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PAUL REITER COLLECTION

circa 1870-1942 (bulk dates: 1929-1938)

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HISTORY

Paul Reiter was born in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania on May 11, 1909, the son of a Presbyterian minister. Reiter’s career in Chaco Canyon began in 1925, when he became a part-time driver for Edgar L. Hewett, director of the Museum of New Mexico and School of American Research and head of the Anthropology Department at the University of New Mexico. Reiter was a student of Hewett’s first archaeological field schools at Chaco Canyon from 1929 to 1932; he then stayed on as a faculty member, serving as the assistant director of the 1933 field school. During this time, Reiter received his B.A. in Anthropology in 1931 and his M.A. in Anthropology in 1933, both from the University of New Mexico. During his time with the Chaco Canyon field schools, Reiter developed a life-long interest in the site of Chetro Ketl. Reiter conducted excavations at Chetro Ketl as a field school student and wrote his 1933 M.A. thesis on the history of the site and its excavation.

From 1931 to 1938, Reiter served as Curator of Archaeology at the Museum of New Mexico in Santa Fe. As curator, Reiter significantly improved the museum’s record-keeping system and developed better methods for cataloging and tracking artifacts from Chaco and sites throughout New Mexico and the Southwest. During Hewett’s time as director of the Museum of New Mexico, the School of American Research, and UNM’s Department of Anthropology, the administration and staffs of all three institutions were largely intertwined. In 1938, the staffs were officially separated and Reiter left the museum to work full-time for UNM. From 1938 to 1943, Reiter was an instructor in the UNM Department of Anthropology. Reiter continued to be involved with the UNM field school throughout the 1930s and 1940s. He taught summer field schools at Chaco Canyon and Jemez, supervised the excavations of several BC sites in Chaco from 1940 to 1942, and served as director of the 1947 field school.

Reiter’s later career was marked by numerous academic and professional accomplishments. From 1940 to 1941, Reiter studied in the Department of Anthropology at the University of California at Berkeley. In 1943, he became a Thaw Fellow at the Peabody Museum of Harvard University and served as a Research Associate at the Chemical Warfare Service Development Laboratory at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In 1946, Reiter received his Ph.D. from Harvard University. He then became an Associate Professor of Anthropology at UNM. In 1953, Reiter received a Ford Foundation Fellowship in Human Biology from the Universities of Michigan and Chicago.

Throughout his life, Paul Reiter held a variety of professional and personal interests. In addition to his work as an anthropologist, Reiter served as a building foreman for the WPA. Reiter also had an enthusiastic interest in photography and took and collected many photographs during his time with the UNM field schools and the Museum of New Mexico.

In 1933, Reiter married Winifred Stamm (1909-1990), a fellow anthropologist who also attended the early summer field schools at Chaco Canyon. Paul and Winifred Reiter had two children, Gordon and Ann Reiter. Paul Reiter died on January 10, 1953 in Ann Arbor, Michigan.


SCOPE AND CONTENT

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CATALOG NUMBER

CHCU  111204

VOLUME

7.4 111 negatives; 546 prints; 304 photocards; 12 interpositives; 6 oversize maps;  11 document boxes; 1 OS box 16x20"; 1 binder box 12x11"; 1 flat box 12x15"; 1 flat box 14.5x11.5"; 3 photo boxes 5x8"; LF

DESCRIPTION

The Paul Reiter Collection contains material related to all aspects of Reiter’s career with the University of New Mexico field schools and the Museum of New Mexico. A large part of the collection consists of the Reiter Notebooks, a set of bound volumes containing research material accumulated by Paul Reiter. These Notebooks include excavation reports, field reports, student papers, field notes, lecture notes, correspondence, artifact lists, field data forms, autographed notes, graphs, photographs, drawings, oversize maps, and an oversize blueprint created by students of the UNM Chaco Canyon field schools between 1929 and 1938. The Notebooks also contain material related to Reiter’s position as curator at the Museum of New Mexico, including records of loans, collections inventories, artifact lists and descriptions, catalog codes, and correspondence regarding acquisitions, as well as Paul Reiter’s personal notes, research material, M.A. thesis, and notes related to the UNM Jemez field school.

The collection also contains Paul Reiter’s personal collection of photographs, which includes negatives, prints, photocards, and interpositives of UNM field school excavations at Chaco Canyon between 1929 and 1941; aerial photographs of Chaco Canyon; and an album containing copies of historic photographs, newspaper and magazine clippings, and a hand-drawn map. The collection also includes a bound journal from Reiter’s time at the Museum of New Mexico containing handwritten research notes, personal notes, object lists, addresses, drawings, and charts. The collection also includes publications on archaeology and ethnology collected by Reiter during his time as a professor at UNM.

ORGANIZATION

Organized into 4 series: Series 1: Reiter Notebooks; Series 2: Professional Papers and Correspondence; Series 3: Photographs; Series 4: Personal Papers

PROVENANCE

The material in the Paul Reiter Collection came to the Chaco Archives at different times and under a variety of circumstances; the collection is therefore largely artificial. Most of the material was collected by the Chaco Project in the 1970s and 1980s. Because the Chaco Project kept few records about how
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The Reiter Notebooks were assembled and bound by Paul Reiter. After Reiter's death in 1953, his wife Winifred Stamm Reiter became the custodian of his personal papers. In the late 1970s or early 1980s, Winifred Reiter donated the 6 Notebooks to the Chaco Project Archive. The loose photographs are copies of originals held at the Museum of New Mexico, which were collected and copied by the Chaco Project in the 1980s. The aerial photographs originally belonged to Paul Reiter; they were found in the UNM Department of Anthropology materials after these were acquired by the Chaco Project in the 1970s. The photograph album was donated to the Chaco Archives in December 1990 by Rebecca Lewis for the estate of Paul and Winifred Reiter. The journal was

**Restrictions**

Yes: Access to photographs of human remains may be restricted.

**Associated Materials**

Collection 0001
Chaco Culture National Historical Park, Archives

Collection 0028
Chaco Culture National Historical Park, Archives

Collection 0007
Chaco Culture National Historical Park, Archives

Related photograph collections at Museum of New Mexico
HIERARCHY

SERIES 1: REITER NOTEBOOKS, 1929-1938
  SUBSERIES A: VOLUME 1, 1929-1936
  SUBSERIES B: VOLUME 2, 1929-1936
  SUBSERIES C: VOLUME 3, 1929-1937
  SUBSERIES D: VOLUME 4, 1929-1938
  SUBSERIES E: VOLUME 5, 1929-1934
  SUBSERIES F: VOLUME 6, 1930-1937

SERIES 2: CORRESPONDENCE AND PROFESSIONAL PAPERS, 1932-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)
  SUBSERIES A: PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND CORRESPONDENCE, 1932-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)
  SUBSERIES B: WPA MATERIAL AND CORRESPONDENCE, 1936-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)

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SERIES 4: PERSONAL PAPERS, 1937-1942
SERIES DESCRIPTIONS

SERIES 1: REITER NOTEBOOKS, 1929-1938

The Reiter Notebooks include Paul Reiter’s collection of UNM field school and Museum of New Mexico materials. The Notebooks include material from all aspects of Paul Reiter’s career between 1929 and 1938 and reflect his varied roles with UNM and the Museum of New Mexico.

The bulk of the material in the Notebooks was generated by the University of New Mexico field school, which operated in Chaco Canyon from 1929 to 1942 and again in 1947. The field school began as a joint operation between UNM and the School of American Research (SAR) and Museum of New Mexico (MNM) under the direction of Edgar L. Hewett, who served as director from 1929 to 1934. The collaboration between UNM and SAR/MNM lasted until 1935; after 1935, UNM operated the Chaco field schools independently. The Notebooks contain reports, notes, correspondence, and associated graphic materials describing excavations conducted at Chaco Canyon by the UNM field school between 1929 and 1938. This material primarily relates to the site of Chetro Ketl, but also includes reports and notes on other major sites in Chaco Canyon, such as Talus Unit 1 and Casa Rinconada; tree ring studies by Florence Hawley; and reports and notes from the UNM field school in Jemez, which ran concurrently with the Chaco Canyon field school. The Notebooks also contain records, inventories, notes, and correspondence related to Reiter’s position as Curator of Archaeology at the Museum of New Mexico, which he held from 1931 to 1938, as well as Reiter’s personal notes and research, including drafts of his 1933 M.A. thesis on Chetro Ketl.

