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19 88

field

G

square

A.I.3.3

phase (in area):

LOCUS W192.75.

date opened

19/07/88

level

144.6

date closed

12/08/88

level

13.98

floor level

type of locus

WALL (MUDBRICK)

loci above

91.8.3.

91.9.3

loci below

91.9.4

sealed by

graphic description	AJ3.3	A13.3	final locus no.	arch. unit / logical area	stage (in sq.)	final STRATUM
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	Summary:					
	Description:	[OPENED] UPON DEFINITION OF A MUDBRICK WALL DEFINED BY REMAINS OF REED MATTING LAYERED BETWEEN LAYERS OF MUDBRICKS. WALL LIES UNDER LOCI [9183, 9193], [9192, 9194] EXCAVATED IN '87.				
	DEFINITION/LIMITS:	MUDBRICK WALL DEFINED ON THE SOUTH BY W192.62'S NORTH FACE, ON THE WEST BY L9308, ON THE EAST BY L9309 AND ON THE NORTH BY L9251				
	MATRIX	A MUDBRICK WALL 70 CMS WIDE COMPOSED OF BRICKS 30x40 cms. WALL PRESERVED FOR 2.5 METERS, OVER WHICH A LAYER OF REEDS WAS FOUND SEPARATING THE TWO LAYERS OF BRICKS.				
	REASON FOR CLOSING	END OF SEASON - NOT CLOSED				

section

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RELATION TO OTHER ELEMENTS W192.75 REACHES W192.62 ON W192.62'S NORTHERN FACE. L9308 REACHES W192.75 ALONG W192.75'S WEST FACE. L9309 REACHES W192.75 ALONG W192.75'S EAST FACE. PIT 9251 CUTS W192.75 ON THE NORTH
UPON REMOVAL OF L9309 ON THE WEST SIDE OF W192.75 3 COURSES OF MUDBRICKS IN SITU WERE VISIBLE

entered

Locus W9275	Dor 1992	Fld G	Sq A1,33	Loc. type Mudbrick wall (card 2)
Open 14/07/92	Date 14/21	at S	Low 14.06	at N
Close 14/08/92			13.32	N
Floor: type				
Length 1.2	Width 0.7	Vol		
Value 1	Remove 1/1/1	Drawn? YES		
Photo #1 See Isra	Photo #2			
Written by: RSS	Checked by: JRR			
Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM

Summary

Opened: To explore E and w. face of W9275.

Limits (N) See previous season card

(S) See previous season card.

(E) L9755, L9808, L9842, W9841, L9835 and L9844

(W) L9815, L9823 and L9836

Closed: Not closed - End at season.

Matrix: Sarc observed this season. Two courses of stone with the upper course being smaller, fist-sized cobbles and the lower course being larger, head-sized cobbles. The top of the sarc begins 13.62. Number of mudbrick courses were not clearly visible in section. Fragments of red mottling was found to W. in L9815 and L9823 - not in L9836.

Relations: See previous season card for all other relations

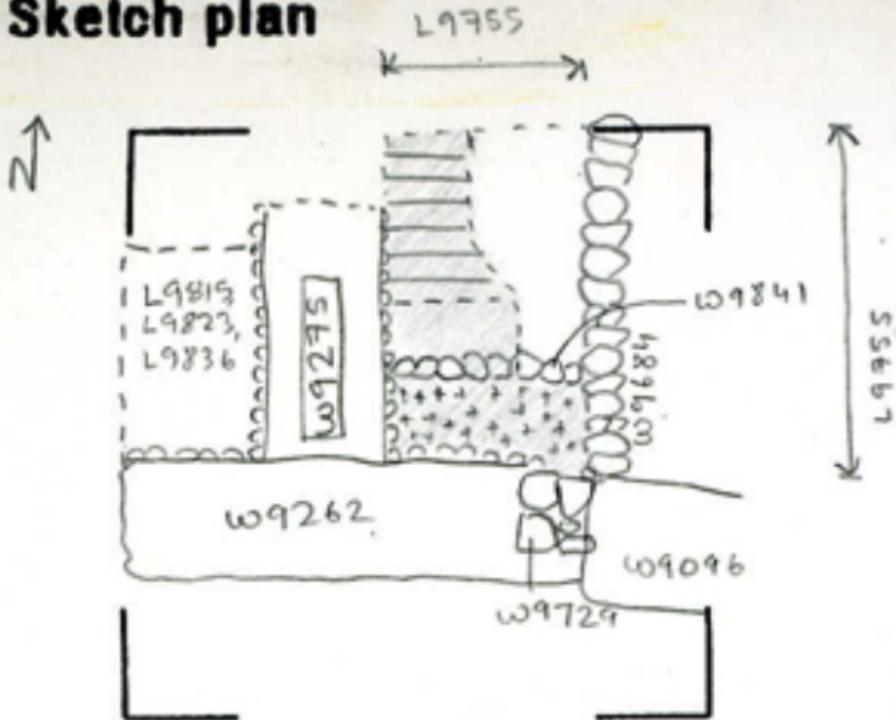
On the E. face, L9755, L9808, L9835 and L9842 reach W9275. W9841 appears to abut the sarc of W9275, but this is uncertain. The sarc for W9275 cuts into the top of L9844.

