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Summary Information

- Repository:** Special Collections
- Creator:** Gjerstad, Einar, 1897-1988
- Title:** Einar Gjerstad research papers
- ID:** 900228
- Dates:** 1806-1984 (bulk 1925-1980)
- Extent:** 11.4 Linear Feet (20 boxes)
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- Language:** English
- Abstract:** The Einar Gjerstad research papers document the long and prolific scholarly career of this Swedish classical archaeologist. The archive includes research notes, photographs, drawings, typescripts and publication production materials for Gjerstad's extensive studies of the archaeology of Cyprus and early Rome.

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Biographical/Historical Note

Einar Nilson Gjerstad was born October 30, 1897 in Örebro, Sweden, where his father, Erik Nilson, was a merchant and local politician. As Nilson's career advanced during World War I, the family moved to Stockholm, and shortly after this, in 1917, Gjerstad left home to enroll in Uppsala University. At Uppsala, Gjerstad studied under Axel Persson, and eventually became his assistant when the Swedish excavations at Asine in Greece began in 1922. This connection with Persson set the foundation for Gjerstad's archaeological career.

A chance encounter on a train in the Balkans in the summer of 1922 between Axel Persson and a stranger, who asked to borrow money, led to Persson receiving an invitation to excavate in Cyprus under very favorable conditions. Persson, being too busy himself, offered this opportunity to Gjerstad. Thus in 1923, Gjerstad went off to Cyprus for initial investigations and negotiations. He spent the next sixteen months on the island studying previously excavated material and conducting his own limited excavations, work for which he received his doctorate from Uppsala in 1926. Having done this initial reconnaissance, Gjerstad returned to Cyprus in 1927 as the director of a large-scale project, the Swedish Cyprus Expedition (SCE). Gjerstad and his team spent the years from 1927-1931 in the field, then returned to Sweden for the task of interpreting and publishing the results of those excavations. During this period of excavation and study, from 1926-1935, Gjerstad also held the position of Docent in Classical Archaeology and Ancient History at Uppsala University.

Although he would continue the publication of his work on Cyprus for many years to come, 1935 marked a new phase in Gjerstad's career. From 1935-1940 Gjerstad served as the director of the Swedish Institute for Classical Studies in Rome, where he showed great skill at administration. He initiated and implemented the creation of a new Institute building in Rome, and he worked to establish a Swedish Institute in Athens. On leaving Rome in 1940, Gjerstad became Professor of Classical Archaeology and Ancient History at Lund University.

After World War II, Gjerstad's research interests shifted. Having spent 25 years focused almost exclusively on the archaeology of Cyprus, Gjerstad turned to Rome. His tenure in Rome had sparked an interest in early Roman history and archaeology, and Gjerstad entered a new phase of research and excavation. In 1949, Gjerstad presented the first in what became a long series of articles and books in which he put forward a radical redating of the early history of the city of Rome. In 1957, he left his chair at Lund and was awarded a personal professorship which would allow him to concentrate fully on his Rome research. Gjerstad did just that, publishing extensively on Roman questions until he retired from the position in 1972.

In his retirement, he continued his research and publications on Rome, as well as returning to his original interest, Cyprus. Einar Gjerstad died in Lund on January 8, 1988.

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Scope and Content of the Collection

The Einar Gjerstad research papers document the scholarly career of this Swedish classical archaeologist. Gjerstad was a prolific scholar with over 160 publications to his credit. His work can be divided into two main phases of research. Gjerstad devoted the first 25 years of his career to the archaeology of Cyprus, a field he would return to again at the end of his life. He then spent the next 25 years focusing on the archaeology of early Rome.

A selection of materials related to Gjerstad's research and publications in Cypriot archaeology comprises the first series of his papers. A limited amount of correspondence and publication production elements derive directly from his work with the Swedish Cyprus Expedition. The bulk of the series, however,

consists of research notes, photographs, manuscripts and offprints deriving from Gjerstad's subsequent work on a wide variety of topics in Cypriot archaeology, especially pottery studies.

Documentation of Gjerstad's work on early Rome forms the bulk of the archive. In his *Early Rome* series of books and in numerous articles Gjerstad presents a radical redating of the foundation of Rome, lowering the date from 753 B.C. to circa 575 B.C. Gjerstad's research papers contain data from his own excavations, as well as those of earlier excavators, especially Giacomo Boni, in various areas of the city of Rome, including the Roman Forum, the Capitoline, Esquiline and Palatine hills and the Forum Boarium. These research materials include notes, drawings and stratigraphic sections, but of particular interest is the extensive photographic documentation of the pottery excavated from early levels in Rome, as well as the comparative material from other sites used for chronological correlations. Gjerstad's many publications detailing his revised chronology are represented here by manuscripts, typescripts, offprints, proofs and mechanicals.

The third series of Gjerstad's papers is comprised of archaeological research and publications dealing with a variety of areas, both those closely linked to his major research interests, like Greece, and further removed, like Sweden. The research materials include notes, photographs, postcards and offprints. A small selection of miscellaneous professional papers completes the archive.

The bulk of Einar Gjerstad's research papers dates from 1925 to 1980, the period of his active research. The broader range of dates for the archive reflects the dates of publications and photographs used by Gjerstad for his research.

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Arrangement note

Organized in four series: Series I. Archaeology of Cyprus, 1897-1984; Series II. Archaeology of early Rome, 1806, 1898-1983; Series III. Archaeology of other areas, 1926-1983; Series IV. Miscellaneous professional papers, 1932-1977.

