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Nash hope to edit the proceedings for a Fieldiana volume in 2002, coincident with the 100<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the American Anthropological Association.

**American Anthropological Association Annual Meeting**—There were several sessions (or other activities) at the November meetings in San Francisco bearing on the history of anthropology:

Earlier American Indian Anthropologists in Public Anthropology-- organized by George Abrams (Yager Museum) and Joalyn Archambault (Smithsonian), included papers on Ella Deloria (by Bea Medicine), Edward Dozier (by Archambault), J.N.B. Hewitt (by Barbara Graymont), Edmund J. Ladd (by T. Ferguson and Margaret Hardin), Francis La Flesche (by Garrick Bailey), Alfonso Ortiz (by Charles Cambridge), William Jones (by Robert Hall), Arthur Parker (by Abrams), with discussion by William Sturtevant.

Unwrapping the Sacred Bundle: Reconfiguring the Discipline of Anthropology--organized by Dan Segal (Pitzer) included papers by James Clifford (UCSanta Cruz), Rena Lederman (Princeton), Ian Hodder (Stanford), Michael Silverstein (Chicago) and Sylvia Yanagisako (Stanford), with discussion by Michel-Rolfe Trouillot (Chicago) and by Segal.

Anthropology at the Opening of the Twentieth Century--organized by Regna Darnell (Western Ontario) and Raymond DeMallie (Indiana) included papers by Darnell, DeMallie, Frederic Gleach (Cornell), Jennifer Brown (Winnipeg), with discussion by Stephen Murray.

The annual business meeting included a panel discussion of a paper by David Price on "A Cold War Secret: The AAA, the CIA, and the Comprehensive Roster of 1951" (cf. Anthropology News 11/2000, 13-14).

At the meeting of the Centennial Commission of the Association, Regna Darnell (Western Ontario), chair of the Committee reported on a range of activities in various stages of planning (for details, see the regular reports in the Anthropology News). Other activities include the formation of a History of Archaeology Interest Group as part of the Society for American Archaeology ([snash@fmnh.org](mailto:snash@fmnh.org)).

**American Anthropological Association HoA Committee**—Although the planned organizing meeting of a History of Anthropology Committee in the General Anthropology Division was postponed until the 2001 association meeting because of an unanticipated schedule conflict with the general meeting devoted to Patrick Tierney's Darkness in El Dorado, the effort to gain the 100 members necessary to establish an official committee will continue. Members of the AAA who are interested in participating, or in adding their names to the history of anthropology listserve, should contact Susan Trencher ([strenche@osfl.gmu.edu](mailto:strenche@osfl.gmu.edu)).

## HAN WEBSITE

Due to the departure of our site-master for fieldwork in China, it has not developed as rapidly as we had hoped. However, with the help a new research assistant, Byron Hamann, we do hope to improve this situation in the next several months. In the meantime, such as it is, the site is accessible at: <http://anthropology.uchicago.edu/han/Default.htm>. Please note that there is no "www" in this address.