On the w. face, L9815, L9823 and L9836 all reach W9275. Floors 9823 and 9836 appear to have probably reached W9275, though neither floor directly touches the sarc.

The top level of the sarc for W9275 is 25cm below the level of the top of the sarc for W9262 with which it makes a corner, and the base of W9275's sarc continues for 15cm below the base of W9262's sarc. It may be that W9275 is an earlier wall which is cut by W9262, though no evidence of this has yet been found.

Additional Observations/Value: Mudbrick wall probably reached by floors 9823 and 9836 - High value

Sketch plan



■ L9808

■ L9835, L9844

■ L9842

entered.

Locus W 9275	Dor 19 93	Fld G	Sq A133/34	Loc. type Mudbrick wall with stone socle
Open 02/07/93	Date 14.2.1	at S	Low 13.73	at S
Close 03/07/93	13.27	S	13.20	N
Floor: type				
Length 3.9	Width 0.7	Vol	1	
Value 1	Remove 1	Drawn?	YES	
Photo #1 See Isra		Photo #2		
Written by: RSJ	Checked by: JRZ			
Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM

Summary

Opened: Beginning of season - Re-opened.

Limits (N) W9211

(S) W9262

(E) L9251 and see previous season cards

(W) L9816, L9883, L9919, L9928, L9927, L9925 and L9924 and see previous season cards.

Closed: End of season - Not closed.

Matrix: See previous season cards for mudbrick (phase A). Socle is 2 to 3 rows of head size and double-fist size stones approx. 2-3 courses high. To the S. the socle has a lower course of head size stones with two courses of double fist size stones on top of these. The N. socle is more uniform with equal sized stones throughout. There is one massive boulder in the lowest course of the socle but this may be

Relations: Above, the pit L9251 has cut the mudbrick superstructure in the N.

extension of W9275. Clearing below the level of the pit revealed the intact stone socle. L9251 evidently slopes inward considerably from E-W, which is why it is above and W of W9275. To the W. L9816, L9883, L9919, L9927 and L9928 all reach the E face of the socle for W9245.

W9816 presumably reached W9275. W9928 climbs sharply approximately 10cm before it reaches W9275. It may reach an earlier phase not yet uncovered.

To the N. the socle for W9275 abuts the socle of W9211. The mudbrick of W9275 may dovetail with W9211. (See 1993 A133 W9211 card for discussion)

