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FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER BLOOMSBURG STATE COLLEGE ANTHROPOLOGY STUDENTS

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This month's newsletter highlights activities of interest to student's seeking additional career information and professional opportunities. A list of Great Books and influential figures is included for those students seeking reading and study direction in career development.

In addition to the Summer Archaeology Tour, the anthropology division is planning other opportunities for anthropology student participation. These opportunities are included herein.

There are approximately one-hundred field positions available under our HIGHWAY SALVAGE ARCHEOLOGY PROGRAM during the 1977 season of April to December. These positions are primarily for CREW CHIEF and CREW MEMBER roles, involving RECONNAISSANCE SURVEY activities to locate sites, SITE EXAMINATION activities to test sites to determine their size and their significance, and SALVAGE EXCAVATION activities to recover data from significant sites threatened by construction.

<u>CREW CHIEF</u>	\$40/Day	B.A. in Anthropology, specialization in Archaeology. To direct work of crews of 5 to 10 workers in field or lab. Minimum of 2 seasons of field and/or lab experience.
<u>CREW MEMBER</u>	\$30/Day	Minimum of 1 season supervised field experience. To perform survey, excavation and/or lab work.

It is expected that work will be available more or less full-time for the duration of the season, but exact schedules are dependent on work requests from D.O.T. and on numbers of sites located during surveys. Applicants should specify dates when available, and should take into consideration that large-scale field operations could begin as early as April.

Letters of application describing qualifications and availability as well as job category preference should be sent to:

Dr. Al Dekin, Department of Anthropology, State University of New York at Binghamton, 13901 (For projects in central and southern New York)

Mr. Charles Fisher, Department of Anthropology, State University of New York at Albany, 12222 (For projects in eastern and northern New York)

Mr. Neal Trubowits, Department of Anthropology, State University of New York at Buffalo, 14226 (For projects in western New York)

Letters of recommendation supporting statements of experience and ability should be included.

APPLICATIONS SHOULD BE RECEIVED BY MARCH 1ST.

(Be sure to indicate dates of availability and whether full-or part-time.)

Northeastern Anthropological Association will meet at Rhode Island College, Providence, R.I. March 24-26. This is a good opportunity to hear papers by professional Anthropologists and graduate students. Students may join this association for \$3. Similarly, the Conference on Culture and Communication will meet at Temple University in Philadelphia March 9-11. Anthropological films are the main topic; many will be shown. Contact the faculty for details.

GREAT BOOKS IN ANTHROPOLOGY

Synthesia by Robert R. Reader

Original survey by Joseph Casagrande

The following represents a list of books, with some thought to rank order, of most influential and important works in anthropology. This list, compiled by Joseph Casagrande resulted from questionnaire submitted from 60 anthropologists, only works receiving three or more votes were included, no more than 20 titles were requested. The number beside the work represents it's frequency in the tabulations.

1. Malinowski, Bronislaw	<u>Argonauts of the Western Pacific, 1922</u>	41
2. Benedict, Ruth	<u>Patterns of Culture, 1934</u>	37
3. Tylor, Edward B.	<u>Primitive Culture, 1871</u>	36
4. Kroeber, Alfred L.	<u>Anthropology, 1946 (2nd. ed.)</u>	34
5. Linton, Ralph	<u>The Study of Man, 1936</u>	26
6. Boas, Franz	<u>The Mind of Primitive Man, 1911</u>	24
7. Fraser, Sir James	<u>The Golden Bough, 1890 (12 Vols.)</u>	22
8. Darwin, Charles	<u>The Origin of Species, 1859</u>	21
9. Morgan, Lewis H.	<u>Ancient Society, 1879</u>	21
10. Durkheim, Emile	<u>Les Formes elementaires de la vie religieuse</u>	19
11. Morgan, Lewis H.	<u>Systems of Consanguinity and Affinity,</u>	17
12. Mead, Margaret	<u>Coming of Age in Samoa, 1928</u>	15
13. Sapir, Edward	<u>Language, 1921</u>	15
14. Lowie, Robert H.	<u>Primitive Society, 1920</u>	14
15. Mardock, G. P.	<u>Social Structure, 1949</u>	13
16. Freud, Sigmund	<u>Totem and Taboo, 1912</u>	10
17. Childe, V. Gordon	<u>What Happened in History, 1942</u>	9
18. Radcliffe-Brown, A.R.	<u>The Andaman Islanders, 1922</u>	8
19. Bloomfield, Leonard	<u>Language, 1933</u>	7
20. Childe, V. Gordon	<u>Man Makes Himself, 1936</u>	7
21. Redfield, Robert	<u>The Folk Culture of Yucatan, 1941</u>	7
22. Maine, Henry	<u>Ancient Law, 1861</u>	6
23. Radcliffe-Brown	<u>Structure and Function in Primitive Society, 1952</u>	6
24. Sapir, Edward	<u>Selected Writings of Edward Sapir in Language, Culture, and Personality, D. G. Mandelbaum, ed., 1949</u>	6
25. Tylor, Edward B.	<u>Anthropology, 1881</u>	6
26. White, Leslie A.	<u>The Science of Culture, 1949</u>	6
27. Durkheim, Emile	<u>De la division de travail social, 1893</u>	5
28. Evans-Pritchard, E.E.	<u>The Nuer, 1940</u>	5
29. Graebner, Fritz	<u>Die Methode der Ethnologie, 1911</u>	5
30. Levi-Strauss, Claude	<u>Les Structures elementaires de la parente, 1949</u>	5