The Notebooks provide a record of the activities of the UNM field school in Chaco Canyon and the Museum of New Mexico while also reflecting Reiter’s personal interests. Most of the material was collected by Reiter during his association with the field school, first as a student from 1929 to 1932 and then as a faculty member in 1933, 1940-1941, and 1947. Reiter made multiple copies of student reports for his personal research use and kept both Museum of New Mexico materials and his own notes and research intermixed with them; he later bound all of this material into 6 volumes. For the most part, the Notebooks lack a strong sense of internal organization. In some cases, multiple copies of the same report were bound in separate volumes or a single report or set of notes was split up and bound in separate volumes. This organization has been retained to preserve Paul Reiter’s original order. Any inconsistencies in order, as well as the existence of multiple copies, are noted in the individual file unit records.

Organized into 6 subseries: Subseries A: Volume 1; Subseries B: Volume 2; Subseries C: Volume 3; Subseries D: Volume 4; Subseries E: Volume 5; Subseries F: Volume 6

Arranged numerically by volume.

Includes excavation reports, field reports, student papers, field notes, lecture notes, correspondence, artifact lists, field data forms, autographed notes, graphs, photographs, drawings, oversize maps, and oversize blueprint created by students of the UNM Chaco Canyon field school. Also includes records of loans, collections inventories, artifact lists and descriptions, catalog codes, and correspondence related to the Museum of New Mexico. Also includes Paul Reiter’s personal notes, research material, M.A. thesis, and notes related to the UNM Jemez field school.
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**SUBSERIES A: VOLUME 1, 1929-1936**

The Reiter Notebooks include material from all aspects of Paul Reiter’s career and reflect his varied roles with the University of New Mexico field school and the Museum of New Mexico. The Notebooks primarily contain student reports, notes, and associated graphic materials describing excavations conducted at Chaco Canyon by the UNM field school between 1929 and 1938. The Notebooks also include records related to Reiter’s position as Curator of Archaeology at the Museum of New Mexico, which he held from 1931 to 1938.

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Includes excavation reports, graphs, and photographs created by students of the UNM Chaco Canyon field school. Also includes records of loans, collections inventories, and object lists from the Museum of New Mexico.

**SUBSERIES B: VOLUME 2, 1929-1936**

The Reiter Notebooks include material from all aspects of Paul Reiter’s career and reflect his varied roles with the University of New Mexico field school and the Museum of New Mexico. The Notebooks primarily contain student reports, notes, and associated graphic materials describing excavations conducted at Chaco Canyon by the UNM field school between 1929 and 1938. The Notebooks also include records related to Reiter’s position as Curator of Archaeology at the Museum of New Mexico, which he held from 1931 to 1938.

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Original order.
Includes excavation reports, field reports, student papers, field notes, lecture notes, artifact lists, correspondence, photographs, and drawings created by students of the UNM Chaco Canyon field school. Also includes descriptions of Chaco artifacts at the Museum of New Mexico.

**SUBSERIES C: VOLUME 3, 1929-1937**

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Original order.

Includes excavation reports, field reports, student papers, field notes, lecture notes, artifact lists, photographs, and drawings created by students of the UNM Chaco Canyon field school.

**SUBSERIES D: VOLUME 4, 1929-1938**

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Includes excavation reports, student papers, field notes, autographed notes, artifact lists, photographs, and drawings created by students of the UNM Chaco Canyon field school; correspondence, artifact lists, and catalog codes related to the Museum of New Mexico; and Paul Reiter’s personal notes, research material (including oversize maps), and M.A. thesis.

SUBSERIES F: VOLUME 6, 1930-1937

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Includes excavation reports, field reports, student papers, artifact lists, and photographs created by students of the UNM Chaco Canyon field school; Chaco Canyon related publication with oversize map; and Paul Reiter’s personal notes, possibly related to the UNM Jemez field school.

SERIES 2: CORRESPONDENCE AND PROFESSIONAL PAPERS, 1932-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)

Paul Reiter was Foreman for and ran a WPA (Works Progress Administration) project at Chaco from approximately 1937-1939, during which time the WPA contract was shifted from SAR to UNM (February 1, 1938), when UNM and SAR terminated shared staffing arrangements.

Organized into two subseries: Subseries 1: Professional Correspondence; Subseries 2: WPA Material and Correspondence

Consists of correspondence, inventories, monthly reports concerning UNM Field School, WPA correspondence, forms, and records.

SUBSERIES A: PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND CORRESPONDENCE, 1932-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)

Chronological
Includes some pieces of Reiter's professional writing, Field school inventories and lists, correspondence mainly regarding UNM, Field School and WPA project.

SUBSERIES B: WPA MATERIAL AND CORRESPONDENCE, 1936-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)

Paul Reiter was Foreman for and ran a WPA project at Chaco from approximately 1937-1939, during which time the WPA contract was shifted from SAR to UNM (February 1, 1938), when UNM and SAR terminated shared staffing arrangements.

Consists of WPA reports, management memos, forms, correspondence to and from Reiter regarding WPA work.

SERIES 3: PHOTOSGRAPHS, circa 1868-1941 (bulk dates: 1910-1941)

Photographs taken and collected by Paul Reiter during his time with the UNM field schools and the Museum of New Mexico. Includes images of UNM field school excavations in Chaco Canyon between 1929 and 1941. Most of the images show excavations at Chetro Ketl, but also include Talus Unit 1, BC 50, 51, 52, and 53, Threatening Rock, and Pueblo Bonito. The majority of these images are copies of photographs held at the Museum of New Mexico which were acquired by the Chaco Project in the 1980s. The Chaco Project placed the photographs on photocards and, in some instances, made copy prints and negatives. Many of these photographs are attributed to Paul Reiter or John Russell; however, some of the photographs may have been taken by other UNM field school students.

Also includes a set of aerial photographs of Chaco Canyon which belonged to Paul Reiter while he was a professor in the UNM Department of Anthropology. These aerial photographs were most likely taken between 1927 and 1935, possibly by Carlos Vierra.
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2 file units based on provenance.

[Arrangement Individual photographs arranged numerically by negative or catalog number.]

Includes photographic prints, negatives, photocards, interpositives, and aerial photographs of Chaco Canyon.

**SERIES 4: PERSONAL PAPERS, 1937-1942**

- Journal owned by Paul Reiter during his tenure as Curator of Archaeology at the Museum of New Mexico. Content pertains both to Reiter’s personal research interests and his position as curator.
- Paul Reiter’s album of personal and historic photographs. The album primarily contains copies of historic photographs from the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries by notable photographers such as Adolph Fisher, Christian Kaadt, Charles F. Lummis, Jesse L. Nusbaum, Wesley Bradfield, and Adam Clark Vroman. These include images of New Mexico churches and pueblos; Bandelier National Monument; the Santa Fe plaza; rooms and artifacts at the Palace of the Governors/Museum of New Mexico; and Jesse Nusbaum’s photographs of School of American Research archaeological expeditions in Quirigua, Guatemala and Copan, Honduras in the 1910s. The album also contains numerous images of archaeological sites in New Mexico, including Chaco Canyon, Quarai Ruins, Kuaua Ruins, and possibly Jemez. Most of the historic photographs in this album are not original, but were copy prints collected by Paul Reiter, probably during his time as curator at the Museum of New Mexico from 1931 to 1938.
- Two publications collected by Paul Reiter while he was a professor in the Department of Anthropology at UNM. Publications are related to Paul Reiter’s personal and professional interests in archaeology and ethnology, they include a report describing Native American ethnographic objects at the Denver Art Museum and the Notebook of the Society for American Archaeology. Publications collected by Paul Reiter.

3 file units: 01 Journal; 02 Photograph Album; 03 Research Materials

Contains: Paul Reiter's personal journal (1 bound volume) containing handwritten research notes, personal notes, object lists, addresses, diagrams, drawings, charts, mostly related to his position at the Museum of New Mexico; 1 photo album (disassembled for preservation) containing copies of historic photographic prints, newspaper and magazine clippings, and a hand-drawn map;
CONTAINER LIST

SERIES 1: REITER NOTEBOOKS, 1929-1938

SUBSERIES A: VOLUME 1, 1929-1936

SERIES 1: BOX 1  001.  Contents List for Reiter Notebooks Volumes 1-6, after 1938
                        Volume 1.

