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GEORGE EDWARDS 1995 DIG SEASON

KEY

△ LOC1

○ SPIT

ACROPOLIS T37

11.9.95

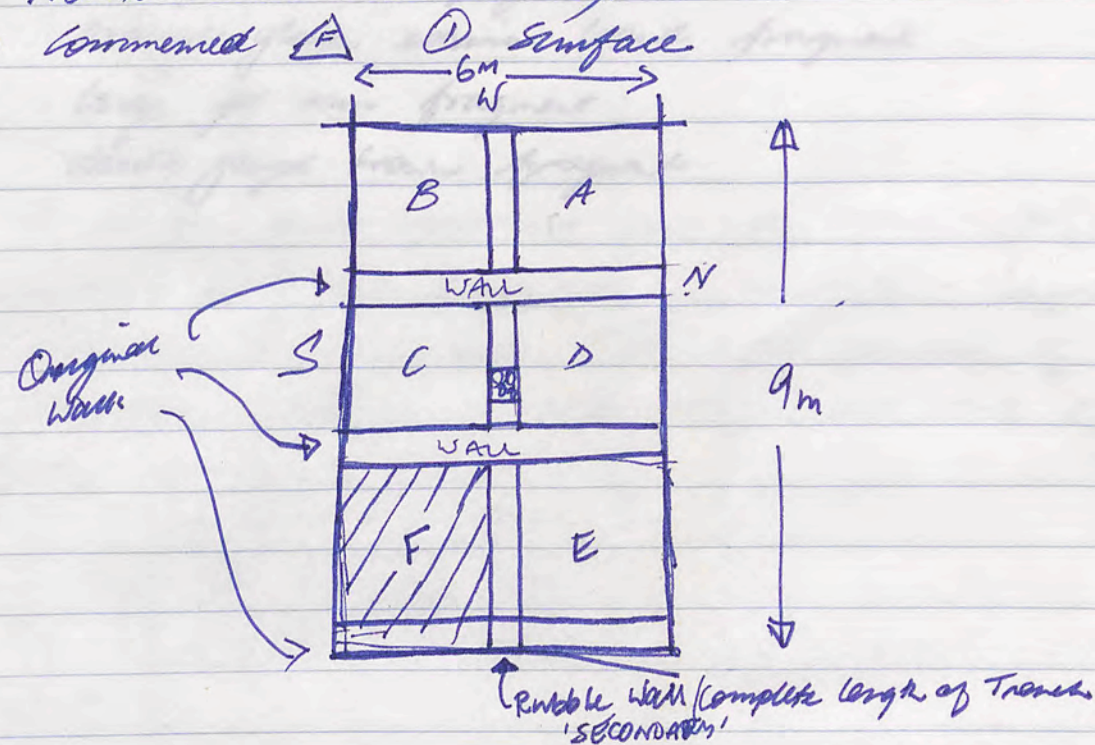
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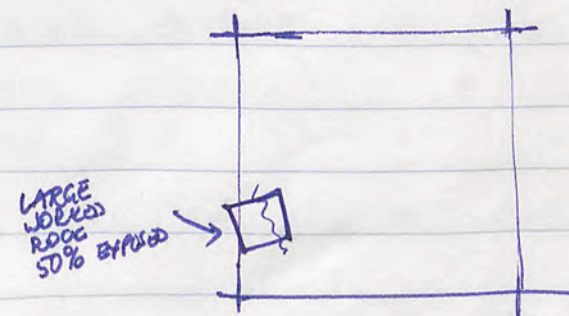
Day 1 11.9.95 T37. LOCUS & 'CLEANUP' ① (ABCDE)

7.30 Commenced general cleanup of trenches prior to digging - Surface finds - NAIL & METAL BLADE (Both near North bank centre trench). T37F1 T37F2.

9.30 Commenced ① Surface



① PRIOR TO EXCAVATION



① Dig to depth of 20 cm. revealed worked stone of 20x broken

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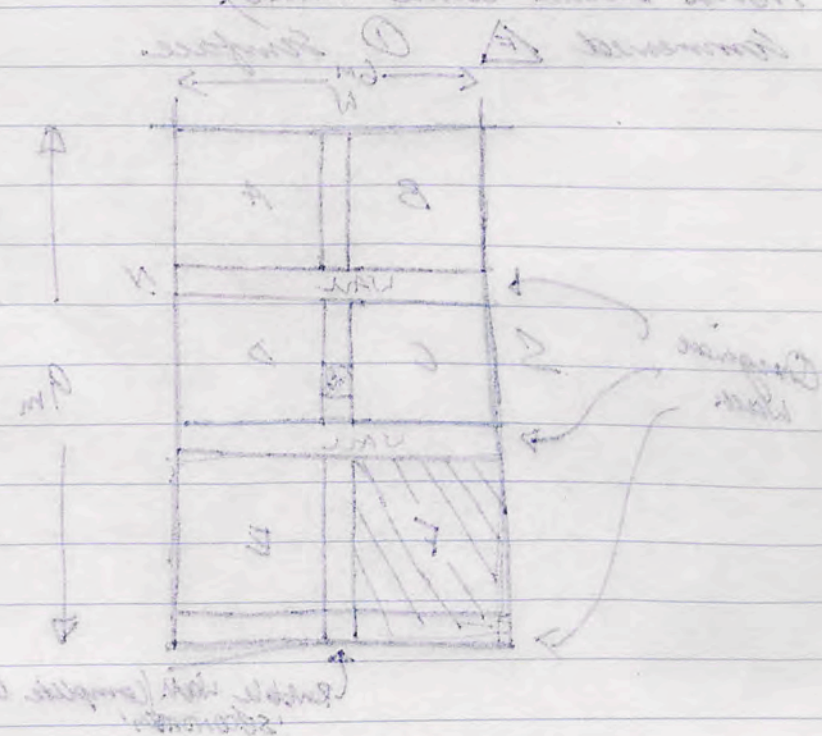
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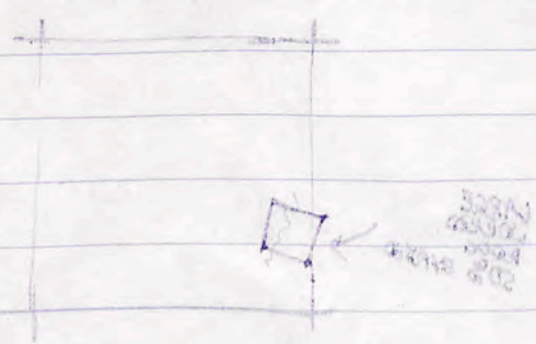
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2.0 (approximate ground level of trenches prior to digging - surface level - 100 & 100 cm)



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① Cont.

Surface find piece of man's glass with ridges approx 2x1 cm. centre Δ south wall.

① All surface soil was no apparent worked stone - minimum pottery.

Δ will be cleared all the way to Southern wall.

Large fragments of basalt slab approx 6 cms thick appearing

~~11.9.95~~

POTTERY 11.9.95

- 8 Non diagnostic sherds
- 4 Open bowl base fragment
- 2 Pink plate rim fragment
- 2 Orange glaze schium bowl fragment
- 1 large jar rim fragment
- 1 double glazed brown fragment

From Δ (3) South wall & large worked blocks were seen along trench into floor of Δ . These blocks are clearly masonry & was part of a house for origin N and S.

10.30 Δ (3) opened to a depth 110 cm.

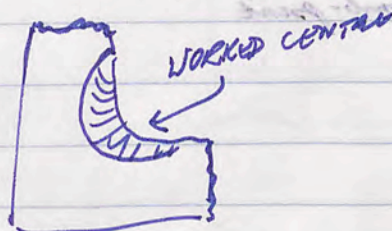
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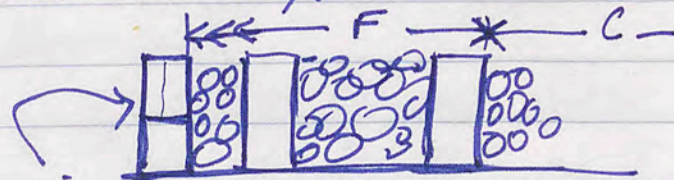
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△ ② - Large worked blocks tumble appearing none complete but obviously pieces of wall. - Working to a depth of 40cm from surface.
N/E corner ② reveals small stone primitive casing possibly figurine-tagged or T37F3.

△ ③ Opened 8.40 to depth of approx 70cm. - Small metal frag. T37F4 - large piece of barrel plinth excavated N wall centre. Thickness consistent with other removed earlier.



It is now quite apparent that the North Wall is a secondary wall as expected + consistent main line is adjacent LOC/TRENT. The wall consists of rubble fill stacked between re-used large red slabs of stone stacked vertically.



Original major wall N/S.

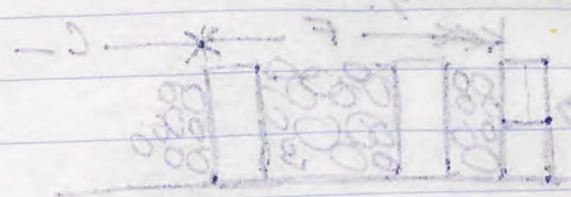
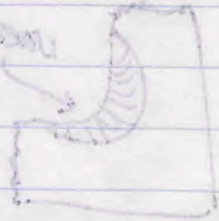
From △ ③ South bank 2 large worked blocks were necessarily lowered into floor of △. These blocks are obviously incomplete + were part of a tumble from original N wall △.

SLOW GOING BECAUSE OF RUBBLE

10.30 △ ④ opened to a depth 110 cms. Observed Glass Bead T37F5 excavated centre.

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POTTERY 12.9.95 $\triangle F$ (2-4)

- 90 non-diagnostic
- 23 non-diagnostic pot ware
- 3 rim-fragments coarseware
- 1 large jar amphora
- 2 double rim fragments jar
- 1 large jar rim fragment
- 1 echinus bowl rim frag red slip
- 2 coarseware bowl rim fragments
- 1 large bowl rim frag coarseware thumb-print



T37 ACROPOUS. $\triangle F$ (4)

12.9.95 (CONT)

Trench appears to be a mass of sorted blocks and rubble assumed fallen from E + N walls respectively (E-Original N-rubble secondary).