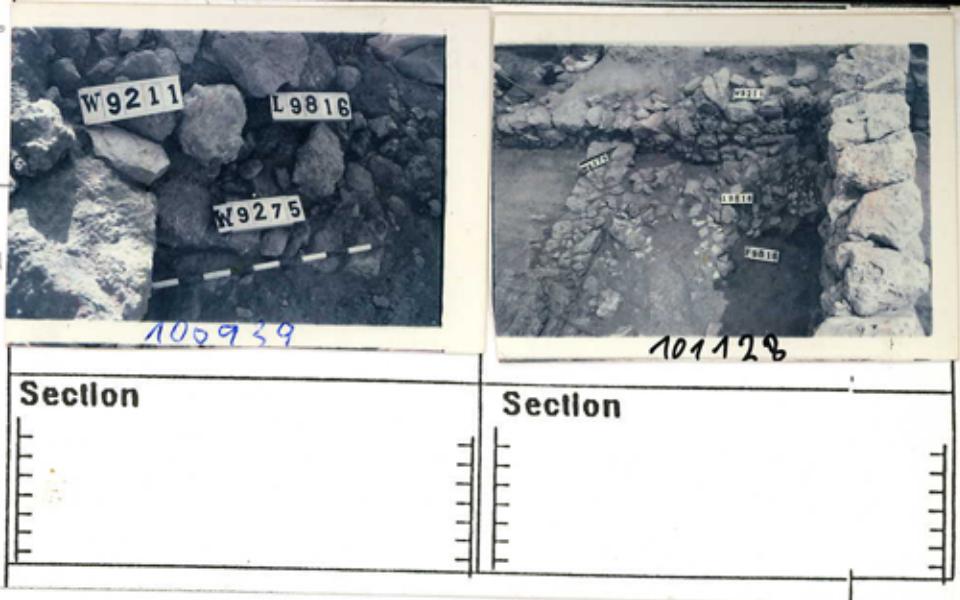
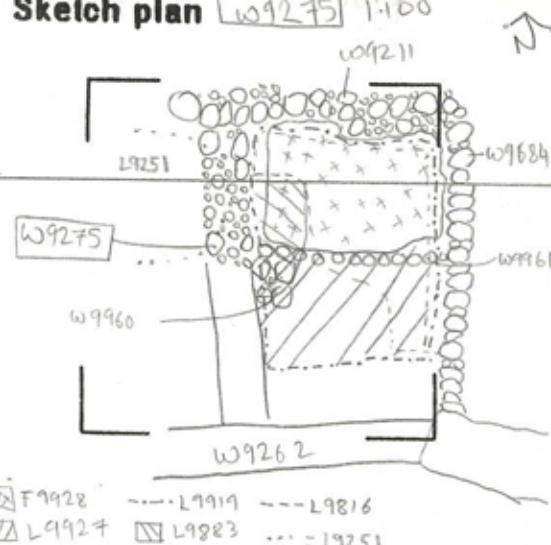
To the S. the socle of W9275 abuts the socle of W9262. ** W9960 and W9961 both abut W9275. W9960 may be a lower extension of the massive boulder set into the lowest course of the socle of W9275. ** Also to the S., W9275 floats above what may be a doorway formed by W9960 and W9262.

* relate to W9960 below (see relations). To the S. the socle is floating but to the N. the socle may be floating but it is obscured by the lip of W9928.

** Few fragments of red mat material were found directly on the top of the stone socle/foundation.

Additional Observations/Value: High value; 1 of 4 walls which completely surrounds

a room



Locus W 9275	Dor 1994	Fld 6	Sq A133	Loc. type Wall (card)
Open Date	High 14.21	at S	Low 14.06	at M
Close 15/18/94	13.36	S	13.11	G
Floor: type				
Length 1.7	Width 0.7	Vol		
Value 1	Remove 1/1/1	Drawn? yes		
Photo #(1)	Photo #(2)			
Written by: J.R.Z	Checked by: J.R.Z			

Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM
Summary				

Opened: See previous cards

Limits (N) See Previous cards

(S) W 9262

(E) See previous cards

(W) 1802, 18032, 180

Closed: Not closed (End of season). Wall is floating

Matrix: See previous cards. On its West face W9275 is only 2 courses high of ca. head-size field stones (or smaller)

Relations: For all relations above, N and E see previous cards. All relations for 1994 are to west or south.

To the South the lower mudbrick phase of (W9262) (= 3rd from top) and its stone socle are below the base of the stone foundation of (W9275). Evidently (W9275) did not exist during the earliest phase of (W9262). However, the juncture of the 2 walls is obscured by a dirt pedestal used to support the sun shade tent pole. This corner will have to be cleared of debris next season.

