Emphasizing reference resources for ethnological research on Canadian American Indians and Eskimos, this guide constitutes a revised and expanded edition of an earlier student's guide entitled "Canadian Ethnology" and includes both reference sources and annotated bibliographic references for the following: (1) Handbooks (8 references); (2) Library Catalogues (8 references); (3) Bibliography (16 general ethnology references; 8 regional ethnology references; 2 physical anthropology references; and 2 literature and folklore references); (4) Periodical Indexes (3 reference books); (5) Theses (3 references, covering U.S., Canadian, and world theses); (6) Biography (2 biography reference books); (7) Atlases (2 reference books); (8) Directories (3 references); (9) Periodical Lists (3 references). Publication dates range between 1911 and 1974. (JC)
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INDIANS AND ESKIMOS OF CANADA: A STUDENT'S GUIDE TO REFERENCE RESOURCES

This is a revised edition of an earlier student's guide entitled Canadian Ethnology. The emphasis here remains on sources for ethnological research on Canadian Indians and Eskimos, although this guide is basically of broader coverage. Other student's guides prepared by the Reference Department, which include complementary sources of information and may be useful in conjunction with this one, cover Polar Regions, Anthropology, Geography, Canadiana, Quebec, and Archaeology (in progress).

In addition to items cited in this guide the Government Documents Department is an important source for statistical information and for the reports of the Department of Northern Affairs and Natural Resources and the Department of Indian Affairs and Northern Development.

The Lande and Arkin collections, located on the fourth floor, McLennan Library, are rich in original source material on Canadian Indians, such as basic early texts and fur trade accounts. Two special finding lists in the Lande Room contain materials in Indian languages and material containing Indian pictures. In addition to the Lande catalogues (see section II) checklists to material on Indians and on Moravian missions to the Eskimos of Labrador still in Mr. Lande's private collection are available for consultation in the Lande Room.

The McCord museum, 690 Sherbrooke St. West houses a specialized reference collection on Canadian ethnology open to students with authorized research requirements. McGill's Anthropology of Development Office at 3434 McTavish St. houses a collection of documents on James Bay and Northern Canada. Details on the consultation of both these collections are available at the reference desk.

All locations for titles mentioned in this bibliography have not been indicated. For additional locations check the McGill Union Catalogue under the entry used in this bibliography.

If you have any difficulty using this bibliography or the sources listed in it please do not hesitate to ask a reference librarian for assistance.

This bibliography was compiled by Suzy M. Slavin, Reference Department, McLennan Library.

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1. **HANDBOOKS**

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An introduction to language definitions, classification, and characteristics and their relationship to ethnology. Fourteen of the 55 recognized linguistic families of America north of Mexico are given analytical grammatical surveys by specialists: Athapascan (Hupa), Tlingit, Haida, Tsimsian, Takelma language of Southwest Oregon, Coos, Siuslawan, Chuchee (lower Umpqua), Kwakuitl, Chinook, Maidu, Algonguin (Fox), Siouan (Dakota), and Eskimo.

**Govt. Docs.**


Statistics on population, housing, social services, economic development and education.


Lists reserves and settlements noting band, location and acreage, and lists bands by region, noting reserve and acreage, as of June 1972.


A tabular survey of the ten linguistic groups of aboriginal Canada by cultural area: including location, cultural characteristics, and linguistic groups; and geographically by reservation: including population, linguistic group, language and cultural area.


A two volume dictionary of tribal names, linguistic stocks, confederacies, and sub-tribes, as well as terms describing relations with governments, archaeology, manners and customs, arts and industries, and biographical sketches. Tribal names include their many forms and etymologies as well as bibliographical references. Articles vary in length, include illustrations and photographs—where pertinent and coverage is of both Indians and Eskimos. Bibliography pp. 1179-1221.


A general survey of Indian life. Part one examines population, food, economy, dress, transportation, social and political organization, and cultural life. Part two describes individual tribes, including the Eskimo, classifying them by regional group. Includes a bibliography and population distribution map.

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- Handbooks of Indians of Canada, Published as an Appendix to the Tenth Report of the Geographic Board of Canada. Ottawa, 1913.

