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## **Finding Aid to the Tuscarora Reservation Collection MS.753**

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**Title:** Tuscarora Reservation Collection

**Identifier/Call Number:** MS.753

**Contributing Institution:** Autry National Center, Braun Research Library

**Language of Material:** English

**Physical Description:** 0.1 linear feet(1 folder)

**Date:** circa 1937

**Abstract:** This is a collection of papers and newspaper clippings regarding the residents of the Tuscarora Reservation from 1816-1937. This collection includes an excerpt from a letter from a clergyman in Ontario, New York, written August 1, 1816 and an article sent from Sophia R. J. Cain to her sister Ann E. Jackson Lloyd regarding the New Years festivities occurring at the Tuscarora Reservation in 1937.

**creator:** Cain, Sophia R. J.

**Scope and Contents**

This is a collection of papers and newspaper clippings regarding the residents of the Tuscarora Reservation from 1816-1937. Newspaper clippings feature images of residents of the Tuscarora Reservation, and one resident's house. This collection includes a hand-written and a typed copy of an extract from a letter from a clergyman in Ontario, New York, originally written August 1, 1816. The copy itself is undated. Another item in the collection is an article sent from Sophia R. J. Cain to her sister Ann E. Jackson Lloyd regarding the New Years festivities occurring at the Tuscarora Reservation in 1937. The hand-written manuscript by Cain includes taped-in photographs and illustrations, and it has a note of a 600-word count at the bottom of the last page.

**Historical note**

The Tuscarora Reservation is an Indian reservation in Niagara County, New York. The Tuscarora are a federally recognized tribe and the Sixth Nation of the Haudenosaunee or Iroquois Confederacy active before the American Revolutionary War. In 1803, the US government granted the Tuscarora a reservation in Niagara County.

Source: [http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tuscarora\\_Reservation](http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Tuscarora_Reservation)

**Preferred citation**

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