COMMUNICATIONS

Note from the Editors

The staff of Nestor wishes all readers a happy 1990. It would also like to offer the pages of Nestor for more active interaction and exchange of ideas among all interested colleagues.

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The Trustees of the Michael Ventris Memorial Fund offer an award of up to £1000 to postgraduate students or candidates of comparable level of achievement in the field of Mycenaean civilization or kindred subjects.

The Fund was founded in 1957 in memory of Michael Ventris, in appreciation of his work in the fields of Mycenaean civilization and architecture, to promote (a) study of Mycenaean Civilization and (b) study of Architecture.

It is intended that the Award should support a specific project rather than a continuing program of study and it is open to applicants from all countries.

Applications (typewritten) should be sent to the Secretary, Institute of Classical Studies, 31-34 Gordon Square, London WC1H 0PY not later than 28 February 1990. Applicants should give particulars of their age, qualifications, academic record or other evidence in support of their application, together with the names of two referees, and should outline the work they intend to pursue in the event of the Award being made to them.

Past Conferences

The Ninety-first Annual Meeting of the Archaeological Institute of America, in conjunction with the American Philological Association, was held in Boston, Massachusetts, December 27-30, 1989. AIA abstracts will be published in the spring issue of AJA. Presentations of interest to Nestor readers included:

Ceramic Analysis: Susan Heuck Allen, "Trade and Migration? Grey Burnished Wheelmade Wares of the Eastern Mediterranean"; Jane A. Barlow, "Cypriot Red Polished Ware Fabrics in the Early and Middle Bronze Age"; Halford W. Haskell, "Late Bronze Age Trade: Transport Storage Jars"; John F. Cherry, "Bronze Age Trade Patterns in the Aegean and Adjacent Areas: Scientific Analyses and Cultural Interpretations".


Pre-Roman Italy: Lenore Gallin, "Excavations at Nuraghe Santa Barbara: Village Life in Prehistoric Sardinia".


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The international colloquium Arte Militare e Architettura Nuragica was held in Rome, December 7-9, 1989. The colloquium was organized by the Istituto Svedese di Studi Classici a Roma.

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Future Conferences

The 3rd Rencontre égéenne internationale will be held 23-25 April, 1990 in Calvi, Corsica on the subject Thalassa. The Prehistoric Aegean and the Sea. The proceedings will be published in 1991 as volume 7 of the series Aegaeum. Annales d’archéologie égéenne de l’Université de Liège.

Further information about the conference and the series can be obtained directly from:

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Future Lectures

On February 14, 1990 at 7:45 p.m., The New York Aegean Bronze Age Colloquium will meet at The Institute of Fine Arts, One East 78th Street. At the meeting Dr. Nanno Marinatos will speak on “Minoan Shrines and Minoan Cult”.

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Mycenaean Seminars of the Institute of Classical Studies, University of London, 31-34 Gordon Sq., London WC1H 0PY, will hold four meetings in the Spring and Summer 1990. The meetings will be held Wednesdays at 3:30 p.m. in room 612 and are:

14 February  Dr. A. Kanta  The Minoan pottery from the Sacctuary of Kato Symi
14 March    Gerald Cadogan  The Lasithi area during the Old Palace period
25 April    Dr. Fanouria Dakoronia  Late Mycenaean ships from Kinos in Locris
16 May      Dr. K. Pilafidis-Williams  The Aphaia Sanctuary on Aigina in the Bronze Age
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ABBREVIATIONS USED IN THIS ISSUE

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