Basically a reprint of relevant portions of the author's Handbook of Indians North of Mexico. Includes maps of tribal settlement lands, surrender territories, and treaty lands. Appendices include a schedule of reserve lands, a bibliography, and a synonym of tribal designations.
II. LIBRARY CATALOGUES

Folio 26005. P7A75x

Appendix. Supplement. 1st, 1971-

The book catalogue of a collection on Arctic and cold weather conditions as reflected through applied and basic research in the physical, biological, and social sciences as well as technology. Author and subject entries represent works in many languages. Articles from non-polar journals have been analyzed while articles from polar journals are indexed in Arctic Bibliography (section III.B.).

Folio 21392. B7B75x

The author - title - subject catalogue of a collection specialized in historical, archaeological, anthropological and ethnographic material in Canada west of the Great Lakes. Includes books, documents, reports, and periodical articles.

Folio 21392. N7G5x

Author - title - subject catalogue of a special collection on the history and development of Western and Northern Canada. Most material is on the prairie region.

Folio 21401. L3x
Lande, Lawrence M. The Lawrence Lande Collection of Canadiana... a Bibliography... Montreal, The Lawrence Lande Foundation for Canadian Historical Research, 1965.

Rare and Unusual Canadiana. 1st Supplement. Montreal, McGill University, 1971.

The subject index to the basic volume as well as the special subject index and bibliographic essay in the supplement provide access to Indian and Eskimo material in this specialized collection of Canadiana.

Folio 21209.2. C2N37

Holdings and accessions lists with material arranged by title. No indexes. Useful primarily to identify ephemeral and unpublished material. Items have brief annotations.

Folio 21201. N45

Appendix. Supplement. 1st, 1970-

Reproduction of the author, title and subject cards from the catalogue of this specialized research collection.

An author, subject index with some title entries of this collection as it appeared in late 1960. Includes indexing to articles in scholarly periodicals since 1897 and analysis of collected works and monographic series since 1866. See such entries as INDIANS, N.A.- REGIONS AND AREAS CANADA.


Author title and subject index to a collection emphasizing the history of polar exploration. Includes books, articles, documents, and proceedings, as well as a section on phonotapes in volume 8. Represents the collection holdings as of 1962.

III. BIBLIOGRAPHY

A. General Ethnology.


An annotated bibliography of books, articles, documents and theses in French and English on the cultural-anthropology of Indians and Métis in Canada. Also includes a case law index covering 1867-1971 compiled at the Native Law Centre at Carleton University. The Introduction to the Case Law Digest includes some supplementary cases not indexed. Arrangement of the bibliography is by general subject, followed by the case law index, and finally by geographic region, sub-arranged by tribe. No author index.


Lib. has: no. 1-193; 195-200

Continues:


Lib. has: v. 1, 1920-

An annotated list of books and articles appeared in each quarterly issue of the Canadian Historical Review until 1955, when an annual list began appearing in the National Museum's Bulletin subseries "Contributions to Anthropology". The list was discontinued after 1961.


A subject index to annual reports as well as a chronological list of such reports and an author-title index. Later reports were strictly administrative and did not include accompanying papers.
A series of subject indexes to the Bulletins, Contributions, Introductions and Miscellaneous Publications each of which is followed by a chronological list of references in the series as well as an author-title index. Also includes an index to illustrations. The Bulletins cease with No. 200 which is devoted to a chronological list of publications followed by an author and key word index.


Includes an essay, "Indian and White Relations in Eastern North America: A Common Ground for History and Ethnology" by William N. Fenton, followed by a bibliography of reference works, ethnological and historical works, and periodical, manuscript and document sources.


A list of the geology, biology and anthropology publications, 1913-1970, of the National Museum, specifically devoted to records of the prehistoric peoples of Canada as well as the culture and traditions of the aboriginal peoples of Canada. Includes Bulletins, Contributions, Memoirs, Papers, Publications, each of which are listed in numerical sequence. Many of the items listed may be found in the Govt. Docs. Dept.


