Guide to the Oscar Hiram Lipps Papers, 1912-1939

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OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION
Oscar Hiram Lipps papers

Title:

1912-1939 (inclusive)

Dates:

1 linear foot
2 containers

Quantity:

Collection materials written in English.

Languages:

Summary:

Oscar H. Lipps served at the Carlisle Indian School, as superintendent of the Nez Perce Agency, at the Chemawa Indian School, and as a field representative of the U. S. Indian Service at the end of the 1800s. The collection includes general correspondence, 1934–1938, regarding Indian problems and Indian rights and Indian school press publications.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Oscar Hiram Lipps was born in Fayette, Indian and educated at American University, Harriman, Tennessee. He was a teacher, and entered the U.S. Indian School service in 1898. He served at the Carlisle Indian School, as superintendent of the Nez Perce Agency, at the Chemawa Indian School, and as a field representative of the U. S. Indian Service.

CONTENT DESCRIPTION


ARRANGEMENT

Collection is organized into the following series: Correspondence and papers; Reports.

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SUBJECTS

This collection is indexed under the following headings in the online catalog. Researchers desiring materials about related topics, persons, or places should search the catalog using these headings.

Lipps, Oscar H.--Archives
Sniffen, Matthew K.--Correspondence
Chemawa Vocational School
U.S. Indian School (Chemawa, Salem, Or.)
United States Indian School (Carlisle, Pa.)
United States. Office of Indian Affairs
United States. Office of Indian Affairs. Nez Perce Agency
Indians of North America--Civil rights
Indians of North America--Social conditions
Student publications--Pennsylvania--Carlisle
Student publications--Pennsylvania--Carlisle
Indian agents
School superintendents

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

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McDowell. Report on the landless Indians of California 1919
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Lipps. Report of a survey of Industrial conditions, Blackfeet reservation, Montana 1922
Lipps. The Eskimos on Bering sea. A report on their economic and social conditions 1936
Fort Bidwell (California). Indian Colony project undated