002.  Paul Reiter Notebook Volume 1 Contents List, after 1936
                        Volume 1.

003.  Report on the Excavations in 1934 of Talus Unit 1, Chetro Kelt, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico by Margaret S. Woods, 1934
                        Volume 1. See same report with photographs in 0032.001.001-007 (VA 1829).

004.  Description of Sherds Found During Excavations of the Summer of 1935, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, 1936 March 10
                        Volume 1. Description of sherds taken from Kin Nahasbas and Talus Unit 1. See C85659 in two separate file units for graphs showing sherd distribution at each site.

005.  Graphs Showing Distribution of Sherds at Talus Unit 1, 1935
                        Volume 1. Accompanies S. Elizabeth Murphey's report describing sherds from Kin Nahasbas and Talus Unit 1 (C85658).

006.  Report on Excavation Work at Talus Unit 1 of Chetro Kelt Ruin, Chaco Canyon, San Juan County, New Mexico, in Summer of 1933, 1933
                        Volume 1.

007.  Report on the Excavations in 1934 of Talus Unit 1, Chetro Kelt, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico (with black and white photographs), 1934
                        Volume 1. See same report without photographs in 0032.001.001-003 (VA 1825).

008.  The Benches of the Great Bowl, 1932 December 1
                        Volume 1. Description of benches in Great Kiva of Chetro Kelt. See same report in 0032/001.002_025 (C85724), 0032/001.004_094 (C85785 ,with photographs), and 0032/001.006_131 (C85835).
009. Report of Archaeological Work at Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, by the School of American Research and University of New Mexico, June 10 to August, 1929, 1929
Volume 1. Report describing camp set-up, excavations at Chetro Ketl, work in Zuni and Navajo linguistics, excavations by Anna Shepard, Reginald Fisher's study of physiography, and an aerial survey. See same report in C85242 and 32/1.2-38.

010. Graphs Showing Distribution of Sherds at Kin Nahasbas, 1935
Volume 1. Accompanies S. Elizabeth Murphey's report describing sherds from Kin Nahasbas and Talus Unit 1: 0032/001.001-004 (C85658).

011. Collection Inventories and Loan Lists from Museum of New Mexico, circa 1930
Volume 1. Includes records of incoming and outgoing loans, inventories of various collections, and object lists.

SUBSERIES B: VOLUME 2, 1929-1936

SERIES 1: BOX 2 012. Volume 2 Table of Contents, after 1936
Volume 2.

013. Excavation at Giusewa Pueblo, September 1936 - October 1936, with photographs, 1936
Volume 2.

Volume 2.

015. The Reconstruction of the Major Ruins in the Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, circa 1934
Volume 2.

016. Lists of Student Papers and Artifact Lists from Site S, 1929-1930
Volume 2. Includes: Lists of student papers from 1929 and 1930 Chaco field schools; List of individual studies from 1929 Chaco field school. See same lists in 0032/001.002-033 (VA 1857A) and 0032/001.004-73. Also includes: Artifact Lists from Site S (Cacique's Sanctum) related to research of Richard Vann; these lists are continued in 0032/001.005-110 (C85815). And see Vann's final report on Cacique's Sanctum in0032/001.003-064 (C85756).
017. **General Observations of the Excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1931, 1931**
Volume 2. Includes: General Observations of the Excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1931; Notes on the First Week's Work on the Great Bowl (also known as Great Kiva) of Chetro Ketl; and portions of Grace Fisher's lecture notes. See same report in C85733. See C85664-C85667 for Fisher's complete reports and lecture notes.

018. **Excavation Work, the Great Bowl, Chetro Ketl, circa 1932**
Volume 2. Includes notes and description of excavation of Great Kiva at Chetro Ketl in June 1931 and summary of excavations in Chaco Canyon in June 1932. See same report in 0032/001.004-084 (C85248) and 0032/001.004-087 (C85751 and C85776) for handwritten copy and typed draft.

019. **Excavation of the Court Kiva, Chetro Ketl, 1934 November**
Volume 2. Court Kiva also known as West Plaza Kiva. See same report with photographs in 0032/001.005-100 (C85790) and 2 copies in 0032/001.006-116 (C85821).

020. **Summary of the Work at Chaco Canyon Field School, June 10 - July 8, 1931, 1931**
Volume 2. Description of 1931 excavations at Chetro Ketl and Casa Rinconada and seminar work at field school. Also includes report on masonry at Chetro Ketl. Handwritten.

021. **Florence Hawley's 1931 Field Reports, 1931**
Volume 2. Typewritten copies of 2 reports by Florence Hawley: Field Report on Tree Ring Research, 1931; and Preliminary Field Report on Chetro Ketl Dump, 1931. See original handwritten reports in 0032/001.003-045 (C86128). See additional typewritten copies in 0032/001.003-051 (C85669) and 0032/001.004-092 (C85782-C85783).

022. **Artifact Lists from Casa Rinconada and Chetro Ketl, 1930**
Volume 2. Includes list of potsherds and unclassified material from Casa Rinconada and list of artifacts and classified material from Chetro Ketl. See same lists in 0032/001.004-098 (C85789) and 0032/001.004-122 (C85827).

023. **Casa Rinconada Excavation Report, probably 1931**
Volume 2. See same report in 0032/001.006-123 (C85828).

024. **Student Field Notes: Chetro Ketl and Casa Rinconada, 1931, 1931**
025. **The Benches of the Great Bowl, 1932 December 1**

Volume 2. Description of benches in Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl. See same report with photographs in 0032/001.004-094 (C85785), and 0032/001.006-131 (C85835) and 0032/001.001-008 (typed copy).

026. **Student Field Notes: Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl, July 1932, 1932 July**

Volume 2. Two separate sets of typewritten student field notes describing excavations at the Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl; includes Barbara Loomis' notes dated July 19, 1932 and Marion Hutchinson's notes for the week of July 18, 1932.

Note: Loomis uses the term 'Big Kiva,' while Hutchinson uses the term 'Great Bowl;' both terms refer to the Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl.

027. **Report on 1931 Excavations at Chetro Ketl, 1931 June**

Volume 2. Typewritten. See 0032/001.003-53 for original handwritten report. See 0032/001.003-050 (C85668) and 0032/001.004-085 (C85249) for additional typewritten copies.

028. **The Oldest Tree Ring Record of the Ancient Pueblos (partial) with Tree Ring Chart of Major Sites in Chaco, circa 1931**

Volume 2. Marked up draft with pen and pencil on drawing. Discussion of Florence Hawley's dating of tree ring specimens from Chetro Ketl, including dates of Chaco Canyon sites relative to world events. Quotes reports and letters by Hawley.

Partial; see 0032/001.002-035 (C85736) and 0032/001.004-075 (C85750) for complete copies.

Also includes tree ring chart of major sites in Chaco Canyon and Mesa Verde (C101456)

029. **Field Report: Tree Ring Work, Chaco Canyon, 1932, 1932**

Volume 2. See same report in 0032/001.002-036 (C85737) and 0032/001.004-076 (C85240).

030. **Florence Hawley's Letters to Dr Hewett and Paul Reiter, signed originals, 1933**

Volume 2. Includes 3 letters written by Florence Hawley: to Edgar L. Hewett dated August 7, 1933 regarding her thesis; to Paul Reiter dated June 10, 1933 regarding numbering of specimens and rooms; and to Edgar L. Hewett dated April 15, 1933 regarding plans to travel to Chaco. Contains signed, original letters.

See 0032/001.002-037 (C86041, C85738,) and 0032/001.004-077 (C85241) for copies of Hawley's letters to Hewett.
031. **General Observations of the Excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1931, 1931**

Volume 2. Includes: General Observations of the Excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1931; Notes on the First Week's Work on the Great Bowl (also known as Great Kiva) of Chetro Ketl; and portions of Grace Fisher's lecture notes.

See same report in 0032/001.002-017 (c85715). See 0032/001.003-049 (c85664, c85665, c85666, c85667) for Fisher's complete reports and lecture notes.

