Native American Photographs Tagging Mission

Citizen Archivists, we have a new mission for you! More than 18,000 photographs from the Records of the Bureau of Indian Affairs (BIA) are now available in the National Archives Catalog. We are looking for Citizen Archivists to add specific topical subject tags to each photograph in the Record Group.

L: Women and child by teepee, ca. 1936. National Archives Identifier 285205
R: Stone House during Construction / Men Working. National Archives Identifier 7867978
Check out the mission page for the list of topical subject tags. Please add one or more of these topical subject tags to each photograph in the mission. Tagging Native American records with these topical subjects will make them more searchable in the Catalog, and will help organize them by subject for use in future projects and resource guides.

For this project, all tags should be added to the left side of the image and description, as shown in this example:

**Moscow, Idaho School of Welding class photo, ca. 1940. National Archives Identifier 285195**

In addition to adding at least one of the tags in the list, you are welcome to add as many other descriptive tags as you would like. For this project, you can even add a topical subject tag if the term is already found in the Title or Scope and Content Note. Please see our What Makes A Good Tag how-to guide to learn more about tagging.

**L: Camp Building- Mt. Goseping L.O. National Archives Identifier 118973791**

**R: M&M Bluecloud, Daughter and Granddaughter by Home. National Archives Identifier 7867887**
Check out the mission page and get started tagging! Thank you for helping make these rich records more accessible.

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*L:* Indian girl in native dress sitting in doorway of reed summer house, ca. 1935. [National Archives Identifier 285204](https://www.archives.gov/titles/)

*R:* Women feeding goats, ca. 1940. [National Archives Identifier 285246](https://www.archives.gov/titles/)

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**New in the Catalog**

Lantern Slides of Navy Vessels and the Fifth Marine Regiment in France during World War I, ca. 1917 - ca. 1963. [National Archives Identifier 559374](https://www.archives.gov/titles/)

This series consists of lantern slides taken during World War I. Some of the images document the activities of the Fifth Marine Regiment serving under General Charles A. Doyen, United States Marine Corps, during June of 1917.
In addition, this series includes views of various naval vessels from World War I. Some of the images are artist renderings of ships from that era. Among the types of ships pictured are destroyers, battleships, and submarines.

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Citizen Archivists, there's a group just for you! You can share tips and strategies, find new challenges, and get support for your work.

Once you’ve signed up, check out our poll: What kinds of records do you like to transcribe?

COVID-19 Update

The National Archives is committed to the health and safety of our visitors and staff. We are closely monitoring the situation regarding COVID-19, and we are working with public health officials and our counterpart agencies to monitor and respond to the evolving conditions and following CDC guidelines.

For more information, visit https://www.archives.gov/coronavirus

Questions or comments? Email us at catalog@nara.gov.