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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Scope and Contents

Replies to correspondence (circular letter) sent to various Indian Agencies relative to marriage customs among the various Indian tribes. The tribes represented are: Flathead, Kalispel, Kootenai, Mescalero Apache, Navaho, Oto, Pend d Oreille, and Shoshoni.

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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:

- Apache
- Diné (Navajo)
- Indians of North America -- Great Basin
- Indians of North America -- Great Plains
- Indians of North America -- Plateau
- Indians of North America -- Southwest, New
- Kalispel (Pend d'Oreilles)
- Kootenai (Kutenai)
- Kutenai

Marriage and family -- Flathead  
Marriage and family -- Kalispel  
Marriage and family -- Kootenai  
Marriage and family -- Mescalero Apache  
Marriage and family -- Navaho  
Marriage and family -- Oto  
Marriage and family -- Pend d Oreille  
Marriage and family -- Shoshoni  
Mescalero Apache  
Navaho  
Northwest Coast  
Oto  
Otoe  
Salish (Flathead)  
Shoshone  
Shoshone

Cultures:

Apache  
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