

Pylos (Blegen) Excavation Records Finding-Aid

Overview

Accession Code: EXV-PYLOS (BLEGEN)

Principal Creators: Carl W. Blegen (1886-1971) and Marion Rawson (1899-1980)

Title: Pylos (Blegen) Excavation Records

Principal Dates: 1939, 1952-1969

Principal Language: English

Scope and Content: Carl W. Blegen led the excavation of the site known as the Palace of Nestor (Epano Englianos) in 1939 (with K. Kourouniotis) and from 1952-1966 (with S. Marinatos) under the auspices of both the University of Cincinnati and the American School of Classical Studies in Athens. Subsequent study by him and his team, particularly Marion Rawson, continued in the years 1965-1969 (also with S. Marinatos).

Series (and subseries) in the Pylos (Blegen) Excavation Records include: Administrative Records and Correspondence (Series I containing correspondence; material permission requests; and excavation accounts), Excavation Records (Series II containing notebooks; finds records; illustrative and photographic records; and unpublished reports/records), Studies and Publications (Series III containing manuscripts submitted for publication; specialist studies; guide to the Palace of Nestor materials; other records related to studies and publications), Pylos Tablets Records (Series IV containing administrative records and correspondence; other records), Other Records (Series V), and Artifactual Materials (Series VI containing samples and artifacts).

Access: The collection has been partially processed. Please contact the archivist for further information.

Citation: University of Cincinnati, Archives and Special Collections of the Department of Classics, Pylos (Blegen) Excavation Records

Notes (1): For additional information about the Pylos excavations, see also Blegen, Carl William under Collections – Personal Papers and Memorabilia. For additional information regarding the Pylos tablets, see Bennett, Emmett Leslie, Jr. under Collections – Personal Papers and Memorabilia. Also see the collection in the University of Cincinnati Archives and Rare Book Library regarding Carl W. Blegen. Finally, also see the collections in the Archives of the American School of Classical Studies in Athens.

Notes (2): Standards applied in this finding-aid conform to DACS (2019.0.3).

Finding-Aid: This finding-aid was last edited in July 2023.

Series I – Administrative Records and Correspondence

Subseries I.1 Correspondence

Box 01

Folder 01: 1955 letter from Rolf Hubbe, also 1956 letter from Sypridon Marinatos on Routsis tholos with photographs and news clippings

Folder 02: Correspondence between William Donovan and Carl and/or Elizabeth Blegen and Marion Rawson. One letter each to William Lord Taylour and to Lawrence Angel.

Folder 03: Correspondence Princeton Press 1965-1967 between Marion Rawson and Carl Blegen with officials at Princeton Press, especially Harriet Anderson regarding publication of Palace of Nestor volumes (see also Folders 1-3 in Box 23)

- Folder 04: Correspondence 1963-1964 Carl Blegen between Carl Blegen and Marion Rawson about Palace of Nestor
- Folder 05 Correspondence with Mabel Lang 1963-1964
- Folder 06: Correspondence between Marion Rawson and William P. Donovan regarding ms
- Folder 07: Correspondence between Cedric Boulter and Jeanette Moye
- Folder 08: Clipping of NYT article from June 5 1960 on Themistokles Decree, Personal correspondence from Marion Rawson to Florence Schepp regarding clipping
- Folder 09: Miscellaneous Correspondence 1957-1958 between Marion Rawson and Carl Blegen with John Davenport, Paul MacKendrick, Ursula Schoenheim (The Classical World)
- Folder 18: Correspondence (in Greek) from Carl Blegen Dr. Charalambos Panagopoulos (President of the Community of Chora), 1954

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- Folder 01: Correspondence Princeton Press 1963-1964 between Marion Rawson and Carl Blegen with officials at Princeton Press, especially Harriet Anderson regarding publication of Palace of Nestor volumes (see also Folder 03 in **Box 01**)
- Folder 02: Correspondence Carl Blegen 1964-1965 between Carl Blegen and Marion Rawson about Palace of Nestor volumes, also with Harriet Anderson (see also Folder 03 in **Box 01**)
- Folder 03: Carl Blegen Correspondence 1965-1966 between Carl Blegen and Marion Rawson about Palace of Nestor volumes (see also Folder 03 in **Box 01**)

Subseries I.2. Materials and Permission Requests

Box 01 (continued)

- Folder 10: 1959-1961 Correspondence, primarily regarding photograph requests from Pylos for publications
- Folder 11: 1957-1959 Correspondence, miscellaneous, often to or from Marion Rawson or Carl Blegen, includes letters regarding C14 sample analysis
- Folder 12: 1962-1965 Correspondence, miscellaneous, often to or from Marion Rawson or Carl Blegen, includes photograph requests from Pylos for publications
- Folder 13: Taylour, Lord William – Correspondence between Lord William Taylour and Marion Rawson regarding finds from the tholos tombs
- Folder 14: 1966-1968 Correspondence, miscellaneous, often to or from Marion Rawson or Carl Blegen, includes photograph requests from Pylos for publications
- Folder 15: List of Selected Slides Pylos – List of slides, list of 100 slides sent to S. Iakovides and note about sending them (1972)
- Folder 16: Correspondence regarding complementary copies of Pylos: Palace of Nestor III between various regarding distribution of complementary copies, also acknowledgments of copies
- Folder 17: Pylos Correspondence between various and especially Elizabeth Tucker Blackburn regarding permission to study materials and reports by David Reese on various sites

Subseries I.3. Excavation Accounts

Box 33

Folder 01: 1939 account notebook for Pylos excavation, accounts from Pylos and Troy – Loose cards and sheets with costs of various items and services (mainly regarding photography and copying) See also Troy (Blegen) Finding-Aid

Folder 02: 1956-1961 account notebooks (photocopy)