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Administrative Information

Access

Open for use by qualified researchers.

Publication Rights

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Acquisition Information

Einar Gjerstad's research papers were acquired with his library in 1988.

Processing History

The archive was initially processed by Teresa Morales and Lynn Tapia in 1995. Ann Harrison did further processing and created the series arrangement and finding aid in 2008.

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Related Materials

Separated Material

The Einar Gjerstad research papers were separated from his library when both were acquired by the Getty Research Institute. A search using the phrase "Einar Gjerstad" while selecting the index "Provenance" from the pull-down menu in the online library catalog will retrieve a list of the books and periodicals from Gjerstad's library.

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Controlled Access Headings

Subjects - People

- Boni, Giacomo, 1859-1925

Subjects - Corporate Bodies

- Svenska Cypernexpeditionen (Date of meeting or treaty signing: (1927-1931).)

Subjects - Topics

- Excavations (Archaeology) -- Cyprus
- Excavations (Archaeology) -- Italy -- Rome
- Pottery, Ancient — Cyprus

- Pottery, Ancient — Italy — Rome

Subjects - Places

- Capitoline Hill (Italy) — Antiquities
- Cyprus — Antiquities
- Esquiline (Italy) — Antiquities
- Forum Boarium (Rome, Italy)
- Palatine Hill (Italy)
- Roman Forum (Rome, Italy)
- Rome (Italy) -- Antiquities
- Rome -- History -- To 510 B.C.

Genres and Forms of Materials

- Correspondence
- Drawings
- Manuscripts
- Mechanicals (camera-ready copy)
- Offprints
- Photographic prints
- Postcards
- Proofs (printed matter)
- Research notes
- Typescripts

Occupation(s)

- Archaeologists -- Archives

Collection Inventory

Series I. Archaeology of Cyprus, 1897-1984 3.3 Linear Feet (5 boxes)

Scope and Contents note:

Einar Gjerstad's scholarly reputation was formed by his work on Cyprus as the director of the Swedish Cyprus Expedition. The Swedish Cyprus Expedition, in the field from 1927 to 1931, was an exceptional excavation. The scope of the endeavor was enormous. In those four years, the team excavated approximately twenty sites covering the range of Cypriot civilization from pre-pottery Neolithic to the Late Roman period, including settlements, cemeteries and sanctuaries. The publication of the expedition was also a model, in both the relative speed with which it was produced and in the intellectual caliber of the work.

Gjerstad's research materials and publications on the archaeology of Cyprus constitute this series, with his publications forming the initial element. Manuscripts of several of Gjerstad's published articles are included here, along with relevant notes and photographs, as well as Gjerstad's own offprint copies of a small number of his publications. Although the official archive of the Swedish Cyprus Expedition is held by the Medelhavsmuseet in Stockholm, this collection includes a small amount of material directly related to the Expedition. These are primarily materials such as typescripts by various authors, proofs, and other production materials relating to Gjerstad's role in overseeing the publication of the nine-volume excavation report. A small quantity of correspondence follows, also primarily concerned with Swedish Cyprus Expedition publications. The bulk of the material in this series, however, pertains to Gjerstad's research. Photographic documentation of artifacts, especially pottery, is included, as well as a collection of offprints relating to various aspects of Cypriot archaeology.

Title/Description	Containers	
<p>Publications and lectures, 1925-1980, undated</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes material related to Gjerstad's own writings, both articles and lectures, as well as production materials connected with Gjerstad's role overseeing the publication of the entire Swedish Cyprus Expedition excavation report.</p>		
Articles written by Gjerstad, 1925-1980	Box 1	Folder 1-14
<p>"Stenålder på Cypern," 1925 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Svenska Orientällskapets årsbok</i> 3 (1925): 5-12.</p>	Box 1	Folder 1
<p>"Summary of Swedish excavations in Cyprus," 1931 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Syria</i> 12 (1931): 58-66; extensively annotated.</p>	Box 1	Folder 2
<p>"Cypriskt Klosterliv," 1931 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Risebergaboken</i> (Stockholm, 1931): 333-[336].</p>	Box 1	Folder 3
<p>"Brief report on the Swedish excavations in Cyprus," 1933 1 fascicle</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Bollettino dell' Associazione internazionale degli studi mediterranei</i> 4 (1933): 1-4.</p>	Box 1	Folder 4
<p>"Cyprisk och etruskisk skulptur," 1933 1 fascicle</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Konsthistorisk tidskrift</i> 2 (1933): 51-64.</p>	Box 1	Folder 5
<p>"Die Entwicklung der kyprischen Skulptur von der archaischen bis zur hellenistischen Zeit," 1936 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Archäologischer Anzeiger</i> 1936: 561-586.</p>	Box 1	Folder 6
<p>"Cypriote Syllabary Inscriptions," 1937 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>The Swedish Cyprus expedition : finds and results of the excavations in Cyprus, 1927-1931</i>, Vol. III, Appendix IV: 633-638.</p>	Box 1	Folder 7
<p>"Review of Stanley Casson, <i>Ancient Cyprus</i>," 1938</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents:</i> Corrected proofs for review published in <i>Journal of Hellenic Studies</i> 59 (1939): 142-144.</p>	Oversize box 18	Folder 7

