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Guide to the C. Earle Smith Jr. papers, 1960-1997

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	National Anthropological Archives
<b>Title:</b>	C. Earle Smith Jr. papers
<b>Identifier:</b>	NAA.2006-24
<b>Date:</b>	1942-1998 (bulk 1960-1987)
<b>Extent:</b>	7.72 Linear feet (20 document boxes and 1 restricted box)
<b>Creator:</b>	Smith, C. Earle (Claude Earle), 1922-1987
<b>Language:</b>	English
<b>Summary:</b>	C. Earle Smith Jr. (1922-1987) was one of the founders of the modern field of paleobotany. This collection documents his research and professional activities through correspondence, research notes, data, manuscripts, publications, and photographs. Represented in the collection is his fieldwork in Mexico, Peru, Venezuela, and Costa Rica.

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## Administrative Information

### Acquisition Information

At his death, C. Earle Smith Jr.'s papers were left with the Department of Anthropology at the University of Alabama. They were donated to the National Anthropological Archives by Smith's widow, Roberta Smith Largin.

### Related Materials

Photographs from C. Earle Smith Jr.'s excavation of Bat Cave can be found in Photo Lot R86-67 Copies of Herbert W. Dick photographs of excavations at Bat Cave, 1948-1950, <https://sova.si.edu/record/NAA.PhotoLot.R86-67>.

### Processing Information

The papers of C. Earle Smith Jr. were received with most of the materials organized in folders with titles. Original folder titles were retained with titles assigned by the archivist placed within square brackets. Stacks of miscellaneous files were sorted and placed in folders containing related materials or assigned their own folders. Restricted materials in the collection were separated and replaced with notes indicating original and new locations. As there did not appear to be any pre-existing arrangement or grouping, the folders were rearranged and organized into eight series.

The archivist would like to thank Ann Hunt for her assistance in processing the collection.

Processed by Lorain Wang, June 2009

Encoded by Jocelyn Baltz, July 2012, and Katherine Christensen, March 2020

## Preferred Citation

C. Earle Smith Jr. papers, National Anthropological Archives, Smithsonian Institution

## Restrictions

Grant proposal reviews in Series 4: Professional Activities and materials with student grades in Series 5: University of Alabama have been restricted.

Access to the C. Earle Smith Jr. papers requires an appointment.

## Conditions Governing Use

Contact repository for terms of use.

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## Biographical Note

Claude Earle Smith Jr. was one of the founders of the modern field of archaeobotany. Known as "Smitty" to his friends, he was born on March 8, 1922, in Boston, Massachusetts, and raised in Orlando, Florida. He was trained as an economic botanist at Harvard University, where he earned his bachelor's (1949), master's (1951), and doctorate (1953) in botany.

As an undergraduate student at Harvard in 1941, Smith assisted Richard Evans Schultes in collecting plants in the Colombian Amazon. While in the field, news reached Smith of the bombing of Pearl Harbor and he decided to return home to enlist in the Navy. After the war, he continued his studies at Harvard and, in 1948, he was sent by Paul C. Mangelsdorf to excavate Bat Cave, New Mexico, where he and Herbert Dick, another Harvard student, discovered the earliest remains of corn. Smith coauthored with Mangelsdorf "A Discovery of Remains of Prehistoric Maize in New Mexico" (1949). Throughout his career, Smith continued to study the early domestication and distribution of corn and other plants including cotton, avocado, and beans.

With his research focused on archaeologically-recovered plant remains and their usage by humans, Smith served as botanist at various archaeological sites in Latin America, working with Richard MacNeish in Tehuacán Valley; Kent Flannery in Oaxaca Valley; Paul Tolstoy in the Basin of Mexico; Ronald Spores in Nochixtlan; Terence Grieder in La Galgada, Peru; Thomas Lynch in Callejón de Huaylas, Peru; Joyce Marcus in Cañeta Valley, Peru; Anna Roosevelt in the Middle Orinoco area of Venezuela; and Michael J. Snarkis in Costa Rica. He also conducted ethnobotanical fieldwork in the Yucatán, Panama, the United States, Europe, Southeast Asia, Africa, the Pacific, and Australia.

From 1953 to 1958, Smith served as assistant curator of botany at the Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia and as acting director of the Taylor Memorial Arboretum. He was also a curator of botany at the Field Museum of Natural History (1959-1961) and Senior Research Botanist for the Agricultural Research Service at the U.S. Department of Agriculture (1962-1969). In 1970, Smith took a faculty position in the anthropology and biology departments at the University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa and was acting chair of the anthropology department between 1981 and 1986. He served as president of the Society for Economic Botany in 1979.

At the age of 65, Smith was killed in an automobile accident on October 19, 1987.

### Sources Consulted

Lentz, David L. "C. Earle Smith, Jr. 1922-1987." *Economic Botany* 42, no. 2 (1988): 284-285.

Schultes, Richard Evans. "How I Met C. Earle Smith." *Journal of Ethnobiology* 10, no. 2 (1990): 119-121.

### **Chronology**

1922	Born on March 8 in Boston, Massachusetts
1940-1941	Studies at Harvard University
1941	Assists Richard Evans Schultes in ethnobotanical collection in Colombian Amazons
1942-1946	Serves in Navy
1946	Returns to Harvard to continue his studies
1948	Excavates Bat Cave in New Mexico and discovers earliest remains of corn
1949	Earns A.B. cum laude at Harvard
1951	Earns A.M. at Harvard
1953	Earns Ph.D. at Harvard University
1953-1958	Consultant for Smith, Kline and French Acting Director at Taylor Memorial Arboretum Assistant Curator in the Department of Botany at Academy of Natural Sciences of Philadelphia
1959-1961	Associate Curator in Department of Botany at Field Museum of Natural History, Chicago
1962-1969	Senior Research Botanist at Agricultural Research Service, U.S. Department of Agriculture
1970-1987	Professor of Anthropology and Botany, University of Alabama, Tuscaloosa
1979-1980	President of Society for Economic Botany
1987	Killed in automobile accident on October 19

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## **Scope and Contents**

This collection documents the research and professional activities of C. Earle Smith Jr. through correspondence, research notes, data, manuscripts, publications, and photographs. Represented in the collection is his fieldwork in Mexico, Peru, Venezuela, and Costa Rica. The only materials pertaining to his early work in Bat Cave are a few pages of notes and articles about his discovery of early corn remains. Most of the collection dates from the 1960s up to his death in 1987. There is, however, some correspondence dated after his death regarding the return of specimens that he had been analyzing for others. The collection also contains his files as a professor at the University of Alabama; papers he presented; talks that he gave; and photographs of plant remains. His correspondence makes up the bulk of collection and can be found throughout the series. He corresponded with eminent figures in the fields of anthropology and botany, including Kent V. Flannery, Richard MacNeish, Paul Mangelsdorf, and other colleagues.

