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## EXCAVATIONS AT SABRATHA 1948–1951

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The Amphorae, Coarse Pottery and Building Materials, by John Dore and Nina Keay, with contributions by H. Dodge, D. P. S. Peacock and R. H. Seager-Smith

Edited by Michael Fulford and Melanie Hall. Published on behalf of the Department of Antiquities, Tripoli, S.P.L.A.J., by the Society for Libyan Studies, Monograph No 1, 1989.

The first report on the finds from K. Kenyon's and J. B. Ward-Perkins' excavations at Sabratha 1948–1951 contains full catalogues of the amphorae, amphorae stamps, domestic pottery and selected building materials. The ceramics belong principally to the Punic and early Roman imperial period (c. 450/400 BC–c. AD 200/250), although some later Roman material is present. This publication represents a landmark in the study of Punic and Roman pottery from Sabratha and Tripolitania and each catalogue is accompanied by a full discussion.

A4 format, 298 pages, 72 figures. Arabic summary. ISBN 0-9508363-5-4

## 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.

The temple was reoccupied in the tenth and eleventh centuries, apparently by a merchant and his family. Its excavation yielded 81 fragments of textiles, wooden mirror-boxes, decorated and glazed as well as coarse pottery, Fatimid coins, and botanical evidence for this period also.

The appendices, by specialists and the authors themselves, include catalogues and discussions of the Roman and medieval pottery, glass, coins, inscriptions, and botanical evidence, finds from the temple, skeletal remains from the cemeteries, the mirror-boxes, and the textiles.

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