<p>"Supplementary Notes on Finds from Ajia Irini in Cyprus," 1963 3 offprints, 23 photographs</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Medelhavsmuseet Bulletin</i> 3 (1963): 3-40; includes incomplete set of photographs used for the figures in the article.</p>	Box 1	Folder 8
<p>"O Thesaurus tou Bouniou," 1965 1 fascicle, 1 leaf, 1 card</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>Pneumatike Kypros</i> 52 (1965): 102-104; includes business card and letter from Antonis Mystakidis.</p>	Box 1	Folder 9
<p>"A Late Protocorinthian Aryballos in Cypriote Find-context," 1970 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>RDAC</i> 1970: 86-91.</p>	Box 1	Folder 10
<p>"The Cypro-Archaic Life-Size Terracotta Statue found in Old Smyrna," 1958-1978 30 leaves, 53 photographs</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Manuscript of paper delivered at the Xth International Congress of Classical Archaeology in Ankara and Izmir in September 1973, published version of the paper is pages 709-713 in the <i>Proceedings</i> (Ankara, 1978), as well as being published in <i>Acta Archaeologica</i> 49 (1978): 191-196. Also includes notes, draft of footnotes for the publication, plate layout, earlier correspondence regarding the statue and photographs of pottery from the Alyattan destruction level at Smyrna.</p>	Box 1	Folder 11
<p>"A Cypro-Greek Royal Marriage in the 8th Cent. B.C.?", 1978-1979 15 leaves, 3 offprints</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Manuscript of paper delivered in March 1978 and published in the conference proceedings <i>Salamine de Chypre, histoire et archéologie</i> (Paris, 1980): 141-146, as well as in <i>Studies Presented in Memory of Porphyrios Dikaios</i> (Nicosia, 1979): 89-93.</p>	Box 1	Folder 12
<p>"The Phoenician Colonization and Expansion in Cyprus," 1979 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>RDAC</i> 1979: 230-254.</p>	Box 1	Folder 13
<p>"The Origin and Chronology of the Early Bronze Age in Cyprus," 1980 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Published in <i>RDAC</i> 1980: 1-16.</p>	Box 1	Folder 14
<p>Production materials from Swedish Cyprus Expedition publications overseen by Gjerstad, 1959-1971</p>		
<p><i>The Stone Age and the Early Bronze Age in Cyprus</i> (Swedish Cyprus Expedition, Vol. IV, part 1A), circa 1959-1962</p>		

Materials relating to the production of the volume, 1959-1960 16 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Primarily regarding plate production, includes lists of images, notes, correspondence and billing statement from John Kroon.	Box 1	Folder 15
<hr/> "The Stone Age" section by Porphyrios Dikaios, circa 1959-1962		
Corrected proofs of text, 1959 7 signatures, 12 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Also includes typescript of title page and list of figures, proofs of footnotes, notes.	Box 1	Folder 16
<hr/> Typeset copy for plate layout, circa 1959-1962 5 leaves		
Table of cultural sequence and chronology, 1959-1960 25 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes typescript copy and corrected proof of table, sections of annotated chronology text and correspondence regarding C-14 testing.	Oversize box 18	Folder 1
<hr/> Table of cultural sequence and chronology, 1959-1960 25 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes typescript copy and corrected proof of table, sections of annotated chronology text and correspondence regarding C-14 testing.		
<hr/> Typeset copy for plate layout, circa 1959-1962 5 leaves		
<hr/> Table of cultural sequence and chronology, 1959-1960 25 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes typescript copy and corrected proof of table, sections of annotated chronology text and correspondence regarding C-14 testing.		
"The Early Cypriote Bronze Age" section by James R. Stewart, circa 1959-1962 42 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Inked drawings, paste-ups or mechanicals, copy and proofs of selected figures.	Box 1	Folder 17
<hr/> "The Early Cypriote Bronze Age" section by James R. Stewart, circa 1959-1962 42 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Inked drawings, paste-ups or mechanicals, copy and proofs of selected figures.		
<i>The Late Cypriote Bronze Age: Architecture and Pottery</i> (Swedish Cyprus Expedition, Vol. IV, part 1C) by Paul Aström, circa 1971 50 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes typescript draft of "Architecture" section, as well as mechanicals and proofs of figures with pottery.	Box 1	Folder 18
<hr/> <i>The Late Cypriote Bronze Age: Architecture and Pottery</i> (Swedish Cyprus Expedition, Vol. IV, part 1C) by Paul Aström, circa 1971 50 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes typescript draft of "Architecture" section, as well as mechanicals and proofs of figures with pottery.		
"Archaic Cyprus," undated 22 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Manuscript of a lecture (?).	Box 1	Folder 19
<hr/> "Archaic Cyprus," undated 22 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Manuscript of a lecture (?).		
Correspondence, 1958-1981 11 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Primarily business correspondence regarding orders for Swedish Cyprus Expedition volumes and publication production. Also includes two letters from Vassos Karageorghis regarding the excavations at Salamis and Kokkinokremos.	Box 1	Folder 20
<hr/> Correspondence, 1958-1981 11 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Primarily business correspondence regarding orders for Swedish Cyprus Expedition volumes and publication production. Also includes two letters from Vassos Karageorghis regarding the excavations at Salamis and Kokkinokremos.		
<hr/> Archaeological research materials, 1897-1984		
Pottery, 1947-1975, undated	Box 2	Folder 1-5
<hr/> Pottery, 1947-1975, undated		
Line drawings of pottery, circa 1947 106 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i>	Box 2	Folder 1-2
<hr/> Line drawings of pottery, circa 1947 106 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i>		

Contains reprographic copies of most of the figure plates from *The Cypro-Geometric, Cypro-Archaic and Cypro-Classical Periods* (Swedish Cyprus Expedition, Vol. IV, part 2) by Gjerstad, with some images cut out, as well as individual images of vases cut from the volume.