Please note that the contents of the collection and the language and terminology used reflect the context and culture of the time of its creation. As an historical document, its contents may be at odds with contemporary views and terminology and considered offensive today. The information within this collection

does not reflect the views of the Smithsonian Institution or National Anthropological Archives, but is available in its original form to facilitate research.

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## Arrangement

This collection is arranged in 8 series: (1) Correspondence, 1962-1998; (2) Research, 1942-1991; (3) Writings, 1956-1987; (4) Professional Activities, 1971-1987; (5) University of Alabama, 1964-1987; (6) Writings by Others, 1960-1984; (7) Personal Files, 1950-1953, 1964-1987; (8) Photographs, circa 1960s-1982

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## Selected Bibliography

1949. with Paul C. Mangelsdorf. "A Discovery of Prehistoric Maize in New Mexico." *Journal of Heredity* 40, no. 2 (1949): 39-43.
1959. with J.W. Thieret. "Thomas Nuttall (1786-1859): An evaluation and bibliography." *Leaflets of Western Botany* 9 (1959): 33-42.
1962. "Henry Muhlenberg-botanical pioneer." *Proceeding American Philosophical Society* 106 (1962): 443-460.
1966. "Archaeological Evidence for Selection in Avocado." *Economic Botany* 20 (1966): 169-175.
1968. with T. Kerr. "Pre-conquest Plant Fibers from the Tehuacan Valley, Mexico." *Economic Botany* 22 (1968): 343-358.
1971. with S.G. Stephens. "Critical Identification of Mexican Archaeological Cotton Remains." *Economic Botany* 25 (1971): 160-1683.
1973. with T. Lynch and L. Kaplan. "Early Cultivated Beans (*Phaseolus vulgaris*) from an intermontane Peruvian Valley." *Science* 179 (1973): 76-77.
1976. *Modern Vegetation and Ancient Plant Remains of the Nochixtlan Valley, Oaxaca*. Vol. 16 *Vanderbilt University Publications in Anthropology*. Nashville: Vanderbilt University, 1976.
1977. with M.L. Cameron. "Ethnobotany in the Puuc, Yucatan." *Economic Botany* 31 (1977): 93-110.
1978. "Plant Remains from the Chiriqui Sites and Ancient Vegetational Patterns." In *Adaptive Radiations in Prehistoric Panama*, edited by O.F. Linares and A.J. Ranere, 151-174. *Peabody Museum Monograph* No. 5. Cambridge, Mass: Harvard University, 1978.
1978. "The Vegetational History of the Oaxaca Valley." In *Prehistory and Human Ecology of the Valley of Oaxaca*, edited by K.V. Flannery and R.E. Blanton, 1-30. *Memoirs* No. 10. Ann Arbor, Michigan: Museum of Anthropology, University of Michigan, 1978.
1980. "Chapter 5. Plant Remains from Guitarrero Cave." In *Guitarrero Cave. Early Man in the Andes*, edited by T.F. Lynch, 87-119. New York: Academic Press, 1980.
1981. with Paul Tolstoy. "Vegetation and Man in the Valley of Mexico." *Economic Botany* 35 (1981): 415-433.
1986. "Preceramic Plant Remains from Guila Naquitz." In *Guila Naquitz: Archaic Foraging and Early Agriculture in Oaxaca*, edited by K.V. Flannery, 256-274. New York: Academic Press, 1986.

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## Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Botany
- Botany, Economic
- Plant remains (Archaeology)

Names:

- University of Alabama

Geographic Names:

- Guilá Naquitz Cave (Mexico)
- Oaxaca (Mexico : State)
- Peru
- Tehuacán (Mexico)

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## Container Listing

### Series 1: Correspondence, 1962-1998

#### *0.63 Linear feet*

This series consists of Smith's professional correspondence. More of his correspondence can be found spread throughout the entire collection filed by subject.

See Series 2: Research for his correspondence with Richard MacNeish, Paul C. Mangelsdorf, and other colleagues.

- Box 1                    A, 1965-1987  
Includes Adams, Murray C.; Adams, Ursel; Aldenderfer, Mark; Al-Harhi, Sobhi Y.; Allen, Barbara; Allen, Caroline; Allen, James B.; Almudo Delgado, Rufino; Allen, Stephen; Anderson, Gregory J.; Anderson, James E.; Anderson, Loran C.; Antunez de Mayolo R., Santiago E.; de Arauz, Reina Torres; Ashton, David H.; Aufdermauer, Jörg; Ayensu, Edward S.; and [?], Amie.
- Box 1                    Adventures Unlimited Peru. June 78, 1978 June
- Box 1                    Aldenderfer -- Osmore Drainage Peru, 1987
- Box 1                    B, 1962-1987  
Includes Baklanoff, Eric N.; Balch, Jennifer B.; Balick, Michael J.; Bannerman, Bessie R.; Barghorn, Elso; Bareis, Charles J.; Barnes, Murray; Barrau, Jacques; Barrera Vásquez, Alfredo; de Barrera Vásquez, Gloria Pérez; Beaman, John H.; Beattie, John; Bell, C. Ritchie; Benner, Walter M.; Bergin, George; Berne Criteria of CITES; Berte, Neal R.; Besosa, Sheridan E.; Bindon, James; Bird, Robert McK.; Birmingham News; Blodgett, Frank; Boada, Ana María; Boaz, T. D.; Bohannon, Paul J.; Bohrer, Vorsila L.; Boylan and King; Bramlett, Christopher L.; Bray, Warwick; Brezhnev, D. D.; Bristol, Melvin Lee; Brittenham, Phillip; Brockington, Donald L.; Brown, Valeria; Brownell, Joan Louise; Brücher, Heinz; Bryant, Paul; Bryant, Vaughn M., Jr.; Bueno Mendoza, Alberto; Burkett, Steven; Butler, Alva E.; and Bye, Robert A.
- Box 1                    Byers, Douglas S., 1962-1970
- Box 1                    C, 1969-1986  
Includes Cabri, Charlotte; Cadwell, David P.; Carnagio, Roberta; Carden, Jim (Letter of Recommendation); Carr, J. E.; Castro Lara, Sebastián; Chambers, Kenton L.; Chase, Margaret N.; Chosnek, Fabio Regueros; Chowdhury, K. A.; Clark, Dean; Clayton, Larry; Clayton, Lawrence A.; Cole, Gloria G.; Comas, Robert E.; Consumer Protection, Department of; Constance, Lincoln; Contreras, Hugh S.; Cooke, Richard; Correll, Donovan S.; Costa, Judith; Cottrell, Carol; Council for International Exchange of Scholars; Cowan, Richard S.; Crapivinsky-Jutkowitz, Betty; Creech, John L.; Croat, Thomas B.; Cromwell, Mary; Cross,