Geographic arrangement with useful titles under AMERICA, GENERAL; NORTH AMERICA; ALASKA, CANADA. Coverage to 1955 with brief contents notes for each entry and a location for at least one copy. Author-subject index.


Supplement to the General Bibliography Section. Monticello Ill., Council of Planning Librarians, 1974. (Council of Planning Librarians. "Exchange Bibliography No. 594). Includes a bibliography of books and articles on change, migration, urbanization and adjustment arranged alphabetically by author, as well as several lists of native organizations and research groups in Canada and the U.S. The supplement updates the bibliography.


A selective bibliography of published material emphasizing ethnographic anthropology in America north of Mexico. Lists material by 16 culture areas and subdivides each by tribal groups. Includes location maps.


A selective annotated bibliography indicating the research interests of the center over the past ten years. Arranged under broad subjects: Sciences de l'atmosphere, Sciences de la terre et des eaux, Sciences Biologiques, et Sciences Humaines, including anthropology, archaeology, etc. Subject and author indexes.


A bibliography of articles and books divided into three areas: archaeology, ethnology, and history, with subdivisions by geographic area and tribe or state. Under Eastern Canada numerous tribes are listed.


A bibliography emphasizing unpublished speeches, reports and conference proceedings, as well as newspaper articles. Topical arrangement with items subdivided by author or as miscellaneous. Includes a section on aboriginals outside of North America. As items are listed under only one topic the subject and author indexes should be consulted. Most materials listed in the bibliography are available through the National Indian Brotherhood Library, Ottawa.

B. Regional Ethnology

26005 Arctic Bibliography. 1953- Washington.

An annual, annotated bibliography of 19th and 20th century books, government documents, and periodical articles in all scientific fields and all languages. Emphasis varies by year. Entries listed alphabetically by author and include location notes. Subject and geographical indexes.

Govt. Docs.


An annotated bibliography of books, documents, and articles, primarily in English, on physical, natural and social sciences in the western Arctic. Arranged by author with subject index.

Folio


The catalogue of a collection of French and English books and articles on the Quebec-Labrador peninsula and near shore islands. Volume 1 lists main entries alphabetically. Volume 2 is an index by author under varied subject headings. The symbol AB means an abstract of the item will be found in Arctic Bibliography.


Three separate bibliographies on the ethnology, linguistics and pre-history of the native peoples affected by the James Bay Project.
The first fifty pages are a bibliography in two parts (by author and by geographic or linguistic group) of books and articles. The rest of the work includes notes on the bibliography, articles on anthropological research, and a contemporary survey of the aboriginal population.

An annotated bibliography of English works on the cultural anthropology of the Northern Athabascan Indians of Canada and Alaska. Basic ethnographies and works relating to culture, personality, and sociocultural change are given particularly lengthy annotations. Items cited are arranged alphabetically by author. Includes also a tribal index, a chronological index according to time of field work, a tribal map, a list of relevant unpublished material including theses, and a list of references in foreign languages.

Lengthy and evaluative annotations for a selected group of articles, books, reports and documents on cultural change. Pages 108-56 cover Canadian Eskimos and Indians.

Eleven existing villages form the basis of this bibliography, a preliminary study for a bibliography in progress on the peoples of the entire Northwest Territories.

Descriptive annotations of articles, chapters from books, government publications, proceedings and reports published through 1967. Arranged alphabetically by author with a detailed subject index including references to tribes.

A general review of the literature is followed by a bibliography of books and articles classified by ethnographic areas.

Volume 2, The American Indians North of Mexico. Including the Eskimos. Lists by geographic region, works on folklore, belief, customs, speech, music and dance of specific tribes and of Indians in general.
Aims to be a record of the published works of the aboriginal peoples of Canada. Includes theses, addresses, conference proceedings; etc., as well as books and articles. Annotations are bilingual and informative.

E. Manuscripts


Three sections include: 1) alphabetical lists of the manuscripts, microfilm and records; 2) a classified list of items and groups of items by tribe, language family, and area; 3) a bibliography of materials referred to in parts 1 and 2. The collection represents 350 tribes and languages of North American Indians from the 16th century to the present, with the major strength in linguistic materials.

