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SOURCES FOR THE HISTORY OF ANTHROPOLOGY

I. Edward Dozier Papers

The papers of Edward Dozier (1916-71), a Native American anthropologist who conducted fieldwork in the Southwest and the Philippines and served on the faculties of Northwestern and the University of Arizona, are in the Archives of the Arizona State Museum. In 1986, the twenty six boxes were processed by Marily Norcini, who has continued to do research on Dozier's career.

II. 'Living Archive' of Videotaped Interviews

The September number of the Anthropology Newsletter reports that twenty-five interviews have been videotaped in a joint project of the University of Florida Department of Anthropology and the Wenner-Gren Foundation for Anthropological Research, carried on under the direction of Russell Bernard and Allan Burns of the former institution. To guarantee a knowledgeable informality, the interviews were conducted by good friends and colleagues of the interviewees (e.g., George Foster by Charles Wagley, William Fenton by David Sapir, Frederica de Laguna by Norman Markel, Lauriston Sharp by Paul Doughty). Bernard and Burns recently made interviews of four generations of Mexican anthropologists as part of the project. The collection is housed in the Smithsonian Institution's Human Studies Archive, under the supervision of Wendy Shay, and an informational brochure should be available by the time this notice appears. Suggestions for people to be interviewed, or other queries about the project, should be sent to Bernard or Burns at the University of Florida Department of Anthropology.

III. Quimby/Haag Tapes--A two hour VHS tape entitled "Bringing the Past Alive: Conversations with George Quimby and William Haag," which focuses on their archaeological experiences during the 1930s and 1940s, is now available at a cost of \$20. The taping sessions were part of a conference, held in April 1989, funded by the Louisiana Endowment for the Humanities under the direction of Ann F. Ramenofsky. Enquiries regarding acquisition of the tape should be directed to Geoscience Publications, Department of Geography and Anthropology, Louisiana State University, P.O. Box 16010, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, 70893-6010.

IV. SAA Committee on the History of American Archeology--Douglas Givens is chairing a committee of the Society for American Archaeology charged with compiling and publishing an inventory of known archival sources for the history of North American archeology. HAN readers who have suggestions may write to Givens at the Department of Behavioral Sciences, St. Louis Community College, 11333 Big Bend Boulevard, St. Louis, Missouri 63122.