Folder 03: 1954 food supply notebook (photocopy)

Folder 04: 1955-1956 food supply notebook (photocopy)

Folder 05: 1956, 1959 food supply notebook (photocopy)

Folder 06: 1957 food supply notebook (photocopy)

Folder 07: 1958 food supply notebook (photocopy)

Folder 08: 1939-1952 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 09: 1954 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 10: 1955 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 11: 1956-1958 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 12: 1958-1960 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 13: 1961 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 14: 1964 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 15: 1965 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Folder 16: 1966 weekly wages notebook (photocopy)

Series II – Excavation Records

Subseries II.1.i-iii. Notebooks

Box 02

Folder 01: Lists and correspondence regarding microfilmed Pylos notebooks seven boxes of microfilmed excavation notebooks, including pottery inventories (2 complete sets for a total of 14 microfilm rolls)

two boxes of microfilmed Pylos tablet images (Set #1 A-Z, Set #2 52-1 – 52.10, 54A, 54B)

two boxes of microfilmed Pylos Notebooks 1960-1969, (ASC NW 001.1-1.8 and ASC MN 002.1-2.8), both are labeled as reading copies

Subseries II.2.i. Pottery

(SEE **BOX 31**)

Pylos Pots Measurements by Shapes in red binder

Subseries II.3.i. Records/Lists

(SEE **BOX 31**)

Lists of photographs, list of photos taken in the National Museum of Greece in Athens, also loose sheets with notes about photographs in blue spiral-bound notebook

Inventory of Records at University of Cincinnati and American School of Classical Studies, Athens, and Database Log of Black White Photographs prepared by Minnesota Archaeological Researches in the Western Peloponnesos, 1991 in red binder

Subseries II.3.ii-iii. Drawings and Architectural Plans/Maps (in Pylos Flat-File #1)

Box 36 (Drawer #1)

Palace of Nestor I illustrations

Folder 01: Profiles for shapes 1-5 [from Plate 350], 6, 14-16, 17, 19, 21-22, 26-27, 31-36, 40-41, 47, 63, 65a, 66, 68, 77, 79-80.

Folder 02: Piet de Jong plan of bathtub (Plate 422). Plates 449, 458, 464, 466, 473, 484, and 272.2, 6-7. Profiles of shapes 9-10, 28, 29c-e, 29g, 29i, 39, 45, 48a, 62, 76.

Folder 03: Plate 469 (plan and elevation of doorway to room 55).

Folder 04: Piet de Jong section of bathtub (Plate 422). Plates 468, 272.5, 272.8-9.

Folder 05: Nine drawings of seals [see also Pini 1997 Plates 4-5, 10, 40-41].

Folder 06: Original Piet de Jong drawing of marble table (Plate 272.1).

Folder 07: Unpublished plans of court 47, room 60, archives annex, and earlier wall under archives room.

Folder 08: Overlays for plates 425, 426, 427.

“Explanation Sheet” on sketch paper.

Room 21 and surroundings plan (sketch paper).

P. de Jong 1964 plan and section of throne room (plate 418).

P. de Jong original drawing of octopus stirrup jar (plate 348.4).

P. de Jong original drawings of seals (plate 312; Pini 1997, tafeln 1-3) [nine drawings of seals including Pini 1997 plates 4-5, 10, 40-41 in folder 05].

Plan of middle section of Northeastern exterior wall by Hero Athanasdiades (plate 414).

Plan of southeastern section of Northeastern exterior wall by Hero Athanasdiades (plate 415).

D. R. Theocharis plan rooms 23-24 (plate 420).

D. R. Theocharis plan rooms 23-24 (new copy) (plate 420).

Plan of northwestern section of Northeastern exterior wall of main building by Hero Athanasdiades (plate 413).

Drawing of shapes 49-50.

Drawing of shapes 51-53.

Drawing of shapes 54a-b, 55a.

Drawing of shapes 56-58.

Drawing of shapes 61-64.

Drawing of shapes 65a-65f.

Drawing of shapes 66-72.

Drawing of shapes 73-75.

Drawing of shapes 76-77.

Drawing of shapes 78-80.

Drawing of shapes 1-5 [see Folders 1 and 2 for individual drawings].

Drawing of shapes 6-10.

Drawing of shapes 11-19.

Drawing of shapes 20-25.

Drawing of shapes 26-28, 29a-d.

Drawing of shapes 29e-g.

Drawing of shapes 29h-i.

Drawing of shapes 30a-30c.

Drawing of shapes 31-33.

Drawing of shapes 39-41.

Drawing of shapes 42-44.

Drawing of shapes 45-48b.