Carol; Cruz, George J. Santa; Cuatrecasas, Jose; Currier, Margaret; Cutchens, Johnnie; and Cutler, Hugh.

Box 1 Cooley, George R., 1964-1980

Box 1 Callen, E. O., 1964-1967

Box 1 D, 1970-1987

Includes Darden, William H., Jr.; Davenport, Lawrence J.; Davis, Gayle; Davis, Herbert L.; Decker, Bryce G.; DeJarnette, David L.; DeJarnette, Tom; Delpar, Helen; DeVore, Nancy S.; "Dialog" (U of A Faculty/Staff News); Dickinson, J. C., Jr.; Didier, Mary Ellen; Diehl, Richard H.; DiLorenzo, Elaine; Dobkin de Rio, M.; Dodson, Cal; Doebly, John F.; Donovan Coffee Co.; Dowling, Anita R.; Dressler, Robert; Droppers, Garrett; Duffy, Mrs. James E.; Dugan, Kathleen G.; Dye, Mrs. William T.; Dyer, Christopher L.; and [?], Dick.

Box 1 E, 1965-1987

Includes Eastman Kodak Laboratories; Ebeling, Walter; *Economic Botany*; Eddins, Dwight; Eggers, Fay; Ehrendorfer, F.; Ehrenreich Photo-Optical Industries, Inc.; Elliott, Dan; Elliot's Books; Emplaincourt, Marilyn; Emsley, Michael G.; Emslie, Steven D.; EOS --(publication of the Alabama Museum of Natural History); Erisman, Nellie; Eshbaugh, W. Hardy; Ethnobiology, Journal of; Evaluations (Teachers/Courses), 1980; Evans, Clifford; Evans, Clifford and Meggers, Betty J.; Everest Records; Ewan, Joseph; Exploraciones Amazonicas; and Eyde, Richard H.

Box 1 F, 1967-1985, undated

Includes Fanshawe, Dennis. B.; Farr, George; Farris, Randall L.; Feldman, Lawrence H.; Ferguson, Robert B.; Fernández, Jorge; Fernandez-Perez, Alvaro; Ferreyra, Ramón; Field Biology Club --U of A; Field, Julia Allen; Field, Henry; Field Museum of Natural History --Publications; Fish, Suzy K.; Fish Wildlife Service (USDA); Flores, Isobel; Fogg, John M.; Folk Classification Bulletin; Fonda, Lucile; Fong, Harry H. S.; Ford, Janet; Forest Products Laboratory; Fort Burgwin Conference; Fowler, Ann; Freeman, Jane L.; de Friedemann, Nina S.; Frost, Janet O.; Furlow, Richard H.; Fuchs, E. Kay; Fryxell, Paul A.; Fulbrights Research Awards; and Furst, Peter.

Box 1 Flannery, [Kent], 1966-1981

Box 2 G, 1962-1984

[1 of 2]

Includes Gabriel, Carolyn B. (Carolina biological Supply Co.); Galinat, Walton C.; Garner, Bob; Garofalo, B.; Gaudet, M. R. (Secretary to Dr. Schultes, Harvard Univ.); Geier, Clarence R.; Gentry, Howard Scott; Gilmartin, Amy Jean; Girl Scout Council, Tuscaloosa; Glass, Sarah A.; Glenboski, Linda; Goldwater, C.; Gómez-Pompa, Arturo; Gonzalez, Alberto Rex; González Quintero, Lauro; Gorenflo, Larry J; Gossett, Glenn A.; Gotthilf, Vivian; Government Employees Insurance Co.; Graham, Alan; Green, Judith S.; Greene, Catherine; Greene, Virginia; Gregg, Clifford C.; and Grieder, Terence.

- Box 2 G, 1962-1984  
[2 of 2]  
Includes Griffin, James B.; Grobman, Alexander; Gunda, Béla; Gustafson, John H.; Gutiérrez G., Mario; Gunn, Charles R. (Bob); Guttierrez, Ricardo; and Gyllenhaal, Charlotte.
- Box 2 H, 1965-1986  
Includes Hammons, Ray O.; Hanelt, P.; Hardman, John K.; Harrell, Barbara; Harris, David R.; Hawkes, J. G.; Hegen, E. E.; Heiser, Charles B., Jr.; Helbaek, Hans; Heldman, Donald P.; Helms, Mary W.; Hernández Xolocotzi., Efraim; Higgs, Mary H.; Hill, Mary C.; Hill, Tim; Hills, L. V.; Hines, Howard H.; Hirth, Kenneth G.; Hirzel, Robert; Hoage, Patti; Hobby, C. R.; Hodge, Walter; Hoehner, Fred; Hole, Frank; Holstein, Harry O.; Holt, Wythe W., Jr.; Honeywell, Inc.; Hopf, Maria; Horchler, Jack; Hord, John K. Howard, Richard A.; Hubbard, Patricia A.; Hughes, Regina; Human Relations Area Files, Inc.; [Hunt] Rachel McMasters Miller Hunt Botanical Library; Hutchinson, Janice (Letter of Recommendation); Hyland, Howard L.; and (unknown, ref: Leticia/Amazonas).
- Box 2 J, 1980-1981  
Includes Jones, Douglas E.
- Box 2 K, 1980-1981  
Includes Kaplan, L.; Keefe, Jennifer; King, Frances B.; and Eastman Kodak Co.
- Box 2 Keeley Northern Chile, 1982
- Box 2 L, 1978-1982  
Includes Lathrap, Donald W.; Lebron-Luteyn, Mariá L.; Lentz, David; Libería Intercontinental, S.A.; Limón Boyce, Amie E.; Linares Olga; Lourteig, Alicia; and Lynch, Thomas F.
- Box 2 M, 1979-1981  
Includes Macmillan, W. H.; MacNeish, Richard S.; Mann, Floyd H.; McEwan, Barbara; McNutt, Paula M.; *Micronoticias* (Sociedad Antropologica de Colombia newsletter, July August 1979); Mika, Edward S.; Morton, Julia F.; Mitchell, Joan Parsons; and Moseley, Edward H.
- Box 2 Map Reference Library, 1979
- Box 2 N, 1980-1981  
Includes Nakano, K.; and Nance, C. Roger.
- Box 2 O, 1981  
Includes O'Quin, Dorothy.
- Box 2 P, 1980-1987

