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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections Department
<b>Creator:</b>	Speck, Frank G.(Frank Gouldsmith), 1881-1950
<b>Title:</b>	Frank G. Speck Penobscot Indian Photographs
<b>ID:</b>	SpC MS 1431.sc
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	circa 1911
<b>Physical Description:</b>	4 folders
<b>Physical Location:</b>	small collections
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English
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<b>Abstract:</b>	The collection contains copies of photographs of Penobscot Indian life taken in the field by Frank G. Speck around 1911, as well as copies of some photographs collected by him. Many pieces depicted now belong to the National Museum of the American Indian, George Gustav Heye Center. Heye sponsored some of Speck's work. The photographs depict individual Penobscot Indians as well as objects such as baskets, snowshoes, tools, clothing, etc.

### Preferred Citation

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### Access Restrictions

No restrictions on access.

### Use Restrictions

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Indian baskets -- Maine
- Penobscot Indians -- History
- Penobscot Indians -- Clothing
- Penobscot Indians -- Implements
- Penobscot Indians -- Material culture
- Indians of North America -- History
- Indians of North America -- Clothing
- Indians of North America -- Implements
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- Photographic prints
- Speck, Frank G.(Frank Gouldsmith), 1881-1950
- Heye, George G. -- George Gustav -- 1874-1957

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Title supplied by cataloger.

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## General

Copies of photographs in the collection of the University of Pennsylvania Museum, Philadelphia.

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## Collection Inventory

Box 1	
Title/Description	Instances
Maine Penobscot Boys; Boy of Attean family (Elmer?)	box 1 item 11586
Maine Penobscot Clara Paul, a Penobscot girl. A young girl posed with a bow and arrow on a flooring of straw	box 1 item 11587
Maine Penobscot Cradle board	box 1 item 11849
Maine Penobscot Sled (object number: Heye 2/8137)	box 1 item 11850
Maine Penobscot Knives (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 11851
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Heye Collection)	box 1

	item 11852
Maine Penobscot Birchbark moosecall, 2 birchbark boxes (Heye 2/5874)	box 1 item 11853
Maine Penobscot Pipe stems with quilled decoration (Heye 2/3339, 2/3272, 2/939, 2/8706, 3/2854) (2/3339 is Catlin and is probably Sioux)	box 1 item 11897
Maine Penobscot Two Penobscot men posed in front of a house. (Frank Loring on left). Snowshoes with baskets surrounding them.	box 1 item 11913
Maine Penobscot Penobscot women: Elsie Paul Tomer and Marie Lewis Morris.	box 1 item 11915
Maine Penobscot Francis Nicola and Myra Andrews posed outside.	box 1 item 11916
Maine Penobscot A group of men in the woods. An unidentified man kneels in the snow in front of three men. Governor Peter Nelson appears to be the figure in the center back row.	box 1 item 11917
Maine Penobscot Two Penobscot men; Nick Solomon and John Susep.	box 1 item 11918
Maine Penobscot Unidentified Penobscot man posed outside.	box 1 item 11919
Maine Penobscot Nick Solomon.	box 1 item 11920
Maine Penobscot Four Penobscot men posed outside with snowshoes.	box 1 item 11921
Maine Penobscot Big Madeline (Mudlin)	box 1 item 11922
Maine Penobscot Unidentified Penobscot woman (Big Madeline?)	box 1 item 11923
Maine Penobscot Unidentified Penobscot woman (Big Madeline?)	box 1 item 11924
Maine Penobscot Nick Andrews.	box 1 item 11925
Maine Penobscot Unidentified Penobscot man (Penobscot Governor Peter Nelson?).	box 1 item 11926
Maine Penobscot Penobscot Governor Peter Nelson. An off-center portrait of Mr. Nelson in an embroidered vest and white collared shirt, arms crossed.	box 1 item 11927

Maine Penobscot Penobscot Governor Peter Nelson.	box 1 item 11928
Maine Penobscot Nick Andrews.	box 1 item 11929
Maine Penobscot Birchbark lodge	box 1 item 11966
various various (a) Great Lakes - Potowatomi - Prescription Stick (Heye Collection) (b) Maine - Penobscot - Elkskin band, quill, flint, and wooden scratches (surgical appliances (Heye Collection) (c) Southeast - Cherokee - Surgical appliance: cupping horn (Surgical appliance) (d) Ksasati (?) - Surgical appliances: lancets (Heye Collection) (e) Southwest - Comanche - Surgical appliance: stone to heat to produce counter irritation (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 12947
Maine Penobscot Leggings (NA3619)	box 1 item 13000
Maine Penobscot Birchbark boxes (Probably not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 13007
Maine Penobscot Gaming tray and dice (Univ. Mus. or Heye Collect.)	box 1 item 13009
Maine Penobscot Basket (Univ. Mus. or Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13010
Maine Penobscot Basket (Univ. Mus. or Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13011
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13012
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13013
Maine Penobscot Dolls, Games, Amulets (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13014
Maine Penobscot Wooden Bowl (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13015
Maine Penobscot War club (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13016
Maine Penobscot Paddles, pot hook, and backscratcher (Heye Collection)	box 1 item 13017
Maine Penobscot Burden strap and bag (Heye Collection)	



