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John Bell Hatcher photographs relating to Patagonia, 1896-1899

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	John Bell Hatcher photographs relating to Patagonia
Date:	1896-1899
Identifier:	NAA.PhotoLot.124
Creator:	Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Extent:	22 Prints (silver gelatin and albumen; mounted)
Language:	Undetermined .

Administrative Information

Provenance

Probably donated to the Bureau of American Ethnology or the United States National Museum by John Bell Hatcher.

Location of Other Archival Materials

Additional Hatcher photographs held in National Anthropological Archives Photo Lot 14, Photo Lot 24 and Photo Lot 97

Location of Other Archival Materials

Correspondence to and from Hatcher is held in National Anthropological Archives MS 4029 and the records of the Bureau of American Ethnology and in the Smithsonian Institution Archives in SIA RU000248.

Location of Other Archival Materials

Artifacts collected by Hatcher are held in the Department of Anthropology collections in accessions 035249 and 035895.

See others in

John Bell Hatcher photographs relating to Patagonia, circa 1896-1899

Preferred Citation

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Restrictions

The collection is open for research.

Access to the collection requires an appointment.

Conditions Governing Use

Contact the repository for terms of use.

Biographical Note

John Bell Hatcher (1861-1904) was a paleontologist known for his work at Yale and Princeton Universities and the Carnegie Museum in Pittsburgh. Hatcher was born in Cooperstown, Illinois, but shortly thereafter his family permanently settled in Iowa. After studying for a few months at Grinnell College, Iowa, he transferred to Yale University, where he met paleontologist Othniel Marsh. Following Hatcher's graduation in 1884, he worked as Marsh's assistant, and in 1893 left Yale to become curator of vertebrate paleontology at Princeton University. During his time with Princeton, Hatcher made three expeditions to Patagonia and Tierra del Fuego (1896-1899) under the university's sponsorship. During these expeditions, he also worked under commission by the Bureau of American Ethnology to collect material culture and make photographs of the Tehuelche and Yahgan communities, most of which were then purchased by the National Museum. Hatcher was appointed curator of peolontology and osteology at the Carnegie Museum in Pittsburgh in 1900, though his narrative of the Patagonia expeditions was published by Princeton in 1903.

Scope and Contents

Photographs made in Patagonia by John Bell Hatcher during his expeditions to Patagonia and Tierra del Fuego. They document Tehuelche and Yahgan peoples, dwellings, and the natural environment.

Local Call Number(s)

NAA Photo Lot 124

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Dwellings
- Tehuelche
- Yámana (Yagán/Yahgan)

Cultures:

- Tehuelche
- Yámana (Yagán/Yahgan)

Types of Materials:

- Photographs

Places:

- Patagonia (Argentina and Chile)

Container Listing

Young Man, About 20 Years Old, Wearing Headband and Beside Horse ? with Guanaco Blanket; Wood Cart in Background, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 005 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02883400

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos

Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)

Genre/Form: Photographs

Culture: Tehuelche

Two Toldos (Skin and Pole Tents) Closed Up for Night; Meat ? Hanging from Poles, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 005 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02883500

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos

Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)

Genre/Form: Photographs

Culture: Tehuelche

Group Wearing Guanaco Robes Outside Toldo (Skin and Pole Tent); Two Dogs Nearby, 1897

1 Photographic print (004 in x 004 in mounted on 005 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02883600

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos

Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)

Genre/Form: Photographs

Culture: Tehuelche

Man Wearing Headband and Guanaco Robe, Outside Toldo (Skin And Pole Tent); Meat Hanging to Dry on Poles; Man ? in Costume And Two Dogs Nearby, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02883700

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos

Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Tehuelche

Group in Costume with Group of Non-Native Traders Outside Toldo (Skin and Pole Tent); Dogs and Horses Nearby, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02883800

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos

Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)

Genre/Form: Photographs

Culture: Argentina ?

Tehuelche

Argentinian ?

Wood Cart Belongong to Non-Indian Trader Outside Toldo (Skin And Pole Tents); Dogs Nearby, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02883900

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos

Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)

Genre/Form: Photographs

Culture: Argentina ?

