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Dear Colleagues:

I wish to renew and underscore the importance of your continued submissions of news and announcements of interest and use to other members of the SAS. Previous editors have solicited a wide range of items for inclusion in *The Southern Anthropologist*, such as new departmental or intra-departmental initiatives and developments, individual honors and research endeavors, availability of fellowships/assistantships, conferences, training programs, workshops, symposia, meetings, reviews or commentaries on books, letters, short articles, requests for cooperation, and obituaries. You are invited and urged once again to send these types of items for inclusion in upcoming issues of *The Southern Anthropologist*. I would also welcome suggestions or recommendations regarding ways in which we might make *The Southern Anthropologist* a more effective vehicle of communication for the SAS membership.

Since I will be planning to send out the three annual issues in June, September, and January, I would recommend forwarding to me any materials intended for inclusion by May, August, or December, respectively, to assure timely publication. Submissions should be double-spaced and, where appropriate, in accordance with the *American Anthropologist* style guide.

Sincerely,

Gifford S. Nickerson, Editor

*The Southern Anthropologist*

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS & NEWS**

**ERRATA RELATING TO THE 1988 SAS ANNUAL MEETING**

Please note three important corrections to announcements which appeared on the first page of the last issue (Winter 1987) of *The Southern Anthropologist*: (1) The SAS 1988 Key Symposium topic will be "Cultural Conservation in the American South: Preserving Our Community Heritage;" (2) the SAS 1988 Key Symposium Chair will be Benita J. Howell of the University of Tennessee (see her call for papers in this issue); (3) the SAS 1988 Program Chair will be Thomas W. Collins of Memphis State University.

Sincere apologies for these unintentional errors, and for any inconveniences resulting from them, are extended to all concerned. First to Andrew W. Miracle, who was incorrectly listed as 1988 Key Chairman; secondly, to Michael V. Angrosino (SAS 1988 Local Arrangements Chair) for being mentioned incorrectly as SAS 1988 Program Chair; and lastly, to both Benita J. Howell and Thomas W. Collins, whose roles in the SAS 1988 annual meeting were not determined until after the Winter 1987 issue of *The Southern Anthropologist* was distributed. Finally, we apologize to any readers who may have been inconvenienced by any of the above oversights.

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**CALL FOR SUBMISSIONS**

**1988 SAS Student Paper Competition**

The 1988 Student Paper Competition will provide two awards: one for the best graduate and one for the best un-
undergraduate paper on any anthropological topic. The Chair for the 1988 competition will be Dr. Charles H. McNutt of Memphis State University. Papers submitted must follow the standard anthropological format for footnotes and references (see the style guide for the *American Anthropologist*). All submissions must be typed—or run on a letter-quality printer—on bond paper, with double spacing and ample margins. The author’s name, address, and class standing should be included in a cover letter, but these should not appear anywhere on the manuscript itself. Winners will be notified in advance so that they may make arrangements to attend the 1988 SAS annual meeting in Tampa, Florida, during which prizes will be awarded at the SAS annual business meeting. The winning papers also will be printed in *The Southern Anthropologist*. Submissions, due by January 12, 1988, should be sent to:

Dr. Charles H. McNutt, Department of Anthropology, Memphis State University, Memphis, Tennessee 38152

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**CALL FOR PAPERS**

Southern Anthropological Society Key Symposium

Joint Meeting with Society for Applied Anthropology

Tampa, Florida—April 21-23, 1988

Cultural Conservation in the American South: Preserving Our Community Heritage

*Cultural Conservation: The Protection of Cultural Heritage in the United States* (Washington: Library of Congress, 1983) surveyed current efforts to “preserve, conserve, and encourage the continuation of the diverse prehistoric, historic, ethnic, and folk cultural traditions” in the United States. This report argued that a comprehensive cultural conservation effort would require both public and private groups to develop multiple, varied programs at the local, state, and national levels. Southern communities already have developed considerable interest in heritage conservation; efforts of state and local folk life programs, civic organizations, private citizens and scholars offer instructive prototypes for cultural conservation activities nationwide.

You are invited to submit papers illustrating the diverse goals, modes of organization, and funding sources, as well as multidisciplinary approaches employed in cultural heritage conservation projects in the South. Presentations describing contributions of folklorists, cultural geographers, historians, and educators, as well as cultural anthropologists and archeologists, are especially welcome.

