything to do with the Coinage Decree etc?

Chios, Mende, Samos—and now perhaps Lesbos also (thanks for your useful comments about this series)—are, however, all most relevant. It's new and exciting to find that before c.450 'bulging neck' Chian jars probably held nearer 7 than 8 Chian choes; that the change came with the latest 'bulging' jars and was then clearly signalled by the switch to new-style jar, with Chian stamps and graffiti to assure the customers! Just one point perhaps about this... Seven choes seems an odd size standard jar. In view of P 24873 (Karvounidas amphora), which at 30,900 cc++(measured with wheat) appears to be a 'metretes' or 12-choes jar, could one not assume that the earlier fifth century 'Chians' were meant to hold a half metretes? The jars measured had perhaps been made with too great a the state of the carlier 5th C jars were made regularly below full 7 choes capacity— in vanc of Grahor's (9-20 litter figures for those of Hermetrye (furn Cumea?)

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> As Homer Thompson suggested, I've written to Leslie Shear for permission to measure Agora jars for capacity. I'm glad to know that you think there would be no problem about this. The problem, however, is likely to be my end. Delay and considerable difficulty about getting to Athens-even next summer would not be easy, so much else is liable to be happening. I've therefore asked Professor Shear whether I might be allowed to get someone to do the measurements on my behalf and have written Vanderpool to see whether he knows of anyone already in Greece who might be approached. It is conceivable that I might find somebody acceptable and responsible in England, who planned going to Greece anyway! But that couldn't be till spring at earliest and I must say I'm now very anxious to get the information. It seems to me-but perhaps I'm too optimistic -- that six or seven measurements, if reasonably accurate and well chosen (key pieces in the Mende, Samos, ?Lesbian series) could really let some light in. With Mende jars measured we Should what the '10+ choes' and '8+ choes' actually mean.

I did write to Mabel Lang once, but she couldn't tell me(understandably) what I most needed—the capacity evidence for broken jars (some mere handles) that she had listed; I mean, of course, the evidence for the series to which they seemed to belong.

I must hasten to say here (what should have come first) that I have never expected you to have done the basic, messy measuring required nor I think would any reasonable being. I know you have done some, but that was never your real vocation. I'm sorry others haven't done a bit more, that's all. I 've noted from Ath. Mitt. that complete (or only slightly mended) amphorai of the Mende, 'Samos' and 'Lesbos' series were found in the Kerameikos—all illustrated in the plates and I've got their dimensions (max. diam. had to be estimated). 'To writer to the Kerameikos—all illustrated in the plates and I've got their dimensions (max. diam. had to be estimated). 'To writer to the Kerameikos—all the found that the found in the plates and the found that the found is the see if they have any capacity measurements for these or could be found that the found is the the found





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October 2, 1971

Dear Mr. Mattingly,

You are right that Delos 27 is very awkward to use. Bruneau wanted them to produce it in two parts, and he has had his own copy rebound that way, and we expect to do the same. Williams in Corinth has had their copy done in three parts, of which the first is just the architecture and the last is the stamps and the coins. Maybe you could persuade your librarian to do something like that. I suppose this book or books will not be kept permanently in your basement storerooms.

I do really think you should wait until you can take your capacity measurements yourself, if possible with the aid of a student. It is a good idea to know what is involved and what such figures are worth, the sources of error. For instance, it is enlightening to take a sound jar, and measure it first with water and then with barley or whatnot such as has to be used for restored jars. One should measure quite a lot, both to get into the way of it, and to make it worth while to have bought all that grain, which can't be kept here in storage, it just breeds mice. The chores involved are not just the heaving and hauling, but deciding what grain to use, and how many kilos will do the job, etc., etc., etc., it have indeed taken quite a lot of also Alexandráa, Cyprás, etc. capacity measurements, here and in Rhodes chiefly, To restore again a plastered jar which has broken while being measured costs several pounds, something which must also be taken into account, the fact that these objects are both heavy and fragile, in their present state.

My only other suggestion is that you try to get Mabel Lang to do the job for you. She often comes here for a while in the summer.

However, I hope you will come yourself instead, and we can talk things over, after you have got your ideas all sorted out.

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Miss Virginia R. Grace Agora Excavations American School of Classical Studies Athens 140, Greece.

Dear Miss Grace:

Miss Thompson will be away for the month of September, but the secretary has passed along to me your letter and abstract for <u>Numismatic Literature</u>. I am delighted to have it and will prepare it for inclusion in <u>Num. Lit.</u> 87, which will come out next March.

The article is about exactly the sort of thing I am eager to include in Num. Lit. and I would welcome anything more in this line which you have time to send. Individual contributions are what really spice up each issue. Thanks for yours.

We don't make a practice of noticing corrigenda, since we try to publish abstracts rather than reviews, so I think there is no need to list them in your abstract.

If and when you get offprints, we are always happy to receive them, but we have already the volume of <u>Hesperia</u>, so there is no need to hurry for an offprint.

Thanks again for sending your abstract. I look forward to hearing from you in the future.

CMrs.) Marion T. Brady International Edibr, Num Lit.

September 11, 1971

Dear Margaret,

I enclose a suggested contribution to Numismatic Literature. I think you are not the person who tends to these things, but perhaps you will pass on the suggestion? and let me know if it is wanted. I have still no fact offprints of this article, and in grant have just recently seen it in print. As you know, I try to interest numismatists in my thing, which I am sure would benefit by their attention.

Very nice to see the Mileses this morning at the dig. George very funny about the congress in Bucharest.

When are you coming?

Yours,

I might mention that I have found <u>corrigenda</u> already in this article. Should they be listed in such a notice as those in <u>Num. Lit.</u>? I don't mean changes of mind, but goofers, of mine or of ed.'s.

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See also notes of 11.VIII.71 from the same journal, short talk with Mr. Tsakos in Mykonos when I arrived. "He had not understood that electricity wiring is already in there, and said he would telephone John Nettos today. For excavating, evidently money would help, but I have not found out the approximate sum necessary." Actuall when I saw him on the 17th, he said he had written to Nettos (rather than telephoning) for some reason that seemed sound.

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