To the east (1802) reaches (W9275); (F1802) also reaches (W9275). (W9275) begins to float in (18032). (contra JYS on card for 18032, this suggests that (W9275) may cut (18032). (18040) reaches (W9275). (W9275) probably cuts (L18067) and F18067; clearly continues east below (W9275).

Additional Observations/Value: Abuts W9262 and 9211 so important for center phasing of Area G.

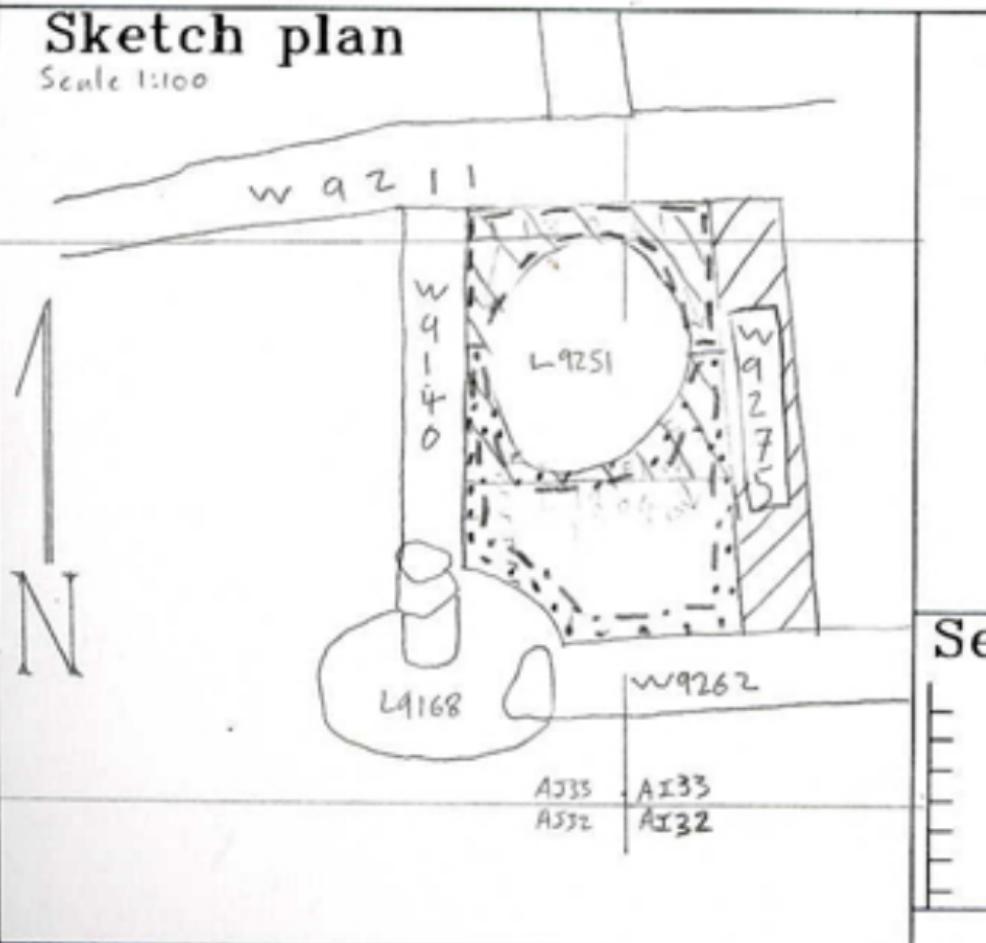
Locus

L 921751

--- = 18032
... = 18040
- - - = 18067 = F18021
\\ = 18021

Sketch plan

Scale 1:100



Locus WJ 9275	Dor 1997	Fld G	Sq A 133	Loc. type Mudbrick + Stone Wall (Card)
Open 07/07/97	Date 14.7.1	High at S1	Low at 14.06 N1	Seals: _____
Close 08/08/97		12.68 N1	12.57 S1	Sealed by: _____
Floor type	Width 0.8	Vol	_____	Loci _____
Length 3.8	Remove / /	Drawn?	_____	above _____
Value +				below _____
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Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM
Summary _____				

Opened: See previous cards.