Tehuelche

Argentinian ?

Group in Costume and with Group of Non-Indian Traders Outside Toldos (Skin and Pole Tents); Dog Nearby, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02884000

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos

Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)

Genre/Form: Photographs

Culture: Argentina ?

Tehuelche

Argentinian ?

Group in Costume and with Two Non-Indian Men, Traders, and Two Non-Native Men, Expedition Members ?, Outside Toldo (Skin And Pole Tent), 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02884100
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Argentina ?
Tehuelche
Argentinian ?

Young Man, 16 Years Old, Wearing Guanaco Robe and Headband, 1897
1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02884200
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Tehuelche

Family Group in Costume and with Two Dogs Outside Toldo (Skin and Pole Tent), 1897
1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02884300
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Tehuelche

Family Group in Costume and with Two Dogs Outside Toldo (Skin and Pole Tent), 1897
1 Photographic print (003 in x 003 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02884400
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Argentina -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Tehuelche

Group with Group of Non-Native Men, Expedition Members ?, 1897
1 Photographic print (003 in x 004 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02884500

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Chile ? -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Yámana (Yagán/Yahgan)

Family of Three Women and Child Paddling Boat on Water In Straight of Magellan, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 004 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02884600

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Chile -- Patagonia -- Straits of Magellan

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Yahgan ?
Alacaluf ?

View of coastline showing ocean and mountains, possibly including Mount Leviathan, 1897

1 Photographic print (003 in x 004 in mounted on 004 in x 005 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02884700

According to Maria Jose Figuerero, this photograph is, more specifically, a view of the Bay of Ushuaig from the Beagle Channel taken from the southwest showing, from left to right, Mount Martial, Mount Surana (foreground), Mount Olivia, and Los Cinco Hermoaos, all on the northern margin of Beagle Channel in Argentina.

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Chile ? -- Patagonia -- Mount Leviathan ?

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs

View of Glacier and Mountains, 1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 008 in mounted on 005 in x 008 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02884800

See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on standard card
Argentina -- Patagonia -- Mayer Glacier ?

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs

View of Eroding Mountain, 1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 008 in mounted on 005 in x 008 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02884900
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on standard card
Argentina -- Patagonia -- Sierra Ventana
Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs

Non-Native Man, Member of Expedition ?, Driving Horse-Drawn Cart Across River, 1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 008 in mounted on 005 in x 008 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02885000
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on standard card
Argentina -- Patagonia
Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs

Woman Wearing Breechcloth and Necklace Outside Door of Wood Frame Building; Guanaco Robe ? at Her Fet, 1897

1 Photographic print (007 in x 009 in mounted on 008 in x 009 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02885100
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Argentina ?/Chile ? -- Patagonia -- Tierra Del Fuego
Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Ona

Boy, Twelve Years Old, from Mission School Near Shore, 1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 007 in mounted on 008 in x 010 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02885200
See NM ACC 35895 for More Hatcher Expedition Photos
Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Argentina -- Patagonia -- Ushuaia /Tierra Del Fuego
Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Yámana (Yagán/Yahgan)

View of Sheepfarm Showing Cluster of Wood Frame Building, Barn ?, and Corral, 1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 007 in mounted on 008 in x 010 in)
Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904
Notes: NAA INV.02885300
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Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount
Argentina ?/Chile ? -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Patagonia

Young Man, 20 Years Old, in Costume Outside Door of Wood Frame Building,
1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 008 in mounted on 008 in x 010 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02885400

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Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina ?/Chile ? -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Tehuelche

Young Man, 20 Years Old, in Costume Outside Door of Wood Frame Building,
1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 008 in mounted on 008 in x 010 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02885500

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Black and white photoprint on cardboard mount

Argentina ?/Chile ? -- Patagonia

Names: Hatcher Expedition (1897-1898)
Genre/Form: Photographs
Culture: Tehuelche

View of Rocky Coastline, 1897

1 Photographic print (005 in x 008 in mounted on 008 in x 010 in)

Creator: Hatcher, J. B. (John Bell), 1861-1904

Notes: NAA INV.02885600

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Argentina -- Patagonia

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