Drawing of shapes 59-60.
 Photos of miscellaneous pots (plate 348).
 Tholos tomb section drawing by D.R. Theocharis.
 P. de Jong plan and section of bathtub (plate 422) [plan in folder 02; section in folder 04].
 D. R. Theocharis plan of megaron (plate 404).
 P. de Jong reconstruction of coping over hearth—first period (plate 423a).
 P. de Jong reconstruction of coping over hearth—second period (plate 423b).
 P. de Jong 1964 reconstruction of Halls 64, 65, and stairway 69 (plate 419).
 D. R. Theocharis plan of megaron and exploratory trenches (plate 403).
 David French plan of wine magazine 104-105 (plate 438).
 Plan and elevation of doorways (plate 429).
 Plan and elevation of doorways 2 (plate 436).
 Plan and elevation of doorways 3 (plates 16-17, 20-21, 23-24, 437-442).
 Plan and elevation of doorways 4 (plates 443-448)
 Plan and elevation of doorways 5 (plates 449-454) [plate 449 in folder 02].
 Plan and elevation of doorways 6 (plates 455-459) [plate 458 in folder 02].
 Plan and elevation of doorways 7 (plates 460-464) [plate 464 in folder 02].
 Plan and elevation of doorways 8 (plate 466-469) [plate 466 in folder 02; plate 469; in folder 03; plate 468 in folder 04].
 Plan and elevation of doorways 9 (plates 470-477) [plate 473 in folder 02].
 Plan and elevation of doorways 10 (plates 478-484) [plate 484 in folder 02].
 Profile of marble stone lamp (plate 272.3).
 Profiles of miscellaneous objects (plate 272) [plates 272.2, 272.6-7 in folder 02; plates 272.5, 272.8-9 in folder 04; plate 272.1 (original P. de Jong drawing) in folder 06].
 Profiles for shapes 1-2 [shape 1 in folder 02].
 Profiles for shapes 2-5 [shapes 3-5 in folder 01].
 Profile for shapes 6-10, 15 [shapes 6, 15 in folder 01; shapes 9-10 in folder 02].
 Profile for shapes 11-12, 17, 19, 29c, 30c, 33 [shapes 17, 19 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shapes 73-80 [shape 76 in folder 02; shapes 77, 79-80 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shapes 13-14, 16, 18-19 [shapes 14, 16 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shapes 20-25 [shapes 21-22 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shape 26-29a [shapes 26-27 in folder 01; shape 28 in folder 02].
 Profiles for shapes 29b-f [shapes 29c-e in folder 02].
 Profiles for shapes 29g-i [shapes 29g, in folder 02].
 Profiles for shapes 30a-c, 31-33 [shapes 31-33 in folder 01].
 Profile for shapes 34-37 [shapes 34-36 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shapes 38-44.
 Profile for shapes 38-44 [shape 39 in folder 02; shapes 40-41 in folder 01].
 Shapes 45-48b [shape 45, 48a in folder 02; shape 47 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shapes 49-50 (plate 374).
 Profiles for shape 50 (plate 374).
 Profile for shape 49.
 Profile for shapes 54a-b.
 Profile for shapes 56-57.
 Profiles for shapes 58-59.
 Profiles for shapes 60, 64.

Profiles for shapes 61-63 [shape 63 in folder 01].
 Profile for shape 61-62 [shape 62 in folder 02].
 Profiles for shapes 65a, 65b1-b3 [shape 65a in folder 01].
 Profile for shape 65b3.
 Profiles for shapes 65c-f.
 Drawings by Hero Athanasdiades of stirrup vases 674, 614, 698, 809, 613, 697, and 669
 (plate 394).
 Profiles for shapes 66-71 [shape 66 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shapes 68-72 [shape 68 in folder 01].
 Profiles for shapes 73-74.

Box 37 (Drawer #2)

Palace of Nestor I illustrations (continued)

Folder 01: Plates 245; 273.1; 273.12; 269.8-11; 316.1; 319; 354 nos. 16, 32, 981; 376
 nos. 378, 415, 521.

Folder 02: Cover page for paste up of illustrations sent to author.

Folder 03: Photo stats for shape 4 and plate 413.

Folder 04: Negatives for shapes 6-10.

Folder 05: Negatives for shapes 13-28.

Folder 06: Negatives for shapes 29b-f.

Folder 07: Negatives for shapes 30a-c, 45, 46a, 46b, 47, 48b.

Folder 08: Negatives for shapes 32-33, 39-41, 60.

Photo stat for plate 428.

Photo stat for plates 437-442.

Photo stat for shapes 1-5.

Photo stat for shapes 30a-30c, 31-32.

Photo stat for vessel no. 218.

Photo stat for vessel no. 225.

Photo stat for vessel no. 367.

Photo stat for vessel no. 435.

Photo stat for vessel no. 441.

Photo stat for vessel no. 507.

Profile for vessel no. 218.

Profiles for vessel no. 225.

Profile for vessel no. 367.

Profile for vessel no. 435.

Profile for vessel no. 441.

Profile for vessel no. 507.

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Plates 313-315.
Plate 316 [316.1 in folder 1].
Plates 319-320 [319 in folder 1].
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Plate 354 [nos. 16, 32, 981 in folder 01].
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 Plates 243-248 [245 in folder 1].
 Plate 269 [269.8-11 in folder 1].
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 Plates 289-291.
 Plates 300-302.
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Box 38 (Drawer #3)

Palace of Nestor III illustrations

Folder 01: Photocopies of plans and sections by H.A. Shelley and sketches by D.R. Theocharis.

Folder 02: Notes on material moved by Elizabeth Tucker Blackburn and material formerly stored in portfolio.

Pencil sketch Tomb E-4 by W.P. Donovan.

Ink drawing Tomb E-4 (plate 338) by W.P. Donovan.

Pencil sketch Tomb E-6 by W.P. Donovan.

Ink drawing Tomb E-6 (plate 339) by W.P. Donovan.

Pencil drawing Tomb E-8 (plate 340) by W.P. Donovan.

Ink drawing Tomb E-8 (plate 340) by W.P. Donovan.

Pencil drawing Tomb E-9 and E-10 (plates 341-342) by W.P. Donovan.

Ink drawing Tomb E-9 (plate 341) by W.P. Donovan.

Ink drawing Tomb E-10 (plate 342) by W.P. Donovan.

Ink drawing contour plan of Englianos by J.E. Fant.

Overlay for plates 109-113.

Overlay for plates 114-118.

Overlay for plate 169.

Overlay for plate 172.

Overlay for plate 190.

Overlay for plate 194.

Overlay for plate 227.

Overlay for plate 228.

Overlay for plate 233.

Overlay for plates 235.

Overlay for plate 236.

Overlay for plate 244.

Overlay for plate 273.

Overlay for plates 347-350.

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Contour plan of Englianos by J.E. Fant.
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Box 39 (Drawer #4)

Palace of Nestor I and III plans

Folder 01: Miscellaneous drawing; plan of palace of Nestor by W.B.D., JR.

