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## Collection Overview

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## Administrative Information

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## Biographical / Historical

Informants: Panamint Pete and family, Panamint Bill, Frank Kennedy (White prospector who had lived with the Panamint), and "an Indian, probably Shoshone, at Keeler, California."

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## Scope and Contents

Mostly botanical terms, many with Latin identification. Names of unidentified plants are in pencil, and "the signs for quantity of vowels are those used in the Century Dictionary."

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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:

- Botany -- Panamint
- Indians of North America -- Great Basin
- Koso (Panamint) Shoshone
- Language and languages -- Documentation

### Cultures:

- Indians of North America -- Great Basin
- Koso (Panamint) Shoshone