Includes Pearsall, Deborah M.; Pendleton, Mike; Prentice-Hall, Inc.; Presidential Search Committee (U of A); and Puchi, Mari Carmen Serra.

- Box 2 R, 1980-1987, undated  
Includes Rais, Azizan Md.; Raymond, James C.; Research, Office of (U of A); Roosevelt, Anna.; and Ruggles, Dyer N.
- Box 2 S, 1980-1981  
Includes Sachet, M. H.; Sayers, Roger; Scarry, Margaret; Schoenwetter, James; Schrimpf, Marianne; Scott, Charley; Singer, Norman; Smith, Roy C.; Stark, Barbara; and Steele, Richard.
- Box 2 T, 1980-1987, undated  
Includes deTapia, Emily McClung; Tejeda, Enrique Pardo; Tippo, Oswald; and Turner, B. L.
- Box 2 V, 1982-1985  
Includes Venezuela, Flora de; and Vogel, J.O.
- Box 2 W, 1979-1981, undated  
Includes Wagner, Gail; *Wall Street Journal* article on corn hybrids; Whitaker, Thomas W.; Williams, Louis; Wilkes, Gamson; Winter, Marcus C.; World Hunger (handouts from conference?); and Wright, Robert A.
- Box 2 Y and Yucatan Project, 1979  
Includes Yarnell, Richard A., and nothing on Yucatán.

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## Series 2: Research, 1942-1991

### 2.7 *Linear feet*

A large portion of this series is comprised of correspondence, notes, data, writings, and photographs associated with Smith's fieldwork in Latin America with Richard MacNeish in Tehuacán Valley; Kent Flannery in Oaxaca Valley; Paul Tolstoy in the Basin of Mexico; Ronald Spores in Nochixtlan; Terence Grieder in La Galgada, Peru; Thomas Lynch in Callejón de Huaylas, Peru; Joyce Marcus in Cañeta Valley, Peru; Anna Roosevelt in the Middle Orinoco area of Venezuela; and Michael J. Snarkis in Costa Rica. There are also photographs and a typed report from his trip to Cuba as a student for a seminar on tropical plants. Materials pertaining to his excavation of Bat Cave consist of a few pages of notes and newspaper articles about his discovery of the earliest known remains of corn at the site.

Other materials in this series are correspondence regarding his identifications of specimens for colleagues, grant applications and paperwork to fund his research, and subject files.

For more research related materials, see also Series 1: Correspondence, Series 3: Writings, and Series 8: Photographs.

This series is arranged in 4 sub-series: (2.1) Fieldwork, 1949-1950, 1960-1987; (2.2) Identifications, 1967-1991; (2.3) Grants, 1957-1958, 1969-1983; (2.4) Subject Files, 1942, 1954-1966, 1979-1980

### 2.1: Fieldwork, 1949-1950, 1960-1987

Grouped by country.

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|-------|---|
| Box 3 | Cuba, 1950<br>Research trip to Cuba for tropical botany class --photographs and report, "The Vegetation of a Cuban Seboruco."         |
| Box 3 | Tehuacán, 1960-1966<br><i>2 Folders</i><br>Correspondence regarding Tehuacán projects; includes correspondence with Richard Macneish. |
| Box 3 | Archaeological Plant Remains, 1965-1966<br>Tehuacan project.  |
| Box 3 | Flannery Oaxaca, 1966<br>Notes.   |
| Box 3 | Plant Remains Oaxaca, 1966-1978<br><i>4 Folders</i><br>Correspondence, notes, manuscripts, and photographs.                           |
| Box 4 | Oaxaca Valley, 1966, undated<br>Reports and photographs, includes Guila Naquitz.  |
| Box 4 | Oaxaca Beans, 1966-1977, undated<br>Correspondence and drafts on Oaxaca research, very little on beans.                               |

- Box 4 [Catalog for plants of Oaxaca collected by Wally Ernst(?)], 1966
- Box 4 [Guila Naquitz Cave 1], 1966-1969
- Box 4 [Guila Naquitz Cave 2], 1968-1969
- Box 4 [Guila Naquitz Cave 3], 1968-1970  
Includes cotton specimens from caves near Mitla.
- Box 4 1 & 3, undated  
Guila Naquitz Cave -- data and photographs.
- Box 4 Boll Weevil, 1968  
Articles on discovery of boll weevil found in cotton from Guila Naquitz Cave.
- Box 4 [Oaxaca Valley reports, notes, and photos], 1980-1982, undated
- Box 4 [Notes on plant remains from Oaxaca Valley], undated  
Originally in folder with several miscellaneous photographs.
- Box 4 [Ronald] Spores -- Nochixtlan Project, 1969-1976
- Box 5 Tolstoy Mexico, 1969-1981
- Box 5 Lynch Peru, 1969-1977  
Callejon de Huaylas -- Guitarrero Cave.
- Box 5 Galgada Project, Peru, 1977-1990, undated
- Box 5 La Galgada, Peru, 1982-1987, undated
- Box 5 La Galgada, 1982-1986, undated
- Box 5 Cañete Valley, Peru -- J[oyce] Marcus, 1983-1987
- Box 6 Roosevelt Venezuela, 1975-1987, undated  
*4 Folders*  
Excavations at La Peoria, Crozal, La Gruta -- correspondence, field notes, seriation lists, research data, and drawings.
- Box 6 [Notes on plants found at excavation sites in Venezuela], undated  
*2 Folders*
- Box 6 Costa Rica -- Snarkis, 1982-1985, undated

- Box 6 Wood Anatomy Bat Cave, undated
- Box 6 [Newspaper articles on "Origin of Corn" Discovery by C. Earle Smith, Jr. and Herbert Dick], 1949
- Box 6 Clark-Russell Cave, 1979-1980  
Notes on expenses of excavation, correspondence with David Clark, and proposal on the recovery of plant remains from Russell Cave.
- Box 6 Fort Tombee, 1980  
Typescript of "The Botanical Resources of Fort Tombee" and negatives.