Folder 02: Tracing paper plan of 1939 survey points, directions, and distances [pencil fading].

Plan of the acropolis of the palace of Nestor (Vol. III, plate 302).

Trench LT I section drawing by G Papanasthopoulos (Vol. III, plate 313).

Volume III, plates 313-314.

Heliotype for plan of site 1960 (vol. III, plate 302).

1958 Pencil sketch of plan of room 27 by Pathanasthopoulos (vol. I, plate 421).

1958 Plan of room 27 by Pathanasthopoulos (vol. I, plate 421).

1958 plan of rooms 23-24, 82-83 with Bill Kittredge's walls superimposed.

Plan showing phases of construction of Southwestern Building (vol. I, plate 412).

Plan of trial trenches on Ano Englianos (vol. I, plate 401).

Plan of walls of palace at Ano Englianos (vol. I, plate 402).

Photocopy of plan of trial trenches on Ano Englianos (vol. I, plate 401).

Photocopy of plan of trial trenches on Ano Englianos (vol. I, plate 401).

Photocopy of plan of walls of palace at Ano Englianos (vol. I, plate 402).

Photocopy of plan of walls of palace at Ano Englianos (vol. I, plate 402).

Photocopy of plan of acropolis of Pylos and Palace of Nestor (vol. I, plate 416).

Box 40 (Drawer #5)

Palace of Nestor I plans

1957 plan of Palace of Nestor.

1953 plan of Palace of Nestor by Theocharis (plate 405).

1956 plan of Palace of Nestor by Theocharis (plate 408).

Palace of Nestor 1958 plan with red pencil labels of room numbers.

1955 plan of Palace of Nestor by Theocharis with pencil shading.

1955 plan of Palace of Nestor by Theocharis with pencil shading.

Travalos 1964 plan of Palace of Nestor.

Travalos 1964 plan of Palace of Nestor.

Plan of the acropolis of the Palace of Nestor with pencil annotations.

Pylos 1959 plan by Pathanasthopoulos (vol. I, plate 411).

1959 plan of NE gate and wall, Belvedere area.

Box 34

Palace of Nestor I illustrations

Folder 01: Four sheets with guide to corrections to plates.

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Folder 04: Plates 11-12.
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Folder 97: Photo stats for shapes 1-5, 12, 16, 29e, 34-38, 42-44, 47, 49-53, 54b, 55a, 56-58, 60-62, 64, 65b3, 65c-d, 65f, 66-71, 73-77, 80.

Folder 98: Positives for shapes 1-5, 16, 34-37, 42-43, 47, 49, 51-52, 58, 61-62, 64, 65b-d, 65f, 66, 69-74 76, 80.

Box 35

Palace of Nestor III illustrations

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Folder 33: Pen and ink drawings of plate 195.1-195.22.

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 Folder 63: Photo copy of plate 411.
 Folder 64: Pen and ink drawings of small objects by H.A. Sheiley after W.D. Taylour;
 unused in vol. III.
 Folder 65: Plates 325, 334-335, 337.
 Folder 66: 1959 sketch of wall stones NW of roadway by Marion Rawson adapted by
 Angela Evans.
 Folder 67: 1960 sketch and overlay of stratification seen in SW bank by Marion Rawson
 adapted by Angela Evans.

Subseries II.3.iv. Photographs and Slides

Box 03

Pylos Photo Albums: 1939, 1952-1955 (three albums total)
 Pylos Snapshots Album (1952-1954)

Box 04

Pylos Photo Albums: 1956-1960 (five albums total)

Box 05

Pylos Photo Albums: 1961-1966 (four albums total)

Box 06

Pylos Color Slides 1951-1954

Box 07

Pylos Color Slides 1955-1956.5

Box 08

Pylos Color Slides 1956.6-13, B-E, F14, F15, 1957.5

Box 09

Pylos Color Slides 1957.6-1958.15

Box 10

Pylos Color Slides 1959

Box 11

Pylos Color Slides 1960A, 1-6, MAF, 1961-1962

Box 12

Pylos Color Slides Selected Slides

Pylos Color Slides Frescoes (Watercolors 1)

Folder 01: List of Selected Slides

Box 13

Pylos Color Slides Frescoes (Watercolors 2)

Pylos Color Slides Frescoes (Fragments 1 and 2)

Box 14

Pylos Views and Pots 35 mm Negatives 1939-1968 (two small boxes)

Pylos 35 mm Negatives PE63.1-PE 63.4; ML 65, 66, 67; PL.64 (two small boxes)

Pylos Tablets and Sealings 35 mm Negatives (two small boxes)

Box 15

Pylos CWB P1953-1959 5"x4" negatives

Pylos Negatives of Illustrations from PNII (Alison Franz, Emile Seráfis, Black & White, Color)