032. **Student Lecture and Field Notes: Chaco Canyon Field School, 1931, Handwritten, 1931**

Volume 2. Handwritten lecture notes on methods of excavation, tree ring dating, problems at Chaco Canyon, preservation, and the philosophy of Dr. Hewett. Also includes handwritten field notes on excavations at Chetro Ketl, notes on the masonry of Chetro Ketl, and a general summary of the work at Chaco Canyon. The name "Ferguson" is written in pencil at top of first page; Volume 2 Table of Contents identifies the work as "Chaco Canyon Notes Handwritten by Ferguson"; Likely refers to Marjorie Ferguson.

See 0032/001.002-039 (c85739) and 0032/001.005-105 (c85804) for typewritten partial copies of Chetro Ketl field notes.

033. **Lists of Student Papers, 1929-1930**

Volume 2. Includes lists of student papers from 1929 and 1930 field schools and list of individual studies from 1929 field school. See same lists in 0032/001.002-016 and 0032/001.004-073.

034. **Student Paper: Chaco Canyon Place Names, marked draft, 1929**

Volume 2. Marked draft of student paper discussing Navajo names for ruins and landmarks in Chaco Canyon. See same report in 0032/001.004-074 (C85749) and 0032/001.005-102 (C85801) with kymographic tracings to illustrate pronunciation.

035. **The Oldest Tree Ring Record of the Ancient Pueblos, circa 1931**

Volume 2. Discussion of Florence Hawley's dating of tree ring specimens from Chetro Ketl, including dates of Chaco Canyon sites relative to world events. Quotes reports and letters by Hawley. See same report in C85750 and incomplete report with tree ring chart in C85728.

036. **Field Report: Tree Ring Work, Chaco Canyon, 1932, 1932**

Volume 2. See same report in 0032/001.002-029 (C85729) and 0032/001.004.076 (C85240).
037. **Florence Hawley's Letters to Dr. Hewett, 1933**

Volume 2. Copies of 2 letters written by Florence Hawley: to Edgar L. Hewett dated April 15, 1933 regarding plans to travel to Chaco; and to Edgar L. Hewett dated August 7, 1933 regarding her thesis. 
See 0032/001.002-030 (C85730, C85731, and C85732) for Hawley's original letters. 
See additional copies in 0032/001.0077 (C85241).

038. **Report of Archaeological Work at Chetro Kettle, Chaco Canyon, by the School of American Research and University of New Mexico, June 10 to August, 1929, 1929**

Volume 2. Report describing camp set-up, excavations at Chetro Kettle, work in Zuni and Navajo linguistics, excavations by Anna Shepard, Reginald Fisher's study of physiography, and an aerial survey. 
See same report in 0032/001.001-009 (C85661) and 0032/001.004-078 (C85242).

039. **Student Field Notes: Chetro Kettle, June 1931 (typed, partial copy), 1931 June**

Volume 2. Typewritten copy of notes on excavations at Chetro Kettle; includes discussion of tree ring dating, the excavation of the dump, artifacts, and a burial. 
See Marjorie Ferguson's complete handwritten notes in 0032/001.002-032 (C85734). 
See additional typed copy in 0032/001.005-105 (C85804).

040. **A Month's Work in Chaco Canyon, June 10 to July 8, 1931, 1931**

Volume 2. Description of a month's work in Chaco Canyon, including discussion of excavated burial and associated artifacts from the dump at Chetro Kettle. Incomplete report; only includes copies of title page and pages 9-10. See C85829 for complete report.

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041. **A Comparative Study of the Architectural Elements, Distribution, and History of the Upper-Story Kiva, 1936**

See same report in 0032/001.004-097 (C85788) with photographs and 0032/001.006-128 (C85832).

042. **Report on Work in Chaco Canyon, June 10 - July 8, 1931 (partial), 1931**

Volume 2. Two typewritten copies of selected pages (pages 14-17, 51-52, and 54) from Margaret Foraker's handwritten report on 1931 excavations in Chaco Canyon. 
See 0032/001.006-132 (C85836) for additional copy of typed excerpt. 
See 0032/001.002-044 (C85742) for Foraker's complete handwritten report.
043. Descriptions of Items: Museum Notes on the Chaco Canyon Excavations, after 1930
Volume 2. Narrative descriptions of artifacts from Chetro Ketl at Museum of New Mexico, with explanation of museum filing system.

044. Report on Work in Chaco Canyon, June 10 - July 8, 1931, 1931
Volume 2. Handwritten report on activities of 1931 field school. Includes general survey of Chaco Canyon, description of excavations at Chetro Ketl and Casa Rinconada, notes and drawings on masonry types, and seminar notes. See typewritten copies of selected pages in 0032/001.002-042 (C85742) and 0032/001.006-132 (C85836).

045. Florence Hawley's 1931 Field Reports, Handwritten Drafts, 1931
Volume 2. Two handwritten reports by Florence Hawley: Field Report on Tree Ring Research, 1931; and Preliminary Field Report on Chetro Ketl Dump, 1931. See 0032/001.002-021 (C85718 and C85719); 0032/001.003-051 (C85669); and 0032/001.004-092 (C85782 and C85783) for typewritten copies.

046. Ground Plan of Small House Unit 26, 1930s
Volume 2. Ground plan of Small House Unit 26 (Leyit Kin) marked 'Plate I.' Original association unknown.

047. Student Field Notes: Chetro Ketl, 1933, 1933
Volume 2. Includes field notes, seminar notes, and drawings by Frank L. Dent; field notes mostly concern excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1933.

SUBSERIES C: VOLUME 3, 1929-1937

048. Volume 3 Contents List and List of Chaco Papers, after 1937
Volume 3. Includes contents list for Volume 3 and Paul Reiter's list of student papers copied and not copied as of December 1937.

049. Grace R. Fisher's Notes and Reports on Chetro Ketl, 1931
Volume 3. Includes: General Observations of the Excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1931; Notes on the First Week's Work on the Great Bowl (also known as Great Kiva) of Chetro Ketl; field school lecture notes on various topics, including problems of Chaco Canyon, tree ring dating, book reviews, race mixture, and masonry; and a report entitled Chetro Ketl Masonry, with drawings. See copies of portions of this material in C85715 and C85733.

050. Report on 1931 Excavations at Chetro Ketl, 1931 June
Volume 3. Typewritten. See 0032/001.003-053 for original handwritten report. See 0032/001.003-027 (C85727) and 0032/001.004-085 (C85249) for additional typewritten copies.
051. Florence Hawley's 1931 Field Reports, 1931
   See original handwritten reports in 0032/001.002-045 (C86128)
   For additional typewritten copies see:
   0032/001.002-021 (C85718 and C85719) and
   0032/001.004-092 (C85782 and C85783)

052. Latest Excavations at Chetro Ketl Summary, circa 1931
   Volume 3. Summary of a paper suggesting earlier occupation at Chetro Ketl than was previously thought as evidenced by excavations in the Great Kiva. Also mentions Reginald Fisher's work on geology and geography, Florence Hawley's work on stratification and tree ring dating, Paul Reiter's excavation of the main community house, and Gordon Vivian's excavation of Casa Rinconada. Possibly a lecture; includes mention of slides used to illustrate points made in the discussion. Includes final copy and incomplete original copy with corrections.

053. Report on 1931 Excavations at Chetro Ketl (Handwritten draft), 1931 June
   Volume 3. Handwritten.
   See 0032/001.002-027 (C85727),
   0032/001.003.050 (C85668), and
   0032/001.004.085 (C85249) for typewritten copies.

054. Dorothy L. Keur's Weekly Reports and Final Report on Excavation of Cliff Cavities, 1933
   Volume 3. Weekly reports from July 1933 and final report dated August 5, 1933 on excavation of cliff cavities (including U1 and U2) at Chaco Canyon. Includes lists of materials removed from cliff cavities U1 and U2. Reports also describe daily activities at 1933 field school, including visits to other major ruins in Chaco Canyon, excavations at Chetro Ketl, and Navajo ethnology. Some reports are incomplete. Dorothy Keur worked with Hurst R. Julian on this project; see Julian's reports in C85673 and C85744-C85745.

