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Collection Overview

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Scope and Contents

Includes: Notes on Kickapoo clans, Mexican Kickapoo personal names, with meaning; by ref biog notes, clan affiliation. Notes on Death Ceremony of the Kickapoo, 9 pages. Death Ceremony of the Kickapoo explained, 9 pages. Miscellaneous notes on the following: Indian Dances (Soldier Dance); Kickapoo Spiritualism; Indian Love and Affection; Kickapoo Springs; Indian version of an old Ghost Story; Kickapoo Adoption; Shawnee ball-game; Kickapoo Games; Miscellaneous ethnological notes; copies of correspondence including a letter (copy) from the Department of Public Health regarding the use of peyote; biographical notes on Emma Kickapoo Williams Ellis, who made a "Democratic Quilt" and wrote to Franklin D. Roosevelt regarding it, and stating that if he were elected she would send the quilt to him; miscellaneous notes; 26 pages.

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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:

Biography -- Ellis, Emma Kickapoo Williams
Ceremonies -- Kickapoo
Dance -- Kickapoo
Folklore -- Kickapoo

Games -- Kickapoo
Indians of North America -- Northeast
Kickapoo
Kickapoo Indians -- Kinship
Language and languages -- Documentation
Names, Personal -- Kickapoo
Peyote -- Kickapoo
Shawnee

Cultures:

Indians of North America -- Northeast
Kickapoo
Shawnee

Names:

Ellis, Emma Kickapoo Williams