## 2.2: Identifications, 1967-1991

- Box 7 Tikal Project [Guatemala], 1967-1974  
Identification for U Penn Museum.
- Box 7 Dethlefsen -- Bermuda Wreck, 1976, undated
- Box 7 W. J. Kennedy -- Costa Rica, 1976-1977
- Box 7 1 JE 57, 1978  
"Comments on Species of Plants found in 1 JE 57."
- Box 7 Columbia -- Herrera, Bray, Schrimpf, 1982-1987  
"Carbonized Plant Remains from Proyecto Calima, Valle del Cauca, Colombia" and correspondence.
- Box 7 Hatch Guatemala, 1985-1987  
"Plant Remains from Kaminaljuyu, Guatemala" correspondence, draft, and research materials.
- Box 7 Balberta Guatemala -- Bove, 1986-1987  
Cacao seeds research with Frederick J. Bove.
- Box 7 Shell Bluff Miss. 22 LO 530, 1987  
"Dietary Implications of Vegetal Remains from Site 22 LO 530" and notes.
- Box 7 Mill Creek Site (1 TU 265), 1987, undated  
Notes and report "Plant Remains from the Mill Creek Site (1 TU 265)."
- Box 7 Me. [Maine State Museum], 1987  
Identification of carbonized seeds.
- Box 7 Samacá Valley Columbia -- Ana María Boda, 1987

- Box 7 FLA. FS-16, undated  
Notes on Florida material for Tim Kohler.
- Box 7 Bob Thorne 22 LF 504, undated
- Box 7 Jefferson Co. Sites, undated
- Box 7 West Alabama Sites, undated
- Box 7 Plant Remains San Juan P.R., undated  
"Paleoethnobotanical Remains from San Juan."
- Box 7 Dr. Smith's Materials He was Analyzing, 1988-1991  
Mostly correspondence after Smith's death regarding the return of specimens he had been analyzing.

### 2.3: Grants, 1957-1958, 1969-1983

- Box 7 Grants, 1957, undated  
Grant proposal for Muhlenberg Herbarium to index botanical names.
- Box 7 [American Philosophical Society grant], 1957-1958  
Collecting trip to Mexico, Panama, and Venezuela.
- Box 7 Yucatan Project, 1969-1971  
Grant for Yucatan ethnobotanical comparison collection project; includes material relating to University of Alabama Yucatan seminar.
- Box 7 Grants, 1971-1982  
Notes and letters regarding funding for Smith's research projects.
- Box 7 Smith, C. Earle, Jr. RGC Proj. 686, 1971-1975  
Amazon ethnobotanical comparison collection.
- Box 8 Smith Research Proposal, 1971-1977  
*2 Folders*  
Identification of Plant Fibers Used by Man
- Box 8 NSF, 1972-1973  
Letters regarding shortcoming of Smith's proposal that was not approved for funding.
- Box 8 Smith, Claude Earle, Jr. Proj. 953, 1977-1981  
Ethnobotany of the Middle Orinoco.
- Box 8 Prehistoric Ethnobotany of Costa Rica, 1983

Box 8 [Economic Botany Information File], undated

#### 2.4: Subject Files, 1942, 1954-1966, 1979-1980, undated

This sub-series contains Smith's non field and laboratory research and consists of reading notes, data from other sources, notes on early botanists and gardens, issues of Bulletin of the Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation, and illustrations of botanical specimens from Encyclopédie méthodique and Transactions of the Linnean Society.

- Box 8 Colombia, Ethnology & Archaeology, circa 1940s?  
Handwritten research notes on Universidad Nacional Instituto de Ciencias Naturales stationary.
- Box 8 Notes [Mixed deciduous forests of the Appalachians], undated
- Box 8 [Notes on Taxonomy of vascular plants by George H. Lawrence], undated
- Box 8 Palm Key, undated
- Box 8 Mexico Meteorological Records, 1942, 1955-1960
- Box 8 [Photocopy of map published in "Final Field Report of the Investigations at the Archaeological Zone of X-Kukican, Yucatan, Mexico], 1966
- Box 8 [Casma Valley Maize Remains Averages of Dimensions and Indices Comparing Computer Groupings], undated
- Box 8 F. Engel, 1954
- Box 8 Nuttall, 1959
- Box 8 [Information on botanists], 1956, undated
- Box 8 Muhlenberg -- lichens, undated
- Box 8 Collections at BM & Kew, undated  
British Museum and Kew Gardens.
- Box 8 [Botanical Gardens in Ancient Mexico], undated
- Box 8 [History of Park House and Whiteknights Park], undated
- Box 8 Economic Botany, undated



Notes and drawings.

Box 8 [Bulletin of the Hunt Institute for Botanical Documentation], 1979-1980

Box 8 Second Sheets, undated  
Plates from multiple volumes of Transactions of the Linnean Society.

Box 9 Encyclopédie méthodique. Lamarck & Poirot Plates 1791-1823, undated  
*MINOR MOLD DAMAGE -- HANDLE WITH GLOVES.*  
Impressions between some of the plates left by plants that at one time were pressed in between.

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## Series 3: Writings, 1956-1987

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This series consists of reprints, drafts, reports, and unpublished manuscripts by Smith, along with correspondence regarding his writings.

More of Smith's writings can be found in Series 2: Research. Papers that he presented at conferences can be found in Series 4: Professional Activities.

Folders are arranged in alphabetical order.

