PROGRAM

for the

ANNUAL MEETING

of the

Society for American Archaeology

May 3, 4 and 5, 1956



UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA

Lincoln, Nebraska

THURSDAY, MAY 3

9:00-12:00 a.m.

Nebraska State Historical Society - Auditorium

Welcome:

JOHN L. CHAMPE, MARVIN F. KIVETT

Contributed Papers:

Chairman: E. Mott Davis

- ROUSE: Application of the Concept of Co-Tradition to Southwestern Archaeology
- 2. Spaulding: Seriation and Probability
- 3. Gebhard: Northern Contacts of the Fremont Culture
- 4. Gunnerson: Promontory Point-Plains Relationships
- 5. Wedel: Why the Great Plains are Treeless
- 6. Griffin: Radiocarbon Dates and the Hopewell Culture
- 7. TARR: Pollen Analysis at the Modoc Rockshelter

2:00-5:00 p.m.

Ferguson Hall, University campus - Room 217

Symposium:

Chairman: WM. MAYER-OAKES

The Local Archaeological Society

8:00-10:00 p.m.

Smithsonian Laboratory, 1517 "O" Street, Lincoln

Open House:

Host: Robert L. Stephenson

FRIDAY, MAY 4

9:00-11:00 a.m.

Ferguson Hall, University campus - Room 217

Contributed Papers:

Chairman: A. C. Spaulding

- Thompson: Archaeological Investigations of Two Early Colonial Sites in Yucatan
- 2. Christensen: Archaeological Study of the Far North Coast of Peru
- 3. Birrell: Unique Textile Finds from Paracas Cavernas
- 4. Neumann: Morphological Comparison of Cranial Series from the Archaic Level of Eastern United States and Eastern Brazil
- CLAUSER: Reliability of Small Series of Crania for Identification of Archaeological Populations
- 6. Stephenson: Pottery from the Accokeek Site, Maryland

11:00-12:00 a.m.

Ferguson Hall, University campus - Room 217

Business Meeting:

Presiding: Wm. Duncan Strong

1:30-3:15 p.m.

Contributed Papers:

Chairman: ARNOLD WITHERS

- MAYER-OAKES: Carnegie Museum Excavations at the Varner Site, 36 Gr1
- 2. Schwartz: Grand Canyon Split-twig Figurine Complex
- 3. MILLER: Sand Painting from the Navaho Shooting Chant
- 4. Cressman: Progress Report on Excavations on the Columbia River
 East of The Dalles, Oregon
- 5. Ruppe: Recent Archaeological Discoveries in Iowa
- 6. Ives: Comments on Mill Creek Ceramic Analysis

3:15-5:15 p.m.

Burnett Hall, University campus - Room 108

Symposium:

Chairman: Erik K. Reed

Highway Salvage Archaeology

6:30-8:00 p.m.

Cornhusker Hotel — Georgian Room

Banquet:

Presiding: Wm. Duncan Strong

8:00 p.m.

Cornhusker Hotel — Georgian Room

Movie:

Introduced by: J. O. Brew

"The Hunters" (African Bushmen), a Documentary Film by John Marshall

SATURDAY, MAY 5

9:30-12:00 a.m.

Burnett Hall, University campus — Room 108

Contributed Papers:

Chairman: Frank H. H. Roberts, Jr.

- 1. Green: A New Industry Found in Southwestern Michigan
- 2. Euler: Pounding Stones in the Southwest
- Davis: Possibilities for the Study of the Intermediate Lithic Period in Western Nebraska
- 4. Krieger: Problems in American Projectile Point Typology
- 5. Fowler: Archaic Projectile Point Styles, 2000-6000 B.C.
- 6. WILLIAMS: The Island 35 Mastodon and possible associated artifacts

2:00-7:00 p.m. Meet at Laboratory of Anthropology, Burnett Hall

Field Trip and Picnic Supper Guide: John L. Champe (Insofar as possible, transportation will be furnished for those who do not have cars of their own.)

GENERAL INFORMATION

Registration

It is requested that everyone attending the meetings register upon arrival, in the Laboratory of Anthropology, Burnett Hall, University campus. A registration desk will be open from noon Wednesday, May 2, through noon Saturday, May 5. For information, messages and mail, inquire at the registration desk. Please have your mail addressed c/o Department of Anthropology, Burnett Hall, University of Nebraska, Lincoln, Nebraska.

Housing

There are several hotels and motor courts in Lincoln. Most of the hotels are within walking distance of the University campus and State Historical Society. The Cornhusker Hotel has single rooms with bath available at \$5.50, \$6.50, \$7.50, and \$9.00. Double rooms cost \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. Rooms with twin beds are \$10.50 and \$14.00. In making reservations, be sure to mention attendance at the Archaeological Meetings since there is at least one other conference scheduled for this same time. It is also suggested that reservations be made as early as possible.

Program Committee Chairman: John M. Corbett.

Local Arrangements Committee Chairman: John L. Champe.