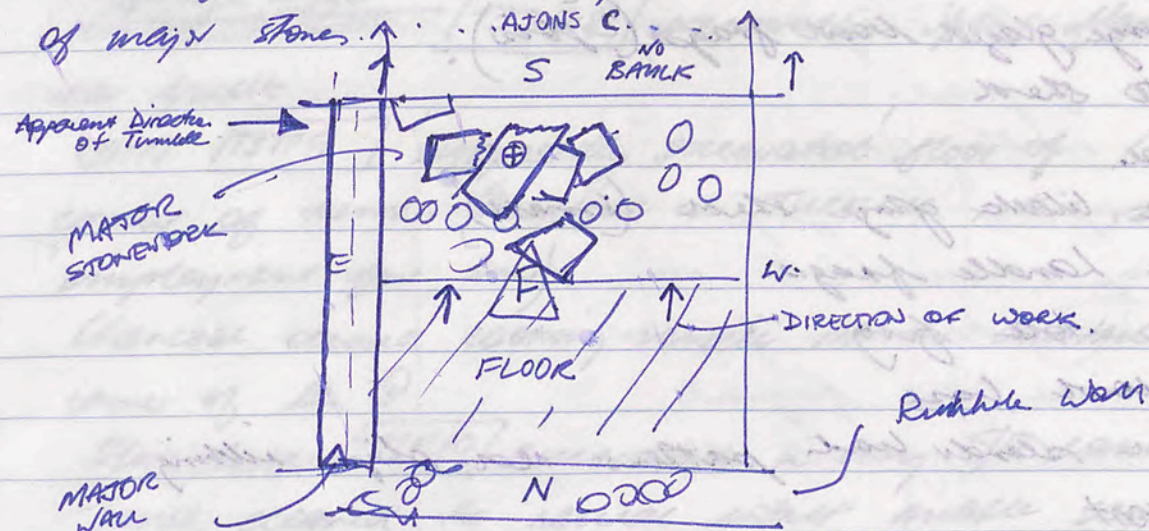
Rubble floor appearing approx 120 cms on N wall continuing excavating toward S wall requiring removal of major stones. 'Medium' pottery sherds excavated.

NOT MUCH PROGRESS BECAUSE OF STRONG WINDS!

T37 ACROPOLIS.

13-9-95

Ⓐ ④ Continues: E half of O complete moving to W where most of the heavy 'major' rubble lies. Will require movement of major stone.



[T37F6] - Small Metal Pin excavated at centre.

- 9.30 Am; Block 110x60x30 above removed to N floor for safety.
- Large iron (metal) nail in pieces excavated from below block above [T37F7].
 - Metal fragment (wire-like) [T37F8] excavated adjacent to above nail.

Ⓐ ④ large vessels broken (charcoal cooking) at base of bank on S side suggesting domestic.

Ⓐ ④ completed to prior 1/4 of trench

POTTERY

13.1.95

F ④

- 138 Non-diagnostic sherds
- 5 Double Rim jar sherds
- 2 rough amphora handle.
- 4 gougled orange glazed bowl frags (2 join).
- 2 Fish plate sherd
- 8 Rim base.
- 1 Fish plate white glaze sherd (small)
- 2 amphora handle frags.
- 1 amphora toe frag
- 1 round bowl base
- 1 body sherd slender ware pattern red slip. sitting
- 1 amphora foot

T37 ACROPOLIS

14.9.95
(Add Work)

6.30 F ④ final quarter of complete. Lots of rubble embedded into S. bank.
~~SPINDLE WHIRL~~ [T37F8] excavated from floor S/E corner near bank.

COIN [T37F9] 'supposedly excavated' floor of F ④* S/E corner of trench. (Doubtful as TURKISH still selling employment for son).

Charcoal covered cooking vessels sherds disturbed in S/E corner of F ④.

Flintstone [T37F10] excavated in very S/E corner of Trench. Trench cleaned to reveal intact middle secondary floor. Charcoal deposit along S/E lay of S wall where considerable pottery excavated. Sherds still visible in bank.

9.00 F ④ Completes Trench.

Move to T47.

* inv. 95.446

2 Arabic ? c 7/8

T37 POTTERY

△ ④

14/9/95

- 115 Non Diagnostic sherds
- 53 Non Diagnostic bowl (pitted inside) sherds
- 3 Ring base sherds 1 x large orange pottery
- 2 Fish plate fragment.
- 5 amphora handle sherds
- 3 small amphora toe frags
- 1 orange glaze schium bowl rim
- 2 large vessel pitted rim fragments
- 3 double rimmed jar fragment.
- 1 large bowl frag with thumb fingered pattern

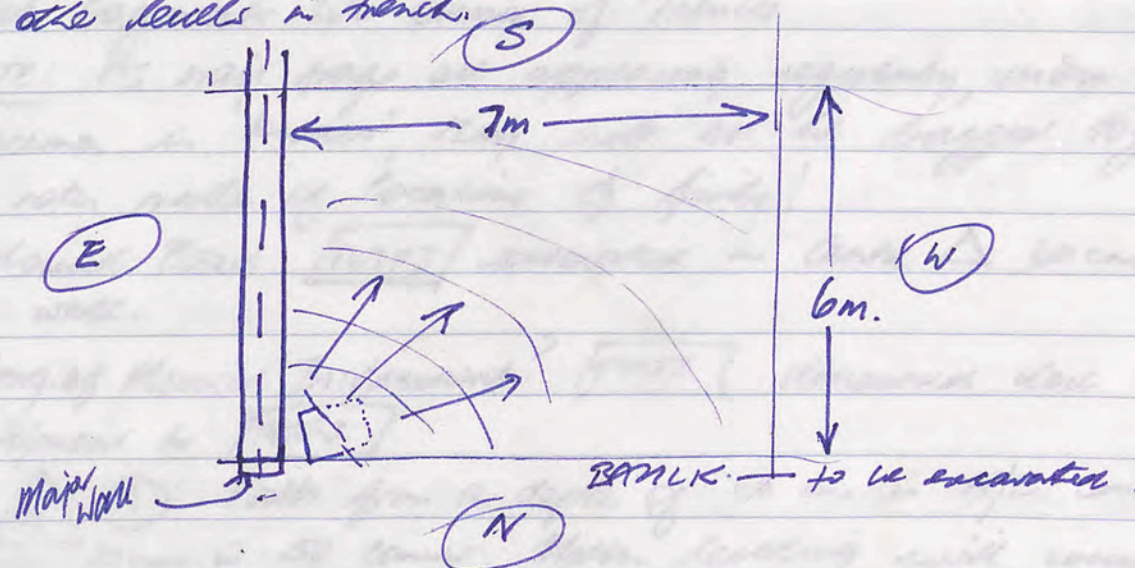
T47.

THURSDAY

14/9/95
7m x 6m.

Trench T47 commenced 8.50 AM.

△ Entrance Trench ① Commenced N/E Corner approx 60cm above the levels in trench.



Surface rubble cleared no worked stone. Appears to be uncomplicated trench which is essentially exploring the S most extremity of building.

10:30. Workers excavating E/W. Eastern Wall revealing plaster work (no colour apparent). Floor only 10 cm below surface on S side of trench.

NAIL FRAG [T47.F1] excavated SE Corner of △ ①

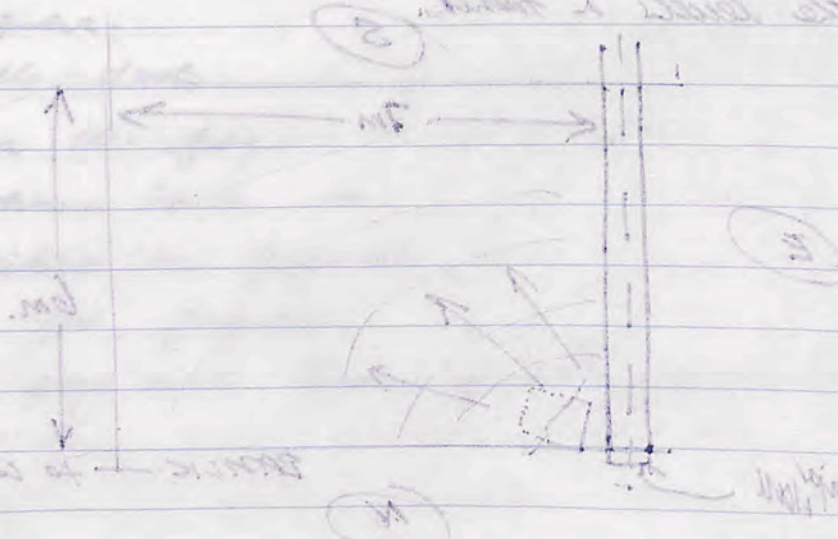
RED/BLACK plaster [F47.F2] E wall (major).

More plaster indicated along entire E wall - may be necessary to excavate and back-fill.

[T47.F3] Blue? plaster fragments appearing E wall.

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T47. ACRODOLIS

16/9/95

8:30am Continue A ①

- Virtually no pottery being excavated
- Large worked block rests on E wall in N/E corner.
- Nail fragments S/E corner of Trench

NOTE: As nail frags are appearing regularly, unless the specimen is 'kwaai', they will all be bagged together + notes made of locations of finds!

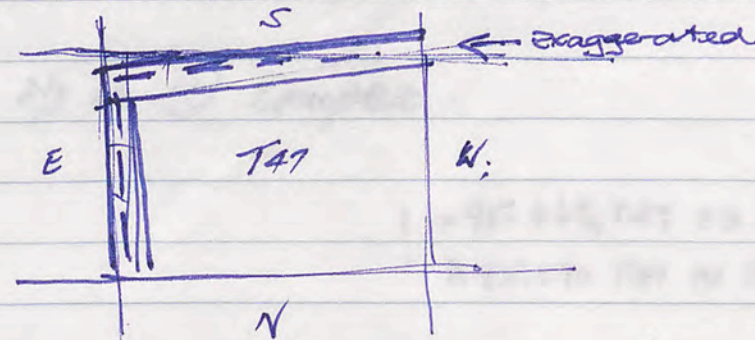
8:45. Coloured Bead [T47F3] excavated in Centre Δ 20 cm from E wall.

Frag of Mirrored Instrument? [T47F3] discovered close to floor adjacent to [T47F3].

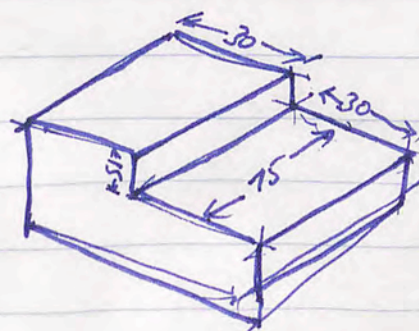
9:40 A ① Falls from a depth of 60 cm in N/E corner to 10 cm in SE corner. Upon leveling with complex trench with 1 more ①.

Systematic work happening because of ease of trench!

As excavation happens the S wall is disappearing further S as work continues W. This is a result of grid pattern only.



On completion of Day 2 on this trench approximately 25% of ① complete (from the East).



Block removed from N bank ^{centre} previously came extended into adjacent trench.

