From the Editors

The editors would like to announce the unveiling of the Addenda section which may be found following the Dissertations in Progress section below. As the primary objective of the Addenda section is the improvement of the on-line database as a searchable resource, we intend to avoid overloading the paper version of NESTOR with large numbers of old articles. While we will enter all addenda into the database and then make them available on diskette, only “stray” articles and books not part of a series of omissions will be included in the paper edition. However, we will alert readers of impending additions to the database. This month, look for the contents of Hydra (1985-1991) and the Temple University Aegean Symposium 9 (1993). We would like to thank those individuals who have submitted items for this section and the Dissertations in Progress section.

The 1997 NESTOR bibliography is now available on diskette (as structured ASCII files) for Macintosh and IBM-PC. Subscribers may request diskettes from the above address by sending $4.00 (if you have a U.S. address) or $6.50 (for international addresses), payable to the University of Cincinnati; please specify Macintosh or IBM-PC version.

Finally, the editors would like to notify readers of NESTOR’s new email address: NESTOR@CLASSICS.UC.EDU.

Electronic News and Notices

The following sites on the World Wide Web will be of immediate interest (note that the addresses must be entered exactly as they appear here):
http://www.sun.rhbnc.ac.uk/Classics/NJL/films.html -- a Web page of Ancient Greece in the cinema. It includes sections on pre-Homeric myth, Homer and Troy, films concerning Greek historical figures, such as Alexander the Great and Cleopatra, and films of Greek drama.
http://www.sun.rhbnc.ac.uk/Classics/NJL/novels.html -- a Web page of Ancient Greece in English fiction. It includes sections on the Bronze Age and “myth/historical” topics such as the Trojan War, Heracles and Jason, Odysseus, etc.

Past Lectures and Conferences

The Third Round Table on Aegean Archaeology took place this past January 23-25 at the Department of Archaeology and Prehistory at the University of Sheffield. The papers that were presented will be published as a volume in the Sheffield Studies in Aegean Archaeology series by Sheffield Academic Press. Papers of interest to NESTOR readers include:
K. Branigan, “Metallurgy in the EBA Aegean: A Retrospective”
O. Philaniotou (Hadjianastasiou), “EBA Metallurgical Sites on Kythnos: Topography, Chronology and Context”
Y. Bassiakos, “EBA Metallurgical Sites on Kythnos: Material and Analytical Reconstruction of Metallurgical Processes”
P. Betancourt, “The FN to EM III Metallurgy Workshop at Chrysokamino, Crete”
J. Muhly, “Reconstruction of Metallurgical Activity at Chrysokamino, Crete”
R. Doonan, P. Day, N. Dimopoulou, V. Kilikoglou, and D. Wilson, “EM I-IIA Metalworking at Poros Katampos”
K. Zachos, “The Neolithic Background: A Reassessment”
C. Broodbank, “Contexts for the Production and Exchange of Metals in EB I-II Aegean”
G. Nakou, “Absent Presences: Metal Vessels in the Aegean at the End of the Third Millennium”

On March 19, 1998, at the University of Cincinnati, Ilse Schoep gave a lecture entitled “The Archaeology of Administration: The Case of Neopalatial Crete.” Jan Driessen also presented a lecture on “The Troubled Island: Minoan Crete and the Santorini Eruption.”

On March 19-23, 1998, the Cyprus American Archaeological Research Institute (CAARI) hosted the conference Engendering Aphrodite: Women & Society in Ancient Cyprus. In addition to the presentation of papers, a photo exhibit, a panel, a workshop, and field trips to the Sanctuary of Aphrodite and Palaepaphos were also part of the conference. The papers of interest to NESTOR readers included:
A. Le Brun, “Neolithic Society in Cyprus: A Tentative Analysis”
D. Papaconstantinou, “Household Cycles and the Dynamics of Domestic Architecture: Neolithic Cyprus from a Contextual Perspective”
E. Peltenburg, “Ethnography, Egalitarian Society and Kissonerga c. 3000 BC”
D. Bolger, “Gender and Mortuary Ritual in Chalcolithic Cyprus”
J. Webb, “Engendering the Built Environment: Household and Community in Prehistoric Bronze Age Cyprus”
L. Steel, “Wine, Women and Song: Drinking Ritual in Cyprus during the Late Bronze Age”
L. Wriedt Sørensen, “Continuity and Change in Modes of Female Representation in Cypriot Sculpture: The Archaic Period”
C. Beer, “Women in Cypriot Cults: Iron Age”
M. Hadjikosti, “Evidence of Gender and Family Relations in a Tomb of the Cypro-Archaic I Period”
T. Cullen and L. Talalay, “Sexual Ambiguity in Early-Middle Cypriot Plank Figures”
E. Ribeiro, “Altering the Body: Representations of Pre-Pubescent Gender Groups on EC/MC ‘Scenic Compositions’”
A. Orphanides, “Bronze Age Anthropomorphic Figureines from Cyprus: Implications of Women's Child Caring Role”
D. Gilby, “The (Ethne)gynographic Gaze: The Black Female on Display in Ancient Cypriot Art”
C. McCartney, “Women's Knives”
J. Clarke, “Stylistic Variation and the Role of the Female Artisan in Non-Hierarchical Village Societies”
J. Smith, “Changes in the Workplace: Women and Textile Production in Late Bronze Age Cyprus”
F. Vandenabeele, “Of Women and Jugs”
S. Budin, “Creating a Goddess of Sex”
N. Serwint, “Cypriot Aphrodite and Her Near Eastern Sisters: Spheres of Influence”
B. MacLachlan, “The Un-Gendering of Aphrodite”
N. Hamilton, “Women in Cypriot Prehistory: The Story So Far”

Upcoming Lectures and Conferences
On May 2-3, 1998, a conference on Aegean Bronze Age Studies in Austria, 1998 will take place at the Institute of Classical Archaeology at Vienna, Austria. The program will include topics ranging from the
Neolithic to the Homeric age. A special lecture, entitled “The Linear A texts from Akrotiri and Their Significance for Understanding Bronze Age Thera,” will be given by Christos Boulotis. Inquiries concerning the conference should be directed to Fritz Blakolmer, Institut für Klassische Archäologie, Universität Wien, Franz Klein-Gasse 1, 1190 Vienna, Austria; fax 43 1 319 36 84; email Fritz.Blakolmer@univie.ac.at.

A conference entitled Anatolia: Between Europe and the Near East will occur on April 18. It will be hosted by the British Academy and the British Institute of Archaeology at Ankara. Papers of interest to NESTOR subscribers include:

B. Turner, “From Orientalism to Globalism: Changing Academic Discourse on the Relations between Europe and Asia”

U. Esin, “Asikli Höyük and the Central Anatolian Neolithic”

I. Hodder, “New Finds from Çatalhöyük in Comparison with Greece and the Balkans”

M. Özdogan, “Anatolia and the Balkans in the Neolithic and Chalcolithic”

M. Korfmann, “Europe and Asia as Seen from Troy”

C. Renfrew, “Commentary and Discussion”

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