Please send a 250-500 word abstract, postmarked no later than October 15, 1987, to the symposium organizer:

Dr. Benita Howell, Anthropology Department, University of Tennessee, Knoxville, TN 37996-0720, (615) 974-4408

Symposium participants will be informed by November 15 and will be asked to submit drafts of their papers by February 1, 1988.
BOOK EXHIBIT OPPORTUNITIES

Annual Meetings Book Exhibit Chairperson Sought
The job of Book Exhibit Chairperson involves contacting as many persons as possible by letter, urging them to exhibit at the annual meeting. The other main tasks involve coordinating the book exhibit with the local arrangements person and serving as a liaison between the exhibitors and the program chair and local arrangements person. The job is for a minimum of two years, but no more than three. The new chair would assume his/her duties starting with the 1989 meetings.

SAS Authors: Please Take Note
Tim Wallace, our Book Exhibit Chair, thanks all of you who have informed him in the past about books you want to promote at SAS annual meetings. Since the 1988 SAS annual meeting will be held jointly with the Society for Applied Anthropology in Tampa, FL, the size will be double that of the Atlanta meeting. Please let Dr. Wallace know about your latest publications, as your publishers can benefit from the marketing potential of our annual book exhibit. This is a valuable opportunity to bring titles of interest to the attention of your colleagues. If your publisher declines participation, please let him know if you are interested in arranging your own display. If interested in either of these opportunities, please contact the current Book Exhibit Chair (for the latter opportunity, please give titles and publisher information):

Dr. Tim Wallace, Department of Sociology and Anthropology, Box 8107, North Carolina State University, Raleigh, NC 27695, 919-737-2491

CALL FOR PROPOSALS

Key Symposium: 1990 SAS Annual Meeting

The Board of Directors of the SAS has decided that selection of the key symposium two years in advance would give symposia organizers more time to select the best final presenters and give more time to have papers in final form at the time of the annual meeting. This should increase the already outstanding quality of our key symposium and help reduce the time required to get the proceedings into the hands of the membership.

Therefore, the Board of Directors is in the process of selecting the 1989 key symposium from among the proposals submitted, but not selected, for 1988. The key symposium for the 1989 Memphis meetings will be announced in Tampa.

The Society is now soliciting proposals for the key symposium for the 1990 annual meeting. The location for the meeting is not set, but will likely be New Orleans or Atlanta. Anyone wishing to organize the key symposium and assume responsibility for editing the proceedings volume should submit a proposal to Thomas Arcury by January 15, 1988. The proposal should contain a statement describing the proposed topic, a rationale for the selection of that proposed topic, and a tentative list of participants and individual paper topics. Dr. Arcury will circu-
late copies of the proposals submitted to the University of Georgia Press at the annual meeting in Tampa in 1988. Selection will be based on the organization and merits of the proposal, probable relevance and appeal of the topic to Society members, and potential contribution of the edited proceedings volume to the SAS Proceedings series. Please send proposals by January 15, 1988 to:

Dr. Thomas Arcury, Center for Developmental Change, 303 Patterson Office Tower, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40503

MINUTES: 1987 SAS GENERAL BUSINESS MEETING

THE SOUTHERN ANTHROPOLOGICAL SOCIETY

General Business Meeting
Ramada Inn, Capital Plaza
Atlanta, Georgia
Friday, March 27, 1987 at 4:00 p.m.

AGENDA ITEM I: APPROVAL OF MINUTES

The minutes of the 1986 meeting were approved as read.

AGENDA ITEM II: SECRETARY-TREASURER'S REPORT

Mathews distributed the attached financial statement and noted that the Society had a deficit of $2673.87 for the 1986 fiscal year. She reported that the deficit was in part due to the publication of two volumes of proceedings in one year because of delays. The dues income to fund one volume had been deposited in savings the previous year. However, the Society still faces a crisis situation since interest income has declined steadily and since the price per volume for publishing the proceedings increased drastically in 1986. The cost jumped from $5.94 per copy for Volume 18 to $7.92 per copy for Volume 19. Since student members only pay dues of $7.00, the Society subsidized each student membership, and with regular members only paying $12 each, little operating margin was left for 1986. After comparing cost figures for the years 1980 to 1987, Mathews noted the need for a dues increase if the Society is to remain solvent. She presented two alternatives. Alternative A was for a modest increase with students going from $7 to $10, regular members from $12 to $15 and joint members from $18 to $20. She projected that for the same membership as in 1986 such an increase minus the cost of fixed operations and proceedings publication would leave the Society with a margin of $633.40. While this modest increase would not be too drastic for members, the gain would be minimal and no funds would accumulate in savings. Alternative B was a more sizeable increase with students going from $7 to $12, regular members from $12 to $20 and joint members from $18 to $26. Such an increase would be more difficult for members to accept, but would offer the advantage of yielding an annual budget reserve of approximately $1400.00 if membership levels remained constant.