T47 ACROPOLIS POSTERY

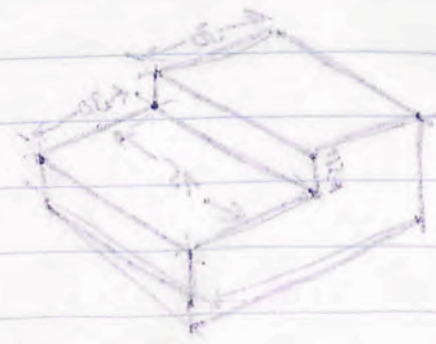
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28 Non-diagnostic body sherds

1 courseware rim base frag

1 double rim jar courseware frag

1 single rim jar courseware lip frag



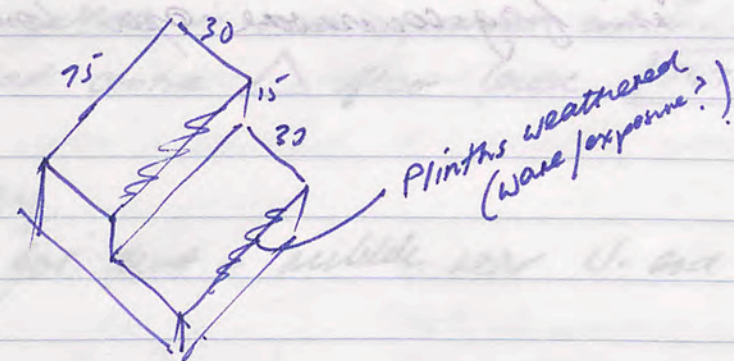
T47 ACROPOLIS

17/9/95

A ① Continues..

Rough-worked blocks x2 possibly steps within lane seen weathered centre bank. N.

As per previous day:



Dust is bad today.
Very slow going.

2 Coins excavated from near floor centre trench A ①

T47F3 T47F4

Very little pottery being excavated;

Floor + settled plaster appearing at S/W corner

Many plaster fragments appearing. S. Lane has residue of plaster entire length.

END OF DAY 2/3 of ① Complete.

1 = 95.063, T47 F3 A1: [Ant. iii 223-187]

2 95.070 T47 A1 F4: [Maurice 594/5 or 5/6.]

T47 POTTERY

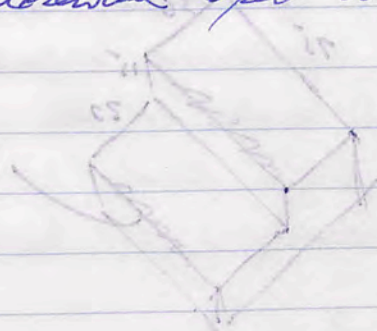
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25 Non-Diagnostic Shards

2 rim-base coarseware shards

1 lge rim-base coarseware shards

2 rim frag coarseware open bowl

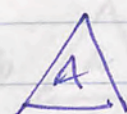


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ACROPOLIS.

18/9/95



① Continues.

Rubble increases as the trench is cleared westward.

No consistency in floor level which is now apparent on S.

Ring/Bangle (iron) excavated centre Δ floor level. [T47F5]

Very little pottery today.

Easy excavating except for dust + rubble near N. end of trench.

End.

POTTERY

31 Non-Diagnostic body shards

1 open bowl coarseware handle

3 coarseware rim bases

1 cylindrical ampere handle

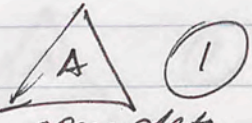
1 Neck frag small bottle angle ring and slip

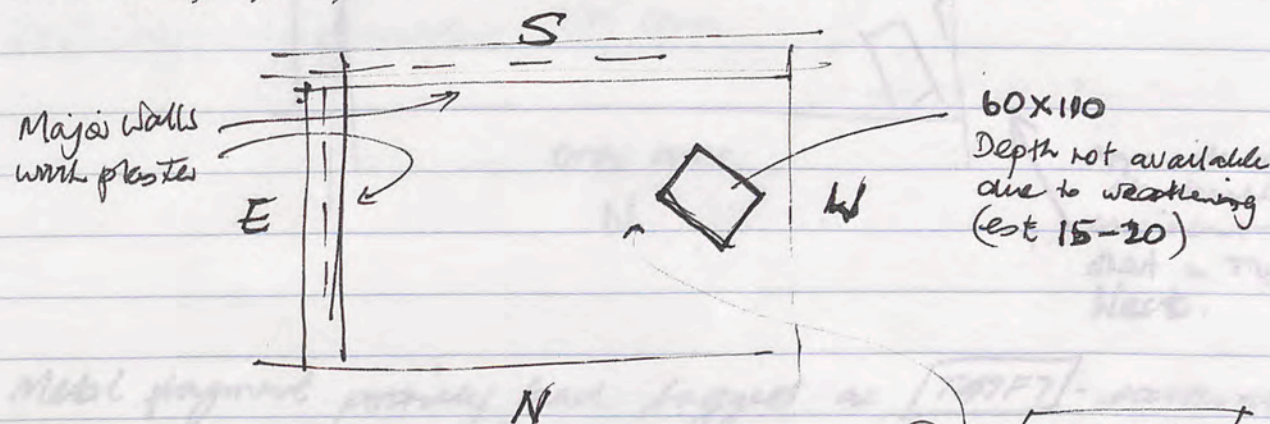
1 open bowl coarseware leg

1 fine ware bowl rim out-turned

T47 ACROPOLIS

19.9.95-

8:30  (1) Continue. Approximately $\frac{1}{2}$ of trench to complete (1). Little pottery being excavated. S plastered wall being protected & left till last to complete. Unfortunately this trench will not actually determine if the S wall is the extremity of the building proper as it was measured to centre wall.



Small (very) green glass bead excavated (1) T47F6.
Extensive plaster appearing adjacent to 5.72 metres out at a depth approx. 20-30 cms above floor. Colours red black white & blue. Have ceased excavation immediately next to wall out to $\frac{1}{2}$ metre to protect possible intact plaster will return later

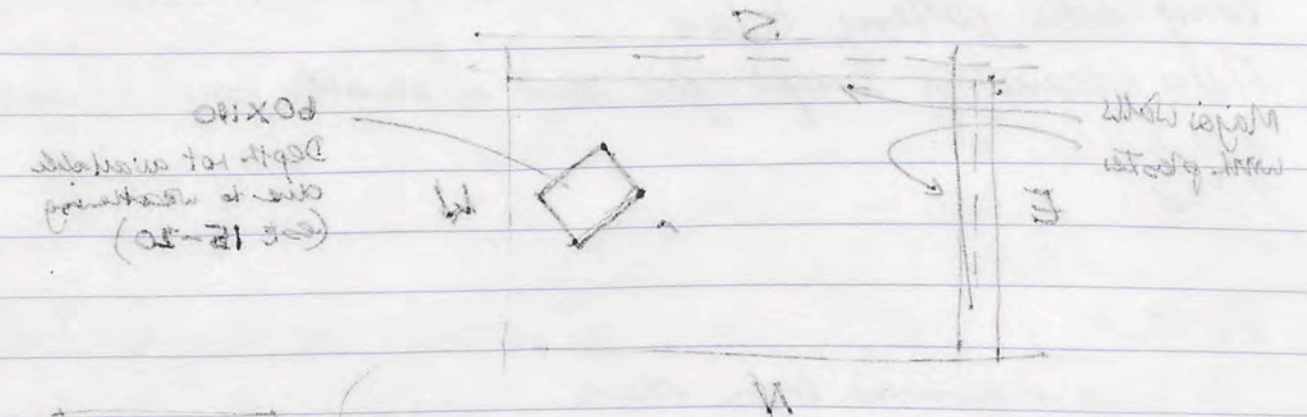
POTTERY

- 28 Non diagnostic body sherds
- 3 Echinos bowl rim frags
- 2 bowl rim frags commensal
- 1 amphora handle spine connecting body sherd
- 1 fish plate commensal rim
- 1 twisted rope amphora handle sherd
- 2 single shagrin amphora handle sherd

19.9.91

T47 ACROPOLES

① Contain. Approximately 1/2 of trench to
 complete ①. The bottom ramp excavated
 2 trenches were being protected - left till last to
 complete as unfortunately the trench was not actually
 the same as the 2 walls in the east end of the
 building proper as it was necessary to leave wall.

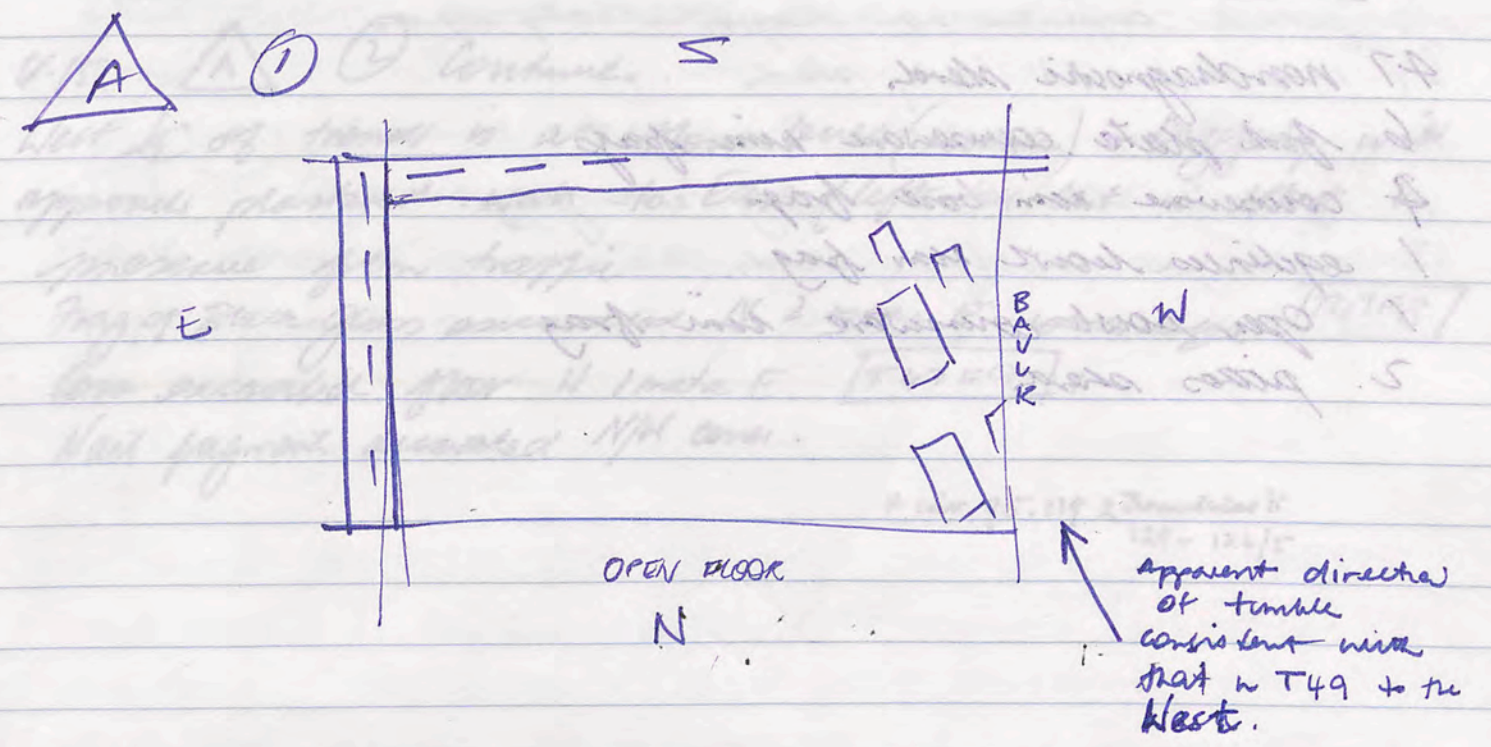


① Small (and) open plan floor excavated
 between first, appearing adjacent to ② 5 meters out
 of a depth appears 10-20 cm above floor. Below
 the floor level - level. This corner excavation
 immediately next to wall out to 1/2 meter to protect
 possible intact floor and room later

28 No description last year
 3 trenches last in 1990
 5 last two deep trenches
 1 complete last floor excavated last year
 1 first floor excavated in
 1 trench top complete last year
 2 roof truss complete last year

T47 ACROPOLES P.P. 05

20.9.95



Metal fragment possibly lead tagged as [T47F7] - excavated
 centre trench E of Tumble.
 Tumble on W baulk has been cleared & rest on soil
 floor on the N side of Δ is yet to appear.