Box 16

Pylos CBW 2"x2" Negatives 1939, 1952-1958

Box 17

Pylos CBW 2"x2" Negatives 1959-1969

Subseries II.4. Unpublished Reports/Records

Box 18

Unpublished Excavation Reports Organized by Area

- Folder 01: Court of the Megaron manuscripts (two total), note card with miscellaneous information
- Folder 02: Portico manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 03: Vestibule manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 04: Throne Room manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 05: Archive Rooms (7 and 8) notecard with photograph list
- Folder 06: Room 9 (formerly 25) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 07: Room 10 (formerly 24) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 08: Room 11 (formerly 23) manuscripts (two total))
- Folder 09: Room 12 (formerly 21) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 10: Room 13 (formerly 14) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 11: Stairway 14 (formerly Room of Stairway) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 12: Room 15 (formerly 13) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 13: Room 16 (formerly 12) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 14: Room 17 (formerly 11) manuscripts (three total)
- Folder 15: Area R 1953 Preliminary Report manuscript regarding Rooms 18-21, notecards with photograph lists (and other information on backs)
- Folder 16: Area RH Preliminary Reports manuscripts (two total) regarding Rooms 22, 23, 24, notecards with photograph lists (and other information on backs)
- Folder 17: Area M Preliminary Report Feb. to April 1959 manuscript regarding Rooms 25-44, notecards with photograph lists (and other information on backs)
- Folder 18: Preliminary Report Area ME 1956 manuscripts (two total – typed one dated to March 1957) regarding Rooms 45-57, notecards with photograph lists (and other information on backs)
- Folder 19: Trench of SW Wall of Central Building manuscripts (two total) regarding trench of SW wall of central building (also called Wall W, Wall HN, Wall A)
- Folder 20: Paved Area SE and SW of S Corner of Archives Room Annex manuscripts (two total) regarding paved area SE and SW of S corner of Archives Room Annex (Court 58)
- Folder 21: Drains (in Areas EB, T, etc.) manuscripts (two total) regarding drains (in Areas EB, T, etc.)
- Folder 22: Ramp 59 (formerly Rooms 61 and 65) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 23: Room 60 (formerly 62) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 24: Corridor/Room 61 (formerly Room 63) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 25: Court 63 (formerly Billy's Court and Room 2) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 26: Old Throne Room SW of Hall HS (Room/Hall 65) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 27: Hall HS or H (Room/Hall 64 – Room with Three Columns SW of Wall S) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 28: Northwest of Hall HS (Rooms 66-70) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 29: Room 31 (71 new) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 30: Room 32 (72 new) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 31: Room 39 (73 new) manuscripts (two total), notecard with photographic list
- Folder 32: Room 38 (75 new) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 33: Room 34 (76 new – light well?) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 34: Room 37 (77 new) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 35: Room 36 (78 new) manuscripts (two total)

- Folder 36: Room 40 (79 new) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 37: Room 35 (not a room) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 38: Room 81 (82 new) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 39: Court H (Court 88 new) manuscripts (two total)
- Folder 40: SE End of Court H (89, 90 new – bathroom) manuscripts (two total)

Box 19

Unpublished Excavation Reports Organized by Area continued

- Folder 01: Area MNE 1957 Preliminary Report manuscript (dated April 1958), notecard with photograph list, handwritten list of photographs for specific areas, Key of Room Numbers on Plans
- Folder 02: Area M (MY Trenches) 1958 Preliminary Report manuscripts (two total – typed one dated March 1960), notecards with photograph lists, handwritten list of photographs for specific areas, handwritten list of corrections
- Folder 03: 1959 Marion Rawson Preliminary Report with handwritten excavation notes [summary from notebooks?], handwritten small sheets of photographs[?]
- Folder 04: 1960 Marion Rawson Preliminary Report manuscripts (two total – typed one dated August 27, 1960), loose sheets of notes, envelope containing handwritten notes
- Folder 05: Wall Hunt and Belvedere 1959 Preliminary Report manuscripts (two total – typed one dated November 1959-January 1960), handwritten list of photographs for specific areas.

Box 20

Annual Short Reports

- Folder 01: 1952 manuscript regarding excavation [assumed to be short version for “press, etc.” listed on other folders]
- Folder 02: 1954 manuscript regarding excavation
- Folder 03: 1955 manuscripts (three total) regarding excavation
- Folder 04: 1956 manuscripts (four total, one in Greek) regarding excavation
- Folder 05: 1957 manuscripts (two total) regarding excavation
- Folder 06: 1958 manuscripts (two total) regarding excavation
- Folder 07: 1959 manuscript regarding excavation
- Folder 08: 1961 mimeographed manuscript regarding excavation
- Folder 09: 1966 manuscript regarding excavation, sent to Greek Archaeological Service and George Papathanasopoulos but not published in AJA
- Folder 10 (Bookkeeping at Nestor’s Pylos Paper for Philosophical Society 1951?): Typed manuscript (2) entitled “Bookkeeping at Nestor’s Pylos” with handwritten annotations

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- Folder 04: Excerpts sent to Princeton Press – Typed manuscript about shallow angular bowls with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about Propylon with handwritten annotations, typed manuscript about excerpts regarding the palace sent on Oct 30 1963, typed manuscript about material sent to Princeton on Oct 30 1963, typed manuscripts (4) about main building with handwritten annotations,

typed manuscripts (4) about Room 21 with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about Ramp 59 in the Southwestern Building with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about Room 98 in the Northeastern Building with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about the pottery with handwritten annotation, typed manuscript about Doorway from Room 20 into Court 89 with handwritten annotations, handwritten sheet about Rooms 21 and 98 and Ramp 59, handwritten sheets with notes

Folder 6: 1953 report, in edited form, appears in 1953 (Winter) *Archaeology*

Series III – Studies and Publications

Subseries III.1. Original Manuscripts Submitted for Publication

Box 21

Folder 01: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations at Pylos, 1952” manuscript, *American Journal of Archaeology*

Folder 02: “King Nestor’s Palace New Discoveries” (published in Winter 1953 issue) manuscript, *Archaeology*, handwritten list of illustrations, reprint of pages from issue

Folder 03: “Excavations at Pylos, 1953” manuscripts (three total), *American Journal of Archaeology*, handwritten list of illustrations, two typed lists of illustrations

Folder 04: “Nestor’s Pylos” (published in January 16, 1954 issue) handwritten and typed manuscripts (three total typed), handwritten list of illustrations, typed list of illustrations, copies (6) of pages from ILN

Folder 05: (An Early Tholos Tomb in Western Messenia)

Folder 06: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1954” manuscript, *American Journal of Archaeology*, handwritten lists (two total) of illustrations