<p>Scientific analysis of pottery, 1972-1975, undated 5 leaves, 6 staple-bound typescripts</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Materials relating to the studies conducted by Isadore Perlman, Michal Artzy and Frank Asaro of the Lawrence Berkeley Laboratory involving neutron activation analysis of pottery from Cyprus. Includes "preprints" of articles submitted for publication with a letter thanking Gjerstad for his support, as well as a telegram from Perlman to Gjerstad and a computer printout of data.</p>	Box 2	Folder 3
<p>Mycenaean pottery from tombs at Enkomi, undated 65 items</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photographs and inked drawings on vellum, as well as paste-ups for illustrations in unidentified publication.</p>	Box 2	Folder 4
<p>Various material relating to Cypriot pottery, undated 25 leaves, 24 photographs</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photographs of pottery from Amathus, Pyrgos, Kalopsida, and Dhenia, as well as notes. See also Box 14, f. 1 for pottery from Lefkandi.</p>	Box 2	Folder 5
<p>Sculpture, undated 8 photographs</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Primarily terracotta figures.</p>	Box 2	Folder 6
<p>Phoenician bowls, 1965, undated 21 photographs, 3 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photographs of two electrum bowls from Idalion and one bronze bowl probably from Sparta, now in the Louvre (AO 20134, AO 21035, AO 4702); connected with Gjerstad's article "Decorated Metal Bowls from Cyprus," <i>Opuscula Archaeologica</i> 4 (1946): 1-18. Also includes letter from Anthony Snodgrass regarding culture and date of bowl from Amathus.</p>	Box 2	Folder 7
<p>Excavations at Salamis, undated 2 photographs</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Bundle of twelve iron skewers (obeloi) from Tomb 79; cenotaph of Nicocreon.</p>	Box 2	Folder 8
<p>Offprints on Cypriot topics, 1897-1984 158 offprints</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprints covering a broad range of topics relating to both the prehistoric and historic eras. Some offprints have been annotated by Gjerstad. Also includes a small number of fascicles or articles removed from journals, as well as reviews of Gjerstad's work. Arranged alphabetically by author.</p>	Box 3 Box 4	

Miscellaneous material related to Cyprus, 1946-1977, undated		
General material, 1946-1977, undated 2 staple-bound typescripts, 1 booklet, 2 postcards, 9 leaves	Box 2	Folder 9
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes unpublished (?) typescript by Martin Gjerstad, Einar's son, on the economic geography of Cyprus in the early twentieth century and a typescript by Arne Furumark reporting on the excavations at Sinda, as well as materials relating to the 1974 partition of Cyprus and miscellaneous notes.		
Oversize map of Nicosia, 1966 1 leaf	Oversize box 18	Folder 3

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Series II. Archaeology of early Rome, 1806, 1898-1983, undated 6.6 Linear Feet (11 boxes)

Scope and Contents note:

Rome was founded in 753 B.C. This date, derived from the ancient Romans' own written tradition of their history, has long been accepted by historians. In the volumes of his *Early Rome* series and in many related articles, however, Einar Gjerstad refuted this established date for the foundation of Rome. Arguing from archaeological evidence as opposed to the literary sources, Gjerstad proposed a radical shift of Rome's foundation to circa 575 B.C. and the establishment of the Republic from 509 B.C. to circa 450 B.C. Gjerstad's research and publication materials relating to his redating of the early history of Rome comprise this series.

Gjerstad's work on early Rome had two aspects, the collection of archaeological data and the interpretation of that data, and these two aspects have met with different receptions among scholars. The research materials assembled by Gjerstad for his study of early Rome form the first section of this series. These materials are primarily archaeological with only limited references to the purely historical and cultural aspects of the early city. Gjerstad gathered data from all the pertinent earlier excavations in the Forum Romanum and the surrounding areas, and combined them with the finds from his own excavations. This earlier data had been held by different entities and was often difficult to access. Of particular interest in this regard is the work of Giacomo Boni, who did extensive stratigraphical excavations in the Forum at the turn of the twentieth century. Boni had carefully documented his work through notes, drawings, stratigraphic sections and photographs, but this material had never been fully published. Gjerstad's compilation of all that scattered data has generally been deemed an important scholarly contribution and is represented here in his research materials, especially in the extensive photographic documentation of the early Roman pottery sequence. As for the conclusions Gjerstad drew from this data, that is, his revision of the chronology of early Rome, these were for the most part vigorously opposed in his lifetime and find only occasional adherents today.

These conclusions, as well as a thorough presentation of his data, are to be found in Gjerstad's many publications on early Rome. The archive includes materials related to many of these publications. The bulk is production materials, especially plate and figure mechanicals for the *Early Rome* series, but there are also a small number of manuscripts, typescripts and offprints relating to his other publications on Rome.

Title/Description	Containers
Research on the archaeology and history of early Rome, 1806, 1898-1983, undated	
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Also in Boxes 17, 18, 19, 20.	

Archaeological research on early Rome, 1898-1966, undated

Scope and Contents note:

Also in Boxes 17, 18, 19, 20.

City of Rome, by area, 1898-1966, undated

Scope and Contents note:

Also in Boxes 17, 18, 20.