10.30 ② commenced from W to East.

T47 POTTERY

20.9.95

47 non-diagnostic sherd.

6 fish plate, coarseware rim frag

3 coarseware rim base frag

1 equine bowl rim frag

1 open bowl coarseware rim frag

2 pittois sherd

at + PPT - fish
West

Model fragment pottery base dugged at [T47F8] - coarseware

Center trench E of Trench

Trench a 4 points for line clear - cut on line

floor on the N side of A is not to appear

10:30 @ Commence for H to East

T47 ACROPOLIS

21.9.95

6.15. A ② Continue.

West 1/2 of trench is at floor level (middle). Digging with approach plastered wall to East (left till last in effort to preserve from traffic)

Frag of Black Glass excavated N 2 m x E wall edge [T47F8]

Low excavated floor N 1 m x E. [T47F9] *

Nail fragment excavated N/H corner.

* inv. 95.119 2 Demetrius II
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T47 POTTERY

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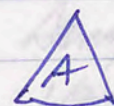
- 4 pitted coarseware non-diagnostic body sherds
- 64 non-diagnostic body sherds
- 4 fish plate rim sherds coarseware
- 1 eggshells lowest rim frag red glaze
- 3 coarseware rim base sherds.

11 sherds 2 911.29.21 *
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T47 ACROPOLIS

23/9/95

Wind direction good should be a productive day digging-wise!

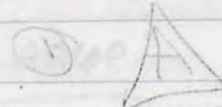
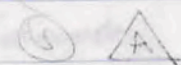


② Continue towards E 'plastered' wall.

Large uninteresting trench - very little pottery.

Trench represents approximately 1/4 of large room (S/E quarter).

Nail fragments are appearing on the floor of the trench.



During back filling & final floor preparation discussed
how tiles might sit in the floor. Indicate that the
plaster was possibly tumbled prior to the floor
being raised. Further excavation of trench area may
reveal small plates and in the end backfilled.
Future find excavation recommended.
Not indicative early layout of this part of the
building. (No coming construction evident in this area)

POTTERY 23/9/95

T47. 100A T47

- 55 non-diagnostic body sherds
- 3 rim base coarseware sherds.
- 2 small rim coarseware frag frags
- 1 small egtheneus bowl rim shd.
- 3 fish plate rim sherds (1 coarseware 2 orange glaze)
- 1 amphora handle coarseware round sherd
- 1 open bowl coarseware body sherd with gorged pattern

POTTERY 25/9/95

T47 A ②

- 12 Non-diagnostic body sherd.
- 1 Coarseware rim base frag open bowl
- 1 Coarseware open bowl rim frag
- 1 coarseware unguentarium toe frag.

POTTERY 25/9/95

T47 A ①

- 20 Non-diagnostic coarseware body sherds
- 2 small unguentarium toe frags
- 2 open bowl coarseware lip frags
- 1 coarseware gorged pattern body sherd

T47 ACROPOLIS

24/9/95.

A ② Continues now 500 cms from E. posthole wall.
Samples of loose plaster to be laid out + photographed.
Worked ceased due to wind + dust
Commenced clearing T51 + min return to plaster.
Wall tomorrow.

T47 ACRO.

25/9/95

6:30 Complex array of various coloured plaster
appearing. Surface layers (face down cleaned +
brushed + photographed). Decided to cease excavation
+ seek advice of conservator as seemingly there
are small intact panels. Coloured samples of
plaster already excavated.

T47 ACRO

26/9/95

Returned with conservator to remove sample of red/orange,
black and yellow plaster. Decided to back-fill to protect
possible plaster wall. Covered in plastic sheeting + then
back filled. Samples of edging taken + bagged as T47F10.

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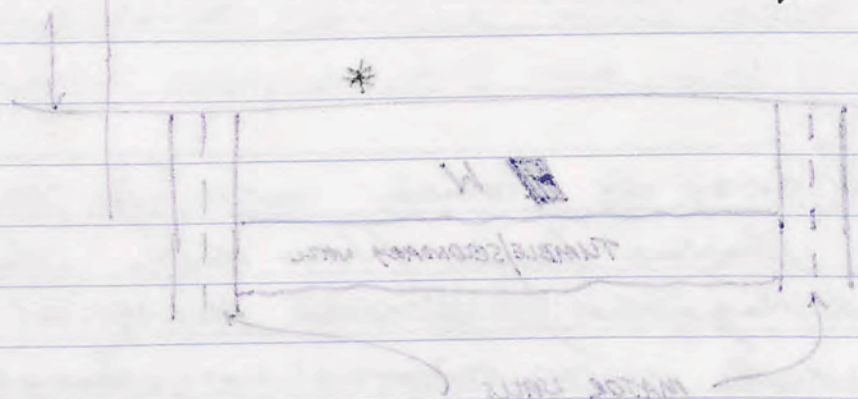
During back filling + final floor preparation) discovered
floor tiles intact still in the floor. Indicates that the
plastered wall probably tumbled prior to the floor
being raised. Further excavation of rubble ~~will~~ may
therefore reveal plaster intact on the wall backfilled.
Future fine excavation recommended.

Also indicates 'early' collapse of this part of the
building. (No secondary construction evident in this area)

T47 25/9/95 ACROPOLIS

A ①

- 19 non-diagnostic coarseware body sherds
- 1 coarseware amphora toe (small) frag.
- 1 coarseware amphora handle frag
- 1 coarseware double rim coarseware bowl frag



For a depth of 40 cm at N. boundary. Excavation is made from adjacent trench + handle. Unexcavated at the point of commencement of excavation is apparent as though the surface will be apparent. Small piece of burnt bone fragment excavated at corner.

T52 ACROPOLIS

26.9.95

A

is deep, contains no pottery & much rubble.

[T52F1] Basalt pounds excavated adjacent to S wall.

[T52F2] Bead excavated adjacent to above.

Nails appearing

Lots of surface fill & rubble excavated - all non-specific. Top of wall (possibly East boundary) has appeared. Wall (major) also apparent as predicted - extension of two walls in adjacent trench to West.

- 19 Non-diagnostic sherds
- 1 Coarseware Rim. base sherd
- 1 Body frag. black glaze, gorgon ware
- 1 Sp. bowl gorgon ware rim
- 1 Outward coarseware bowl frag. for

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ACROPOLIS

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to deep, contains a pottery or metal object



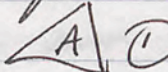
T52F1

T52F2

Top of wall (possibly East boundary) has appeared
 (wall) also appears as platform - extension
 of two walls in opposite lines to West

T52 ACROPOLIS

27.9.95

[T52F2] - Small piece of West-slope wall excavated
 centre French  A ①

[T52F3] - Small piece of Megaron bowl adjacent to [T52F2]

More nails appearing

[T54F4] Evening piece excavated West bank

POTTERY (T52)

27/9/95

45 Now diagnostic sherd

2 Coarseware Rim-base sherd

1 Body frag black glazed gougled ware

1 Open bowl greyware rim sherd

1 Outturned coarseware rim frag jar

The trench still contains much rubble (probably brought
 from the adjacent north-south wall to the West)

[T52F1] (in A ① excavation) S of corner of French S of West

[T52F2] (in A ① excavation) same location as [T52F1]. Further
 trench would have to be taken to work!

largely irrelevant full site clearing schedule of an group
 slope + dig

T52 ACROPOLIS

28/9/95

① Continuous. Uneventfully - much rubble - possible secondary wall mid trench N/S & // to rubble wall in adjacent trench to W. (Would be a narrow room though). [T52F5] Small piece of yellow glass adjacent to W bank 1 metre N.

~~Excavated~~ [T52F6] Metal Blade? Excavated. W bank 1 Metre N.

MID-SEASON BREAK.

T52 ACROPOLIS

2/10/95

② Commenced > 40 cm. [T52F6] Coin (Old) excavated in S/W corner of trench S. of Major E/W Wall (South).

The trench still contain much rubble (probably timbers) from the adjacent rubble (secondary wall to the West).

[T52F7] Coin ① excavated N/W corner of trench S. of West E/W Wall.

[T52F8] 'Spindleshirt' excavated same location as [T52F7]. SUSPECT TURKEYA WALLS wants her labium to work!!

Longly uneventful still clearing rubbish of iron specific shape + size.

? 95.292 T52. A2: v }
95.377 T52 14 = Ant. vi 145-2. }
no. 95.273 = 313 modern }
95.241 = 241 v S }

28/9/95. Pottery T52

A ④

- 49 Non-diagnostic coarseware body sherd
- 2 Coarseware bowl rim frag coarseware. Paint outside
- 1 Single lip jar coarseware frag
- 1 Coarseware rim base frag
- 1 Coarseware flat amphora handle section
- 1 twisted coarseware amphora handle

2/10/95. Pottery T52 A ②

- 44 Non-diagnostic coarseware body sherd
- 4 Coarseware rim base body sherd
- 1 Red coarseware rim base sherd
- 1 open bowl red slip sherd with handle join
- 1 open jar rim fragment
- 2 fragments bowl rim frags 1 with black glaze
- 1 open bowl ext. hand. coarseware rim
- 1 Summed patterned open bowl coarseware body sherd

T52

3/10/95

A ③

Commenced. 60 cm deep to Bank to zero.
Lot of charcoal indicating scattered burning (maybe
Roof beams).

Minimum Pottery

Shocking day because of wind - little progress made.

T52F10 Iron frag. S/W corner.

On completion of day almost at level of floor in
adjacent trench to W.

T52F11 - Figure fragment discovered in top soil
layer.

T52F12 - Red sandy fragment - discovered adjacent to
above.

Soil still extending below the level of floor in adjacent
trench to W.

Difficult to identify floor - possibly laid out through
Primarily the rubble found has damaged at higher
level.

More sherd and glass found on the surface wall from
above floor primary one!

Further fragments against long wall - also broken
at end of (wall end)

T52 ACROPOLIS - POTTERY

4/10/95

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66 non-diagnostic coarseware body sherds.

