

## Copper and Iron breastplates that covered Skeletons.



Figure 1.2. Most excavations of Ohio Hopewell ceremonial sites occurred from the 1840s through the 1920s. Unsystematized and/or unpublished information on site layouts, features, artifacts, and skeletal series from these investigations and some later ones has discouraged the analysis and cultural interpretation of the material legacy of Ohio Hopewell peoples. Here, Warren King Moorehead (*front row, second from right, in suit*) and his field crew stand before a deposit of 69 copper and iron celts and 92+ **copper and iron breastplates** that covered Skeletons 260 and 261 in Cut 3 of Mound 25 at the Hopewell earthwork. See credits.

Discovered in a Ohio site.

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