Roman Forum, 1898-1966, undated

Scope and Contents note:

Archaeological material from excavations and soundings in the Roman forum. Gjerstad includes data from his own excavations, as well as compiling the data from earlier, often poorly published excavations, especially the extensive work of Giacomo Boni at the turn of the twentieth century. Also included here is research and preliminary material for Gjerstad's *Early Rome* volumes. The material is arranged geographically, from west to east, from the Capitoline to the Palatine.

Also in Boxes 17, 18, 20.

Area of the Comitium, 1899-1960 42 photographs, 3 leaves, 1 plan, 2 staple-bound typescripts

Box 5

Folder 1

Scope and Contents note:

Includes photographic documentation of pottery and terracottas excavated by Boni in 1899-1900 and by Gjerstad in 1939, as well as notes and images related to *Early Rome III*. Also includes a typescript titled "Sepulcrum Romuli."

Area southwest of the so-called Equus Domitiani, 1903-1953, undated

Scope and Contents note:

Documentation of excavations conducted in October and November 1949 by Gjerstad, re-examining the area excavated by Boni in 1903-1904, as well as notes and images related to *Early Rome I*.

Also in Boxes 18 and 20.

Notes and photographs, 1903-1953 68 leaves, 47 photographs

Box 5

Folder 2-3

Scope and Contents note:

Extensive documentation of the stratigraphy and the pottery.

Drawings of pottery from the travertine block, undated 5 inked drawings

Oversize box
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Folder 4

Negatives, undated 1 negative

Box 20

Folder 1

Scope and Contents note:

Stratigraphic section.

Charcoal sample, undated 1 item

Box 6

Folder 11

Scope and Contents note:

Labeled "Strata 26"; in envelope sent to Gjerstad from the Botaniska Laboratoriet, Lunds Universitet, Feb. 1952.

<p>Temple of Castor, undated 4 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Notes on architecture.</p>	Box 5	Folder 4
<p>Temple of Caesar/Arch of Augustus, 1904-1960 12 photographs, 1 chart, 25 leaves, 1 envelope</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Material from excavations conducted by Gamberini Mongenet with collaboration by Gjerstad from 1950-1953 and documentation of Boni's work in the upper strata in 1904, as well as notes and images related to <i>Early Rome III</i>.</p>	Box 5	Folder 5
<p>Regia, 1966, undated 4 photographs, 14 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of material from Boni's 1899 soundings, as well as renewed excavations in the 1960s by Frank Brown. Includes text of 1965 lecture by Frank Brown, "Nuovi sondaggi nella Regia."</p>	Box 5	Folder 6
<p>Temple of Vesta, 1898-1960, undated</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of material from Boni's 1898 excavations at the Temple of Vesta and two pozzi near the temple excavated by A. Bartoli in 1930, as well as notes and images related to <i>Early Rome III</i>.</p>		
<p>Notes and photographs, 1898-1960 6 photographs, 1 drawing, 3 leaves</p>	Box 5	Folder 7
<p>Negatives, undated 6 negatives</p>	Box 20	Folder 2
<p>Via Sacra between Regia and Temple of Vesta, 1957-1960, undated</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of excavations by Gjerstad in April and May 1957, as well as notes and images related to <i>Early Rome III</i>.</p> <p>Also in Boxes 17 and 20.</p>	Box 5	
<p>Photographs and notes, 1957-1960 29 photographs, 41 leaves</p>	Box 5	Folder 8
<p>Stratigraphic sections, 1957-1960 3 pencil drawings on vellum</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> East, north and west sections.</p>	Oversize box 17	Folder 1
<p>Negatives, undated 4 frames</p>	Box 20	Folder 3
<p>Sepulcretum, 1902-1956 74 photographs, 5 inked drawings, 4 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i></p>	Box 5	Folder 9-10

Documentation of Boni's 1902-1911 excavations of the archaic cemetery on the Sacra Via, as well as notes and images related to *Early Rome II*.

Habitation levels above the Sepulcretum, 1902-1953, undated <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of Boni's excavations, as well as notes and images related to <i>Early Rome I</i> .		
Notes and photographs, 1902-1953 7 leaves, 25 photographs	Box 5	Folder 11
Negatives, undated 2 negatives	Box 20	Folder 4
General Forum, undated		
Notes and photographs, undated 17 photographs, 9 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Mostly photographs of imported pottery found in the Forum.	Box 5	Folder 12
Negatives, undated 3 negatives	Box 20	Folder 5
Capitoline, 1925-1960, undated <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of A. M. Colini's excavations at various points on the Capitoline from the mid 1920s to the early 1940s, as well as notes and images related to <i>Early Rome III</i> .		
Photographs and notes, 1925-1960 32 leaves, 15 photographs	Box 6	Folder 1
Negatives, undated 4 frames	Box 20	Folder 6
Palatine and Velia, circa 1910-1960 23 leaves, 22 photographs <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of multiple excavations of both habitation sites and tombs on the Palatine and Velia, beginning with Boni's excavations in the 1910s, as well as notes and images related to <i>Early Rome II</i> and <i>III</i> .		
Esquiline, circa 1960, undated 7 leaves, 59 photographs, 5 inked drawings <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of material from the Esquiline necropolis. For remains of fortifications on the Esquiline, see also Box 6, folder 9.	Box 6	Folder 3-4
Cispius, undated 5 photographs <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of terracottas from a votive deposit excavated in 1877.		
Quirinal, 1960, undated <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of material from votive deposits on the Quirinal excavated in the 1870s and 1880s and from the necropolis, as well as notes and images		

related to *Early Rome III*. For remains of fortifications on the Quirinal, see also Box 6, folder 9.

