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High Lands near the mouth of the Columbia River

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	National Anthropological Archives
<b>Title:</b>	MS 107C Fragment of the Klatskanai Language--High Lands near the mouth of the Columbia River
<b>Date:</b>	1854-1855
<b>Identifier:</b>	NAA.MS107C
<b>Creator:</b>	Anderson, Alexander Caulfield, 1814-1884 la-coos (Informant)
<b>Extent:</b>	3 Items (photostats )
<b>Language:</b>	Undetermined .

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## Administrative Information

### Location of Originals

Original in Bancroft Library; listed in Guide to Manuscripts in Bancroft Library, 1963, page 61.

### Citation

Manuscript 107-c, National Anthropological Archives, Smithsonian Institution

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## Biographical / Historical

Inscribed by Anderson, "This vocabulary was made by me in 1854 or 1855 from la-coos, a part Klatskanai, living at Cathlamet on the Lower Columbia--the sole survivor, I believe, who had a knowledge of the language--the tribe having become extinct. A. C. A., Roubank, Victoria, B. C., 26th June, 1876." The Manuscript is elsewhere marked by Anderson, "A copy of this, with the preceding sheets, was given by me to Mr George Gibbs."

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## Scope and Contents

Photostat of a handwritten copy by A. C. Anderson of words 130-180 of the vocabulary sent by him to George Gibbs (Bureau of American Ethnology Manuscript 107-a), plus the numerals 1-12, 20, 30, and 100 in "Tahcully" [Carrier] of the Upper Fraser River.

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## Local Numbers

NAA MS 107-c

## Local Note

Photostats found with J. P. Harrington manuscripts now catalogued under Number 4654.

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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:

- Dakelh (Carrier)
- Indians of North America -- Subarctic
- Language and languages -- Documentation
- Numbers
- Tlatskanai

### Cultures:

- Dakelh (Carrier)
- Indians of North America -- Subarctic
- Tlatskanai