

MS 2671 Four versions of the Fox story of Apaiyashihagi and an untitled text collected by Truman Michelson

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Collection Overview

Repository: National Anthropological Archives

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Date: 1912-1913, undated

Identifier: NAA.MS2671

Creator: Michelson, Truman, 1879-1938 (Collector)

Kiyana, Alfred, 1877-1918

Leaf, Bill Shapochiwa

Sakihtanohkweha, 1875-1957

Extent: 225 Pages

Language: In Meskwaki (Fox) and English.

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Administrative Information

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Scope and Contents

Four versions of the story of Apaiyashihagi handwritten in Meskwaki (Fox) syllabic text by Alfred Kiyana, Shapochiwa (Mrs. Harry Lincoln), and Sakihtanohkweha (Mrs. Bill Leaf), with English translations by Truman Michelson. Sakihtanohkweha authored two versions, dated 1912 and 1913; only the 1912 version is translated. A note regarding "clans known to Harry Lincoln" can be found at the end of that translation. On the first page of Sakihtanohkweha's 1913 text Michelson notes, "This is a version of lodge-boy thrown away. The first part is nearly identical with the version written by her in the fall of 1912." On page 42-61 of the same text is a different story by Bill Leaf.

Bibliography

Published in volume 9 of the American Ethnological Society Publications. Also in Ives Goddard's Songs in Fox (Mesquakie): Linguistics and Philology in Papers of the Twenty-Fourth Algonquian Conference (1993).

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Local Note

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