

Navarrete, Isabel Martinez

1998 "The Development of Spanish Archaeology in the 20th Century"

Schild, Romuald

1998 "Stefan Krukowski (1890-1982): A Reclusive Eccentric Within the Archaeological Establishment"

Trigger, Bruce G.

1998 "Childe as a Moralist"

Sherratt, Andrew

1998 "Gordon Childe: Right or Wrong?"

Melleuish, Gregory

1998 "Vere Gordon Childe: An Australian Perspective"

Smith, Pamela Jane

1998 "'A Passionate Connoisseur of Flints': An Intellectual Biography of the Young Grahame Clark based on his Pre-War Publications"

Marchiniak, Arkadisuz

1998 "Setting a New Agenda: Ian Hodder and his Contribution to Archaeological Theory"

Wysocki, Jacek

1998 "The Protection of the Archaeological Heritage in Poland in the 20th Century: Concepts and Practices."

David W.J. Gill (University of Wales-Swansea) advises that the British edition of the *Dictionary of National Biography*, published by Oxford University Press, is at present being revised and new entries are being written. There are numerous archaeologists who will be appearing in that new edition.

Readers of the BHA with an interest in the philosophy of the social sciences may wish to know that Alison Wylie (Washington University, Saint Louis, Missouri, USA), James Bohman (Saint Louis University, Saint Louis, Missouri, USA), and Paul Roth (University of Missouri-Saint Louis (Saint Louis, Missouri)) are organizing the third of an annual series of working conferences on topics in philosophy of the social sciences. This builds on the first two roundtable conferences held at Saint Louis University (April 1999) and the University of Missouri (March 2000), and continues a tradition of meetings that bring together philosophers and social scientists of diverse backgrounds to discuss a wide range of philosophical issues raised in and by social research. This year the keynote speaker will be Linda Alcoff (Syracuse University) who will speak on the relationship of politics to knowledge and other issues arising from her recent book *Real Knowing*. Information concerning the roundtable can be found at <http://artsci.wustl.edu/~awylie/Roundtable01.html>.

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III. Death Notices of Colleagues Engaged in Writing the History of Archaeology

Edwin M. Shook, died March 9, 2000, at his home in Antigua, Guatemala. His obituary, written by his son John Shook, is published in a number of anthropological publications and is reprinted here in case members of the BHA readership have not yet been informed of Dr. Shook's passing:

Antiqua, Guatemala,

Doctor Edwin M. Shook., a noted archaeologist, died at home in Antigua, Guatemala, Central America on March 9, 2000. A memorial service [was] held at Santo Domingo, Antigua, Guatemala on April 2, 2000. Dr. Shook was born on November 22, 1911 in Newton, North Carolina and lived in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania; the country of Guatemala, and in Cambridge (Harvard), Massachusetts before retiring to Antigua. In 1934 he made his first field trip to Latin America with the Carnegie Institution of Washington.... During the next six decades, he devoted his life to the study and exploration of the Mayan civilization, earning a reputation as one of the foremost Mayanists. Although his work was primarily in Guatemala, he worked on major projects in Honduras, Mexico and Costa Rica. The highlight of his career was the nine years with the University Museum of the University of Pennsylvania as field director of the Tikal Project, the largest New World expedition at the time. His involvement with Early Pre-Classic to the Late Post-Classic excavations made him the most versatile archaeologist of the twentieth century. Some of the contributions of Dr. Shook to his adopted country include being one of the principals in the establishment of the American School of Guatemala which now encompasses the Universidad del Valle de Guatemala (University of the Valley of Guatemala). He was responsible for Tikal being declared the first national park in Guatemala. In 1963, in recognition of his contributions, the President of Guatemala awarded Dr. Shook the highest and most prestigious civilian award, the Order of the Quetzel. An avid book collector on Mesoamerican history and culture, he assembled four libraries, the last of which he donated to the Universidad del Valle in memory of Virginia B. Shook, the school's first librarian. Dr. Shook was the recipient of other honors, including an honorary doctorate, but his greatest legacy is the time he gave serving as a guide and advisor to and sharing his knowledge and experience with numerous archaeology students. Many acknowledge him as their mentor. His oral history/biography by Winifred Veronda, Incidents in the Life of a Maya Archeologist, was published in 1998. Dr. Shook is survived by three sons and their families: Edwin M. Shook and Sandra Shook of Worcester, Massachusetts, and their sons, Jeremy and his wife May of Ballston Spa, New York and Matthew of New York City, New York; Stephen H. and Marcia Shook of Antigua, Guatemala and their daughter, Keri and her husband Kim Spirodopoulos of Tuebingen, Germany and their son Garrett, a flight officer in The U.S. Navy; John A. and Jean Shook of Chocowinity, North Carolina, and John's son, Christopher, of New York City, New York and stepson, Chadwick Warren of Washington, North Carolina.

(Ink Drawing by Alfred Bendiner
"Greetings", Guatemala, Tikal,
Spring 1960)



Greetings and a happy memory
of the great U.S. Archaeological
Excavation to Tikal in the new
front of Guatemala in the
Spring of 1960,
Bendiner

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Pennsylvania Museum)