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Collection Overview

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Scope and Contents

Original described by Pilling, Bureau of American Ethnology Bulletin 13, page 50: Manuscript, 4 11. containing 7 unnumbered pages, double columns, 4 , in the Lenox Library. Apparently written in the latter part of the seventeenth or early part of the eighteenth century. On the verso of the last (blank) page is the endorsement "Commencement d'un Dictionnaire de Langue Sauvage." "Contains a list of pronouns, a vocabulary of about 200 words, including the numerals 1-1000, and some short sentences, and ending with the Lord's prayer.

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Local Note

Pilling description: "There is a copy of this manuscript in the library of the American Philosophical Society, Philadelphia. It was made by Mr Duponceau and forms number LII of a collection recorded by him in a folio account book, of which it occupies pages 159-162. Like the original, it is without indication of date or name of author."

Local Note

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Names and Subject Terms

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