Folder 07: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1955” manuscripts (four total), *American Journal of Archaeology*, handwritten list of illustrations, typed list of illustrations

Folder 08: “The Palace of Nestor” (published in April 7, 1956 issue) manuscripts (two total), typed list of illustrations, copies (5) of pages from ILN

Folder 09: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1956” manuscripts (two total), *American Journal of Archaeology*, typed list of illustrations

Folder 10: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1957” manuscript, typed list of illustrations

Folder 11: The Palace of Nestor *Scientific American* 1958 Typed manuscripts (2) of article and of illustrations (1)

Folder 12: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1958” manuscript, typed list of illustrations, letter to Richard Stillwell from Marion Rawson regarding illustrations

Folder 13: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1959” manuscript, typed list of illustrations

Folder 14: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1960” manuscript, typed list of illustrations, notecards with corrections for manuscript

Folder 15: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1961” manuscript, typed list of illustrations

Folder 16: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1962” manuscript, typed list of illustrations

Folder 17: “The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1963” manuscript

Folder 18: "The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1964" manuscripts (two total), typed lists of illustrations (two total), handwritten corrections for manuscript, handwritten letter to Marion Rawson from Carl Blegen regarding manuscript

Folder 19: "The Palace of Nestor Excavations of 1965" manuscript, typed list of illustrations, letter to Richard Stillwell from Jack Caskey regarding manuscript

Subseries III.2. Specialist Studies

Box 21 (continued)

Folder 20: Amber Curt Beck – Correspondence between Marion Rawson and Curt Beck regarding amber, reprint of Curt Beck article in *Nature* 201 (1964)

Folder 21: Pylos Sealings – Correspondence between various and especially Elizabeth Blegen and Marion Rawson and Ingo Pini and Elizabeth Tucker Blackburn regarding tablets and sealings, typed manuscript (2) about seals and sealings from Engianos with handwritten annotations, typed manuscript about concordance of 1957 sealings with handwritten annotations, handwritten manuscript about questions about sealings, typed manuscript about concordance of 1958 sealings with handwritten annotations, handwritten manuscript about concordance of 1958 sealings, typed manuscript about sealings from Pylos in order of museum numbers with handwritten annotations, typed manuscript about seals and seal impressions with handwritten annotations, handwritten manuscript about 1957 photographing sealings, handwritten manuscript about concordance of 1957 sealings

Folder 22: Pylos Inventoried Pots Listed by Rooms – Handwritten and typed lists of individual vessels in individual areas listed by room number

Folder 23: Pylos Pottery Inventory – Handwritten and typed lists of individual vessels in individual areas listed by vessel number

Folder 24: Carbon 14 Miss Kohler – Correspondence between Ellen Kohler and Marion Rawson regarding C-14 samples

Subseries III.3. Guide to the Palace at Nestor Records

Box 22

Folder 01: manuscripts (three total) of Guide, handwritten (two total) and typed (two total) manuscripts of illustrations, manuscript of comments and corrections

Folder 02: miscellaneous notes on the guide, notecards (two sets) regarding illustration captions and layout

Folder 03: galley proofs of manuscript, cover color samples, cover samples

Folder 04: lists of corrections to galley proof and to dummy

Folder 05: 1961-1963 correspondence between Marion Rawson and Carl Blegen regarding comments/corrections, and between primarily Marion Rawson, Carl Blegen, Jack Caskey of the University of Cincinnati and primarily William Glick and Harold Hugo of Meriden Gravure Company regarding publication of guide and comments/corrections; also list of individuals to whom complimentary copies were to be sent and acknowledgments of receipt by various; also, requests for copies by various; also correspondence between Jack Caskey and Robert Martin of the University bookstore regarding orders of the Guide

Folder 06: 1963-1965 correspondence between Jack Caskey and Harold Hugo regarding a second printing with corrections; also correspondence between Jack Caskey and

- primarily William Glick regarding the second printing; also correspondence between Jack Caskey and Robert Martin of the University bookstore regarding orders of the Guide; also a request from the Library of Congress for a copy; also correspondence between Jack Caskey and Donald Bradeen to Dean Ralph Bursick regarding proceeds of the Guide to the Semple Classics Fund; also, requests for copies by various
- Folder 07: list of corrections for the third printing of the Guide, copy of Guide with corrections written in it, photo of hounds (P.L. 64.5); 1967 correspondence between Jack Caskey and John Peckham and William Glick of Meriden Gravure regarding a third printing with corrections
- Folder 08: 1971-1973 correspondence requesting copies by various; also purchase orders for copies by various from the University of Cincinnati bookstore
- Folder 09: 1977-1978 correspondence between Bernard Fenik and Buell Hunt of Meriden Gravure regarding reprinting the Guide; also correspondence between Nancy Winter and Jack Caskey about the Guide
- Folder 10: 1983 correspondence between Marian McAllister and E. Tucker Blackburn requesting additional supplies of the Guide; 1984 correspondence between E. Tucker Blackburn and primarily John Peckham of Meriden Gravure regarding orders for the reprinting of the Guide; also correspondence between E. Tucker Blackburn and Lucy Krystallis regarding Guide; 1985-1990 correspondence between E. Tucker Blackburn and primarily Lucy Krystallis regarding supplies of the Guide; also 1984-1985 invoices sent by E. Tucker Blackburn to various fulfilling requests of the Guide
- Folder 11: 1990-1991 and 1995 correspondence between E. Tucker Blackburn and various regarding reprinting the Guide
- Folder 12: two copies of the Guide (1962 original printing, 1978 fifth printing) in English, one in Greek (1964)

Subseries III.4. Other Records Related to Studies and Publications

Box 23

- Folder 01: Vol. I Advance Publicity – Official letter of publication to Carl Blegen, Publication prospectus, Princeton Book Catalogs, List of individuals to receive complimentary copies
- Folder 02: Individual small sheets regarding pottery, handwritten list of JLC photos of pottery in order of shape
- Folder 03: Individual sheets regarding pottery, handwritten list of illustrations in order of appearance in text, handwritten notes, typed sheet with dimensions of blocks in certain areas
- Folder 04: Mabel Lang's Lecture – Photocopy of typed lecture and note to Rawson
- Folder 05: Pylos Pots: Dimensions and capacities of various shapes – handwritten manuscript listing dimensions and capacities of individual vessels
- Folder 06: Material for Tables – handwritten sheets and cards about wall measurements in Palace of Nestor I [this information was not presented for tabular form in the final publication]
- Folder 07: Pylos Photographs for illustrations – Handwritten list of photographs for publication [for Palace of Nestor volume?]

