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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	MS 1900 Cheyenne notebook, diagrams, and notes
Date:	1902-1904
Identifier:	NAA.MS1900
Creator:	Mooney, James, 1861-1921 Grinnell, George Bird, 1849-1938
Extent:	72 Pages
Language:	Materials in Cheyenne and English.
Digital Content:	Image(s): MS 1900 Cheyenne notebook, diagrams, and notes

Administrative Information

Provenance

Previously titled "James Mooney Notebook"

Preferred Citation

Manuscript 1900, National Anthropological Archives, Smithsonian Institution

Scope and Contents

Ethnographic notes, with vocabulary, sketches, and diagrams, on camp circle, tipis, sun dance, shields of Bushyhead, Wolf Robe, and Little Bear, and various other topics. Diagrams and notes on Cheyenne camp circles by Mooney and G.B. Grinnell. 1902-1907. Manuscript and typescript document 12 pages. (Detailed list accompanies main catalog card.)

Diagrams and notes include: f.2 James Mooney. "Cheyenne Camp Circle Divisions" and "Cheyenne Camp Circle Authorities." no date. Autograph document 2 pages. f.3 James Mooney. "Soldier Band," "Cheyenne Clans," and notes on the warrior organization. no date. Typescript document with A. annotations. 3 pages. f.4 G.B. Grinnell. Letter to James Mooney, regarding the Cheyenne camp circle. New York. February 8, 1902. Typescript letter signed. 2 pages. f.5 Camp circle diagram by Mooney. Mount Scott, Oklahoma. January 28, 1902, 2 pages. f.6 Camp circle diagram by Mooney. Washington, D.C., 1906, 1 sheet approx. 17" X 40" and artist's ink rendering of same, 1 page. f.7 Camp circle diagram by Grinnell, January 31, 1903, with annotations by Mooney, 1 page.

Local Numbers

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Local Note

Autograph document

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Camp circle -- Cheyenne
- Cheyenne language
- Indians of North America -- Great Plains
- Language and languages -- Documentation
- Social classes and societies -- Cheyenne
- Sun Dance -- Cheyenne
- Tipis -- Cheyenne
- Tsitsistas/Suhtai (Cheyenne)
- Weapons -- Cheyenne

Cultures:

- Indians of North America -- Great Plains
- Tsitsistas/Suhtai (Cheyenne)

Names:

- Bushyhead (Cheyenne)
- Little Bear (Cheyenne)
- Wolf Robe, Chief