Govt. Docs.

Preliminary Inventory Record Group 10. Indian Affairs. Ottawa, Queen's Printer, June, 1951.

A companion list to the Manuscript Group, this Record Group lists in chronological arrangement and briefly describes official public records including correspondence, letter books, reports, and land records. Biographical appendices list senior administrative officers of the Indian Affairs Department from 1755-1848, and a "who was who when", including missionaries, clerks, and other minor officials with their dates of service.

Govt. Docs.


Carefully describes manuscript collections and single items relating to the fur trade and the Indians during the English period to 1867. Includes original documents or reproductions as well as transcripts, noting date of acquisition and provenance if available. Items relating to the French regime are described in Manuscript Group 18. Preconquest Papers.

IV. PERIODICAL INDEXES

Folio

America: History and Life. v. 1, 1964- Santa Barbara, Calif.

Summarizes, in English, articles on Canadian and United States history and culture, from prehistoric times to the present. Signed abstracts of articles from periodicals and chapters of books in over 40 languages. Arrangement covers North America in general, including ethnology, then Canada and the U.S. subdivided by historical period or region. Canadian and American history publications issued prior to 1964 are included in Historical Abstracts (Z299 .H5 Ref. Index Stands). A cumulation of articles on Indians published 1954 through 1972 was published separately as Indians of the United States and Canada, a Bibliography edited by Dwight L. Smith (see section III.A.).
Lists articles in the press on subjects of concern to Indians of Canada since 1965. Includes e.g. Cornwall (Akwesane) Bridge Blockade, Blue Quills School Sit-In, James Bay Hydro Electric Project. Articles are from Canadian newspapers and for each subject are arranged chronologically. No indexes.

Canadian Periodical Index. 1928-. Ottawa.

V. THÉSES


These two volumes list over 7000 MA and PhD theses completed at United States, Mexican and Canadian Universities between 1890 and 1970 in anthropology and related disciplines. Includes the North, South and Central American Indian as well as the Eskimo. Some brief descriptive annotations.


A list of theses done at universities throughout the world.


A list of U.S. and Canadian theses by author. Subject index.

VI. BIOGRAPHY

Dictionary of Canadian Biography. Toronto, University of Toronto Press, 1966-

The definitive Canadian retrospective biographical reference work. To date three volumes have been published, each including people whose deaths occurred during a specific period of history: v. 1, 1000-1700; v. 2, 1701-1740; v. 3, 1741-1800. A bibliographical essay, v. 1, pp. 5-12, introduces the 65 biographies of Indians that appear in the first volume. A glossary of Indian tribal names with lengthy, descriptions occurs in both volumes I and II each including only those names used in the volume at hand.
general bibliography of frequently used sources is found at the back of each volume.


See Section I.

VII. ATLASSES


A series of 54 maps of the provinces (scale 16 or 32 miles/inch) indicating locations of reserves. An index to each map notes reserve number, bank affiliation and area coverage.


A series of 36 maps, including Indian and Eskimo Population, 1961; Indian Lands and Languages. Historical and statistical data accompany graphic illustration.

VIII. DIRECTORIES


A directory of museums arranged alphabetically by name of museum. Includes a short section on Canadian museums, and an index to collections by cultural area. Entries include information on research facilities.


An inventory of projects, courses, and research currently being undertaken at Canadian universities. For each university describes special projects such as McGill's Programme in the Anthropology of Development, lists courses offered in relevant departments, and lists research completed and in progress, including theses.


"An attempt to document the date of formation of all known aboriginal groups in Canada." For each association, includes date of formation, compiler's source of information, date association folded or merged.
IX. PERIODICAL LISTS


1972 Ref. The basic list is arranged alphabetically by title of the periodical and includes information such as address, type and frequency circulation. The subject index heading Native Peoples/Aborigenes lists relevant Canadian titles.


A list of periodicals produced by or for the American Indian and represented in the Princeton Library collection. Includes many kinds of publications from newspapers to scholarly journals and indicates publication information and the Princeton holdings.