Abbott moved on behalf of the Board of Directors to institute the dues increase contained in Alternative B. The motion was seconded and passed without objection.

Mathews then reported that the 1986 annual meeting held in Wrightsville Beach, NC netted a profit of $190.27. She referred members to the financial statement attached for a more complete accounting of income and expenditures for the meeting.
Mathews then reported on election results. Anthony Paredes of Florida State University was elected to the office of President-Elect for 1987-88. Tom Arcury of the University of Kentucky was elected Secretary-Treasurer for a three-year term running from 1987-1990. Patricia Lerch of the University of North Carolina at Wilmington was elected to the office of councillor for a term running from 1987-1990.

AGENDA ITEM III: REPORT ON 1987 MEETING

Program Chair, Tom Collins, reported that 89 people preregistered for the meeting. He also noted that his department at Memphis State University was underwriting some of the expenses associated with producing the program for the meeting.

Local Arrangements Chair, Carole Hill, reported that there were 19 no-shows on the program and that 34 people registered on-site. A total of 133 people registered. She noted that this represented a decline in participation from the 1984 meeting in Atlanta.

Hans Baer suggested that restricted travel budgets at many universities may account for the decline. He urged the Society to seek out possibilities for more joint meetings in order that members can maximize travel funds.

Student Paper Competition Chair, Gifford Nickerson, reported on the outcome of the competition. He first thanked the judges, Dr. Risa S. Ellovich and Dr. Mary L. Walek, both of North Carolina State University for their assistance. The winner of the undergraduate prize was Jacqueline Hunt of the University of New Orleans for her paper entitled “Negative Attitudes Towards Obese Patients Held by Nurses in the ICU.” The winner of the graduate prize was Mary Van Rheenen, Louisiana State University, for her paper entitled “Place as an Indicator of Ethnicity for the Hispanic-Indian People of Sabine Parish, Louisiana.” Both of the papers were formally presented during the annual meeting, and each student received a certificate and books contributed by the following publishers and Presses whom Nickerson thanked:

- University Presses of Florida
- The University of Georgia Press
- The University Press of Kentucky
- The University of Tennessee Press
- Holt, Rinehart and Winston
- Random House, Inc.

AGENDA ITEM IV: REPORT OF THE PROCEEDINGS EDITOR

Proceedings Editor, Mary Helms, reported that things are on schedule with publication. Volume 19 came out in the Fall of 1986 and Volume 20 is due in the Summer of 1987. Volume 21 has been sent to the Press for typesetting. Helms also reported that she had received a draft of the new contract agreement with the University of Georgia Press. It now calls for a 5-year instead of the previous 3-year agreement. The only other major change is the stipulation that proceedings manuscripts must be delivered to the Press within 9 months of the annual meeting. Helms noted that sales of volumes remain steady and consistent. The leading sellers over the past 18 months are Volumes 18, 19, 15, 16 and 17 in that order.

Hill asked Helms what the new contract stipulated about the role the Press would play in advertising volumes. Helms said that the contract was vague and said little more than that volumes would be listed in the regular Press catalog. Hill noted that we should encourage the Press to advertise individual volumes in anthropology journals in order to stimulate sales. Helms and Abbott agreed to discuss this with the Press in contract negotiations.
AGENDA ITEM V: REPORT OF NEWSLETTER EDITOR

Editor Pat Lerch reported that she will step down since her term of office ends in 1987. Abbott asked that members who wished to be considered for the post talk with her as soon as possible. Lerch said the newsletters are on schedule and solicited items for a summer issue.

AGENDA ITEM VI: OLD BUSINESS

A. Mooney Award

John Peterson reported that he had reviewed the history of the award in an issue of the newsletter and had solicited comments from the membership about future directions. He talked with many Presses and none was interested in assuming the award under the old format as it was too costly. He said that the Society needs to find an alternative mechanism for making the award that will be consistent with our financial resources. He noted that one possibility would be to give the award annual to the best published work during the year. However, the issue of criteria for that kind of award would still need to be worked out: i.e., should it go to a work by one of the SAS members, to a work on the anthropology of the South, or to a work on anthropology in the New World?

