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DESCRIPTION OF THE SCARABS AND WEIGHTS.<sup>1</sup>

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Plate VI, Fig. 7. Scarab, schist. Woman seated on chair with lion-shaped legs; hieroglyph reed *a* in front, and basket *neb* below. Probably about 2000 or perhaps 1200 B.C. Egyptian.

Fig. 8. Bone scaraboid. Palm tree; on one side the hawk-headed god, Horus; on the other side a crocodile-headed god, probably Sebek. In front of each a uræus serpent. On reverse a scarab beetle with a crocodile on either side. The style is most like that of about 2500 B.C., but it might come as late as 1200 B.C. Egyptian work.

Fig. 9. Diorite scarab. Lion on a crocodile, uræus serpent in front. Work probably Egyptian; about 1200 B.C., or perhaps earlier.

Fig. 11. The bit of amethyst scarab is characteristic of the XI–XIIth dynasty by its material. About 2500 B.C.

In the absence of all dating by the subject it is very difficult to date entirely by style without seeing the material and form. It would be quite possible for these to be all of one date; and if so I should rather suppose 2500–2000 B.C. The cylinder is Syrian work, which I cannot date.

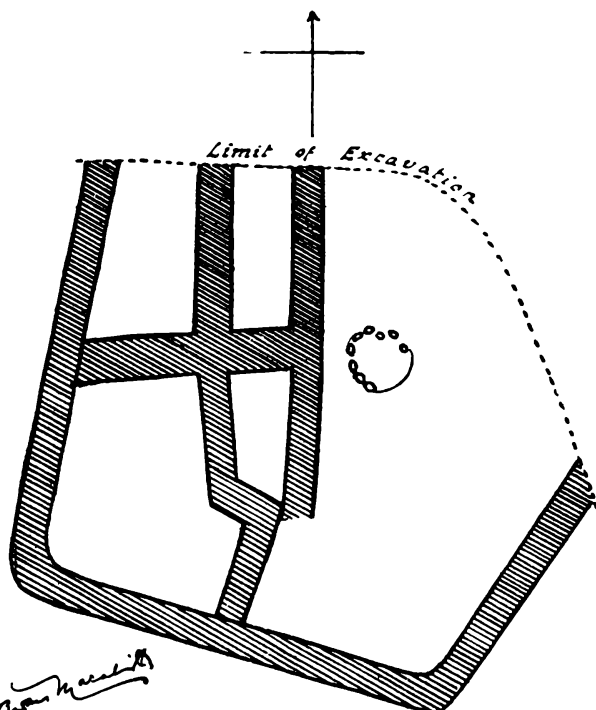
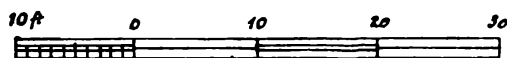
Of the weights:—

- (1) Spindle shaped, is a heavy example of the Assyrian shekel, on the double standard.
- (2) Flat topped may be a light example of a 2 shekel Assyrian standard, on the double standard.
- (3) Dome-shaped, is the Egyptian 5 kedet weight, rather light.

<sup>1</sup> See pp. 340, 344, §§ VIII, X.

