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GHIRZA

Ghirza: a Libyan Settlement of the Roman Period, by Olwen Brogan, O.B.E., M.A., F.S.A., and D. J. Smith, Ph.D., F.S.A. *Department of Antiquities of Tripolitania, Libya*, 1984. A4, 311 pp. (inc. 15 appendices), 115 figs., 172 pl.

Ghirza, 150 miles (240 km) south-east of Tripoli, is a late Roman site which with its environs comprises a large settlement, middens, cemeteries and other features, a spectacular series of monumental tombs, and a flood-control system for agriculture in the Wadi Ghirza. These are all described and illustrated in detail. The settlement flourished in the fourth and fifth centuries AD. One building was a temple of Semitic type which yielded altars inscribed in Libyan characters, not yet deciphered. The account of the tombs includes reconstructions and a catalogue of their reliefs. Pottery, lamps, and botanical evidence were collected from the middens.

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