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Dear Emmitt,

Sorry, I assumed everyone knew about

Theban tablets — I saw & read most of them (the

girl in charge did not know till too late that I could read them) but promised not to reveal contents. But they may

impel Platon to believe more firmly in the decipherment, if he is to publish them, as I heard ^{him}. They are certainly so close in every way to Pylos tablets as to be dated ca. 1200 ^{found with LH III B pottery.}

We don't have Diojenos, — could you give me one sentence
from Erich Isaac, "Religious Factors in the Geography of
Ancient Mesopotamia"?

Yours Mark