Limits (N) See previous cards

(S) See previous cards

(E) see previous cards

(W) L18232 = L18279, L18281 = L18246, L18283 = L18264 = L18292, L18271 = L18285

Closed: Not closed. end of season reached

Matrix: Phase B has 2-3 courses of rough Fieldstones ranging from 10 cm² to 20x40 cm² in size. only 2 courses of Phase C are exposed and they are 40 cm² boulders. Phase B ends at 13.26 (North)/12.97 (South); Phase C ends at 12.68 - 12.57

Relations: Above: See previous cards

North: Phase B [W9275] abuts W9211

South: See previous cards

East: See previous cards

West: L18232 = L18279 / F18232 = F18279 reaches [W9275] Phase B

L18246 = L18281 reaches Phase B / [W9275] but F18246 = F18281 continues under it.

L18252 = L18284 / F18252 = F18284 continue under [W9275] Phase B

L18256 = L18259 / F18256 = F18259 ^{may} continue under [W9275] Phase C.

L18264 = L18292 / F18264 = F18292 ^{should} continue under [W9275] Phase C.

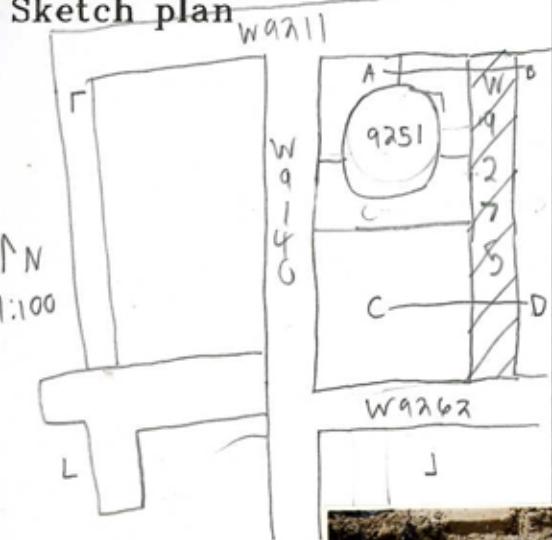
L18271 = L18305 / F18271 ^{should} continue under [W9275] Phase C.

Phase C is currently the east face of W9275 which continues down 3 courses lower than the west face,

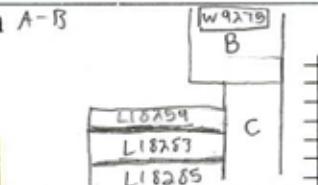
Additional Observations/Value: High value

Locus
W 9275

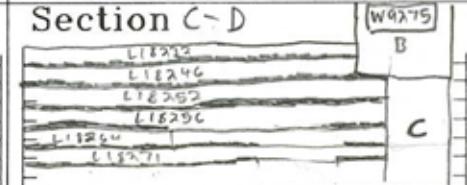
Sketch plan



Section A-B



Section C-D



Photo

Locus W1 9.2.7.5	Dor 18 0.0	Fld G.	Sq A.I,3,3\,3,4,1	Loc. type (mudbrick) wall
Open	Date 19/07/88	High 1.4' at not given	Low 1' at	Seals: 18481
Close	14/07/00	1.3 - 2.6 N	1.3 - 1.6 C	Sealed by:
Floor: type				Loci 9.1.8.3 9.1.9.3 9.1.9.4
Length L.2	Width 0.7	Vol		above
Value i	Remove 14/07/00	Drawn? YES		Loci W1.84.8.1 18482 18476
Photo #(1)	Photo #(2)			below
Written by: W.S.B	Checked by: E.B.S			

Unit	Phase	Stage	Stratum	PoM
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Summary

Opened: see previous cards

Limits (N)

(S)

(E)

(W)

Closed:

Matrix:

Relations:



- removed as a floating wall so no new associated floors. The stones were packed in a compact reddish-brown matrix. This same matrix fills the remaining foundation trench L18476.

- foundation stones removed as they were loose + threatened to topple. When removed it became apparent that W9275 sat on a lower ^{wall} aligned slightly more NW-SE. The bottom elevation on 1988-1994 cards are correct, the lower elevation on the 1997 card includes the stones of the second lower wall.

Additional Observations/Value: HIGH VALUE wall with associated floors. (see previous cards)