

THE UNIVERSITY OF ARIZONA

MEMORANDUM

3-17-71

DEAR MR. CRABTREE,

Time is passing very quickly. I have been an assistant archaeologist on an excavation here in Southern Arizona since the first of Dec. We have uncovered some very interesting things - Probably the most interesting being a Hohokam (Sacaton) cremation area. With it we found several human clay figurines, miniature clay masks, and a cache of figurines. Unfortunately none of the cremations ~~was~~ ^{were} accompanied by projectile points. The site also had other occupations including Mimbres, a local Mogollon, and Sobaipuri (possible Spanish contact). I will be working on the site until the last week in May. I plan on spending my summer in Colorado. I have kept up with my knapping as much as possible.

Ce 2.28.1

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I have spoken with Dr. Jelinek and have decided to apply for Normal Honorary Grants from a number of Universities around the U.S. These would enable me to give a lecture-demonstration on lithic technology at each University. In order to do this I should have a number of recommendations that would attest to my abilities. I realize of course that we have never really had a chance to work together however would it be possible for you to say something for me from what you have seen? If you have time I could send some things for you to look at. If not anything you could say would be most helpful. Other people I am writing to are: Prof Bordes, M. Tixier, Vance Haynes, Derrick Rowe (Oxford), Dr. McBurney (Cambridge), & Dr. Jelinek. If you feel you can say something would it be convenient to put it in letter form that I could have copied. I could then attach a copy to each application.

Ce 2.2.80

If you don't have the time or
don't feel you know enough about
my abilities to do this please
just say so. Please extend my
kindest regards to your wife and
say Hi to Dixie Bonnichsen if you
happen to see her.

Bien amicalement,

Bruce

Goodby