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Photograph collection relating to archeology, burial
mounds, and the Southwest, circa 1880s-1920s

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	Photograph collection relating to archeology, burial mounds, and the Southwest
Identifier:	NAA.PhotoLot.28
Date:	circa 1880s-1920s
Extent:	1 Engraving 1 Print (platinum) 18 Prints (silver gelatin) 38 Prints (albumen)
Language:	Undetermined

Administrative Information

Provenance

Photographs found circa 1972 "wrapped in brown paper." They were probably originally collected in the Bureau of American Ethnology.

Location of Other Archival Materials

William Dinwiddie photographs documenting Papago Indians, previously filed in Photo Lot 28, have been relocated to National Anthropological Archives Photo Lot 89.

Location of Other Archival Materials

Additional Mindeleff photographs can be found in the National Anthropological Archives in Photo Lot 4362, Photo Lot 14, Photo Lot 24, Photo Lot 40, Photo Lot 78, and the BAE historical negatives.

Location of Other Archival Materials

Additional Hillers photographs can be found in the National Anthropological Archives in Photo Lot 14, Photo Lot 24, Photo Lot 40, Photo Lot 143, Photo Lot 83-18, Photo Lot 87-2N, Photo Lot 90-1, Photo Lot 92-46, and the BAE historical negatives.

Location of Other Archival Materials

Additional Collins photographs can be found in the National Anthropological Archives in Photo Lot 24, Photo Lot 82-23, Photo Lot 86-42, Photo Lot 86-43, and Photo Lot 86-59.

See others in

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Preferred Citation

Photo Lot 28, Bureau of American Ethnology photograph collection relating to archeology and burial mounds, National Anthropological Archives, Smithsonian Institution

Restrictions

The collection is open for research.

Access to the collection requires an appointment.

Conditions Governing Use

Contact the repository for terms of use.

Scope and Contents

Photographs relating to archeology, most of which were made by Bureau of American Ethnology photographers and ethnologists. Much of the collection consists of photographs by Cosmos and Victor Mindeleff of Southwest Indians, pueblos and remains. Images depict mounds and excavations (including Grant Mound in Pennsylvania and additional mounds in West Virginia, Alabama, Louisiana, and elsewhere); Hopi Sipaulovi village; petroglyphs in Wind River, Wyoming; ancient artifacts; Standing Rock; Tohono O'odham Indians; Canyon de Chelly; and Clear Creek. Photographers represented include John K. Hillers; C. H. Bryan of Mt. Sterling, Kentucky; the Mindeleff brothers; Henry Bascom Collins; L. C. Rennie; J. W. Milner; Hattons Studio in Lansing, Michigan; and a drawing by W. A. Rogers.

Local Call Number(s)

NAA Photo Lot 28

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

Dakota Indians
Hopi Indians
Indians of North America -- Great Plains
Indians of North America -- Southwest, New
Mounds
Petroglyphs
Pueblos
Tohono O'Odham Indians
Zuni Indians

Cultures:

Dakota Indians

Hopi Indians
Indians of North America -- Great Plains
Indians of North America -- Southwest, New
Tohono O'Odham Indians
Zuni Indians

Names:

Collins, Henry B. (Henry Bascom), 1899-1987
Hillers, John K., 1843-1925
Milner, James W.
Mindeleff, Cosmos, 1863-
Mindeleff, Victor, 1860-1948
Rennick, L. C. (Leverett C.), 1887-1953
Rogers, W. A. (William Allen), 1854-1931

Geographic Names:

Alabama -- Antiquities
Chelly, Canyon de (Ariz.)
Louisiana -- Antiquities
Pennsylvania -- Antiquities
West Virginia -- Antiquities
Wyoming -- Antiquities
Zuni Indian Reservation (N.M.)

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Papago (Tohono O'odham)
Standing Rock Reservation
Sioux