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Collection Overview

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Administrative Information

Citation

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Scope and Contents

Contents: (a)- Vocabulary, 6 pages on printed schedule distributed by George Gibbs, Washington Territory. (b)- Partial copy of vocabulary a on printed form with heading "Comparative Vocabulary," 6 pages. Only the words on the original which correspond with those on printed sheets were copied.

Also includes letter from A.C. Anderson to George Gibbs referring to the vocabulary. June 12, 1865.

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Local Note

Note on original states: "This and the Nootka are almost identical."

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

Indians of North America -- Northwest Coast of North America
Language and languages -- Documentation

Nootka (Nuu-chah-nulth)
Nuu-chah-nulth (Nootka)

Cultures:

Indians of North America -- Northwest Coast of North America
Nuu-chah-nulth (Nootka)