Notes and photographs, 1960, undated 15 photographs, 11 leaves, 1 inked drawing	Box 6	Folder 6
Pottery collage, undated 1 item	Oversize box 17	Folder 2
Forum Boarium, 1938-1961, undated 56 photographs, 4 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Documentation of excavations in the Forum Boarium by A. Colini in 1938 and by Gjerstad from February to May 1959, as well as notes and images related to <i>Early Rome III</i> .	Box 6	Folder 7-8
Fortifications of Rome, circa 1960 22 leaves, 2 photographs, 1 inked drawing <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Notes and images related to <i>Early Rome III</i> .	Box 6	Folder 9
Faunal and floral analysis, 1959-1960 3 leaves	Box 6	Folder 10
Comparanda, 1964-1966, undated <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Comparative material for finds from the city of Rome, primarily pottery, arranged by area and site.		
Etruria, undated		
Standard photographs, 126 photographs <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes material from Cerveteri, Tarquinia, especially the Bocchoris tomb, Veii, Vetulonia, Poggio Buco, Bisenzio, Falerii, Siena, Narce.	Box 7	Folder 1-4
Oversize pottery assemblage, 1 item <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Pottery from Populonia.	Oversize box 17	Folder 3
Latium, 1966, undated 120 leaves, 4 photographs <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Set of corrected proofs for <i>The Iron Age Culture of Latium</i> by Pär Göran Gierow (Lund: C.W.K. Gleerup, 1966); also includes pottery and architectural terracottas from Satricum and Velletri.	Box 7	Folder 5-6
Bologna region, undated 7 photographs	Box 7	Folder 7
Picenum, 1964, undated 1 leaf, 5 photographs <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photographs of material from Novilara, Tomb 62 and letter regarding amber beads in the Museo di Ancona.	Box 7	Folder 8

<p>Campania, undated 8 photographs</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Pottery from Ischia and Cumae.</p>	Box 7	Folder 9
<p>Lipari, undated 37 photographs</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Ausonian pottery.</p>	Box 7	Folder 10
<p>Novo Mesto, Slovenia, undated 12 postcards, 1 envelope</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Pottery and metalwork in the Dolenjski Musej.</p>	Box 7	Folder 11
<p>General pottery research, undated 81 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes notes, concordances, figure lists and profiles of pottery forms.</p>	Box 7	Folder 12
<p>Miscellaneous archaeological research materials, 1950-1965, undated</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Also in Boxes 18, 19 and 20.</p>	Box 8	
<p>Notes, 1950-1965, undated 141 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Also includes permissions and limited correspondence regarding comparanda, as well as bibliographic references.</p>	Box 8	Folder 1-2
<p>Photographs and drawings, undated 101 photographs, 3 inked drawings</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Primarily unidentified pottery, either from Rome or comparative areas, but also includes unidentified excavation photographs, maps of Rome and supplementary images of Roman sculpture and other objects.</p>	Box 8	Folder 3-4
<p>Oversize images, undated 2 items</p>	Oversize box 18	Folder 5
<p>Acetate negative, undated 1 negative</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Map of Rome.</p>	Box 20	Folder 7
<p>Glass negatives, undated 3 negatives</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photograph of pottery (negative damaged); plan and elevation of structure.</p>	Box 19	
<p>Research on historical and cultural aspects of early Rome, 1806, 1951-1972, undated</p>	Box 8	Folder 5-8

Pre-Latin linguistic and religious survivals, undated 36 leaves	Box 8	Folder 5
Early Roman calendar, 1951-1959, undated 98 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Notes, includes two letters with bibliographic references sent to Gjerstad by Christian Callmer.	Box 8	Folder 6
Roman religion, 1806, 1972 28 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photocopies of two corrected typescripts by A. Brelich: "Iuppiter e le idus," published in <i>Ex orbe religionum: Studia G. Widengren oblata</i> (Leiden, 1972): 299-306 and "Appunti sul flamen Dialis" published in <i>Acta Classica Universitatis Scientiarum Debreceniensis</i> 8 (1972): 17-21. Also photocopy of B. Thorlacius, "De Latinorum Vejove" (Copenhagen, 1806).	Box 8	Folder 7
Miscellaneous research notes, undated 23 leaves	Box 8	Folder 8
Offprints relating to Gjerstad's research on early Rome, 1939-1983 36 offprints <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprints relevant to the early history and culture of Rome, chronology and comparative material. Many annotated by Gjerstad.	Box 9	Folder 1-3
Publications and lectures, 1941-1973, undated <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Gjerstad's scholarly output on Rome, both publications and lectures, comprises this section of the archive. Included here are offprints of several of Gjerstad's articles, as well as drafts and production materials related to the <i>Early Rome</i> series. Also in Boxes 17, 18 and 20.		
"Hur Rom byggdes under antiken," 1941 1 offprint <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprint from <i>Ord och bild</i> 50 (1941): 145-152.	Box 10	Folder 1
"Roma (Via Merulana)," 1948 1 offprint <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprint from <i>NSA</i> , Ser. 8, 2 (1949/50): 321-325.	Box 10	Folder 2
"Per strata ad data," 1952 2 offprints <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprint from <i>Arkeologiska forskningar och fynd</i> (Stockholm, 1952): 108-117.	Box 10	Folder 3
<i>Early Rome I. Stratigraphical researches in the Forum romanum and along the Sacra via</i> , 1953 34 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Plate and figure mechanicals.	Box 10	Folder 4

