externalist explanations and between intellectual and social histories. Keeping an eye on broader perspectives requires effort, but the pay-off in terms of improving the standards of studies of the history of archaeology more than compensates for the extra labor. A magnificent exemplar of such an approach was provided early on by Stuart Piggott's William Stukeley: An Eighteenth-Century Antiquary (1950). Its success is attested by the fact that Piggott's interpretation of Stukeley's changing approach to archaeology continues to be debated to the present day.

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Rubie Watson, the William and Muriel Howells Director of the Peabody Museum of Archaeology and Ethnology at Harvard University, has put together an excellent little volume covering the history of the opening of the Peabody Museum of Archaeology and Ethnology. The volume briefly discusses the origins and development of the museum and the collections acquisition activities that were prosecuted. The volume discusses the history of the Peabody Museum displays of 1877 and the Peabody Museum of 1928 and 2001. The volume also briefly discusses the Museum's processing of its collections. For the reader interested in a brief historical look at the Peabody Museum, this volume is must for one's library. For one that is looking to have an addition to one's library on the history of the Peabody Museum, this volume should be a part of that collection.

VI. Activities of Various Academic Gatherings Related to the History of Archaeology

Randall McGuire sends word of an invitation to anyone interested in participating in a symposium at the Fifth World Congress in Washington, DC, June 21-26, 2003. Please feel free to pass this announcement on to other colleagues and students who might be interested in the session and to post it as appropriate.

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