COMMUNICATIONS


During the past year, the local Societies of the Archaeological Institute of America have heard one or more of the following lectures: Miriam S. Balmut, "The Philistines and other 'Sea Peoples,'" James Carpenter, "Excavations at the Franchthi Cave." John L. Caskey, "Bronze Age Settlement at Kea." John Coleman, "The cult of the dead in Minoan-Mycenaean times"; "Kephala in Keos and the coming of the Bronze Age to Greece." Katherine Coleman, "Bronze Age frescoes from Kea"; "Bronze Age warriors." Glyn Daniel, "Stonehenge and the

CLIPPINGS

New Yorker, 7 October 1972. Advertisement of "large button clip earrings done in a manner reminiscent of rare Mycenaen splendor." Advertisement of a game, Atlantis—"an artist's concept of the lost continent emerging from the sea."

Ta Nea, 24 November 1972 (from the German Press). The excavations of Santorini, the Pompeii of Minoan civilization.


Estia, 13 December 1972. Excavations at Vrysina Rethymnisi, with large numbers of clay human and bovine figurines, and a bronze female figurine, one of the earliest of such Minoan bronzes.

NYTimes, 21 December, 1972. "Some have likened it to the Labyrinth of Cnossus, from which no one escaped. Others have compared it to the battlefield at Ypres, and still others—while it was being built—to the columns of Stonehenge. The state calls it simply Bruckner Interchange."

WORK IN PROGRESS

During 1971-72 The American Council of Learned Societies awarded grants-in-aid to C. Scott Littleton for a study of "The impact of the eruption of Thera," and to William A. McDonald for a study of "Domestic architecture and village lay-out in mainland Greece (2000-800 B.C.)."

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Our plan is to publish a Mycenaean dictionary which brings the existing ones up to date indicating the interpretation or interpretations which we consider to be most likely, without separating of course proper names from common ones. This will be done by Mr. F. Aura Jorro under the direction of Dr. Adrados. Our Mycenaean Dictionary will be published in a separate volume. Those words of the ordinary Dictionary which are also represented in Mycenaean will carry a diacritic mark which refers to the Mycenaean Dictionary.


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