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Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans
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Description: Selected surveying indicates that most Catholic-related records are correspondence, quarterly school reports, and school contracts, which typically comprise between .04 and .2% of the records from Bureau of Indian Affairs Agencies, e.g. Menominee Agency, Wisconsin, between .1 to .2% of ca. 100 cubic feet and Pine Ridge Agency, South Dakota, .04% of

16. "Taholah Indian Agency"

Inclusive dates: 1886-1958

Volume: Less than 1% of 185 cubic feet

Description: The Taholah Agency was established in 1914. Both the Cushman

25. "Letters Received by the Superintendent of Indian Trade, T58"
Inclusive dates: 1806-1824
Volume: Less than 1% of 1 reel of microfilm
26. "Letters Sent by the Office of Indian Affairs, M21"
Inclusive dates: 1824-1881
Volume: Less than 1% of 166 reels of microfilm
27. "Letters Sent by the Secretary of War Relating to Indian Affairs,
M15"
Inclusive dates: 1800-1824
Volume: Less than 1% of 6 reels of microfilm
28. "Letters Sent by the Superintendent of Indian Trade, M16"
Inclusive dates: 1807-1823
Volume: Less than 1% of 6 reels of microfilm
29. "Records of the Idaho Superintendency of Indian Affairs, M832"
Inclusive dates: 1863-1870
Volume: Less than 1% of 3 reels of microfilm
30. "Records of the Montana Superintendency of Indian Affairs, M833"
Inclusive dates: 1867-1873
Volume: Less than 1% of 3 reels of microfilm
31. "Records of the Oregon Superintendency of Indian Affairs, M2"
Inclusive dates: 1848-1873
Volume: Less than 1% of 29 reels of microfilm
32. "Records of the Washington Superintendency of Indian Affairs, M5"
Inclusive dates: 1853-1874
Volume: Less than 1% of 26 reels of microfilm
33. "Register of Letters Received by the Office of Indian Affairs,
M18"
Inclusive dates: 1824-1880
Volume: Less than 1% of 126 reels of microfilm
34. "Registers of Letters Received by the Office of the Secretary of
War, Main Series, M22"
Inclusive dates: 1800-1870
Volume: Less than 1% of 134 reels of microfilm
35. "Report Books of the Office of Indian Affairs, M348"
Inclusive dates: 1838-1885
Volume: Less than 1% of 53 reels of microfilm
36. "Special Files of the Office of Indian Affairs, M574"
Inclusive dates: 1807-1904
Volume: Less than 1% of 85 reels of microfilm
- C. "Record Group 393, Records of U.S. Army Continental Commands, 1821-1920"
Inclusive dates: 1846-1851
Volume: Less than 1% within 7 reels of microfilm
Description: "Records of the Tenth Military Department, 1846-1851, M210;"
includes letters describing Indian attitudes about Catholic missions.

D. "Record Group 316 (formerly Record Group 200), Private Papers Given to the U.S. National Archives"

Inclusive dates: 1907-1969

Volume: Less than 1% of approximately 32 cubic feet

Description: Limited amount of Native Catholic related materials in two collections of non-federal records donated to the National Archives:

1. "Records of the Makah Tribal Council"

Inclusive dates: 1935-1969

Volume: Less than 1% of 19.5 cubic feet

Description: Includes minutes of tribal council meetings, clippings, correspondence, legal opinions and statements, maps, newsletters, reports, and surveys.

2. "Papers of Edwin P. Chalcraft"

Inclusive dates: 1907-ca. 1925

Volume: Less than 1% of 12 cubic feet

Description: Papers of Edwin P. Chalcraft, Bureau of Indian Affairs Superintendent of the Chehalis and Chemawa Indian Schools and the Grand Ronde-Siletz Agency; re: agency and school activities with photographs; Chemawa School had a Catholic chaplain.