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| Box 10 | [An Answer to Environmental Problems: The Amazon], undated<br>Typescript manuscript.  |
| Box 10 | Archaeological Evidence for Selection in Avocado, 1966<br>Reprint.  |
| Box 10 | [Assignment of copyright for Economic Botany articles], 1980-1981   |
| Box 10 | ["Bibliography of American Archaeological Plant Remains"], 1966<br>Reprint.   |
| Box 10 | Book Reviews, 1956-1966, 1987<br>Reviews written by Smith.  |
| Box 10 | Cloud People, 1982<br>Page proofs for "The Valles of Oaxaca, Nocixtlán, and Tehuacán" in Flannery:<br><i>The Cloud People</i> .   |
| Box 10 | C.R.O.P.S. Symposium Econ. Bot. June 13-16, 1976, 1975-1976<br>Regarding article originally presented at conference, "Recent Evidence in<br>support of the Tropical Origin of New World Crops."                               |
| Box 10 | ["Early Adaptations to Environmental Differences in Mexico"], undated<br>Typescript manuscript.   |
| Box 10 | The Ethnobotanist and the Archaeologist, 1985   |
| Box 10 | Ethnobotany of Nutrition, 1970-1985<br><i>2 Folders</i><br>Regarding Smith's publication, <i>Man and his foods: studies in the ethnobotany of<br/>nutrition -- contemporary, primitive, and historic Non-european diets</i> . |
| Box 10 | Ethnobot Taumalipas, undated<br>"Plant Remains from Taumalipas, Mexico" --unpublished(?) report.  |
| Box 10 | [The Importance to Archaeology of Interdisciplinary Research], undated  |

- Typescript manuscript.
- Box 10 [An Introduction to Botany], undated  
Typescript drafts.
- Box 10 Kenya Upland Flova Vernonia, circa 1968  
Typescript draft written for Agricultural Research Service.
- Box 11 Lynch Peru, 1978-1981, undated  
Correspondence with Thomas F. Lynch and chapters for *Guitarrero Cave: Early Man in the Andes*.
- Box 11 Meliac, 1965  
Reprint of "Flora of Panama – Part VI – Family 92. Meliaceae."
- Box 11 Oaxaca Cotton, 1968-1970  
Letters, photos, and typescript draft of "Critical Identification of Mexican Archaeological Cotton Remains" with S.G. Stephens.
- Box 11 ["Observations on Stengelioid Species of Vernonia], undated  
*3 Folders*  
Typescript draft.
- Box 11 ["Observations on Stengelioid Species of Vernonia" – Map of NW Africa], undated
- Box 11 ["The Origins of Agriculture"], undated  
Typescript manuscript.
- Box 11 Parmana Report Roosevelt, undated  
Typescript drafts of "Prehistoric Plant Use in the Middle Orinoco Basin."
- Box 12 Pre-Ceramic Plant Remains Oaxaca, 1984-1985  
Photos and page proofs of article "Preceramic Plant Remains from Guilá Naquitz."
- Box 12 Recovery and Processing of Botanical Remains, 1976-1981  
Includes letters and photographs.
- Box 12 Redefinition of *Cedrela Oaxacensis* [C.D.C. & Rose], 1972  
Reprint.
- Box 12 Review AMA Poison Handbook, 1985
- Box 12 Rev.: Prehistoric Food Production in North America, 1986

Box 12

Smoking Mirror, 1978-1980, undated

"Botanical Evidence for TransPacific Contact" drafts and correspondence.

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## Series 4: Professional Activities, 1971-1987

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This series documents Smith's professional activities outside of his research and work at University of Alabama. This series contains materials relating to conferences he participated in, including papers he presented; organizations that he was a member of; talks that he gave; reviews of grant applications; and reviews of manuscripts under consideration for publication. In the series are also announcements for conferences he may or may not have attended. There are no materials from his term as president of the Society of Economic Botany from 1979 to 1980.

Folders are arranged alphabetically.

- Box 12                    XIII Int. Bot. Congress Sydney, Australia, 1981  
"Ecological Accommodations and the Development of Crops and Cropping  
Systems in Mexico."
- Box 12                    Abstracts & Papers for Ala. Acad. Journ, 1973  
Journal for Alabama Academy of Sciences.
- Box 12                    Ala. Acad. Program, 1973  
Alabama Academy of Science Annual Meeting April 5-7, 1973.
- Box 12                    [Alabama Academy of Science certificate], 1971
- Box 12                    AAAS Symposium Indigenous Foods 18-24 Feb. 1976, 1975-1976  
American Association for the Advancement of Sciences.
- Box 12                    AIBS New Orleans May 30-June 4 1976, 1975-1976  
American Institute of Biological Sciences.
- Box 12                    Botany & Ecology, 1972-1975  
The Institute of Ecology, Association of Systematic Collections, American  
Society of Plant Taxonomists, Sociedad Botanica de Mexico.
- Box 12                    [Conference on the History of Mexican Agriculture], 1986
- Box 12                    Current Archaeological Evidence for the Beginning of American Agriculture,  
1986  
V. Gordon Childe Colloquium.
- Box 12                    Dumbarton Oaks [Conference, Oct. 7-11, 1982], 1982  
Early Ceremonial Architecture in the Andes.
- Box 12                    Economic Botany Summer, 1975, 1975  
Society for Economic Botany.
- Box 12                    Fulbright Confer. April 5-9, 1981, 1981

- 1981 Southern-Midwestern Conference for Visiting Fulbright Scholars,  
"Technology, Resources, and Social Change."
- Box 12                   Inst. Anthropologicas – Ciudad Universitaria. Mex[ico]. Aug 1978, 1978
- Box 12;                   Int. Bot. Cong. 1975, 1973-1975  
Box 13                   *2 Folders*  
International Botanical Congress, Leningrad; includes arrangements of various  
research trips following conference.
- Box 13                   International Chapter Comm[ittee] SEB 1987-1988, 1987-1988  
Society for Economic Botany.
- Box 13                   LAS Conference, 1971-1975
- Box 13                   Man & Plants in South Florida 26 April 197[5], 1975  
Symposium on Archaeology in South Florida.
- Box 21                   National Science Foundation, 1978-1980  
Grant reviews by Smith.  
  
