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Site: TEMPLE Season GS 79-80

Area: N. COLONNADE Square R16 Locus Number (3c)

Progress of Excavation 24/I/80 R16A1: Cleared out 3c:

banked alongside 4-4d down to bit of 4d on floor in narrow space W side of trench. This definitely not same

as 3b. A.G. brings up tiny bit newsprint from sifting

Some question - could have come from (2a) (balk trimming)

31/I/80: R16A2. (3c) "encircles (3b) & run to S.T. N wall at NE corner.

Slopes down against (3b) to W side trench. Lower part, large granite frags on surface (3c)-(3b) line // (3c) Removed. Sifted.

From clearing shows that (3b) itself runs to S.T. wall in NE corner

Locus Description DAMP BROWN SAND

Location in Square W SIDE

Under Locus (2) CLEAN SAND Over Locus 4-4d

Locus Dimensions

Levels

Analysis of non-artifactual materials Few limestone frags, couple  
fair-sized dolomite chips, shard frags (small ND), granite chips.

of trench; up to, over slightly, to disc cut in a.b. (for granite  
sheathing. (3c) Contains some granite, alabaster, etc. stone  
material fine to small limestone frags. Few sherd's 1 small  
diagnostic.