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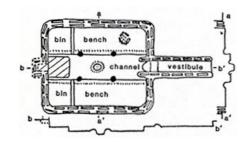
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From the Editor's Desk

I'm fascinated by the way in a pre-wifi, even PPN, era, ideas traveled around the world and reappeared in widely separated times and places, almost without change.



Some examples:



Antelope Creek house plan

Drawing by Chris Lintz



Israel four-room house,

© 1200 B.C.

In our own time, "old" houses often feature a long hall running down the center, with rooms on either side.



Late Neolithic pottery, Iran. © 4,000 B.C.



Southwestern Pottery

Even the metate, or quern, often described as developed in the American Southwest, actually appears on the shores of the Sea of Galilee ©23,000 B.C.

(See Ecclesiastes 1:9.) Attributed to King Solomon, but of course we may never really know!



PANHANDLE ARCHEOLOGICAL SOCIETY

Minutes of September 19, 2018

The meeting was called to order by Vice President Scott Brosowske at 7 p.m. in the Amarillo Downtown Library.

There were approximately 20 persons in attendance.

MINUTES: The minutes from the previous meeting were accepted as printed in the newsletter.

TREASURER'S REPORT: Pam Allison reported there was \$3939.63 in the checking account.

PUBLICATIONS REPORT: Rolla Shaller reported an ending July balance of \$944.66 in the Money Market Account, and \$5,147.42 in the Certificate of Deposit. The Money Market Account is now under \$1000. Rolla announced the new brochures are out and printed. 1000 were printed for a total of \$310.07.

OLD BUSINESS: The Federation transactions will be brought at the October meeting for those wishing to purchase 2017 publications. It was brought up that Midland has still not decided if they will hold the 2019 Southwest Federation Meeting. There was a reminder that we will be holding the 2019 TAS annual meeting.

NEW BUSINESS: Proceeds from Studer Banquet totaling \$1500 will be moved from the general fund to the publications fund.

Annual Flint fest on September 29.

The Plains Conference and the TAS annual meeting are both in the last week of October.

The Society for American Archaeology 84th Annual Meeting will be held in Albuquerque from April 10th to 14th.

There will be an Atlatl competition at Black Water Draw on October 27.

Beryl had books and brochures out.

Joe D. to give a talk Friday, September 21 in room 325 of Old Main.

The business meeting adjourned at 7:15 p.m.

PROGRAM: Brendon P. Asher gave the program for the evening over Clovis and Folsom artifacts and their placement from the Continental Divide of Colorado through Kansas. These artifacts were from private collectors and isolated discoveries.

The only thing archeology can prove is that we were all skeletons who lived underground!





UPCOMING EVENTS

STUDER BANQUET DEC 8, 6:00 P.M. YOUNGBLOOD'S

October 17, 2018 Panhandle Archaeological Society

Amarillo public library, downtown 7:00 p.m.

Pre-meeting dinner Napoli's 700 So. Taylor 5:30 PM



NOTICE!!

PAS November meeting will be a week early, to avoid conflict with Thanksgiving.

So it will be November 14, 2018.

October Is Texas Archaeology Month

October 24-27, 2018 Plains Anthropological Society 76th Annual Conference

San Antonio, Texas http://plainsanthropologicalsociety.org/

October 26-28, 2018 Texas Archaeological Society Annual Meeting

San Antonio, Texas https://txarch.org/civicrm-event/189

October 27, 2018 Atlatl Competition Blackwater Draw, New Mexico

December 8, 2018 Studer Banquet (See above)

March 29-30, 2019 Southwestern Federation of Archeological Societies

Midland College, Midland Tx

Activity Friday evening, Symposium Saturday. Be sure to plan to attend, and please be thinking of making a presentation.

Jack Lowder [mailto:jacktlowder@att.net]

April 10-14, 2019 Society for American Archaeology 84th Annual Meeting

Albuquerque, New Mexico <a href="http://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/138/Default.aspxhttp://saa.org/AbouttheSociety/AnnualMeeting/tabid/ta

PROGRAM INFORMATION

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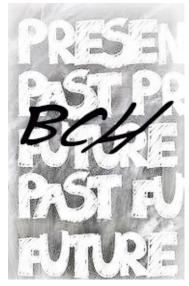
A Two-Story True Story

The book tells two stories. One, the people who settled here about the end of the Ice Age, and Two, the 40-year struggle to get the federal government to recognize its importance and name it a National Monument.

The program reviews some of the information previously presented in the book, "Gone to Rock and Ruin: Alibates Flint Quarries National Monument". Presenter will read certain portions of the book.

Much of the book has been given in programs at PAS, at SWFAS, and published in *Transactions*. Although the book has 50 color photographs, there are a number of black-and-white pictures that could not be used because of copyright issues. These will be highlighted in the program.

Your questions and comments are invited.



The keys to the future lie in the past.

Biographic Information

Beryl Cain Hughes is a native of Colorado and Utah, and an adopted Texan. While employed at then-WTSU she decided to finish her long-abandoned college degree. She needed one more semester of Science, and the class meeting at a time that she could fit into her work schedule was Anthropology:Professor Jack T. Hughes! The rest, as they say, is history. Also Prehistory. A professional librarian (retired) Beryl is not an archaeologist, nor really any kind of "ologist." Her field is the human condition, which seems to make Anthropology come almost close.

Anthropology is the most humanistic of the sciences and the most scientific of the humanities.

Attributed to A.L. Kroeber