1 handle (lunnet) red coarseware body sherd

1 large ^{amphora stand} coarseware single everted rim with pattern

5 coarseware rim base sherds

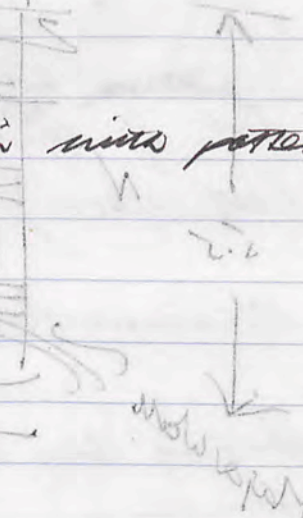
1 large jar dense rim coarseware frag

1 small disk fine rim frag

1 gouged pattern coarseware body sherd

1 fine plate rim frag red slip

1 everted bowl red slip rim frag.



T52 ACROPOLIS

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△ ④ Commenced > 30 cms.

No floor has appeared - probably damaged beyond recognition because of heavy rubble.

Still a lot of charcoal appearing - base of trench is mostly soft soil interspersed with rubble.

Some nails appearing.

[T52-FIL] 'Metal Blob' excavated S/E corner of trench probably used for connecting major blocks.

T52 ACROPOLIS POTTERY

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40 Non-diagnostic coarseware body sherds including pithos & cooking ware. (lunnet).

1 medium coarseware amphora handle

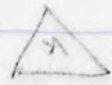
2 coarseware rim base frags

1 open bowl orange ~~red~~ rim frag. base

1 everted bowl rim frag orange/red glaze

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T52 ACROPOUS



No floor was apparent - probably damaged before excavation.
 This is a lot of debris appearing - some of them is
 mostly soft soil with some small stones.

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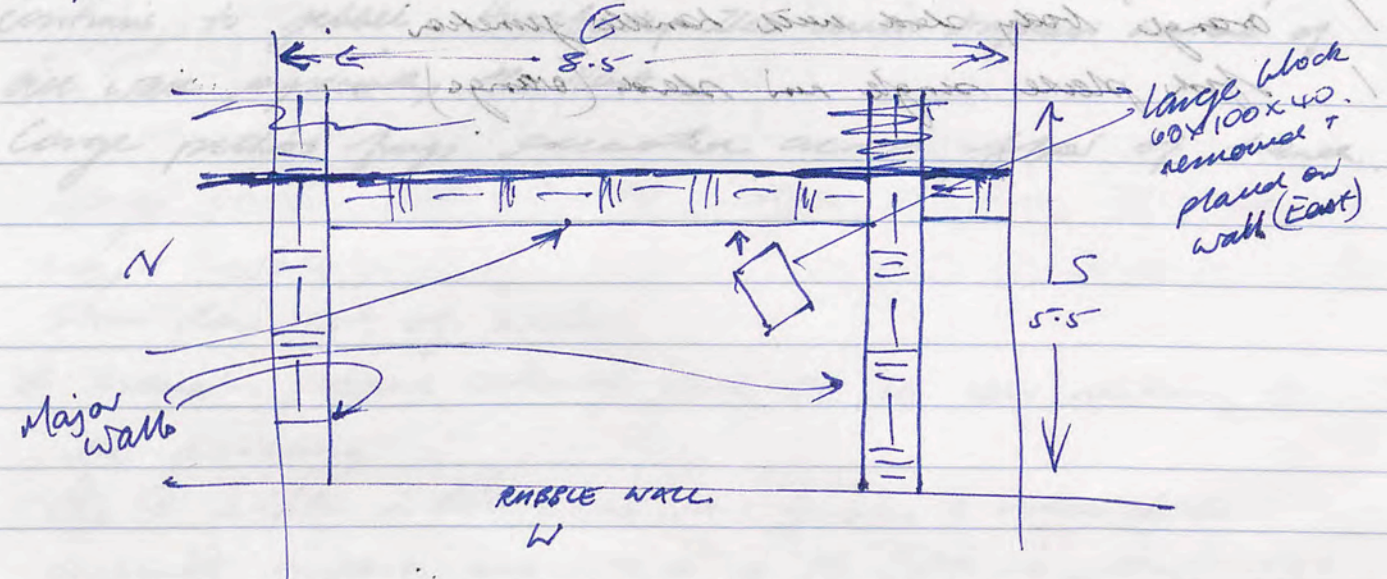
T52 ACROPOUS

No floor was apparent - probably damaged before excavation.
 This is a lot of debris appearing - some of them is
 mostly soft soil with some small stones.

T52 ACROPOUS 7/10/95

A ④ Continues

Large pit has pieces appearing including one with
 X marking (ragged)
 Soil has ~~become~~ become sandy and dark below the
 rubble - still no floor - 20 cms. below floor in
 adjacent trench to West

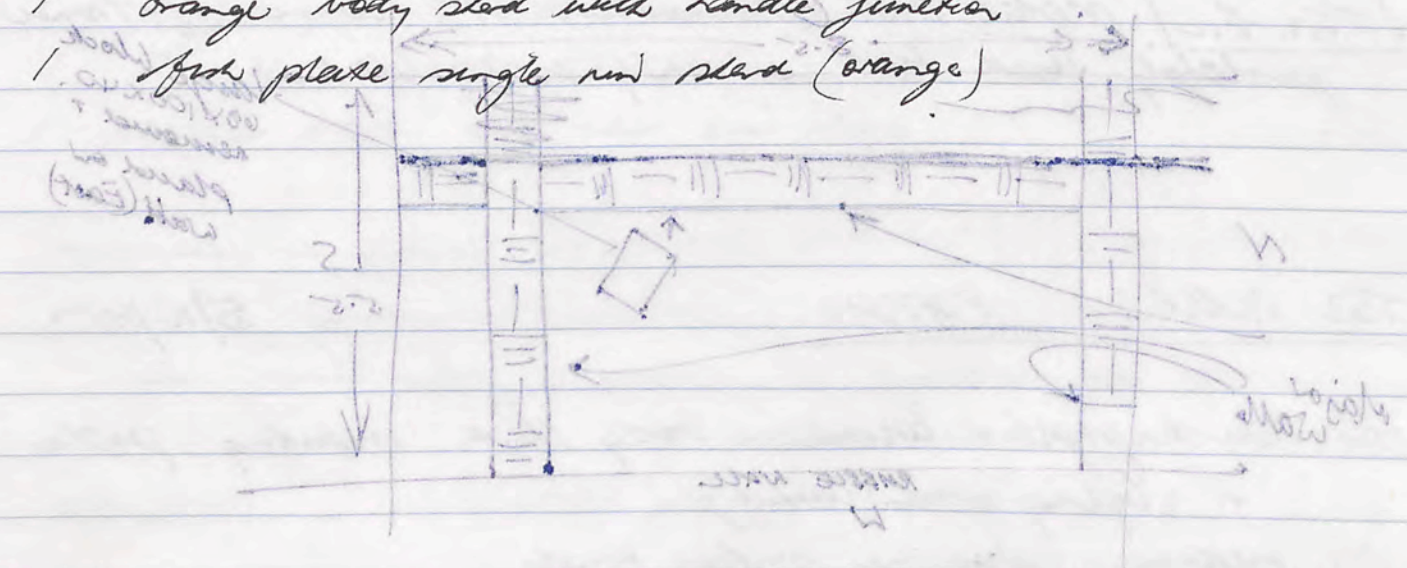


Goldel foundation appearing on N wall falling away to the East
 as expected.

7/10/95 T52 ACROPOLIS - POTTERY

76 Non-Diagnostic Body Shards

- 1 eqchinus bowl rim frag red slip
- 3 eqchinus bowl rim frag dark grey
- 1 amphora body shard red glaze both sides
- 1 rim frag coarseware jar
- 1 coarseware amphora handle frag
- 1 orange body shard with handle junction
- 1 fish plate single rim shard (orange)



Handwritten notes at the bottom of the page, partially obscured by the sketch. It appears to say 'Hand all of your pottery now it is going to be...'.

T52 ACROPOLIS

A ④ Continues

2 rows of rusticated stone are appearing on the S side of N wall (possibly indicating external wall as in other parts of the Acropolis).

As no flow has appeared + trends to now some 30-40 cm below floor in adjacent trends then excavation will continue to jibell. Hopefully this will explain nature of all wall especially the East.

Large pitthos frag excavated across floor of trench.

Large brick 100x40x90 (larger in line of trench)

Major wall

Shut day - lots of work

* Indicate possible external wall as per section of

the building.

A ④ Depth in the corner now appears to make sense

original surface and 1.5 m in H. (this is jibell)

8.15 am. Still continuing excavation towards the presumed NE exterior

wall, at a level still not as jibell but below the original floor.

He judge by the ledge at the top of the corner of rusticated stone,

a little jibell is coming up, but not in quantity. The soil

continues to be dusty brown, darker than the usual white-brown

dust.

8.45 The NE wall is emerging by the apparent break in the major

wall. It should be cleared on its west side by the end of the

morning. Where a presumed doorway appears to be in the N wall

rusticated foundation stone was beginning to emerge parallel with

the stone further to the N.

10.15 A door post stone with a shallow, round hole (suggesting secondary

use of the stone) has come up where the NE wall appears to have a

break. Stone part of this with a small piece of bronze (part of a ring?)

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TS2 8/10/95 POTTERY

88 Non Diagnostic Body Shards including 4 large pieces

3 double rim coarseware body shards open jar

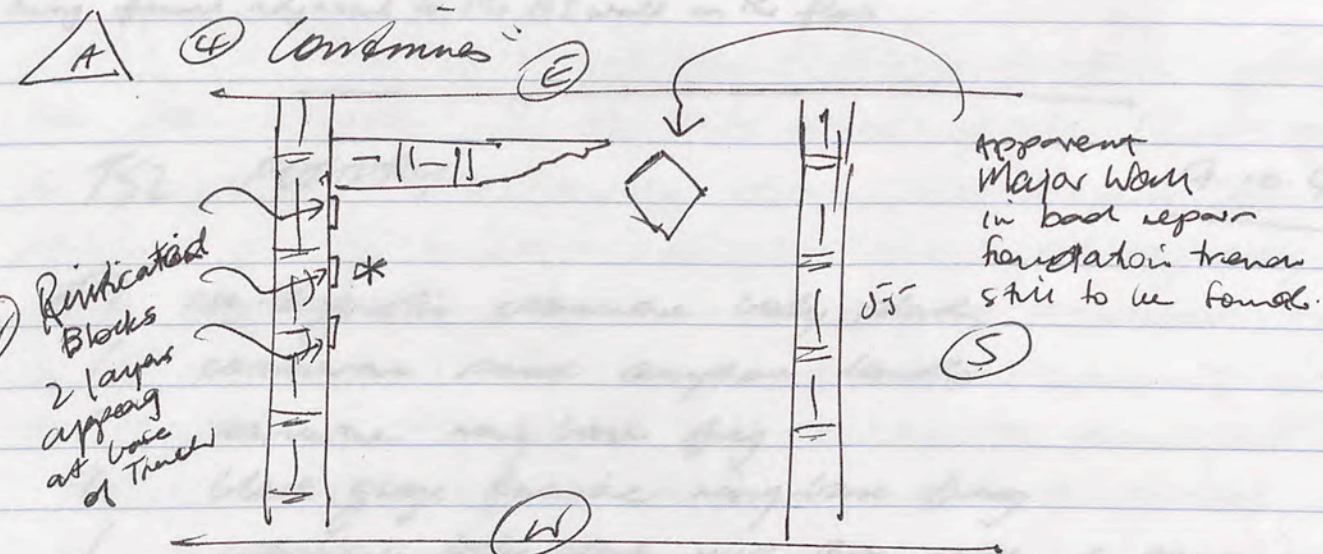
1 rim/handle frag coarseware open bowl

1 full plate rim frag coarseware

2 fragments low rim frag orange slip

TS2 ACROPOLIS.