"La stratigrafia e i più antichi materiali archeologici nella zona dell'Arco di Augusto," 1954 1 offprint <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprint from <i>Bullettino di paleontologia italiana</i> 9 (1954/55): 277-297.	Box 10	Folder 5
<i>Early Rome II. The Tombs</i> , 1956 7 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Oversize plate and figure mechanicals.	Oversize box 17	Folder 4
<i>Early Rome III. Fortifications, domestic architecture, sanctuaries, stratigraphic excavations</i> , 1960-1971 34 items		
Standard figure and plate mechanicals, circa 1960 91 items	Box 11	Folder 1-4
Oversize figure and plate mechanicals, circa 1960 5 items	Oversize box 18	Folder 6
Preface, circa 1960 6 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Hand-written manuscript.	Box 11	Folder 5
Reviews, 1970-1971 3 offprints <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Extensive two-part review by Hans Riemann from <i>Göttingischen gelehrten Anzeigen</i> 222 (1970): 25-66 and 223 (1971): 33-86.	Box 11	Folder 6
"Etruskerna och Rom," 1960 1 offprint <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprint from <i>San Giovenale. Etruskerna — landet och folket</i> (Malmö, 1960): 131-151.	Box 11	Folder 7
<i>Legends and facts of early Roman history</i> , 1962 1 book, 6 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Author's copy of the publication with extensive annotations and additions. Also includes manuscript entitled "Tradition."	Box 12	Folder 1
"The Etruscans and Rome in Archaic times," 1962 1 offprint <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprint from <i>Etruscan Culture. Land and People</i> (Malmö, 1962): 147-161.	Box 12	Folder 2
"Discussions concerning Early Rome 2," 1965 12 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Mechanicals and figure proofs for article published in <i>Opuscula Romana</i> 5 (1965): 1-74.	Box 12	Folder 3
"Cultural history of Early Rome. Summary of archaeological evidence," 1965 1 offprint		

<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Article published in <i>Acta Archaeologica</i> 36 (1965): 1-41.	Box 12	Folder 4
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<i>Early Rome IV. Synthesis of archaeological evidence, 1963-1966</i>		
Mechanicals for figures, undated 89 items	Box 12	Folder 5-7
Section of typescript with comments, 1963 4 leaves	Box 12	Folder 8
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Cover letter from A.W. Van Buren, who is sending back Gjerstad's typescript with comments; includes only three pages of typescript.		
Figure proofs (?), circa 1966 29 items	Box 12	Folder 9
Transparencies for color plate production, circa 1966 12 transparencies	Box 20	Folder 8
"The Aventine Sanctuary of Diana," 1970 1 offprint	Box 12	Folder 10
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Article published in <i>Acta Archaeologica</i> 41 (1970): 99-107.		
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<i>Early Rome V. The written sources, 1973, undated</i>	Box 10	Folder 6-13
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> The short sections of manuscript and typescript text presented here are very close, but not identical to, the text published in <i>Early Rome V</i> . This difference probably reflects an earlier draft, but they may be from a different publication, since Gjerstad often presented similar content in multiple publications.		
Mediterranean survivals, undated 25 leaves	Box 10	Folder 6
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Sections of typescript and notes relating to pre-Latin linguistic and religious survivals.		
Tribus and the curiate, undated 26 leaves	Box 10	Folder 7
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Typescript of text and separate set of footnotes.		
Centuriate, undated 17 leaves	Box 10	Folder 8
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Typescript and notes.		
Social structure, undated 7 leaves	Box 10	Folder 9
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Typescript.		
Kings, undated 24 leaves	Box 10	Folder 10
<i>Scope and Contents note:</i>		

Typescript and manuscript.

The Curiate, Centuriate and tribal assemblies, undated 20 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Manuscript and typescript pages.	Box 10	Folder 11
Foreign politics, undated 26 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Manuscript and typescript.	Box 10	Folder 12
Roman religion, undated 9 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Typescript.	Box 10	Folder 13
Figure and plate mechanicals from unidentified publications, undated 18 items	Box 10	Folder 14
"The Foundation of Rome and the Initial Date of the Roman Republic," undated 13 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Typescript of a lecture.	Box 10	Folder 15
Unidentified typescripts, undated 3 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Sections of unidentified typescripts dealing with Cloelia and Tarquinius Priscus.	Box 10	Folder 16
Correspondence, 1955-1969 7 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> General correspondence relating to Gjerstad's work on Rome, including questions about publications and loans of illustrations.	Box 10	Folder 17

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Series III. Archaeology of other areas, 1926-1983 1.3 Linear Feet (3 boxes)

Scope and Contents note:

Although highly focused on the archaeology of Cyprus and early Rome, Gjerstad's research interests also extended into other areas of archaeology. Because Cyprus played the role of cultural intermediary in the eastern Mediterranean, this holds particularly true with regard to Cyprus' neighbors, such as Greece, Turkey and Egypt. This series is comprised of research materials and a small number of publications by Gjerstad relating to these neighboring cultures, as well as more distant ones. Also included here are unidentified archaeological notes, drawings and photographs.