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055. A Study of Primitive Indian Engineering Methods Pertaining to Threatening Rock, 1933 September
   Volume 3. Report covering prehistoric stabilization of Threatening Rock by ancient inhabitants of Pueblo Bonito; includes recommendations for further stabilization and a list of artifacts found during excavation. By John Yak Keur.
056. **Hurst R. Julian's Weekly Reports and Final Report on Excavation of Cliff Cavities, 1933**

Volume 3. Weekly reports and final report on excavation of cliff cavities (including U1 and U2) at Chaco Canyon, dated June 25-July 1, July 2-8, and July 22-29, 1933. Reports also describe daily activities at 1933 field school, including visits to other major ruins in Chaco Canyon, excavations at Chetro Ketl, Threatening Rock, and seminars. Some reports are incomplete. See C85744-C85745 for additional weekly reports by Julian. Julian worked with Dorothy L. Keur on this project; see Keur's report in C85671.

057. **Report on the South Wall Enclosing the Plaza at Chetro Ketl, 1933**


058. **Field School Student Reports and Notes: Chetro Ketl, 1932, 1932**

Volume 3. Field notes and reports on excavations of kivas and rooms at Chetro Ketl. Includes discussion of East Tower Kiva (later known as Kiva G), West Tower Kiva (later known as Kiva N), Kiva G (later known as Kiva I), Kiva H, and numerous rooms. Written by numerous field school students, including Winifred Reiter, Sallie Pierce, Roy Willoughby, Janet M. Case, Mabel V. Harding, Margaret S. Woods, Marion Hutchinson, Marjorie Ferguson, Katherine Harwood, Barbara Loomis, and Janet Woods.

059. **Chaco Canyon: A Short History of Chaco Canyon Studies by Paul Walter Jr., 1932**

Volume 3. Description of major sites and history of excavation in Chaco Canyon.

060. **Further Excavation of a Small Ruin Southeast of Pueblo del Arroyo, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, June 19-20, 1931, 1931 August 8**

Volume 3.

061. **Chaco Canyon Excavations of Chetro Ketl and General Observations, 1931**

Volume 3. Student lecture notes, reports, and field notes from 1931 field school. Divided into 3 sections: Seminar Meeting Notes, The Masonry of Chetro Ketl, and Observations of the Chaco Canyon District (including field notes of Chetro Ketl).

062. **A Study of the Architectures of the Chaco Canyon Indians, the Province of Tusayan, and the Indians of the Seven Cities of Cibola, 1931 July 31**

Volume 3.
063. Chaco Canyon Excavations, June 10 - July 8, 1931: Lecture and Field Notes, 1931
Volume 3. Handwritten notes on field school activities. Includes seminar notes, reports on masonry of Chetro Ketl, field work log, and field notes and observations.

064. A Cacique's Sanctum, 1930
Volume 3. Description of ceremonial objects cached in Cacique's Sanctum (also known as Site S), a cliff wall storage area near Chetro Ketl. Objects include cotton, yucca, fur, and feather string; reed mats; ceremonial arrows; and yucca footwear. Includes illustrations by Drucker.

065. Notes on the Masonry of Chetro Ketl; Report with photographs, 1929
Volume 3. with black and white photographs

066. Report for Chaco Field School: Economic Life of Ancient Chaco, 1929
Volume 3. Handwritten report discussing economic adaptations of early Chacoans to the desert environment; specifically discusses how inhabitants of Chaco obtained basic needs of food, clothing, and shelter. By Gordon Vivian

SUBSERIES D: VOLUME 4, 1929-1938

067. Volume 4 Contents List, after 1938
Volume 4.

068. Hurst R. Julian's Weekly Reports and Lists of Excavated Materials of Cliff Cavities, 1933
Volume 4. Weekly reports on excavation of cliff cavities (including U1 and U2) at Chaco Canyon, dated July 8-15 and July 15-22, 1933. Includes lists of materials removed from cliff cavities U1 and U2, which also appear in Dorothy Keur's report (C85671). Reports also describe daily activities at 1933 field school, including visits to other major ruins in Chaco Canyon, excavations at Chetro Ketl, Threatening Rock, and seminars. See C85673 for additional weekly reports by Julian. Julian worked with Dorothy L. Keur on this project; see Keur's report in C85671.

SERIES 1: BOX 5 069. Ceremonial Deposits in the Great Sanctuary, 1932
Volume 4. Description of ceremonial deposits of beads and turquoise found in Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl.
See same report in 0032/001.004-083 (C85247) (with photographs) and 0032/001.004-093 (C85784.)

070. Chetro Ketl Masonry Drawings, circa 1930
Volume 4. Drawings of examples of masonry at Chetro Ketl, including wall, doorway, and window construction.
071. **Further Excavations of the Great Bowl of Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, June 16 - July 8, 1931, 1931 August 8**

072. **Excavations in the Great Sanctuary (Sun Temple) of Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, 1932 August 31**

073. **Lists of Student Papers Chaco Canyon Camp School, 1929-1930**
Volume 4. Includes lists of student papers from 1929 and 1930 field schools and list of individual studies from 1929 field school. See same lists in 0032/001.002-016 and 0032/001.002-033.

074. **Student Paper: Chaco Canyon Place Names, 1929**
Volume 4. Discussion of Navajo names for ruins and landmarks in Chaco Canyon. See same report in 0032/001.002.034 (c85735) and 0032/001.005-102 (c85801) with kymographic tracings to illustrate pronunciation.

075. **The Oldest Tree Ring Record of the Ancient Pueblos, circa 1931**
Volume 4. Discussion of Florence Hawley's dating of tree ring specimens from Chetro Ketl, including dates of Chaco Canyon sites relative to world events. Quotes reports and letters by Hawley. See same report in 0032/001.002-035 (C85736) and incomplete report with tree ring chart in 0032/001.002-028 (C85728) AND 0032/001004-075 (C858750).

076. **Field Report: Tree Ring Work, Chaco Canyon, 1932, 1932**
Volume 4. See same report in0032/001.002-029 (C85729) and 0032/001.002-036 (C85737).

077. **Florence Hawley Correspondence, 1933**
Volume 4. Includes copies of 2 letters written by Florence Hawley: to Edgar L. Hewett dated April 15, 1933 regarding plans to travel to Chaco; and to Edgar L. Hewett dated August 7, 1933 regarding her thesis. See 0032/001.002-030 (C85730-C85732) for Hawley's original letters. See additional copies in 0032/001.002.037 (C85738).
078. **Report of Archaeological Work at Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, by the School of American Research and University of New Mexico, June 10 to August, 1929, 1929**
Volume 4. Report describing camp set-up, excavations at Chetro Ketl, work in Zuni and Navajo linguistics, excavations by Anna Shepard, Reginald Fisher's study of physiography, and an aerial survey.
See same report in 0032/001.001-009 (C85661) and 0032/001.002-038.

079. **Excavations of Area Adjoining Sun Sanctuary, Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, July 1933, 1933 October 30**
Volume 4. Report describing excavation of rooms and moat in southeast corner of Chetro Ketl, near the Great Kiva.
See 0032/001.004-082 (C85245) for same report with photographs and oversize cyanotype site map.

080. **Chetro Ketl Excavation Map, circa 1933**
Volume 4. Oversize map by Paul Reiter showing excavated and unexcavated rooms at Chetro Ketl.

081. **Further Excavations of the Great Bowl of Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, June 16 - July 8, 1931, 1931 August 8**
See copies of same report in 0032/001.004-071 (C85747).

082. **Excavations of Area Adjoining Sun Sanctuary, Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, July 1933 (with photographs), 1933 October 30**
See same report without photographs in 0032/001.004-079 (C85243).

083. **Ceremonial Deposits in the Great Sanctuary (with black and white photographs), 1932**
Volume 4. Description of ceremonial deposits of beads and turquoise found in Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl.
See same report without photographs in 0032/001.004.069 (C85746) and 0032/001.004.093 (C85784).

084. **Excavation Work, the Great Bowl, Chetro Ketl, 1931,1932**
See same report in 0032/001.002-018 (C85715) and 0032/001.004-087 (C85776, C85751), handwritten copy, and a typed copy.)
085. **Report on 1931 Excavations at Chetro Ketl, 1931 June**

Volume 4. Typewritten. See 0032/001.003-053 for original handwritten report. See 0032/001.002-027 (C85727) and 0032/001.003-050 (C85668) for additional typewritten copies.