9/10/95



Large block 60x40x90 lodged in line of external major wall.

Slow day - lots of wind.

* Indicate possible external wall as per the section of the building.

A ④ Depth in NE corner now approx 2 m. below original surface and 1.5 m. in W. (still no jetty)

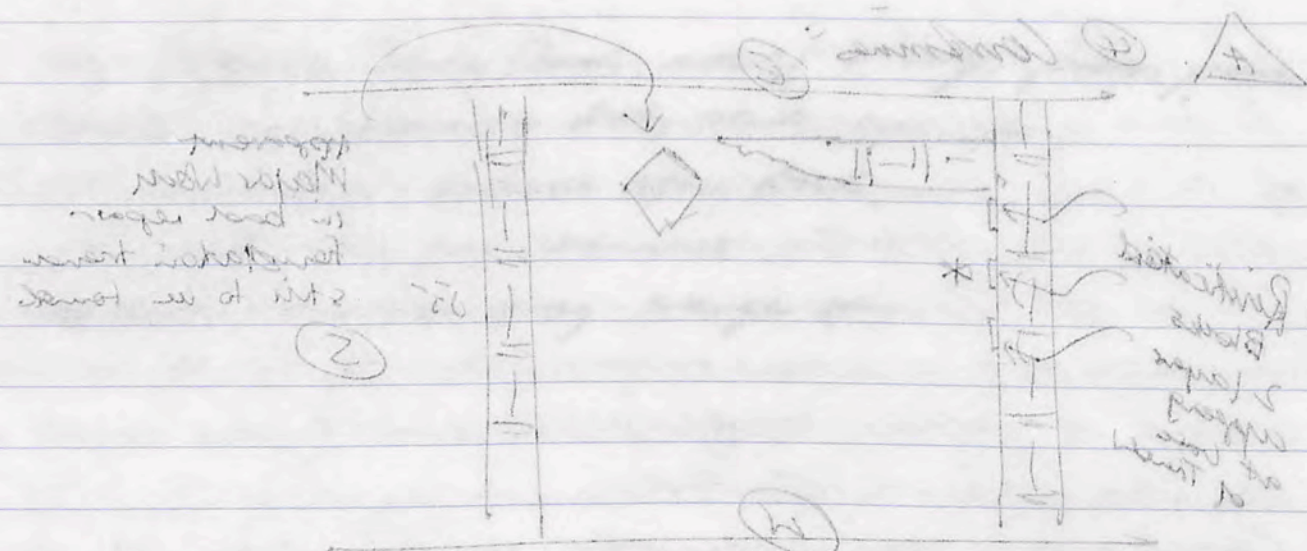
8.15 a.m. Still continuing eastwards towards the presumed NS exterior wall, at a level still not on jetty but below the original floor (to judge by the ledge at the top of the courses of rusticated stone). A little pottery is coming up, but not in quantity: the soil continues to be dusty brown, darker than the usual wind-blown dust.

8.45 The NS wall is emerging by the apparent break in the major wall. It should be cleared on its west side by the end of the morning. Where a presumed doorway appears to be in the N bank rusticated foundation stones are beginning to emerge parallel with the stones further to the N.

10.15 A door post stone with a shallow swivel hole (suggesting secondary use of the area) has come up where the NS wall appears to have a break. Stone put to one side. A small piece of bronze (part of a ring?) becomes A ④ bag. A second pivot stone has also emerged adjacent to

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T52 POTTERY



Large black 60x40x20 pottery in line of pottery

Two clay-lod of wall

* Pottery found between wall as per plan section of

the building

* Pottery in A/C corner was found 2 meters below

original surface and 1.2 m in N. (this is level)

8.10.95. Still containing pottery towards the present N2 wall

well, at a level which was on floor but below the original floor

to judge by the ledge at the top of the corner of (architectural detail)

A little pottery is coming up, but not in quantity. The wall

continues to be built down, rather than the usual brick wall

about

8.12 The N2 wall is emerging by the apparent break in this major

well. It should be cleared on its west side by the end of the

morning. When a previous boundary appears to be at the N2 wall

architectural foundation stones are beginning to emerge parallel with

the above further to the N.

10.12 A door post stone with a shallow circular hole (suggesting a central

use of the area) has come up where the N2 wall appears to have a

break. There is a small piece of pottery (part of a ring?)

below A/C wall. A second piece of pottery has also emerged adjacent to

T.52 A 4 cont'd

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the first. Pottery is A 4 2 as well as bone + charcoal, A 4 3 a complete ring found adjacent to the NS wall on the floor

T52 POTTERY

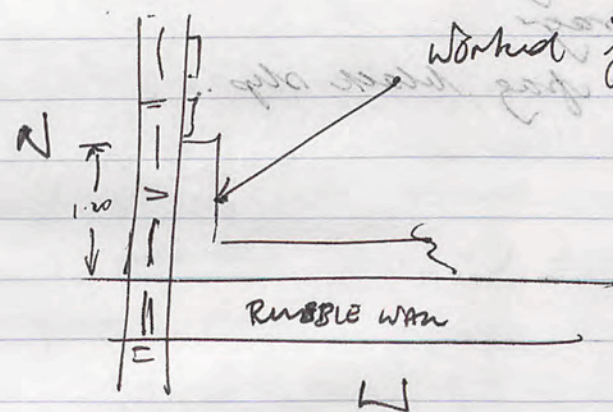
9.10.95

- 49 non-diagnostic coarseware body sherds
- 1 coarseware small amphora handle
- 1 coarseware ring-base frag
- 1 black glaze fineware ring-base frag
- 1 coarseware body sherd with deep pattern + gougling
- 1 body sherd neck frag for coarseware
- 1 large coarseware amphora stand frag. with rim

752 ACROPOLIS

11/10/95

④ Commenced with a 20 cm excavation. Gravel has been reached. In the N/W corner of the O. it appears as though there has been a trench worked into the bedrock, the top of which has flat stones shorewisely placed along it (i.e. below it is a wall & adjacent to the N main wall. A clear foundation is appearing on the N wall. 5 loam weights were excavated from pit above. Pottery, number & variety increasing. - lots of charcoal seen & associated dark soil.

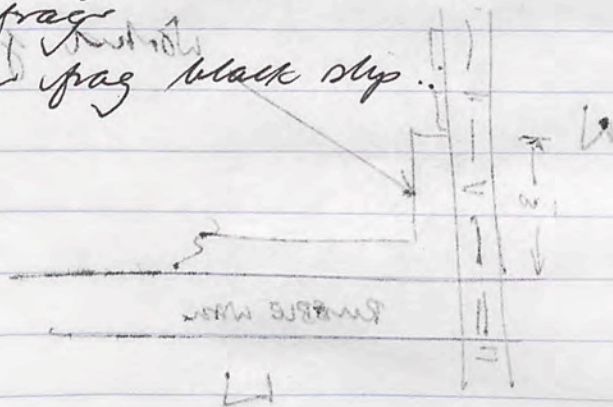


④ at end of day has completed 50% of Trench from N.

T52 ACROPOUS

11/10/95

- 90 non-diagnostic body sherds
- 1 large coarseware ring base open bowl
- 1 medium ring base open bowl sherd
- 1 orange for medium ware flat bowl ring frag.
- 1 small vessel ring base sherd
- 1 coarseware vessel handle frag.
- 1 coarseware handle (amphora)
- 1 coarseware body sherd double gorged ring
- 2 open bowl single out-turned rim frag (black rim pattern)
- 1 coarseware single rim frag open vessel
- 2 fish plate rim frag
- 1 echinus bowl rim frag black slip



It is out of the top of the wall of the T52

T52 ACROPOUS

12/10/95

A (24) is 50% complete + when the 50% finished the W end pit will be excavated to get it.

Then attack the E side of the major wall.

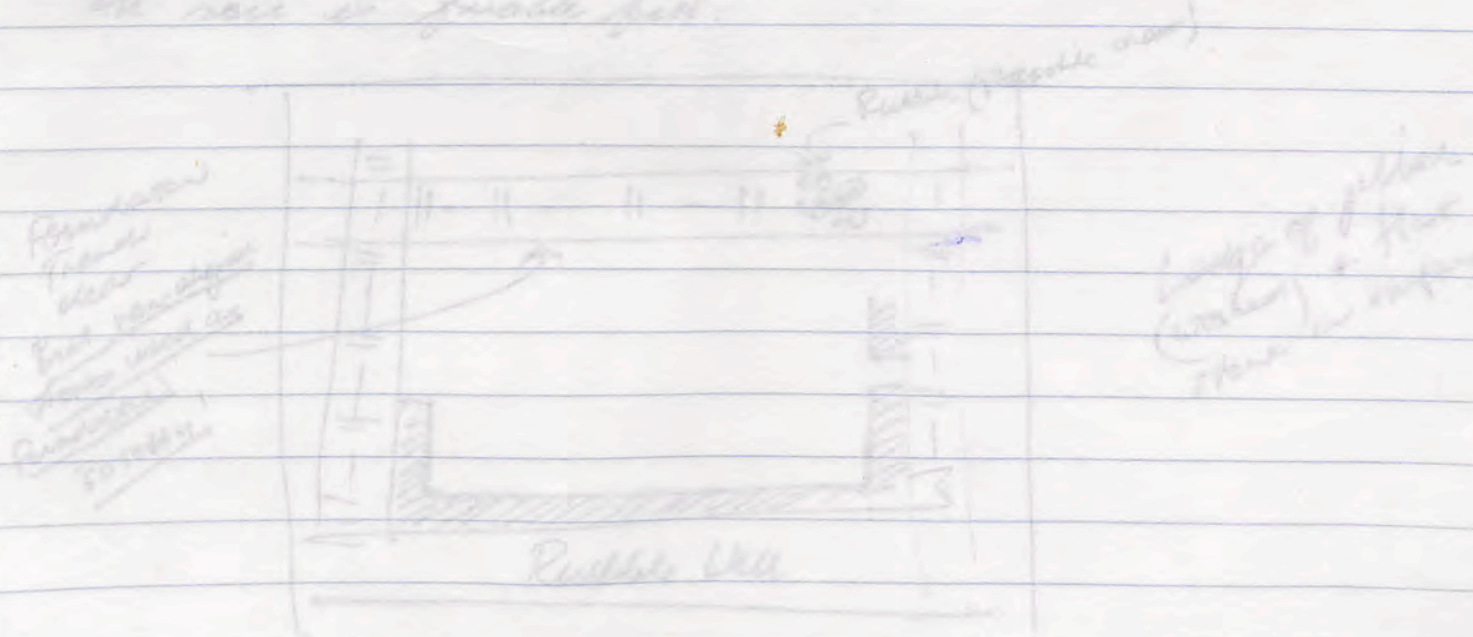
* Coin [T52F13] excavated. center trench at junction. (west adjacent to E wall).