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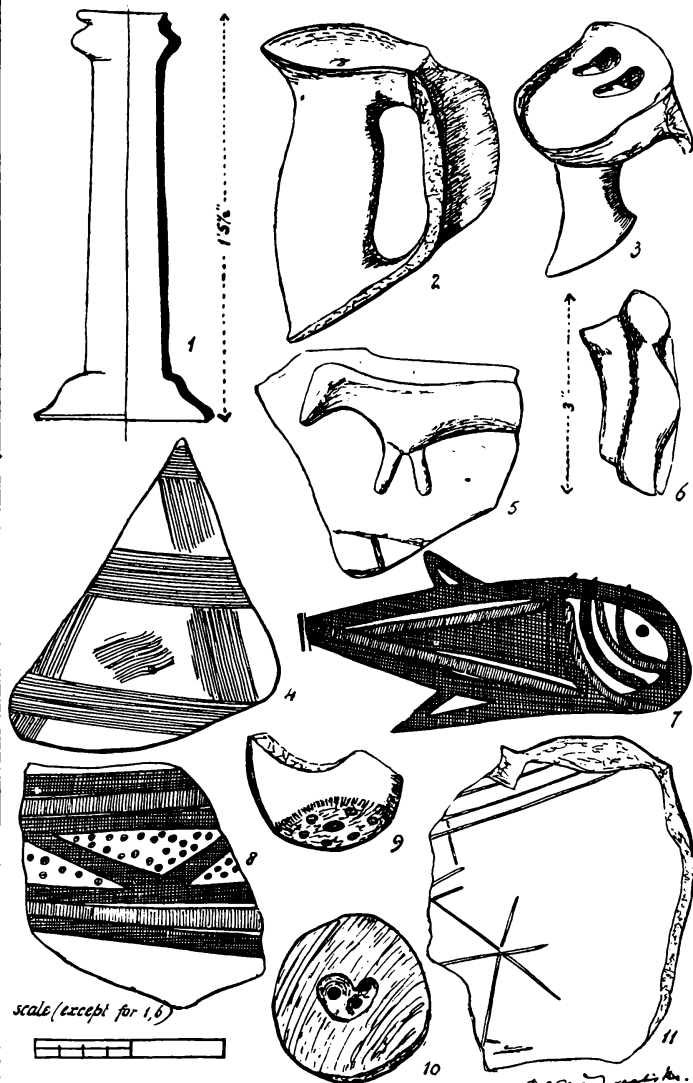
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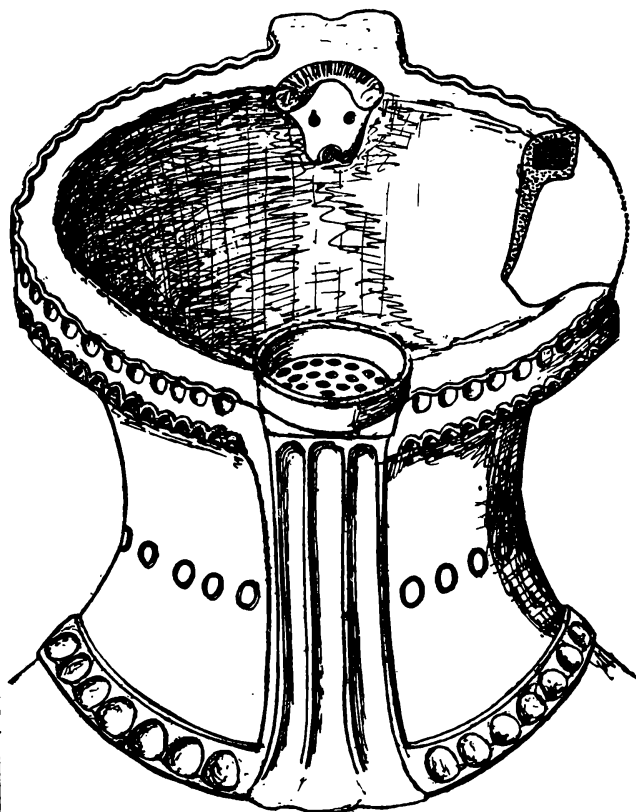
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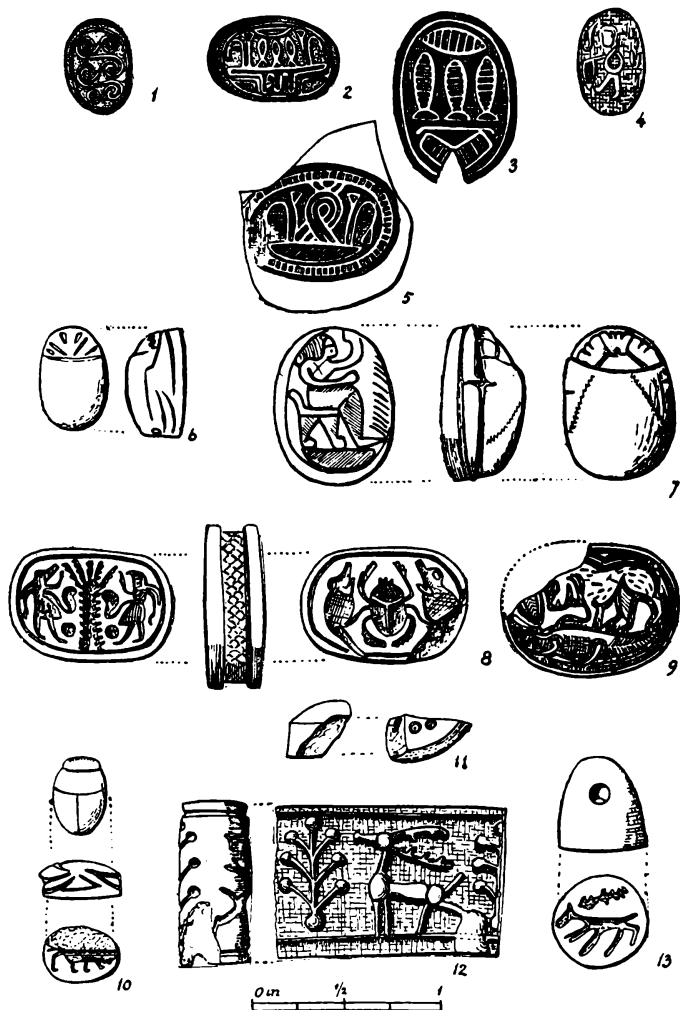
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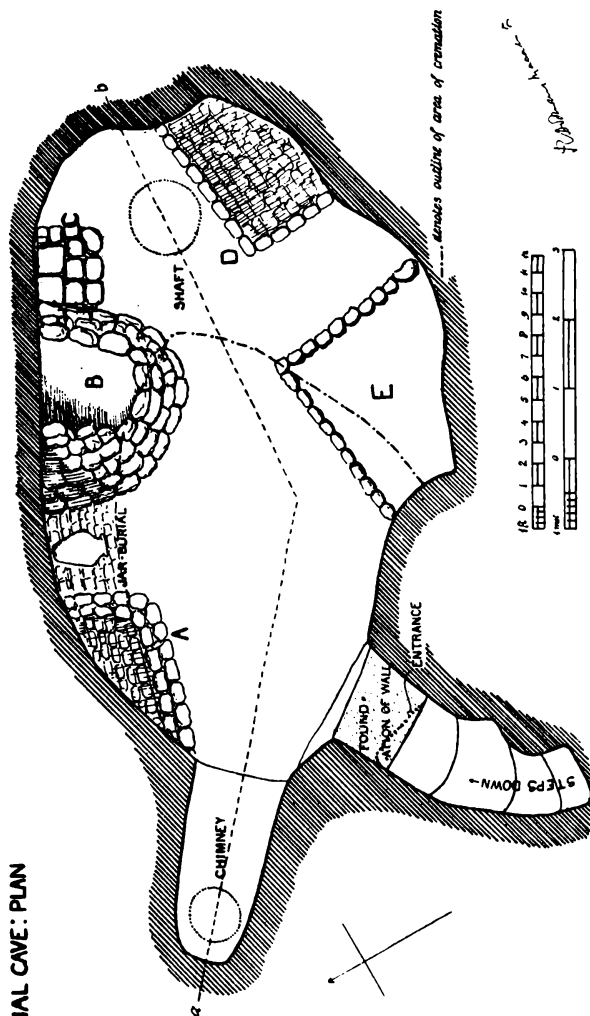
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## SCARABS AND SEALS