Peterson moved on behalf of the Board of Directors that a committee be formed that would include representatives from the general membership to make a proposal for an alternative Mooney award. The proposal would need to include data on costs to the Society and mechanisms for funding, and the committee would be charged to report to the membership at the 1988 annual meeting. The motion was seconded and passed without objection.

Abbott then announced the formation of a Mooney Award Committee and appointed Hans Baer, Councillor, as Chair and Miles Richardson as a member. Other members will be appointed at a later date. Abbott asked interested people to contact her.

B. Resolutions

Peterson proposed resolutions thanking Thomas Collins of Memphis State University for serving as 1987 Program Chair; Carole Hill of Georgia State University for serving as 1987 Local Arrangements Chair; Gifford Nickerson of North Carolina State University for serving as 1987 Student Paper Competition Chair; Patricia Lerch of UNC-Wilmington for serving for three years as Newsletter Editor, and Holly Mathews of East Carolina University for serving for three years as Secretary-Treasurer. The resolutions passed by acclamation and those thanked were honored with a round of applause.

C. Passing of the Gavel.

Outgoing President, Susan Abbott, thanked her fellow officers of the SAS and the membership for their cooperation during her term of service. She reported that she was very pleased with the accomplishments of the Society during the past two years. She then passed the gavel to incoming President, John Peterson, and turned the meeting over to him.

AGENDA ITEM VIII: NEW BUSINESS

A. Resolution

New President, John Peterson, proposed a resolution thanking out-going President, Susan Abbott, for her dedicated
service during the past two years. The membership gave Abbott a round of applause.

B. Future Annual Meetings

Peterson announced that the 1988 meeting will be held in Tampa in conjunction with the Society for Applied Anthropology. He then asked the Local Arrangements Chair, Mike Angrosino, to report on the status of that meeting. Angrosino said that the meeting will be held from April 20-24, 1988 at the Hyatt Regency West Shore on Old Tampa Bay. The room rate will be $75 single and $85 double. He noted that because we needed to coordinate on-site fees with the SfAA, the on-site registration fee would be higher than in the past, but the SAS will still give reduced fees to those members who preregister early. He reported that announcements of fees would accompany a call for papers in the Fall.

Peterson announced that Benita Howell of the University of Tennessee had been selected by the Board of Directors as the Key Symposium Chair for 1988. The topic of the symposium will be, "Cultural Conservation in the American South: Preserving Our Community Heritage." Howell will issue a call for papers in the Summer of 1987. Peterson also reported that the theme of the SfAA meeting will be, "Applied Anthropology in a Multidisciplinary Perspective."

Peterson told the membership that the Board of Directors had accepted a bid from Memphis State University to host the 1989 annual meeting in Memphis. He also stated that according to our new policy, the 1990 meeting should be held in either Atlanta or New Orleans. Carole Hill said we would be welcome to meet in Atlanta. Asael Hansen suggested we explore the possibility of a joint meeting with the Southern Sociological Society in New Orleans for that year. Mathews noted that the American Ethnological Society has also expressed an interest in meeting with us there.

C. Report on Book Exhibits

Peterson introduced Tim Wallace who served in 1987 as the Coordinator of Book Exhibits. Wallace reported he had been successful in attracting 14 publishers to exhibit with 4 representatives actually attending the meeting. He said that $400.00 in revenues from exhibits would go into the convention budget. He encouraged members to patronize the exhibit.

Peterson thanked Wallace for his efforts and reported that Wallace would work with representatives of the SfAA to coordinate a joint exhibit for the 1988 meeting.

The meeting was adjourned at 5 p.m.
Southern Anthropological Society
Statement of Cash Revenues and Disbursements for the year ending
31 December 1986

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Deficit for the year -- $2673.87

* Both of these amounts are greater in 1986 because convention fees and expenses were processed through the regular SAS checking account, a practice not done in 1985.

** This figure is more than cash received for purchase orders for proceedings because of increases in cost per copy and in postage over advertised prices. This has been corrected in our advertised prices on the current poster mailed in Spring of 1987.