[T52F14] Piece of ? ring or brooch found on floor near West secondary wall.

* 95. 312 Ant. III [223-187] = 90 = Demet. II

[T52F15] Bone spatula

Very complete wall approximately 2m of south to a depth of 20-30 cm but to be excavated. A large quantity of worked flint with a layer of fine flint (with the Western wall, the stone is a red fine red and appears (calc) to be the right of the 3 wall with a gap 20 cm wide (fine sand wall). Nothing was observed from the gap - larger vessels containing the soil is found pit.



TSL POTTERY

12/10/95

71. non diagnostic coarseware frags.

1 coarseware rim base complete small

1 rounded bowl base frag. medium/coarseware

1 small rim frag brown glaze open vessel

1 coarseware worked stopper?

1 echinus bowl rim frag

1 small vessel body frag orange glaze

TSL ACROPOLIS

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(A) ④ Continue (Centre Floor at 8.00 Am) 18

[TSLF14] Metal Frag (Ring)

[TSLF15] Lamp Frag.

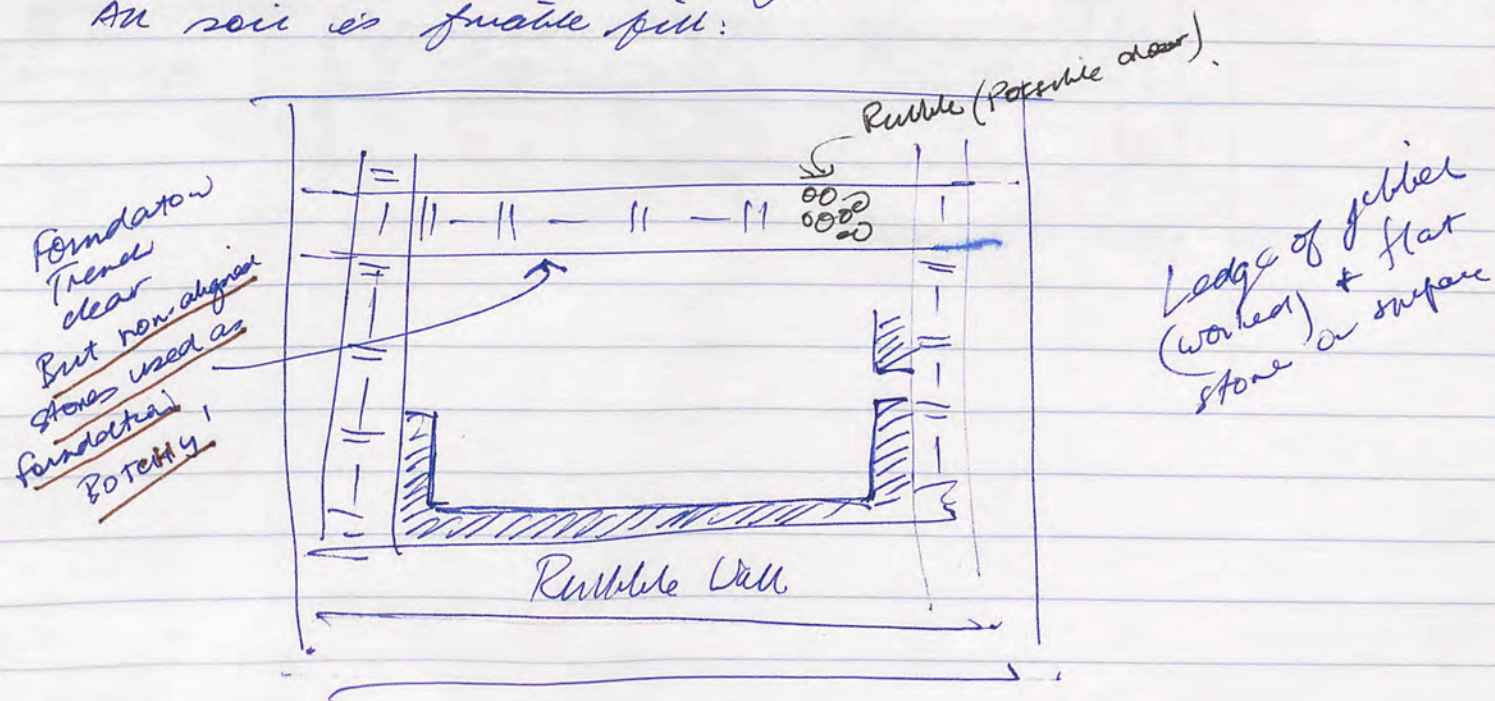
[TSLF16] Glass Frag

[TSLF17] Bone Worked Frag.

[TSLF18] BONE SPATULA

adjacent centre trench

Very complete with approximately 2m² of earth to a depth of 20-30 cms yet to be excavated. A ledge consisting of worked jellied with a layer of flat stones (with the Western Wall, 2's along the N wall from the S and appears (early) to run the length of the S wall with a gap 30 cms wide (under south wall). Pottery was excavated from the gap - largest vessel coarseware. All soil is friable fill:



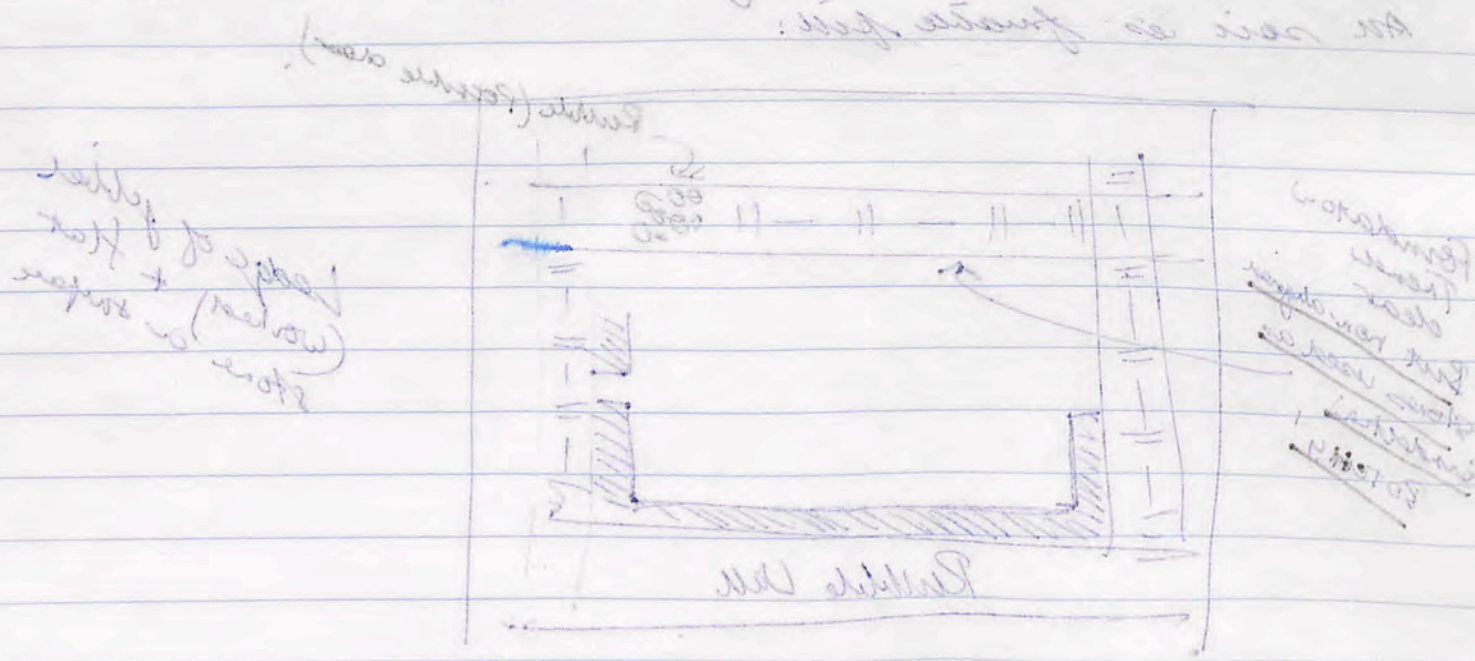
ACROPOUS T52

14/10/95

- 81 Non-diagnostic body sherds
- 1 cookware handle frag
- 1 large bowl cutrimmed rim red/grey slip
- 2 fish plate rim frags
- 2 coarseware tall vessel double rim frags
- 1 eqhem bowl frag
- 1 gresware body sherd orange glaze base side

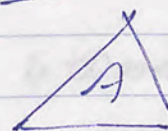
T52F18 Bone 2000000

Top complete but approximately 5m of level 6
a depth of 20-30 cm not to be excavated. A large
concentric of water filled with a layer of fine
sand for 10m then 12
and appear (but) to run the length of the 2 rows
with a gap 20 cm wide (fine sand). Below
was excavated from the gap - (largest vessel recovered)
the base of fragment 1.



T52 ACROPOUS

15/10/95



(4) Continue.

Major wall still appears batchy. S wall foundation
trench is now apparent (although depth is not).

T52F16

- Pottery stopper

T52F17

- Horned Bone/Stone

excavated S wall foundation
trench centre

Considerable scattered bone & charcoal appearing - pottery
marginal increase (nothing exciting).