RESTRICTED until 2060.
- Box 13                   Opium Conference, 1978  
Opium Production, Trade and Use in Highland Southeast Asia, Philadelphia April  
1978.
- Box 13                   Palaeonutrition St. Louis May 6-8 [1976], 1975-1976
- Box 13                   Peopling of the New World, 1974-1976  
*2 Folders*  
Materials relating to television documentary for which Smith served as  
supporting scholar.
- Box 13                   [Reviews of manuscripts for publication], 1974, undated
- Box 21                   [Reviews of National Geographic Society grant applications], 1985-1987  
RESTRICTED until 2067.
- Box 13                   SAA Sympos[ium]. 1977 – Early Sedentary Settlements in the moist tropics of  
northern S.A., 1977  
Society for American Archaeology.
- Box 13                   Soc. Of Ethnobiology – Mex. City Conference, before 1988  
Preliminary announcement for 1988.
- Box 13                   SAA 1981 San Diego, 1980-1981

South American Paleoethnobotany symposium at Society for American Archaeology conference.

- Box 13 SE Symposium November, 1976  
Southeastern Archaeological Conference.
- Box 13 [Speaking functions], 1983-1987, undated
- Box 13 St. Louis Symposium Sept. 23-25, 1982, 1982  
27th Annual Systematics Symposium.
- Box 13 Tehuacan Summary Meeting May, 1965, 1965  
Andover Tehuacán Conference – includes paper by Smith.
- Box 13 Tropical Agro-ecosystems March 23-30, 1975, 1975  
Symposium: Tropical Agro-ecosystems, an Experimental Approach. Smithsonian  
Tropical Research Institute, Panama.
- Box 13 [V. Gordon Childe Colloquium, Mexico July 7-12, 1986], 1985-1987

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## Series 5: University of Alabama, 1964-1987

### 1.67 Linear feet

Smith was a professor in the anthropology and botany departments at the University of Alabama from 1970 to 1987. This series contains personal, departmental, administrative, and course materials.

See also Series 1: Correspondence.

This series is arranged in 2 sub-series: (5.1) General Files, 1969-1987; (5.2) Courses and Student Files, 1964-1987

### 5.1: General Files, 1969-1987

This sub-series contains Smith's personnel files, departmental minutes and memos, and administrative files. It also contains materials relating to efforts to develop a Latin American Studies program at the university. As part of the program, Smith led summer seminars in Yucatán and the Amazon Basin.

Box 14	1979 FTE, 1978-1984 Smith's faculty activity reports.
Box 14	Ala. Sesquicentennial [Colloquia] Proposal, 1980
Box 14	Anth. Dept., 1973-1982
Box 14	Anth. Faculty, 1984
Box 14	[Application for Outstanding Scholars Award], 1980
Box 14	Biology Dept., 1970-1981, undated
Box 14	Biol. Finance Comm, 1970-1971
Box 14	Ceramics, S.W., 1983
Box 14	[Colleagues], 1972, undated
Box 14	[Donations to University of Alabama], 1981-1983, undated
Box 14	Equipment, 1974-1982
Box 14	[Equipment] Catalogs, 1976-1982, undated
Box 14	Ethnobotany Facilities Grant, 1969-1973 2 Folders
Box 14	[Faculty data], undated



Smith's education, work, and research background.

- Box 14 FAFP c. Don Alvero [Fernández Pérez], 1971  
Foreign Area Fellowship Program.
- Box 15 Graduate Studies Comm, 1970-1986, undated  
*2 Folders*
- Box 15 Internat[ional] Studies Advi[sor], 1973-1976
- Box 15 Latin American Studies, 1979-1980  
*2 Folders*  
Grant proposal for foreign language and area studies fellowships and an international studies center at the University of Alabama.
- Box 15 Latin America Studies, 1971-1987  
*2 Folders*
- Box 15 [Miscellaneous memos & letters], 1975-1987
- Box 15 [Salary], 1972-1987
- Box 15 [Travel expenses], 1971, undated
- Box 15 [University of Alabama Herbarium], undated  
Write-up on herbarium by Smith(?).
- Box 15 University A & S. Directory Dean's Off. Memos, 1971-1976

## 5.2: Courses and Student Files, 1964-1987

This sub-series contains his lecture notes and other course materials as well as files he kept on students.

- Box 16 Anth Bibliographies, undated  
*2 Folders*
- Box 16 [Anthro-BY 440 Final Examination, Fall 1979], 1979
- Box 16 Anth 441, 1971-1986
- Box 16 Ant 542 High Civilizations, 1970-1987, undated  
*3 Folders*
- Box 16 Ant-BY 547 Summer 1983, 1983  
*2 Folders*

Box 21                    Ant-BY 447-547, 1983  
RESTRICTED until 2063.

Box 16                    Ant 598 1978, 1977-1984

Box 16                    The Influence of Setting on Fluorescence in MesoAmerica, 1981

Box 16                    [Biology 103], undated

Box 16                    BY 143 Plant Geog., 1970-1986

Box 16                    By 300 Environment & Man [Seminar] Ecology Grant Proposal, 1971

Box 16                    BY 445, 1971-1985

Box 16                    [Use of plants – for course on economic botany?], undated

Box 17                    A, 1970-1979  
Student papers organized by subject.

Box 17                    B, 1971-1973, undated  
Student papers organized by subject.

Box 17                    C, 1964-1973, undated  
Student papers organized by subject.

Box 17                    Cannabis, 1971-1973, undated  
Student papers.

Box 17                    [Teaching evaluations], 1979-1986

Box 17                    Examination Questions, 1980-1984, undated

Box 17                    [Graduate students], 1971-1986, undated  
Examination committees Smith served on.

Box 17                    Abd Aziz, Rosita Wati, 1987

Box 17                    Curren, Sonny, 1971-1973

Box 17                    Dyer, Christopher L., 1977-1982

Box 17                    Hatcher, Eddie Morgan – Non Degree, 1982

Box 17	Gyllenhaal-Davis, Charlotte, 1980-1984
Box 17	[Kinsaul, Regina J.], 1971-1972
Box 17	Regina Paper, 1972
Box 17	Lentz, David, 1978-1986
Box 17	Merewether, Jamie, 1986-1987
Box 17	Mettee, M.E. (Scott), 1971
Box 17	Prospective Students, 1971-1981
Box 17	Reese, John, 1974
Box 17	Rohde, Mathew C., 1981-1983
Box 17	Rosero-Garcia, Jaime, 1980-1982, undated
Box 17	Sheldon, Elisabeth S., 1978-1983
Box 17	Thompson, James A., 1972-1977
Box 17	Yauman, Norbani, 1987, undated

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## Series 6: Writings by Others, 1960-1984

### *0.21 Linear feet*

This series is comprised mostly of reprints, many of which were inscribed by the author.