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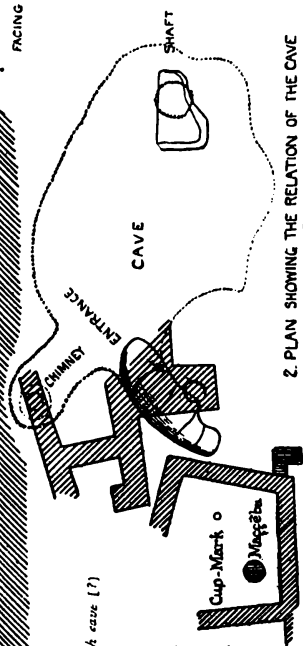
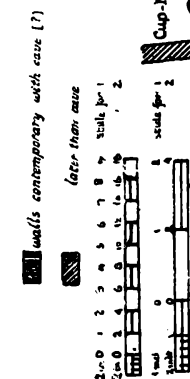
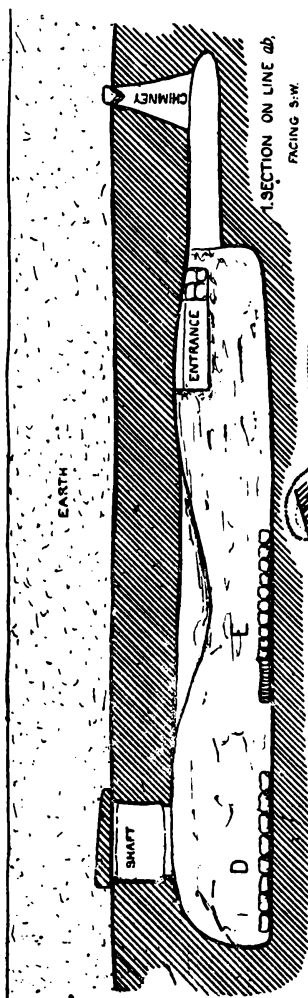
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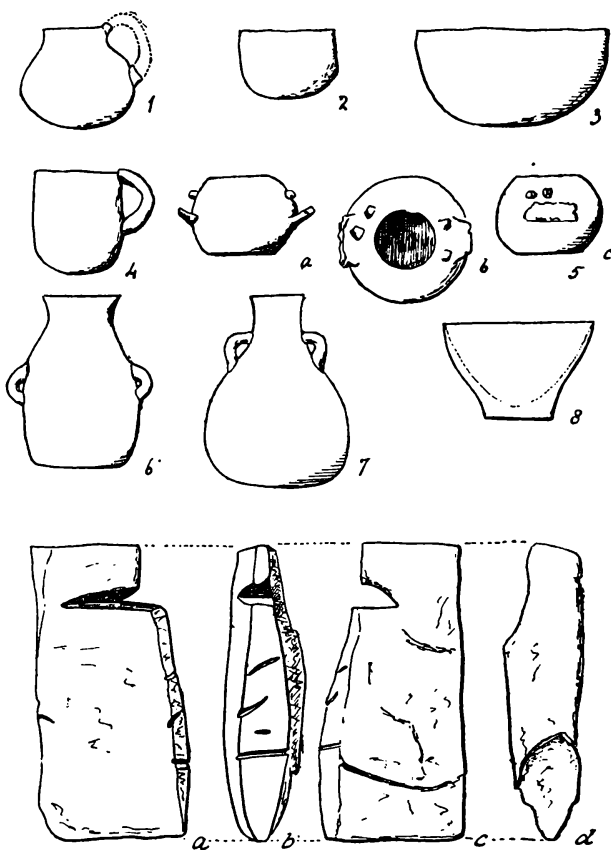


