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Ed Brady photograph collection of  
American Indians, circa 1880-1950

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## Collection Overview

<b>Repository:</b>	National Anthropological Archives
<b>Title:</b>	Ed Brady photograph collection of American Indians
<b>Identifier:</b>	NAA.PhotoLot.90-8
<b>Date:</b>	circa 1880-1950
<b>Extent:</b>	1 Pamphlet 1 Stereograph (silver gelatin) 2 Color postcards 2 Color prints 3 Copy negatives 5 Copy prints 42 Prints (silver gelatin (some on postcard stock))
<b>Creator:</b>	Brady, Ed
<b>Language:</b>	Undetermined .

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## Administrative Information

### Provenance

Photographs donated by Ed Brady of Seattle, Washington, over a period from 1980 through 1995.

### Location of Other Archival Materials

Photo Lot 81-39 has been relocated and merged with Photo Lot 90-8. These photographs were also collected by Ed Brady and form part of this collection.

### Location of Other Archival Materials

Brady also donated Indian police badges to the Department of Anthropology in accessions 343151 and 378681.

### Location of Other Archival Materials

Additional photographs by Moorhouse can be found in the National Anthropological Archives in Photo Lot 78 and the BAE historical negatives.

### Location of Other Archival Materials

The University of Oregon Special Collections holds a large collection of Lee Moorhouse photographs, 1888-1925 (PH036).

## Location of Other Archival Materials

Additional photographs published by the Keystone View Company can be found in the National Anthropological Archives in MS 4551, Photo Lot 140 and Photo Lot 90-1.

## Location of Other Archival Materials

The University of Washington holds Ed Brady photographs of the Mount St. Helens Eruption (PH Coll 889).

## Preferred Citation

Photo Lot 90-8, Ed Brady photograph collection of American Indians, 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.

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## Scope and Contents

Ed Brady's collection of photographs and postcards of American Indian camps, people, crafts, schools, and dances, as well as agency personnel at various reservations. A majority of the original prints are photographs by Lee Moorhouse, including images of American Indian dwellings, camps, Kate Drexel School, children in cradleboards, and formal and informal portraits. Additionally, there are photographs made by E. Potts at Tesuque Pueblo on November 12, 1924 during the feast day; images are mostly of Tewa Indians dancing the "Buffalo-Deer Dance."

The collection also includes a stereograph depicting Taos Indians in front of Taos Pueblo, as well as photographic postcards of Omaha men in Walthill, Nebraska, American Indians at a camp in Idaho, Indians at a camp near International Falls, Minnesota, a Navajo camp in Arizona, an elevated view of a camp with numerous tipis, possibly for a rodeo, two Alaskan Eskimo girls, and a reenactment of the Battle of Little Bighorn aftermath. There is also a pamphlet entitled "Old Travois Trails," from 1941, which was possibly originally collected by Dr. W. A. Russell, a doctor for the Fort Peck Agency.

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## Local Call Number(s)

NAA Photo Lot 90-8, NAA Photo Lot 81-39, NAA Photo Lot 89-28

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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:

American Indians -- Southwest  
Arctic peoples  
Assiniboine (Stoney)  
Dakota Indians  
Dance  
Dwellings  
Eskimos  
Indians of North America -- Great Plains  
Indians of North America -- Plateau  
Infant carriers  
Nez Percé Indians  
Omaha Indians  
Paloos Indians  
Pottery  
Pueblo Indians  
Schools  
Sweatbaths  
Taos Indians  
Tewa Indians  
Tiakluit Indians  
Umatilla Indians

Cultures:

American Indians -- Southwest  
Arctic peoples  
Assiniboine (Stoney)  
Dakota Indians  
Eskimos  
Indians of North America -- Great Plains  
Indians of North America -- Plateau  
Nez Percé Indians  
Omaha Indians  
Paloos Indians  
Pueblo Indians  
Taos Indians  
Tewa Indians  
Tiakluit Indians  
Umatilla Indians

Names:

Atkinson, James  
Johnston  
Keystone View Company  
Moorhouse, Lee, 1850-1926  
Pacific Photo Company (Salem, Or.)  
Potts, E.  
Williams, G.F.

Geographic Names:

Tesuque Pueblo (N.M.)

Addl. KW Subj

Sioux

Palouse

Wishram

Alaskan Eskimo