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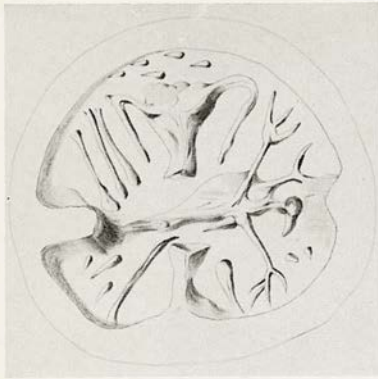
LATE HELLADIC IIIC

Nos. 263-264



263. Birmingham 1
 Grey steatite
 ϕ 1,8. S. H. 0,2-0,3
 Lentoid

Cretan goat to the right. Between the legs perhaps the stem of a tree.



264. Birmingham 2
 Red jasper
 ϕ 1,9. S. H. 0,2-0,3
 Lentoid

The stone has been subject to two engravings.

1. Two bucrania, antithetically disposed. Lying parallel to the set of the horns are quantities like bones, radially disposed. Work of the Bronze Age.

2. Between the bucrania and over an original dividing line was later engraved the likeness of a man, with upraised arms and fingers. Probably work of the Iron Age.