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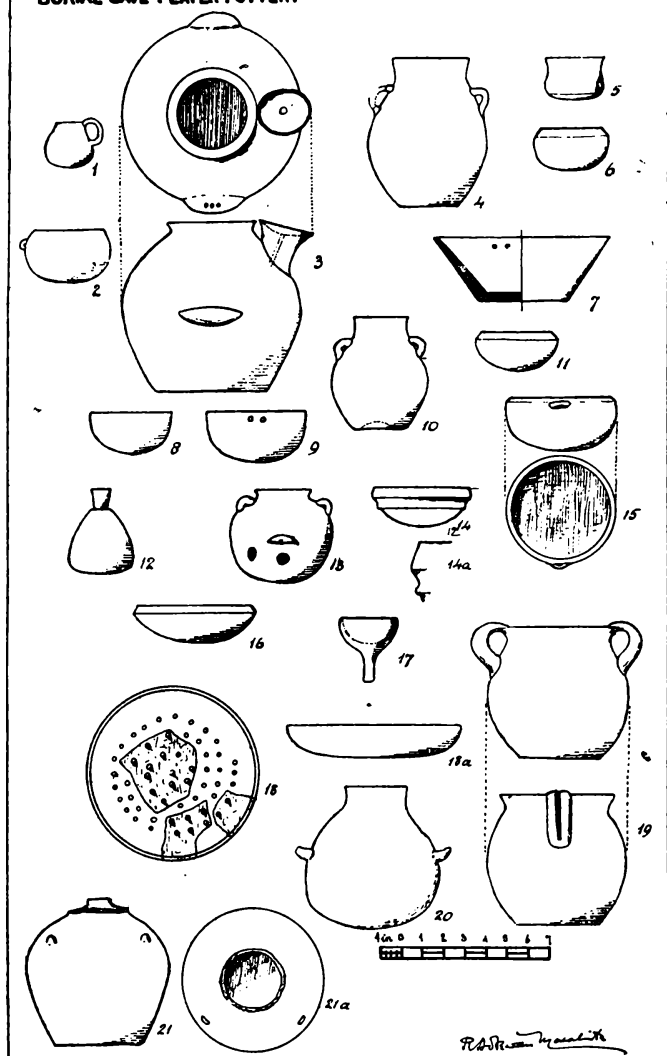


