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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	MS 1452 Yukian Vocabulary in Powell's Introduction to the Study of Indian Languages
Date:	undated
Identifier:	NAA.MS1452
Creator:	Curtin, Jeremiah, 1835-1906 (Collector)
Extent:	118 Pages
Language:	<p>Described by Mary Hass, 1963 ("Shasta and Proto-Hokan Language," Language, Volume 39, Number 1, f tnt. page 43) as follows: "BAE MS No. 1452, a Powell schedule containing vocabulary items of Yuki and Achumawi [not Wintun], collected c. 1844"</p> <p>Incorrectly included in Pitkin's Wintun Bibliography (IJAL, 28: 1, 1862, item 16) even though the information we sent to Berkeley ca. 1960 (on which he drew as a source) stated that 1452 was a Yuki vocabulary, said to include Wintun and Maidu terms, but with no terms in it specifically labeled Wintun or Maidu.</p>

Administrative Information

Available Formats

Filed for University of California, Berkeley, 1955.

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Scope and Contents

In Schedule of John Wesley Powell's Introduction to the Study of Indian Languages, partly filled. Terms from Maidu tribe occur from place to place. Nothing in Schedule specifically labeled Wintun or Maidu- MCB 1955. Loose sheets, tribe not given: Names of women, 4 pages, and Myth- Hazel bush widow, 16 pages. On preliminary page [ii] are Nosa [Yana] chief's names- 1 page.

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Names and Subject Terms

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- Language and languages -- Documentation
- Maidu
- Yuki

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- Indians of North America -- California
- Maidu
- Yuki