INFLUENTIAL FIGURES IN ANTHROPOLOGY

1. Bronislaw Malinowski	49	19. Leonard Bloomfield	7
2. Alfred L. Kroeber	45	20. Leslie A. White	7
3. Edward B. Tylor	44	21. Clark Wissler	7
4. Lewis H. Morgan	41	22. Henry Maine	6
5. Ruth Benedict	37	23. E. E. Evans-Pritchard	5
6. Franz Boas	33	24. Fritz Graebner	5
7. Ralph Linton	27	25. Abram Kardiner	5
8. Emile Durkheim	26	26. Claude Levi-Strauss	5
9. Edward Sapir	25	27. Clyde Kluckhohn	4
10. Sir James Fraser	23	28. Paul Radin	4
11. Margaret Mead	23	29. W.H.R. Rivers	4
12. Charles Darwin	22	30. Spencer & Gillen	4
13. V. Gordon Childe	21	31. Earnest A. Hooton	3
14. Sigmund Freud	17	32. Lucien Levy-Bruhl	3
15. Robert H. Lowie	17	33. Charles Lyell	3
16. A. R. Radcliffe-Brown	17	34. Julian H. Steward	3
17. George P. Murdock	13	35. W. Lloyd Warner	3
18. Robert Redfield	12	36. Edward Sherry	3

For Robert R. Solenberger, Associate Professor of Anthropology at B.S.C., a highlight of the first semester was attendance at the simultaneous and partly joint conventions of the American Folklore Society, the Committee on Research in Dance, and the Society for Ethnomusicology, in Philadelphia, Nov. 10-14, 1976. All three organizations are concerned with recording and analyzing objectively aspects of human social, artistic, and religious behavior, as manifested in the expressive use of a variety of performance media, including graphic and plastic arts, vocal and instrumental music, and the symbolic use of human bodies in dance, and in situations symbolizing social or religious feelings. Of special interest to the cultural anthropologist was the stress on the interaction of diverse American ethnic traditions; folk speech vs. sociolect; macroanalysis of content and choreographic forms for cross-cultural comparison; computerized recording and comparison of human movement (or such things as pottery shapes, etc.) and of formal (Laban) dance notation, and the playback of these via TV; bibliography of Asian dance films; traditionalism vs. innovation in contemporary American Indian music and a rich variety of other specialized topics.

Planning and preparation are in progress for the "Prehistoric Indian Discoveries" experience for B.S.C. students, to be offered jointly by the Department of Sociology & Anthropology and QUEST, Aug. 1-19, 1977. Robert R. Solenberger, Associate Professor of Anthropology, was assisted by members of North Central Chapter No. 8 of the Society for Pennsylvania Archeology in locating a rich site where pottery and other Indian artifacts have already been found on the surface along the Pine Creek, a few miles north of Jersey Shore, Pa. the students will camp out in a grove of pines near the site, with canoeing and swimming available as after hour activities. During the day students will earn 3 semester credits in Field Archeology under supervision of Mr. Solenberger, an experienced archeologist. At other times experiences in outdoor living and relating to the natural environment will be guided by Dr. Stephen Bresett, Director of B.S.C. QUEST program. During the three-week period, two week-end backpacking expeditions will be taken to survey probable Indian rock shelters in the mountains. Non B.S.C. Students are welcome to sign up for this course, and descriptive leaflets have been circulated to colleges in Pennsylvania and nearby states.

13.	V. Gordon Childs	22	22	Ernest A. Smith
14.	Edmund Vance	17	32	London Levy-Daniel
15.	Edward H. Lane	17	33	Charles Loyal
16.	A. R. Haskins-Pearce	17	34	LeRoy H. Stewart
17.	George W. Haskins	18	35	W. Lloyd Warren
18.	Robert Wellfield	18	36	Edward Westermann

Planning and preparation are in progress for the "Tennessee Indian the-
saurus" experience for B.S.C. students, to be offered jointly by the Department
of Sociology & Anthropology and GUNT, Aug. 1-15, 1957. Robert H. Schaeffer,
Associate Professor of Anthropology, was assisted by members of North Central
Group No. 2 of the Society for Tennessee Archaeology in locating a rich site
where pottery and other Indian artifacts have already been found on the surface
along the Tennessee River, a few miles north of Jersey Shore. The students will
camp out in a grove of pines near the site, with cooking and eating available
as often as necessary. During the day students will earn 2 semester credits
in Field Anthropology under supervision of Dr. Schaeffer, an experienced archaeo-
logist. At other times experience in outdoor living and relating to the natural
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