- Folder 08: Volume II List of Photographs Vol III Plaster Catalogue – Correspondence between Mabel Lang and Elizabeth Tucker Blackburn, Plaster catalogue by Provenience, list of photographs
- Folder 09: PN I Complimentary Copies – lists of individuals who are to receive copies of Palace of Nestor I
- Folder 10: Pylos Photographs – Pictures used for illustrations

Reviews and Popular Media

(SEE **BOX 31**)

- Folder 07: Pylos 1967 Publicity – opening of museum at Chora newspaper articles (three, in Greek), program from museum opening, photos from event
- Folder 08: PN III Reviews – Various Reviews
- Folder 09: Envelope 3 Report of Messenia Expedition – Newsletter about expedition by William McDonald, Newspaper clipping about review of Progress into the Past, Copy of the Minnesotan with article about McDonald's work
- Folder 10: Various newspaper clippings
- Folder 11: The Listener, November 24 1955, with part I of article on Pylos, The Listener, December 1 1955, with part II of article on Pylos, The Listener, November 7 1963, with article on CBW's excavations at Troy
- Folder 12: Copy of Cincinnati Pictorial Enquirer January 29 1956

Box 24

- Folder 01: Pylos Reprints – Handwritten lists
- Folder 02: Reprints AJA 65 1961 – Reprints (2) of 1960 AJA article
- Folder 03: Nestor's Pylos Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society – Reprints (4) of article (August 1957)
- Folder 04: The Palace of Nestor Scientific American – Reprints (3) of article (May 1958)
- Folder 05: Nestor's Pylos Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society – Reprints (4) of chronology article from Sundwall festschrift
- Folder 06: Reprint of Minos 1961 with Bennett article (2)
- Folder 07: Reprint of Archaeology 1960, sent by L. Schepp
- Folder 08: Reprint of three AJA articles (1959, 1960, 1961)
- Folder 09: "The Roof of the Mycenaean Megaron"; "Excavation at Pylos, 1939"; "C-14 Dates for Sites in the Mediterranean Area", Copy of Cincinnati Alumnus April 1967
- Folder 10: Copies (3) of Sunday Pictorial Enquirer from May 10 1964 and 1 copy from January 29 1956 about Pylos excavations
- Folder 11: Natural History, November 1963 with article by C. Gordon on decipherment of Minoan
- Folder 12: Copy of Cincinnati Alumnus, February 1964, entitled Fabled Findings at Pylos
- Folder 13: Pylos Publicity – newspaper and magazine clippings
- Folder 14: Pylos 1957 Publicity – newspaper clippings in English and Greek
- Folder 15: Oberlin Alumni Magazine, November 1963, with article on Carl Blegen
- Folder 16: Article from The Cincinnati Pictorial Enquirer, 1956

Series IV – Pylos Tablets Records

Subseries IV.1. Catalogs, Publications, Notes, and Correspondence

Box 25

Folder 01: March 1986, Emmett L. Bennett's concordance of Pylos tablet photos

Folder 02: 1969, copy of concordance of photos compiled by J.F. Olivier

Folder 03: Typed (1965) and handwritten (1970) indexes of photographed tablets, correspondence between Emmett L. Bennett and Marion Rawson (1963) about indices

Folder 04: Revised November 1958, Concordance of Inventory Numbers and Published Numbers for Pylos Tablets

Folder 05: 1957, Mabel Lang handwritten notes on photos of tablets and sealings with film numbers

Folder 06: Inventory of the tablets found at Pylos in 1939 and an account of their discovery

Folder 07: 1960, typed list of dates tablets found based on field notebooks, handwritten list of tablets

Folder 08: 1950-1956, Correspondence, invoices, information on the publication of The Pylos Tablets

Folder 09: 1954, Typed ms of lecture given by Carl W. Blegen at Hamilton College, handwritten notes

Folder 10: Typed and handwritten copies of the introduction for the sequel to The Pylos Tablets

Folder 11: 1961, Typed copy and galley proof of Emmett L. Bennett lecture "The Find-spots of the Pylos Tablets" at the Mycenaean Colloquium

Folder 12: Typed copy "An Inscribed Tablet from Pylos" from Oikonomos volume

Folder 13: 1953, letter to Carl W. Blegen about tablets, handwritten notes about tablets

Folder 14: 1958, handwritten notes for Carl W. Blegen on "the tablet situation," originally in envelope 5, drawer 3, cabinet 3

Folder 15: 1964, Correspondence, Marion Rawson and Emmett L. Bennett concerning seals and tablet find-spots, handwritten information about find-spots (see Box 11)

Folder 16: 1953, Correspondence, photocopy of letter to Carl W. Blegen by Michael Ventris regarding Linear B decipherment

Folder 17: 1964, Correspondence between Emmett L. Bennett and Marion Rawson regarding tablets

Folder 18: Magazine clips, "Nestor's Palace" from Greek travel magazine, "The Decipherment of Linear B" by John Chadwick in Natural History Magazine