The folders are arranged alphabetically by author.

- Box 18 [Bueno, Alberto Mendoza "Metodo Para Estudio y Tratamiento Cientifico de Materiales Arqueologicos"], 1981  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 Caddell, G.M. – Plant Remains from the Cedar Creek and Upper Bear Creek Reservoirs, undated  
Draft.
- Box 18 [Cutler, Hugh C. and Thomas W. Whitaker "History and Distribution of the Cultivated Cucurbits in the Americas"], 1961
- Box 18 [Eshbaugh, W. Hardy, "A Biosystematic and Evolutionary Study of Capsicum Baccatum (Solanaceae)", 1970  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 [Farwell, Oliver A. "Other editions of Emory's Report, 1848"], 1910  
Inscribed by author to Dr. McLintock.
- Box 18 [Iizuka, Muneo et. Al. "Introduction and Horticultural Exploitation of Tropical America-Native Plants"], 1977  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 [Lentz, David L. "Utah Juniper (Juniperus Osteosperma) Cones and Seeds from Salmon Ruin, New Mexico"], 1984  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 [Mangelsdorf, Paul C. and Julián Cámara-Hernández. "Perennial Corn and Annual Teosinte Phenotypes in Crosses of Zea Diploperennis and Maize" and Mangelsdorf, Paul C.; Lewis M Roberts, and John S. Rogers "The Probable Origins of Annual Teosintes"], 1981  
Inscribed by Mangelsdorf.
- Box 18 [Marcus, Joyce "The Plant World of the Sixteenth- and Seventeenth-Century Lowland Maya"], 1982  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 [Maxwell, Allen R. "Kadayan Personal Names and Naming"], 1984  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 [Peterson, R.F., "WHEAT: Botany, Cultivation, and Utilization"], 1965

- Box 18 [Robbins, Christine Chapman "David Hosack's Herbarium and its Linnaean Specimens"], 1960  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 [Schoenwetter, James "Contributions of pollen analysis in investigations of New World agriculture"], 1976-1977  
Inscribed by author.
- Box 18 [Turner, Kenneth – Limitations of Sociobiological Theory: An Examination of the Model of Inclusive Fitness], undated
- Box 18 [Wells, M.J. "An Analysis of Plant Remains from Scott's Cave in the Gamtoos Valley], 1964

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## Series 7: Personal Files, 1950-1953, 1964-1987

### *0.21 Linear feet*

Among the materials in this series are copies of Smith's curriculum vitae, a couple of articles about him, personnel files from his position as botanist at the Agriculture Research Service, some course notes from his time as a student at Harvard, and information about his naval service. The folder titled "[Family]" contains an article about his brother, H. Morgan Smith, who is an anthropologist.

- Box 19 [Harvard University], 1950-1953, undated  
List of undergraduate courses Smith took; course notes; & commencement program and ticket for Smith's graduation from graduate school.
- Box 19 [Agricultural Research Service], 1964-1969, undated  
Personnel files for position as botanist for Agricultural Research Service.
- Box 19 [Curriculum vitae], 1981-1986
- Box 19 [Articles on Smith], 1987, undated
- Box 19 [Naval service], 1984
- Box 19 [Membership to Explorer's Club], 1985
- Box 19 [Appointment as trustee of Margaret Edmonston Elementary School], 1967-1968
- Box 19 [Financial records], 1976-1982, undated
- Box 19 [Insurance and health files], 1970-1977
- Box 19 [Travel files], 1976-1983
- Box 19 [Family], 1987, undated
- Box 19 Choctaw Times, 1968-1972
- Box 19 Miscellaneous, 1952, 1975-1986, undated

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## Series 8: Photographs, circa 1960s-1982

### *0.42 Linear feet*

This series is comprised mostly of photographs from Smith's fieldwork in Mexico, Peru, and Panama as well as photos of plant remains. Some of the photos appear to be for publication. There are also two photos from unidentified conferences that Smith attended.

More photographs can be found in Series 2: Research and Series 3: Writings.

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| Box 20 | [Photos of excavation of Coxcatlan Cave, camp, plant remains, and an office], circa 1960s<br>Negatives and contact sheet – photos of Tehuacan excavation led by Richard MacNeish. |
| Box 20 | Tehuacan, undated<br>Photos of maps, charts, and plant remains; for publication?  |
| Box 20 | [Oaxaca Valley], undated<br>Negatives.  |
| Box 20 | Oaxaca 1969, 1969<br>Negatives of plant remains with notes.   |
| Box 20 | [Oaxaca Valley plant remains], undated<br>Negatives.  |
| Box 20 | Maiz Nochixtlan, 1973, undated<br>Negatives and prints  |
| Box 20 | Nochixtlan plant remains, undated<br>Negatives and prints.  |
| Box 20 | Mitla plant remains, undated<br>Negatives.  |
| Box 20 | Tikal – San José Mogote, undated<br>Negatives of plant remains.   |
| Box 20 | [Yucatán prints & negatives], 1975 January<br>Images of market and houses.  |
| Box 20 | [Mexico negatives], undated   |
| Box 20 | [Figures for publication?], undated<br>Photos of Oaxaca and Valley of Mexico.   |
| Box 20 | [Map of Tehuacán], undated  |

- For publication?
- Box 20 [Negatives of maps of Oaxaca Valley and Valley of Mexico], undated  
For publication?
- Box 20 Guitarrero Cave, 1980
- Box 20 [Panama negatives], undated
- Box 20 Panamá plant remains, undated  
Negatives.
- Box 20 Copies of Slides Pan 14-103, undated  
Negatives of plant remains
- Box 20 Panama, undated  
Prints of plant remains.
- Box 20 Pochote neg., undated
- Box 20 [Fruit of *Persea americana* var. *drymifolia*], undated  
Cropped version of figure 3 published in "Archaeological Evidence for Selection in Avocado."
- Box 20 [Unidentified plant remains]
- Box 20 Botanical Conference 1964?, probably 1964  
Some of the people in the photo are identified.
- Box 20 [Group photograph], circa 1960s  
From a conference Smith attended? Some of the people in the photo are identified.
- Box 20 University of the Mayab Merida, undated
- Box 20 [Satellite photo of Earth], 1967 November 19
- Box 20 [Empty sleeves and notes found with photographs from Latin America], undated
- Box 20 Nikon Info Vivitar, 1979-1982

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