086. **Excavations in the Great Sanctuary (Sun Temple) of Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, 1932 August 31**


087. **Excavation Work, the Great Bowl, Chetro Ketl, circa 1932**

Volume 4. Includes description of excavation of Great Kiva at Chetro Ketl in June 1931 and summary of excavations in Chaco Canyon in June 1932. Includes 1 handwritten and 1 typewritten copy. See additional typewritten copies in 0032/001.002-018 (C85715) and 0032/001.004-084 (C85248).

088. **Notes on Masonry of Big Kiva, East Tower, and Kiva E of Chetro Ketl (handwritten notes/draft), circa 1930**

Volume 4. Handwritten notes on masonry of Big Kiva (also known as Great Kiva), East Tower Kiva (later known as Kiva G), and Kiva E of Chetro Ketl. See full report with black and white photographs in 0032/001.003-065 (C85757).

089. **The Frontal Walls of Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, July 1937, with photographs, 1938 February**

Volume 4. Report describing excavation of south boundary of Chetro Ketl, including the digging of four excavation pits along the south wall and the excavation of the moat.

090. **Chetro Ketl Archaeological Field Data Forms, 1933 July**

Volume 4. Museum of New Mexico/School of American Research project blanks for daily archaeological field data; contain room descriptions, measurements, features, and artifacts found in kivas and rooms at Chetro Ketl. Data entered by field school students Alice Leinan, Clyde Kluckhohn, and Gertrude Howe.

091. **Mortuary Excavation Records, 1930-1932**

Volume 4. Field reports on burials found at Casa Rinconada, Chetro Ketl, Penasco Blanco, Wijiji, and small sites in Chaco Canyon. Burials excavated by various individuals, including Paul Reiter, Gordon Vivian, Florence Hawley, Edgar L. Hewett, Margaret Foraker, Goddard, the Griffins, Linkins, and Wilson.
092. **Florence Hawley's 1931 Field Reports, 1931**


See original handwritten reports in 0032/001.002-045 (C86128).
See 0032/001.003-051 (C85669) and 0032/001.002-021 (C85718-C85719) and for additional typewritten copies.

093. **Ceremonial Deposits in the Great Sanctuary, 1932**

Volume 4. Description of ceremonial deposits of beads and turquoise found in Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl.

See same report in 0032/001.004-069 (C85746) and 0032/001.004-083 (C85247), with photographs.

094. **The Benches of the Great Bowl, Report with black and white photographs, 1932 December 1**

Volume 4. Description of benches in Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl; includes black and white photographs and 2 sketches (CHCU 103503 and CHCU 103506).

See same report without photographs in VA 1830, 0032/001.001-008; 0032/001.002-025 (C85724); and 0032/001.006-131 (C85835).

095. **Student Field Notes: Chetro Ketl, July 1932, 1932 July**

Volume 4. Field notes mostly describe excavation of Great Kiva at Chetro Ketl. Also includes: notes on dump, Kiva H, and West Tower Kiva (later known as Kiva N) at Chetro Ketl; and notes on tree ring work at Chetro Ketl, Casa Rinconada, Pueblo Bonito, Hungo Pavi, Una Vida, and Pueblo Pintado. Written by numerous field school students, including Katherine Harwood, Marion Hutchinson, Roy Lasseter, Barbara Loomis, Paul Walter, Jr., Janet Woods, and Margaret S. Woods.

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096. **'Evidences of Structures Beneath the Fifth Floor Level of the Great Sanctuary, Chetro Ketl' Report by Paul Walter, 1932 July 27**

Volume 4. Report describing excavation of Great Kiva at Chetro Ketl and the architectural features below the fifth floor level. Also includes discussion of Casa Rinconada in relation to Great Kiva at Chetro Ketl.

097. **'A Comparative Study of the Architectural Elements, Distribution, and History of the Upper-Story Kiva' with photographs, 1936**


See same report without photographs in 0032/001.002-041 (CHCU 85741) and 0032/001.006-128 (CHCU 85832).
098. List of Artifacts and Classified Material from Chetro Ketl, 1930
Volume 4. See same list in C85720-C85721 and C85827.

SUBSERIES E: VOLUME 5, 1929-1934

099. Notebook Volume 5 Contents List, after 1934
Paul Reiter's Notebook Volume 5, List of contents

100. Excavation of the Court Kiva, Chetro Ketl by Janet Woods, 1934 November
Volume 5. Court Kiva also known as West Plaza Kiva.
See same report without photographs in 0032/001.002-019 (C85716) and 0032/001.006-116 (C85821).

101. Report on Seating Pit in Great Sanctuary of Chetro Ketl, 1932
Volume 5. Handwritten report on the excavation of the northeast post hole or seating pit in the Great Kiva at Chetro Ketl and the removal of the stone discs found inside. Inserted in report are two pages describing a paddle, or planting stick, found in a niche in house room 22.

102. Report: 'Chaco Canyon Place Names', 1929
Volume 5. Discussion of Navajo names for ruins and landmarks in Chaco Canyon. Includes kymographic tracings to illustrate pronunciation of names. See same report without tracings in C85735 and C85749.

103. Autographed Notes from Students of 1934 Chaco Canyon Field School, 1934

104. Student Field Notes: Chetro Ketl, 1930 and 1932, 1930 and 1932
Volume 5. Field notes describing excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1930 and 1932, including work at Great Kiva, East Tower Kiva (later known as Kiva G), Kiva G (later known as Kiva I), house rooms 22 and 26, and north wall. Includes notes written by field school students Winifred Reiter and Mabel Harding.

105. Student Field Notes: Chetro Ketl, June 1931, 1931 June
Volume 5. Typewritten copy of notes on excavations at Chetro Ketl; includes discussion of tree ring dating, the excavation of the dump, artifacts, and a burial. See Marjorie Ferguson's complete handwritten notes in C85734. See additional typed copy in C85739.
106. **Paul Reiter's Notes on Chetro Ketl with Lists of Archaeological Material Sent to Santa Fe, between 1929 and 1933**

Volume 5. Includes: handwritten notes on excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1929; typewritten report of trip to Grants ice caves by Museum of New Mexico staff in February 1931; handwritten report on restoration of walls at Chetro Ketl; notes written on museum catalog cards; and typewritten lists of sherds 'sent to town' (Santa Fe) in 1933.

107. **Correspondence Between Paul Walter Jr, and Paul Reiter, 1932 September**

Volume 5. Includes 3 letters between Paul Reiter and Paul Walter, Jr. regarding Museum of New Mexico acquisitions dated September 17, 20, and 24, 1932.


Volume 5. Material related to Paul Reiter's position as curator at Museum of New Mexico, including: list of materials to send to Chaco Canyon Branch Museum dated June 12, 1936; handwritten and typed copies of catalog symbols for specimens from Chaco sites; and a letter from Reiter to Janet Woods dated December 10, 1934 regarding transfer of artifacts to Museum of New Mexico.

109. **Field School Work Assignment Sheet and Chetro Ketl Sketches, 1930s**

Volume 5. Includes handwritten list of field school students and their assignments to projects under Dr. Alexander, Paul Reiter, and Clyde Kluckhohn (possibly related to UNM Jemez field school). Also includes hand-drawn sketches of site plans, Tower sector, Tier 3, and masonry, possibly related to Chetro Ketl; some sketches are drawn on back of 1932 letter from Herbert to Bud regarding extermination of rats and development of bacteria cultures, which appears to be unrelated.

110. **Paul Reiter's Field and Project Notes, Artifact Lists, and Daft Report, 1930-1931**

Volume 5. Paul Reiter's handwritten and typed notes on various topics, including: field notes on burial in Jemez from 1931; personal notes; field notes on excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1931; descriptions of projects undertaken at Chetro Ketl; notes on excavations at Chetro Ketl in 1930; and typed field notes on excavations at Chetro Ketl on June 11, 1930. Also includes artifact lists from Site S (Cacique's Sanctum) related to research of Richard Vann; these lists are a continuation of those in 0032/001.002-016. See Vann's final report on Cacique's Sanctum in C85756.
111. **Copied Pages from James Simpson's Account of 1849 Expedition Through Chaco Canyon, 1932**

Volume 5. Photostat copy of excerpt from Lieutenant James Simpson's account of an 1849 U.S. military expedition against the Navajo and their route through Chaco Canyon. Excerpt includes Simpson's descriptions of major Chaco ruins, including Chetro Ketl.