Subseries IV.2. Illustrative and Photographic Records

Box 26

Folder 01: Black and white photos of tablets and casts

Folder 02: Photos of tablets 2,5,98, illustrations for Illustrated London News

Folder 03: 2 ½ x 3 ½ tablets (duplicates); photocopy of tablet TN 316

Folder 04: 1954, 1957, photos of tablets from Emmett L. Bennett

Folder 05: 1957-1958, glossy, tablets, roll 1

Folder 06: 1957-1958, glossy, tablets, roll 2

Folder 07: 1957-1958, glossy, tablets, roll 3

Folder 08: 1957-1958, glossy, tablets uncleaned/miscellaneous

Folder 09: Enlarged glossy print tablet PTY-4, color print tablet JN 829

Folder 10: Carl W. Blegen and William McDonald removing a tablet

Folder 11: 1955, tablets with handwritten annotations on back, failed photos of tablet material

Folder 12: Tablet 285, photos and correspondence with Marion Rawson (tablet Ub 1318), negatives of Linear B sign list

Subseries IV.3. Other Records

Boxes 27 and 28

Pylos Linear B Notecards, transcriptions of Linear B tablets

Box 29

Negatives 1939 A, copies of photos of tablets on microfilm; Pylos Tablets Transcripts

Series V – Other Records

Box 30

Folder 01: Miscellaneous Notes on Pylos – Letter to Carl Blegen about tablet, handwritten lists and drawings [linking drawings with vessel names in tablets?], handwritten manuscript entitled “The Pylos of Nestor”

Folder 02: Typed manuscripts (3) of key to room numbers on plan with handwritten annotations, Plan of Palace with room numbers labeled, handwritten list of information needed, handwritten sheets and cards of notes, Postcard to Marion Rawson from Elizabeth Blegen

Folder 03: Inventory Miscellaneous Objects from the Palace – Handwritten and typed lists of individual objects in individual areas listed by object number

Folder 04: Various Addresses, Domestic and International

Folder 05: Three Greek newspaper clippings

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Folder 05: from Carl Blegen addressed to Marion Rawson – Plan of part of Palace of Nestor [SW Building] with certain areas marked by area dug and in what year, handwritten lists of small finds and pottery from those areas

Box 31

Folder 01: Correspondence Princeton Press 1963-1964 – Correspondence between Marion Rawson and Carl Blegen with officials at Princeton Press, especially Harriet Anderson regarding publication of Palace of Nestor

Folder 02: Correspondence Carl Blegen 1964-1965 – Correspondence between Carl Blegen and Marion Rawson about Palace of Nestor, also with Harriet Anderson

Folder 03: Carl Blegen Correspondence 1965-1966 – Correspondence between Carl Blegen and Marion Rawson about Palace of Nestor

Folder 04: Excerpts sent to Princeton Press – Typed manuscript about shallow angular bowls with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about Propylon with handwritten annotations, typed manuscript about excerpts regarding the palace sent on Oct 30 1963, typed manuscript about material sent to Princeton on Oct 30 1963, typed manuscripts (4) about main building with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about Room 21 with handwritten annotations, typed

- manuscripts (4) about Ramp 59 in the Southwestern Building with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about Room 98 in the Northeastern Building with handwritten annotations, typed manuscripts (4) about the pottery with handwritten annotation, typed manuscript about Doorway from Room 20 into Court 89 with handwritten annotations, handwritten sheet about Rooms 21 and 98 and Ramp 59, handwritten sheets with notes
- Folder 05: Note from Carl Blegen addressed to Marion Rawson – Plan of part of Palace of Nestor [Southwest Building] with certain areas marked by area dug and in what year, handwritten lists of small finds and pottery from those areas
- Folder 06: Pylos Reprints (complete set):
 Reprint of Archaeology Autumn 1952
 Reprint of ILN June 3, 1939
 Reprint of Archaeology Winter 1953
 Reprint of ILN December 5, 1953
 Reprint of ILN January 16, 1954
 Reprint of Hesperia 1954
 Reprint of article on Pylos tablet published in Athens
 Reprint of ILN April 7 1956
 Reprint of chronology article from Sundwall festschrift
 Reprint from Proceedings of the American Philosophical Society August 1957
 Copy of Cincinnati Alumnus, February 1964, entitled Fabled Findings at Pylos
 Reprint from William McDonald of article in Archaeology Summer 1964
 Reprint from William McDonald and Richard Hope Simpson of article in American Journal of Archaeology 68 1964
 Reprint of Scientific American May 1958
- Folder 07: Pylos 1967 Publicity – opening of museum at Chora newspaper articles (three, in Greek), program from museum opening, photos from event
- Folder 08: PN III Reviews – Various Reviews
- Folder 09: Envelope 3 Report of Messenia Expedition – Newsletter about expedition by William McDonald, Newspaper clipping about review of Progress into the Past, Copy of the Minnesotan with article about McDonald's work
- Folder 10: Various newspaper clippings
- Folder 11: Wood and Carbon, List of Boxes (71), 31 July 1963
- Small Box: Blegen Collection Messenia Expedition (contains individual sample cards for wood and charcoal (71 total); earth [soil] (62 total); shell (21 total); bones and teeth (53 total); and metals and miscellaneous (11 total))

Box 32

- Folder 01: The Listener, November 24 1955, with part I of article on Pylos, The Listener, December 1 1955, with part II of article on Pylos, The Listener, November 7 1963, with article on Carl W. Blegen's excavations on Troy
- Folder 02: Copy of Cincinnati Pictorial Enquirer January 29 1956
- Draft of *Palace of Nestor I* with Edits by Marion Rawson in blue folder
- Pylos Illustrations Vol. I Mock-Up in black binder
- Pylos Illustration Vol. III Mock-Up in blue binder
- Pylos P.N. III Key to Illustrations Mock-Up in brown binder

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