

MS 1337 Snapping Turtle Legend

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Scope and Contents

This manuscript contains two pages of English translation: the first page is the translation of a winter story titled "When Snapping Turtle was on the War Path," and the second page is a partial translation of another winter story about Snapping Turtle.

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