Also includes 3 oversize photostat copies of maps (2 of one map, one of a second map) by James Simpson and Edward Kern showing the US Troops route through new Mexico and Chaco Canyon. Includes note by Paul Reiter stating that material was copied January 12, 1932. Probably used as research for Reiter's 1933 MA thesis.

112. **The Opening of the Tunnel Under the East Tower of Chetro Ketl, circa 1929**

Volume 5. Report on the excavation of the tunnel beneath the floor of the East Tower Kiva (later known as Kiva G) at Chetro Ketl in 1929. Includes 2 typewritten copies; second copy is missing the opening page and includes an added section discussing possible uses of the tunnel.

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113. **A Study of Ancient Chetro Ketl, circa 1933**

Volume 5. Typewritten drafts of Paul Reiter's MA thesis with handwritten corrections and set of handwritten notes. Thesis is an overview of history and excavation of Chetro Ketl; includes discussion of excavation methods, features of the Great Community House, kivas (particularly the Great Kiva), architecture, and masonry and restoration. First typewritten copy includes glossary and 1 photograph of Chetro Ketl excavation map (C101483). Second typewritten copy appears to be an earlier draft.

### SUBSERIES F: VOLUME 6, 1930-1937

114. **Volume 6 Contents List, after 1937**

Volume 6.

115. **Preliminary Excavation of West Plaza Kiva, Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, June-July 1934, 1934 November 15**

Volume 6. Report on preliminary excavation of West Plaza Kiva (also known as Court Kiva) at Chetro Ketl. See same report without photographs in 0032/001.006-120 (CHCU 85825)

Postlethwaite states that excavations will be completed by Janet Woods; see Woods' final report in 0032/001.002-019 (C85716), 0032/001.005-100 (C85790, has photographs) and 0032/001.006-116 (C85821).

116. **Excavation of the Court Kiva, Chetro Ketl, 1934 November**

Volume 6. Court Kiva also known as West Plaza Kiva. Includes 2 typewritten copies with diagrams.

See same report in 0032/001.002-019 (C85716) and 0032/001.005-100 (C85790), with photographs.
117. **Notes Taken on Excavation of the Court Kiva at Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, Season of 1934, 1934**

Volume 6. Typed field notes on excavation of Court Kiva (also known as West Plaza Kiva) at Chetro Ketl in July and August 1934 with handwritten annotations.

See 0032/001.006-121 (C85826) and 0032/001.006-126 for typed copies incorporating annotations.

SERIES 1: BOX 8 118. **Notes on Pueblo Ceremonial Chambers, 1934**

Volume 6. Study of pueblo ceremonial chambers, including discussion of proto-kivas, pueblo building styles, kiva features and nomenclature, and classification of ceremonial chambers. Includes 1 oversize map of the Pueblo

119. **Paul Reiter's Personal Notes, 1930s**

Volume 6. Paul Reiter's handwritten notes and drawings on various topics, including field school lectures and schedules, campfire songs, sociology, philosophy of education, history, music, science, religion, and culture. Possibly related to UNM Jemez field school.

120. **Preliminary Excavation of West Plaza Kiva, Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, June-July 1934, 1934 November 15**

Volume 6. Report on preliminary excavation of West Plaza Kiva (also known as Court Kiva) at Chetro Ketl. See same report with photographs in 0032/001.006-115 (C85820).

Postlethwaite states that excavations will be completed by Janet Woods; see Woods' final report in C85716, C85790, and C85821.

121. **Notes Taken on Excavation of the Court Kiva at Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, Season of 1934, 1934**

Volume 6. Typed field notes on excavation of Court Kiva (also known as West Plaza Kiva) at Chetro Ketl in July and August 1934. Incorporates annotations from earlier draft of report in 0032/001.006-117 (C85822).

See additional copy incorporating annotations in 0032/001.006-126.

122. **Casa Rinconada and Chetro Ketl Artifact Lists, 1930**

Volume 6. Includes list of potsherds and unclassified material from Casa Rinconada and list of artifacts and classified material from Chetro Ketl. See same lists in C85720-C85721 and C85789.

123. **Casa Rinconada Excavation Report, probably 1931**

124. **A Month's Work in Chaco Canyon, June 10 to July 8, 1931 (Full Report), 1931**

Volume 6. Description of a month's work in Chaco Canyon, including: excavations at Casa Rinconada and Chetro Ketl; masonry; tree ring and dump stratification study done by Florence Hawley; trips made to other pueblos; pottery types; and an excavated burial and associated artifacts from the dump at Chetro Ketl.

See partial copies of report in 0032/001.002-040 (C85740).

125. **Report: Suggestions Derived from Living Pueblos for the Interpretation of Chaco Canyon Kivas, 1937 May**

Volume 6.

126. **Notes Taken on Excavation of the Court Kiva at Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, Season of 1934 (Duplicate), 1934**

Volume 6. Typed field notes on excavation of Court Kiva (also known as West Plaza Kiva) at Chetro Ketl in July and August 1934. Marked as duplicate of VA 1946 (C85826, 0032/001.006-121).

Incorporates annotations from earlier draft of report in C85822, 0032/001.006-117.


Volume 6. Report on masonry of Great Kiva, Kiva E, and East Tower Kiva (later known as Kiva G) at Chetro Ketl.

128. **A Comparative Study of the Architectural Elements, Distribution, and History of the Upper-Story Kiva, 1936**


See same report in 0032/001.002-041 (C85741) and 0032/001-004-097 (C85788) with photographs.

129. **Student Report: A Comparison of the East Kiva at Unshagi and a Kiva in Pueblo Bonito, circa 1930**

Volume 6. Report comparing the east kiva of Unshagi at Jemez Pueblo and a typical kiva at Pueblo Bonito.

130. **Student paper: The Kiva and Its Function, 1930s**

Volume 6.
131. **The Benches of the Great Bowl, 1932 December 1**
   Volume 6. Description of benches in Great Kiva of Chetro Ketl.
   See same report in 0032/001.002-025 (CHCU 85724) and
   0032/001.004-094 (CHCU 85785) with photographs.

132. **Report on Work in Chaco Canyon, June 10 - July 8, 1931 (Full Report), 1931**
   Volume 6. Includes typewritten copy of selected pages (pages 14-17, 51-52, and
   54) from Margaret Foraker's handwritten report on 1931 excavations in Chaco Canyon.
   See 0032/001.002-044 (C85742) for Foraker's complete handwritten report and
   0032.001-002-042 for additional copies of the selected pages.

133. **Report on Excavation of the West Tower Kiva, Chetro Ketl, Chaco Canyon, New Mexico, 1932 July**
   Volume 6. Report on the excavation of the West Tower Kiva (later known as
   Kiva N) at Chetro Ketl.

134. **Report on the 1930 Excavations of Chetro Ketl, 1930**
   Volume 6. Typewritten field notes on excavations at Chetro Ketl dated June 4-5,
   1930.

*SERIES 2: CORRESPONDENCE AND PROFESSIONAL PAPERS, 1932-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)*

*SUBSERIES A: PROFESSIONAL PAPERS AND CORRESPONDENCE, 1932-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)*

**SERIES 2: BOX 1**

001. **Professional Papers: Essay by Paul Reiter, 2 Letters and a List, 1932, 1936, 1937**
   Contains a brief opinion piece by Reiter (as identified by handwritten
   annotation with initials WSR, Winifred Stamm Reiter, dated 9/77); letter with
   drawing to Dr. Hewett from G.Vivian; letter from Douglas Osborne; and a list of
   Historical Society pictures in the Art Museum.

002. **Chaco Field School Station Records: Supplies Inventory, Request List and Pump House Plans, 1936, 1938**
   Includes sketch of pump house plan and pencil sketch of pit toilet plan

003. **List of Published Articles on Chaco (2 copies), undated**
   List of articles on Chaco Canyon that were published in El Palacio magazine and
   other journals in 1920s and 1930s.