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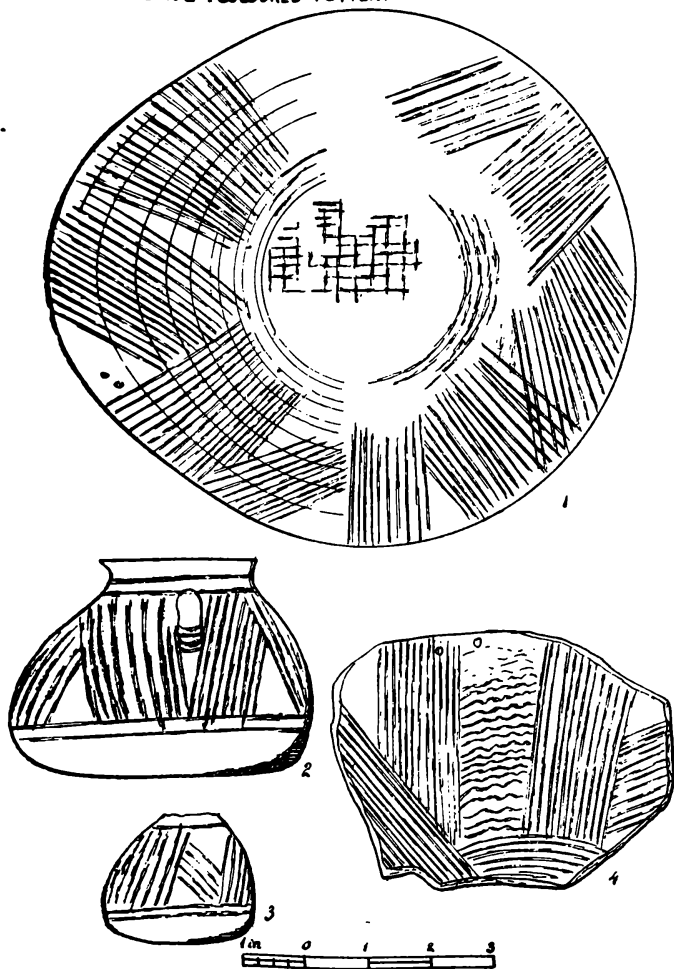
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BURIAL CAVE : LATER POTTERY



# EXCAVATION OF CEZER

BURIAL CAVE : COLOURED POTTERY



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