Finding aid of the Allen's Cheyenne Minstrels Collection

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Allen's Cheyenne Minstrels Collection
Dates: 1906-1940
Bulk Dates: 1906-1921
Collection number: 2000.87
Creator: Allen's Cheyenne Minstrels
Collection Size: .5 linear feet
Repository: Autry National Center. Institute for the Study of the American West
Los Angeles, CA 90027

Abstract: Publicity and other material relating to the group Allen's Cheyenne Minstrels, performers of Western musical comedy.

Physical location: Autry Library, Autry National Center
Languages: Languages represented in the collection: English

Access
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Acquisition Information

Biography / Administrative History
Allen's Cheyenne Minstrels performed musical comedy, vaudeville and theater throughout the American West in the early twentieth century.

Scope and Content of Collection
Publicity and other material relating to the group Allen's Cheyenne Minstrels, performers of Western musical comedy. Includes a poster, publicity photographs, theater programs, contracts, and a news clipping. The bulk of the material consists of vaudeville theater programs dated 1909 to 1921. Studio photographs are of members of the group dressed in cowboy garb.

Arrangement
By format, then chronological.

**Indexing Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library’s online public access catalog.

- Allen's Cheyenne Minstrels
- Vaudeville -- United States.
- Entertainers -- United States.
- Minstrel shows -- United States.
- Photographs.
- Programs.
- Clippings.
- Posters, American.