

Stelae 12, 13, 14 & 40, Piedras Negras.

- a. During the summer of 1939 new night-lighted photographs of the fronts of our four stelae were made; in each case with lighting from one side, then the other. These were for more striking slides (for museum extension work I think). **
- b. New Photographs of the fronts, at larger scale (in sections) and with double lighting for maximum record value were made.
- c. Various views at an angle were made for the same purpose.
- d. The hieroglyphic columns on the sides were rephotographed, in most cases with at least two lightings.

(The expense of b, c, & d was defrayed by San Francisco Fair; all were made by Mr. Goldberg under direction of LSJr).

The films (and jackets) above noted have been grouped by stelae, and ^{sp}grouped in the order a to d, and numbered serially "Sp-1 to Sp-68," as a temporary expedient, to make them available. They should be kept as a group.* **

This book is a Piedras Negras Exped. working set of prints from the above, arranged in numerical order. It should be useful in filling orders for photographs, especially of the hieroglyphic sides, and of details of sculptured fronts.

N.B. Prior photos of these monuments, and of ~~the~~ the lintels and throne, and the altar leg, have not been included. The ~~films~~ films are filed in the film room without number. Prints of some ^{of} these are filed in note book labeled "P.N. Photos at Museum: Monuments, Stucco Heads". These are extra prints, the set is not complete.

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* Placed in Piedras Negras drawer in film room, at the rear of "Stelae" section.

** Misc. Sculptured Stone No 16 added, Dec. 1939, as restored with new (missing) fragment found this year. Nos Sp. 69 to

Sb1 = 19225

Piedras Negras. 1938 Photo Catalogue.

(Films of Sculpture in P.N. and Guatemalan Museums).

At Philadelphia:

Sp. 1 to 17	Stela 12
Negs. 19225-19242	
Sp. 18 to 29	" 13
19243-19254	
Sp. 30 to 45	" 14
19255-19273	
Sp. 46 to 68	" 40
19274-19299	
Sp. 69 to 73	Miscl. Sculptured Stone No. 16.
19300-19305	

At Guatemala:

38- 1	Stela 6
38- 2	" 15
38- 3a	Stela 33
38- 3b	" "
38- 4	Stela 36
38- 5	Altar 4, 3 legs ("Chac" heads), the fourth at Philadelphia.)
38 - 6	Lintel 4.

Note. These are all night-lighted.

Checklist of Negatives,
Piedras Negras Inscriptions

A number of Maya monuments from Piedras Negras, Guatemala, were for a time in the University Museum where they could be photographed under ideal conditions. The following list is a selection of negatives which show hieroglyphic inscriptions with special clarity, and which may be useful to epigraphers as supplements to published photographs in Morley, S.G., "The Inscriptions of Peten." Most of them were made by artificial light; many negatives give two views of the same part of an inscription, with different lighting.

Prints may be ordered by number from The University Museum, University of Pennsylvania, at \$.75 (dollars) each.

<u>Neg. No.</u>		
19238	St. 12	Left side, upper part
19239	"	" lower "
19243	"	Right side, lower "
19226	"	Front (incised glyphs)
19227	"	" " "
19253	St. 13	Left side
19254	"	Right "
19243	"	Front (incised glyphs)
19244	"	" (")
19270	St. 14	Left side, upper part
19269	"	" lower "
19268	"	Right "
19259	"	Front (incised glyphs)
19260	"	" , upper part (constellation band)
19291	St. 40	Left side, upper part
19292	"	" "
19293	"	" "
19294	"	" , middle part
19295	"	" , lower part
19296	"	Right side, upper part
19297	"	" , middle part
19298	"	" , lower part
19299	"	" "
19276	"	Front, upper part (constellation band)
21137	L. 3	Front
21138	"	" (less contrast, some lighting)
19379	L. 12	Front, left part
19381	"	" , right "
19380	"	Front (entire)
19304	M.S.S. 16	Front, left part
19305	"	" "

* "left" and "right" are of observer facing the front of stone