15/10/95 POTTERY

ACROPOLIS

71 Non-diagnostic body sherds

1 single ware coarse ware sherd

1 body/sherdale frag. coarse ware

1 eggshells bowl fragment is glaze

1 rim frag (double) coarseware large vessel

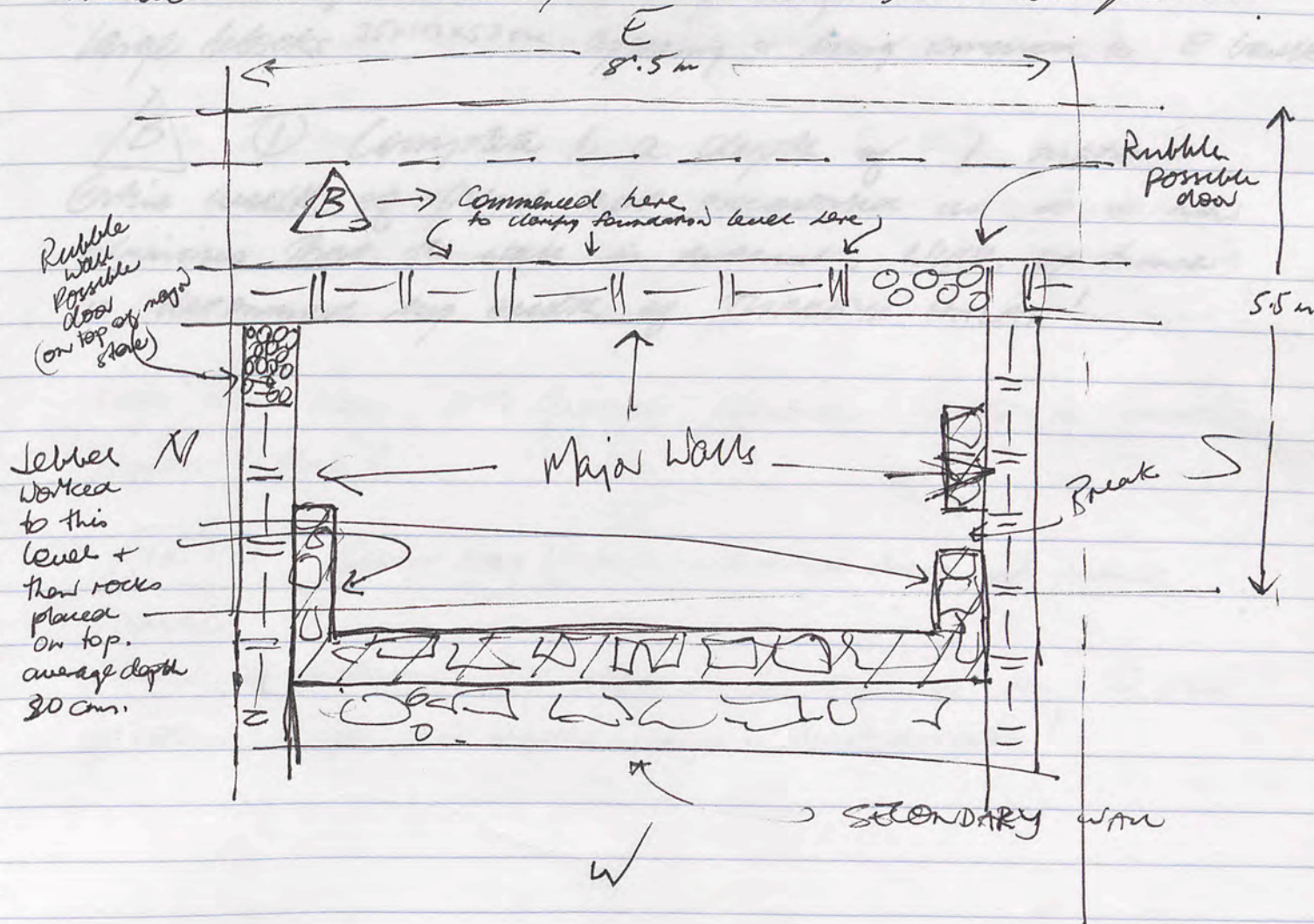
1 single rim frag plate sherd orange slip

T52 ACROPOLIS

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6:00 AM **A** Cleanup ~~cleanup~~ commenced. Completed 6:30

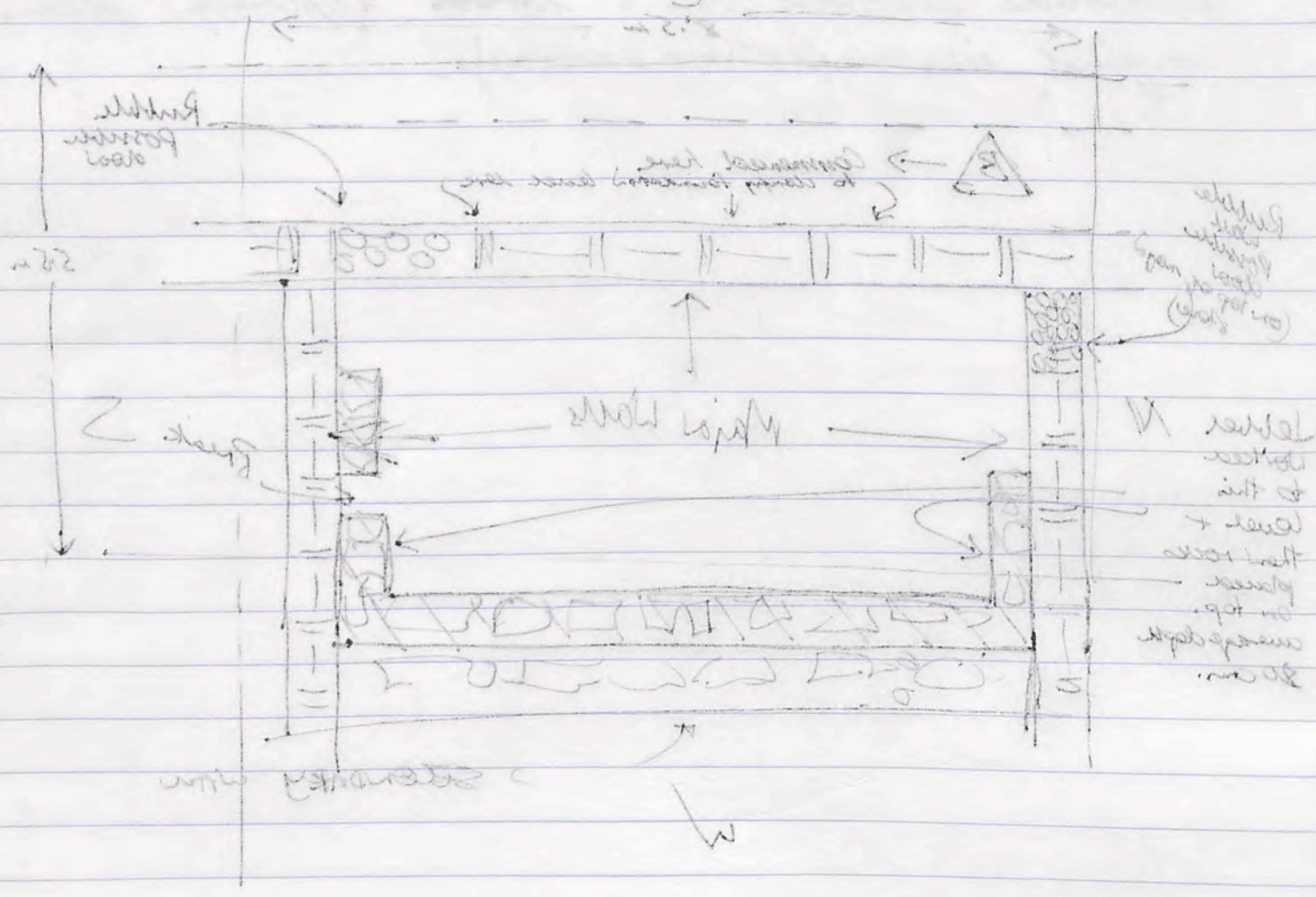
B ① is East of the Eastern external wall. to a depth of 20-30cm.
At this stage it is intended that **A** will only be wide enough to allow workers safe access to the foundation trench - not to be string line as time will not permit.



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At this stage it is not clear that the trench is not a continuation of the wall but a separate feature. It is not clear if the trench is a continuation of the wall or a separate feature. It is not clear if the trench is a continuation of the wall or a separate feature.



T52 ACROPOLIS

17/10/95

① Continues

Large primitive worked building blocks are being excavated E of the East wall. The work is slow because of the size and number of blocks. Size of blocks is consistent with all Acropolis building (major) blocks. Work which is apparent down to 40cm is 'cotter' foundation type. Soil is brown & free. Virtually no pottery. Large blocks 35x10x57cm. Appearing & being removed to E bank.

① Complete to a depth of 1 metre

Entire width of trench not excavated as it is not obvious that the wall is external. Width of trench is determined by width of TURKEYA HARAF!

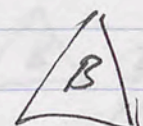
Very slow day. All ground surface tends to make people 'slow'.

[Trench] Long bag (big) removed base of trench.

While a distance of 10m is a bit of the S end of the wall at the early stage - but possible!

TSV ACROPOLIS

18/10/95



② is commenced - will complete the trench 8.5 x 1.5 m (approx) on E side of external E wall much rubble mixed with primitive stones. Numerous angles and gaps in S masonry wall indicating subsidence or seismic activity. Sub ground level wall not a 'quality' wall.

Jebel reached at N end of trench falling gradually away to south (consistent with general flow in A).

As the worked stones occupying the S 50% of the trench are so large + so lodged it will be unlikely that time will permit their removal. Do not wish to break stone as they are primitive! ... Cinta jaya?

Very slow day. Mr Quarm's absence tends to make people 'relax'!

[TBLF17.] Lamp frag (lip) excavated base of trench centre.

Unable to determine if this is a door at the S end of the wall at this early stage - but possible!

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② Will only be 80% complete. (Northern side)
Never out of - fence chain to fence 200

to Charles Williams

Remains as part of compilation
Suggest that you that there is something - large blocks
were over 2 m of 2 are not unique - not unique time!
Wikipedia might have doorway in 2 out of 1000

Occupation determination
 Consider the case. Although little will be known
 and is often on the two opposite ends of the
 Cohen spectrum. Most of the trouble has gone but
 might be that this in place there are determinants on the
 External world variables! No getting a very sharp nose.

T37F1 corn
T37F2 Metal Blade
T37F3 ^{FR 1016} ~~metal blade~~
T37F4 MET Frag
T37F5. Oxygen Bomb
T37F6 Metal Pin
T37F7 Nail
T37F8 LOOM WREN
T37F9 CORN?

T47F1. NAIL
T47F2 PLASTER.
T47F3 COIN
T47F4 COIN
T47F5 BANDAGE
T47F6 BEND
T47F7 - METAL FRAM.
~~T47F8 - AD~~
T47F8 - CLASS FRAM
T47F9 - CLASS
10 - PLASTER
T52F1 - POUNDER
T52F2 - BEND
T52F3 - WOOD PLOPE?
T52F4 CLAMP?
T52F5. GLASS
T52F6 COIN
T52F7 COIN
T52F8 Spindle whin.
T52F9 COIN
~~T52F10~~ T52F10 Ironing

~~Medibank~~
~~CC Visa/PL~~
~~EPSU~~

TSL F11 - big frag.
TSL F12 -
TSL F13 cons
14 Ring.

TB6

8m x 5.5m

putting
putting

T46 Mr Graene

(TAX)

TS2F15 - STOPPED
TS2F16 - NOTICED CAMP/STOPS
TS2F17 - CAMP STOP