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Harold Loomis photographs of Mayan sites and artifacts, 1922

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Collection Overview

Repository:	National Anthropological Archives
Title:	Harold Loomis photographs of Mayan sites and artifacts
Date:	1922
Identifier:	NAA.PhotoLot.73-1
Creator:	Loomis, H. F. (Harold Frederick), 1896-
Extent:	3 Negatives (photographic) (nitrate)
Language:	Undetermined .

Administrative Information

Provenance

These photographs were donated to the Botany department with O. F. Cook's notes and photographic collection. Loomis' photographs were culled from this collection and transferred to the National Anthropological Archives in 1973.

Other Finding Aids

Description of collection and copies of original sleeves available in repository.

Available Formats

Copy negatives available for reference.

Preferred Citation

Photo lot 73-1, Harold Loomis photographs of Mayan sites and artifacts, National Anthropological Archives, Smithsonian Institution

Restrictions

Original negatives are in cold storage and require advance notice for viewing.

Conditions Governing Use

Contact the repository for terms of use.

Biographical Note

Harold Frederick Loomis (1896-1976?) was a photographer, botanist and horticulturalist with the US Department of Agriculture (1914-1958), where he collaborated with Orator Fuller Cook.

Scope and Contents

Photographs depicting Tikal Mayan sites, jade necklace and knife.

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NAA Photo Lot 73-1

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- Mayas
- Mayas -- Antiquities

Cultures:

- Mayas

Types of Materials:

- Photographs

Names:

- Cook, O. F. (Orator Fuller), 1867-1949