Title/Description	Containers
Greece, 1926-1982, undated	

Pottery from Lefkandi, 1965, undated 2 photographs, 1 leaf <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photographs of imported Cypriot flask from Tomb 22 in the Palia Perivolvia cemetery and an imported Italic cup from the LH IIIC settlement at Xeropolis. Also includes letter from Mervyn Popham regarding the Italic cup.	Box 14	Folder 1
Images of Greek art, undated 1 photograph, 1 inked drawing <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Photograph of bronze statuette of a horse in the museum in Vasiliko, found near Malthi in Messenia, published in Natan Valmin, "Spätmykenische Steinreliefs aus Messenien." <i>OpAth</i> 2 (1955): 66-74. Photograph mounted for printing with figure number and printing scale indicated. Also a drawing of an unidentified Geometric vase.	Box 14	Folder 2
Typescripts relating to the archaeology of Greece, 1956, undated 3 items <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Copies of works by Arne Furumark on Linear A and by Vladimir Georgiev on Greece and the Indo-Europeans.	Box 14	Folder 3
Offprints relating to the archaeology of Greece, 1936-1982 27 items	Box 14	Folder 4-6
Postcards of Greece, undated 22 postcards <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Scenic views and Minoan, Classical and Byzantine monuments.	Box 13	Folder 1
Comments on the dissertation of Ernst Kjellberg, circa 1926 1 item <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Copy of <i>Studien zu den attischen Reliefs des V. Jahrhunderts v. Chr.</i> (Uppsala, 1926) interleaved with extensive notes by Gjerstad.	Box 13	Folder 4
Miscellaneous material, undated 14 leaves <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes notes and bibliographic references.	Box 14	Folder 7
Turkey, the Near East and Egypt, 1959-1978	Box 14	Folder 8-11
Articles by Gjerstad, 1959-1974	Box 14	Folder 8-9
"Naucratis again," 1959 1 leaf, 14 photographs <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Images used to illustrate "Naucratis again," published in <i>Acta Archaeologica</i> 30 (1959): 147-165. Also includes reconstruction of the stratification of the site based on Flinders Petrie's diagram.	Box 14	Folder 8
"The stratification of Al Mina (Syria) and its chronological evidence," 1974 1 offprint <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Offprint from <i>Acta Archaeologica</i> 45 (1974): 107-123.	Box 14	Folder 9

Excavations at Labraunda, 1971, undated 4 photographs	Box 14	Folder 10
Offprints, 1932-1978 12 offprints	Box 14	Folder 11
Later Rome and Italy, 1935-1976, undated		
Offprints of later Roman material, 1935-1976 11 offprints <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes typescript of an article translated from French into Swedish.	Box 15	Folder 1
Postcards of Italy, undated 114 postcards <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Scenic views and works of art from antiquity through the Renaissance from sites including Taranto, Syracuse, Lecce, Taormina, Capena, Tarquinia, Bologna, Verona, Subiaco, Sienna, Ravenna and Sardinia.	Box 13	Folder 2-3
Carthage and Phoenicians in the West, 1955-1981 6 offprints	Box 15	Folder 2
Sweden, 1965, undated 2 leaves, 2 photographs, 1 offprint <i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes amphorae from Valdemarsvik; site with bones and flints in Lund.	Box 15	Folder 3
Scientific analysis, 1965-1973 6 offprints, 2 fascicles	Box 15	Folder 4
Various archaeological topics, 1933-1983 16 offprints	Box 15	Folder 5
Unidentified archaeological materials, undated 5 leaves, 4 drawings, 4 photographs	Box 15	Folder 6
General bibliographic material, undated 8 leaves	Box 15	Folder 7

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Series IV. Miscellaneous professional papers, 1932-1977, undated 0.2 Linear Feet (1 box)

Scope and Contents note:

A range of Gjerstad's miscellaneous professional papers comprise this series. Of particular interest are materials, both Gjerstad's publications and general offprints, relating to Gjerstad's interest in the role of Sweden and Swedish archaeologists in classical archaeology. Lists of colleagues to whom Gjerstad sent offprints, as well as a small amount of general professional correspondence are also included.

Title/Description	Containers	
Material relating to the role of Sweden in classical archaeology, 1932-1976	Box 16	Folder 1-3
Publications by Gjerstad, 1971-1976	Box 16	Folder 1-2
"Krister Hanell 8/8 1904 - 7/1 1970. Minnesord," 1971 2 offprints <i>Scope and Contents note:</i>	Box 16	Folder 1

Offprint from *Kungl. humanistiska vetenskapssamfundet i Lund. Årsberättelse* 1970/71: 18-27.

<p>"Institutets historia 1926-1940," 1976 1 offprint</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> From <i>Svenska institutet i Rom 1926-1976</i> (Rome, 1976): 25-32.</p>	Box 16	Folder 2
<p>Offprints, 1932-1974 8 offprints</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes material relating to Gustaf Adolf's interest in archaeology, the Swedish Institute in Athens and necrologies of colleagues.</p>	Box 16	Folder 3
<p>List of offprint recipients, undated 47 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Lists of names and addresses of people to whom Gjerstad sent offprints.</p>	Box 16	Folder 4
<p>Book catalogs and publication announcements, 1963-1971, undated 8 items</p>	Box 16	Folder 5
<p>Lists of French doctoral candidates in Classical studies, 1972-1973 2 items</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Includes university, dissertation title and advisor.</p>	Box 16	Folder 6
<p>Correspondence, 1953-1977, undated 3 leaves</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> General correspondence, including draft of condolence letter sent by Gjerstad to a colleague on the death of his father and general greetings sent to Gjerstad by the former (?) librarian of the Swedish Institute in Rome.</p>	Box 16	Folder 7
<p>Various, 1955-1972, undated 6 items</p> <p><i>Scope and Contents note:</i> Various material including pamphlets from the Linnean Society of London and the Walters Art Gallery, as well as a set of regulations for the Swedish Institute in Rome.</p>	Box 16	Folder 8

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