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FINANCIAL STATEMENT FOR 1986 CONVENTION IN WRIGHTSVILLE BEACH, NC

RECEIPTS:
Registration fees:

--from American Ethnological Society | $1156.00* |
--from Southern Anthropological Society | $4203.03** |

Total Receipts | $5359.03 |

* The AES processed their own fees and rebated 75% of those fees, total of $1541, to us.

** Of this amount, $400 was received in November of 1985 as preregistration payments and $3803.03 was deposited in 1986.

DISBURSEMENTS:
Xerox, Mail and Phone | $138.95 |
Office Supplies | $444.87 |
Program Preparation and Printing | $777.35 |
Maps and Brochures | $30.00 |
Special Events and Speaker | $625.00 |
Hotel Charges (includes room charges, coffee, and cash bar cocktail party) | $3085.09 |
Photo Exhibit | $67.50 |

Total Disbursements | $5168.76 |

Convention Profit | $190.27 |
Narrative to Accompany Financial Report and Recommendation to Board

The financial statement comparing 1985 and 1986 is enclosed along with past figures tabulated by David Johnson. For the past two years we did not issue a proceedings volume. This made our financial situation look better than it has turned out to be.

You will notice that we report a deficit of $2,673.87 for 1986. The deficit results from two factors. First, we published two volumes of proceedings in the 1986 year, and second, interest income declined. Because we had originally based our officer travel program on an interest income of $1000 annually, we have run deficits in this program of $497.10 in 1985 and $431.83 in 1986. The 1985 deficit was partially subsidized by monies that would have normally been used to purchase proceedings volumes. While our cash reserves should have covered the publication costs of the two proceedings volumes in 1986, an unforeseen problem emerged. The price of publishing a volume rose from the $5.94 per copy price for Volume 18 to a price of $7.92 per copy for Volume 19. We are still not sure for the reasons behind this increase, but until we know for sure we must assume it will continue in subsequent volumes.

At any rate, for the purposes of analyzing our situation, if you deduct the cost of the proceedings volume 19 (issued for 1986) from the total dues income for that year, you see that we are left with an operating budget of $526.70. If you add to this amount the standard yearly income from royalties ($200) and current interest income ($500) you get at best an operating budget of $1226.70 approximately. Yet our fixed operating expenses, exclusive of the officer travel program, convention accounting, and the publication of the proceedings volume, comes to around $1170.00. You can see that we would only have $56.70 left to publish the volume which costs us $1536.60.

It would seem that a dues increase is necessary if the Society is to keep pace with increasing costs. Based on projections, I present two alternative increases. There would certainly be others, but these will give you a chance to consider some options for the meeting. 1) We could institute a modest increase. Student dues could increase from $7.00 to $10.00 to at least keep pace with the costs of the proceedings volumes they receive; regular members from $12 to $15, and joint members from $18 to $20. With the same membership as we had in 1986, this would yield a dues income of $2640 plus the $700 from other sources giving a total of $3340.00. Deduct from this fixed operations cost of around $1170 and about $2170 would remain to pay for proceedings. Using the cost of this year’s volume ($1536.60) we would have left over $633.40. This would not leave us much of a cushion and the monies would have to be left in the account to cover a possible loss on the annual convention. Thus this dues increase would not be adequate to fund any new initiatives unless some additional sources of revenue could be found.

2) Alternatively, we could go for a much larger increase. Students could increase from $7.00 to $12.00; regular members from $12 to $20; and joint members from $18 to $26. With the same membership as in 1986, this would yield a dues income of $3452 plus $700 from other sources, and we would have a total operating budget of $4152. Subtract fixed operating costs of 1986 ($1170) and we have $2982 to publish the proceedings volume. Subtract the proceedings cost of 1986 and we would finish with a budget reserve of $1445.40. This would leave us enough money to fund new initiatives. However, this projected amount would have to be weighed against possible declines in membership due to the large increases.

I am going to recommend to the board that we increase dues. However, I will only present alternative amounts and leave it to the board to discuss which possibilities seem more reasonable. We need to consider other initiatives/projects that we would like to fund and the approximate costs of each along with possible additional sources of revenue.
Published three times a year (Winter, Summer, and Fall) and distributed as a benefit to the membership of the Southern Anthropological Society. Annual dues (Regular, $20.00; Students, $12.00; Joint, $26.00) may be sent to: Dr. Thomas A. Arcury, SAS Secretary-Treasurer, Center for Developmental Change, 303 Patterson Office Tower, University of Kentucky, Lexington, KY 40503.