	box 1
	item 13018
Maine Penobscot Pouch with quill embroidery (Heye Collection)	box 1
	item 13019
Maine Penobscot Pouch with moosehair embroidery, Collar with bead embroidery (Heye Collection)	box 1
	item 13020
Maine Penobscot Pouches of complete animal skins (Heye Collect.)	box 1
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Maine Penobscot Game[?] Necklace (Heye Collection)	box 1
	item 13022
Maine Penobscot Snowshoes (Heye Collection)	box 1
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Maine Penobscot Big Thunder Chief of Penobscots. Postcard with 1906 postmark. Postcard listed as No. 760 Moore Gibson Co. New York, Germany. Frank Loring.	box 1
	item 13024
Maine Penobscot (a) Maine - Penobscot - Wooden snowshoes (Univ. of Penn. [?]) (b) Snowshoe (made at the same time as the negative for Memoirs of the American Philosophical Society VI, 1937, Davidson Snowshoes, but not used for that publication)	box 1
	item 13430
Maine Penobscot Penobscot man with spear on edge of the water. (Joseph Solomon?).	box 1
	item 13858
Maine Penobscot Man with beadwork collar and cuffs, 1911.	box 1
	item 13861
Maine Penobscot Penobscot governor, Peter Nicola.	box 1
	item 13865
Maine Penobscot Woman and children in camp. (Mamie Joseph Sapiel, Francis Joseph, Russell Joseph?)	box 1
	item 13898
Maine Penobscot Girl, modern style (Elizabeth Mitchell Bernard?).	box 1
	item 13907
Maine Penobscot Old Town, Group of Penobscots (Solomon family and Elizabeth Mitchell Bernard?).	box 1
	item 13933
Maine Penobscot Hunter (John Robert Mitchell?)	box 1
	item 13937
Maine Penobscot Man, 1911 (Nick Solomon in Lincoln?)	box 1

	item 13962
Maine Penobscot Man and son with fishing poles, baskets and snowshoes (Andrew Dana and his grandfather Frank at Lincoln, Me.?).	box 1 item 13964
Maine Penobscot Dice bowl game (Object Number 3115)	box 1 item 13970
Maine Penobscot Man: John (Buck) Andrew	box 1 item 13979
Maine Penobscot Boy with feather hat (John Robert Mitchell).	box 1 item 13981
Maine Penobscot Silver discs- Brooches (Not in Museum 1947)	box 1 item 14275
Maine Penobscot Hafted stone axe (Not in Museum 1947)	box 1 item 14276
Maine Penobscot Stone blades (Not in Museum 1947)	box 1 item 14277
Maine Penobscot Tobacco pipes (one is Heye 2/8200)	box 1 item 14278
Maine Penobscot Cradle board [Museum Journal II,1, fig. 19] (Heye 9628)	box 1 item 14279
Maine Penobscot Cradle board [Museum Journal II,1, fig. 19] (Heye 9628)	box 1 item 14280
Maine Penobscot Birchbark dishes, pots, boxes (Heye 9628)	box 1 item 14283
Maine Penobscot Birchbark dishes, pots, boxes (Heye 9628)	box 1 item 14284
Maine Penobscot Birchbark dishes, pots, boxes (Heye 9628)	box 1 item 14285
Maine Penobscot Birchbark dishes, pots, boxes (Heye 9628)	box 1 item 14286
Maine Penobscot Birchbark dishes, pots, boxes (Heye 9628)	box 1 item 14287
Maine Penobscot Powder horns (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1

	item 14288
Maine Penobscot Spoons (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
	item 14289
Maine Penobscot Combs and brushes (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
	item 14290
Jewelry	box 1
	item 14291
Jewelry	box 1
	item 14292
Maine Penobscot Wampum: necklaces (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
	item 14294
Maine Penobscot Wampum: collar [Museum Journal II, 1, fig. 18] (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
	item 14295
Maine Penobscot Embroidered cloth collar and legging (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
	item 14296
Maine Penobscot Ceremonial cape (Not Univ. Museum 1947)	box 1
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Maine Penobscot Leggings (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
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Maine Penobscot Childs coat (Not Univ. Museum 1947)	box 1
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Maine Penobscot Embroidered (beaded) cloth collars and cuffs (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
	item 14304
Maine Penobscot Embroidered (beaded) cloth collars and cuffs (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
	item 14305
Maine Penobscot Embroidered (beaded) cloth collars and cuffs (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1
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Maine Penobscot Belt with arrows (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1

	item 14307
Maine Penobscot Decorated pouch (Not Univ. Museum) 2 copies of photograph	box 1 item 14308
Maine Penobscot Moccasins (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14309
Maine Penobscot Moccasins (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14310
Maine Penobscot Baskets (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14312
Maine Penobscot Baskets (Heye 2/8071)	box 1 item 14313
Maine Penobscot Baskets (Not Univ. Museum 1947)	box 1 item 14314
Maine Penobscot Baskets (Not Univ. Museum 1947)	box 1 item 14315
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14317
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14318
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14319
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14320
Maine Penobscot Basket-making tools (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14321
Maine Penobscot Snowshoes (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14356
Maine Penobscot Snowshoes (Not Univ. Museum)	box 1 item 14358
Maine Penobscot Covered basket (2327)	box 1 item 14684
Maine Penobscot Birchbark kettle (1137)	box 1

	item 14685
Maine Penobscot Baby carried on cradle board (1130)	box 1
	item 14686
Maine Penobscot Straps of bark (1192)	box 1
	item 14687
Maine Penobscot Mens leggings (2325)	box 1
	item 14689
Maine Penobscot Model of Penobscot Indian village, Frame 6 of filmstrip, Life of the Woodland Indians (Made by W.C. Orchard, Postcard 227)	box 1
	item 23037
Maine Penobscot Birch-bark canoes (Francis Stanislaus?)	box 1
	item 139083

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