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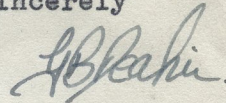
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Dear Professor,

I enclose two notes for your records, the notes are concerned with 2 Greek Triglochin arrow - heads from the Camp at Defenneh, in the Sheffield City Museum, and ^{with} small antiquities formerly in the Municipal Museum Boston, now in the Royal Scottish Museum, Edinburgh, the quoted reply was (written) by Mr Aldred.

Yours sincerely



P.S. Mr A. G. MacCormick, Keeper of Antiquities, Nottingham City Museum, requests ~~my~~ assistance in learning the present whereabouts of Mr Martin Burgess, Technician - Authority on the subject of (Chain) Mail, last heard of, at the University College in 1961, does any of the staff remember this gentleman.?

S.C.M. 87 - 2 Two Bronze arrow - heads, both approx 3.7 cm in length. From Defenneh, presented by the E.E.F. Published by W.M.F. Petrie, F. Ll. Griffith and A.S. Murray in Tanis. Part II., including Tell Defenneh and Tell Nebeshah p 77, Pl XXXIX (no 9). A reference in G.M.A. Richter's Greek, Etruscan and Roman Bronzes p 404, (no I487) leads to an exact classification of the type, in J.L. Myers The Cesnola Collection of Antiquities from Cyprus (no's 4789 - 4793) " Hellenic or Western Type, with tubular socket, to fit over the end of the shaft and three ridges or wings without barbs: this is the Greek Triglochis or ' three-Tongued ' arrow - head, and seems to go back to the Early Iron Age. Ls $I\frac{3}{4}$ - $I\frac{1}{4}$ in. "

Excavated antiquities, presented by the British Museum, and formerly in the collections of the Municipal Museum, Boston.

The answer to an enquiry, concerning these antiquities, was received from Mr C. Aldred, The Keeper of the Dept. of Art and Archaeology, The Royal Scottish Museum, Edinburgh. stated :- " Our records show that on 13 January 1955 we registered 7 small Egyptian antiquities as gifts of the Municipal Museum, Boston. They were 2 slate paletes, a rubber, a string of beads, an earring and 2 pots ranging in date from predynastic period to Dyn XVIII. They have been published by G Brunton in Qua & Badari I, p 13 (no I785); op cit III, p 17, Pl XXXV (35) (no 3756) and Pl XXXVIII (No 4963); and The Badarian Civilization Pl XXXII (no 3720); ibid Pl LXXIII, 183.