

flint core and flake were located above the right hand. Five green beads, 1 tuquoise bead and 1 shell bead were found below the skull.

FT 25, Space 66

F.2767 Sk (14977), Sk (14978) Sk (14977)

This is a completely disarticulated neonate burial. Only a few bones were recovered. The neonate was disturbed by skeleton (14978). The position of the body could not be determined.



Figure 146: Primary burial of mature male (14978)

Sk. (14978)

This was a primary (Figure 146) mature adult male buried in the northern part of the building in a fire installation area. The body was lying on its right in a tightly flexed position. The head was to the east, facing south with the main axis of the body oriented east-west.

TP Area

F.2859 Sk. (15812)

Only parts of a single Neolithic skeleton were found in the TP excavation area during the 2007 field season. This skeleton (15812) was a cluster of human bones consisting of a few articulating thoracic vertebrae and an articulated radius and ulna. The bones were of an adult. The criteria for sex determination were not present.

POST-NEOLITHIC/LATE SKELETONS

Late burials were found in two areas of the East Mound: Foundation Trenches 1, 4, 9, and 10 in the 4040 Area. On the West Mound, Trenches 5 and 7 yielded post-Neolithic skeletons.

4040 Area

F.2753 Sk.(14919)

The upper part of the body an infant of 0-6 months of age was found truncated by the foundation trench of Building 41. The body was oriented west to east with the head to the west. The right arm was missing while the left arm was extended alongside the dorsally extended body. The legs were not extended but crossed. The bones were in good condition.

F.2801 Sk. (15021)

In a tile-capped and tile-lined grave, this adult, possibly female skeleton was found dorsally extended, slightly on its left side. The arms were alongside the body although