004. **Article titled 'How Ruins Get That Way' by Paul Reiter for New Mexico Magazine, 1938 January**
   2 copies; one a typed draft. Includes a letter from Retier to editor of NM Magazine.
005. Reiter's Book Review of 'The Pottery of Santo Domingo Pueblo' by Kenneth M. Chapman, circa 1938
typed draft, with pen annotation

006. Field School Student Excavation Report on Bc 50, 1938
Excavation record forms with charts and drawings.

007. Chaco Field School Summer Sessions Mailing and Contact Lists, 1938
Has a handwritten notation, initialed by Winifred S. Reiter dated 9/77. Indicates what the document is and that she typed it.

008. List of Chetro Ketl Pottery and a Book Review by Paul Reiter; Professional Association Cards, circa 1938
Book Review is of 'Handbook of Northern Arizona Pottery Types' by Harold Colton and Lyndon Hargrave. Cards include SAA, Reiter's UNM payroll card, and American Anthropology card receipt of book review. Pottery List has notation by W. Reiter indicating it was Frances Hawley's work (initialed by Hawley)

009. Flood Gauge Cards: Records of Chaco Arroyo at Pueblo Bonito in Flood, 1938

010. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence January-March 1938, 1938
Correspondence between Reiter and professional colleagues; Correspondence from Reiter to UNM regarding supplies and affairs at Chaco Station where he was foreman of WPA project.

011. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence April 1938, 1938
Correspondence mainly related to Reiter's role as foreman at Chaco. A few letters have notations by Winifred Stamm Reiter dated 9/77.

012. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence May-June 1938, 1938
Correspondence mainly related to Reiter's role as foreman at Chaco. Includes letters by Donald Brand, Tom Popejoy, and Earl Bowditch.

013. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence July-August 1938, 1938
Reiter's WPA and UNM correspondence, letters to and from Donald Brand, Dr W.W. Hill ('Nibs'), Anna Shephard, and Mitch Wilder.

014. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence September 1938, 1938
Reiter's WPA and UNM correspondence; includes letters about building a darkroom at Chaco, and other correspondence from Donald Brand, Anna Shephard, and William Mulloy.
015. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence October 1938, 1938
Reiter's WPA and UNM correspondence; includes correspondence with Donald Brand regarding achievements and accounting; letters William Mulloy, Bert at SAR, and a letter from Jose Silva, a WPA employee.

016. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence November 1938, 1938
Reiter's WPA and UNM correspondence; also includes correspondence with William Mulloy, Clyde Kluckhohn, Florence Hawley.

017. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence December 1938, 1938
Includes letters to and from Donald Brand asking Reiter to stay at Chaco into 1939; letter from William Mulloy; copies of Reiter's letters to UNM President Zimmerman and Dr Edgar Hewett regarding publication; a letter regarding identification of Chetro Keti beads; letters from Anna Shephard and others.

018. Professional Correspondence January 1939, 1939
Letters mainly concern work on papers and publications; Reiter's copies of his letters to Wayne Mauzy at Museum of NM; Anna Shephard, William Mulloy. Letters from Clyde Kluckhohn, Emil Haury and others.

019. Professional, WPA and UNM Correspondence February 1939, 1939
Copies of Reiter's letters to Donald Brand regarding WPA operations, in particular the need set up a school for the families of workers; letters to the UNM Comptrollers George White and Earl Bowditch;

020. Professional UNM and Field School Correspondence 1939, 1939
Letter to American Anthropologist; letter to UNM Staff regarding publications; letters and memos regarding Field School Session.

SUBSERIES B: WPA MATERIAL AND CORRESPONDENCE, 1936-1939 (bulk dates: 1938-1939)

001. WPA Reports on Excavations and Records from Chaco Canyon WPA Project, 1936, 1937
Reports on Chaco Canyon WPA excavation and building projects; one signed by Gordon Vivian. Also includes instructions and forms for WPA employees applications for social security numbers, partially completed.

002. WPA Project Management: Reports, Forms, Memos Regarding Employees and Equipment Jan- May 1938, 1938
WPA letters, memos, forms regarding WPA employees and operations while Reiter was foreman of WPA project at Chaco.
003. WPA Project Management: Forms, Memos and Letters, June-July 1938, 1938
   WPA management memos, forms, letters to and from WPA administrators; includes a Wage and Hour Schedule for Bernalillo County. Also includes some handwritten notes from WPA employees.

004. WPA Project Management: Forms, Memos and Letters, August - December 1938, 1938
   WPA management memos, forms, correspondence with WPA administrators

005. WPA Project Management: Forms, Memos and Letters, January - March 1939, 1939
   WPA management memos, forms, correspondence between Reiter and WPA administrators

006. WPA Forms Regarding Construction and Supplies, 1939 March

007. WPA Project Management: Forms, Memos and Letters, April - May 1939, 1939

008. Plans and Memos Regarding Pit Toilets, undated
   Plans for installing a pit toilet; memos from Reiter as WPA foreman regarding use.

009. WPA Related Letters and 2 Personal Letters, undated
   2 WPA letters, 2 personal: one addressed to Freddy (Winifred) Reiter; one letter from Florence Kluckhohn; two handwritten letters from Bowdich.

SERIES 3: PHOTOGRAPHS, circa 1868-1941 (bulk dates: 1910-1941)

SERIES 3: BOX 1 01. Excavation Site Photographs, 1929-1941
   Photographs taken and collected by Paul Reiter during his time with the UNM field school. Includes images showing excavations at Chaco Canyon undertaken by the field school between 1929 and 1941. Most of the images show excavations at Chetro Ketl, but also include Talus Unit 1, BC 50, 51, 52, and 53, Threatening Rock, and Pueblo Bonito. Most of the photographs are attributed to Paul Reiter or John Russell, and Anna O. Shepard; some photographs may have been taken by other field school students. Contains negatives, prints, photocards, and interpositives; the majority of these are copies of originals held by the Museum of New Mexico and acquired by the Chaco Project in the 1980s. Transferred from Chaco Center Historic Photograph Collection in 2011 (series previously known as 28/5.11).

Prints in SERIES 03 BOX 1, FOLDER 1
Interpositives in SERIES 03 BOX 1, FOLDER 2
SERIES 3: BOX 2  02.  Aerial Photographs, between 1927 and 1935
Aerial photographs of Chaco Canyon, including sites of Chetro Ketl and Pueblo Bonito. Originally belonged to Paul Reiter and found in UNM Department of Anthropology materials. Each image has 2 prints, one a reverse image of the other. According to Carla Van West, photographs may have been taken before 1929 because of the lack of certain structures such as hogans and the superintendent's building. According to Dr. Joan Mathien, photographs were possibly taken by Carlos Vierra. Transferred from Vivian Archive in 2011.

SERIES 4: PERSONAL PAPERS, 1937-1942

SERIES 4: BOX 1  01.  Journal, circa 1938
1 bound volume containing handwritten research notes, personal notes, object lists, addresses, diagrams, drawings, charts, and tables, mostly related to his position at the Museum of New Mexico. Loose papers tucked in between pages of journal are now held in file folders labeled with the section of the journal in which they were originally found.

SERIES 4: BOX 2  –  SERIES 4: BOX 4  02.  Photograph Album, circa 1868-circa 1940
Photograph album containing Paul Reiter’s collection of personal and historic photographs. Album disassembled for preservation, all items removed from pages and placed in folders in negative number order. Inscriptions are on small slips of paper in separate folders accompanying each item, arranged by negative number. Larger images and inscriptions are in SERIES 4 BOX 5, in negative number order. First page of Album is in OS BOX 1, FOLDER 3.

Contains images of archaeological sites in New Mexico, including Chaco Canyon, Quarai Ruins, Kuaua Ruins, and possibly Jemez. Also contains copies of historic photographs from the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries by notable photographers such as Adolph Fisher, Christian Kaadt, Charles F. Lummis, Jesse L. Nusbaum, Wesley Bradfield, and Adam Clark Vroman. These include images of New Mexico churches and pueblos; Bandelier National Monument; Santa Fe plaza; rooms and artifacts at the Palace of the Governors/Museum of New Mexico; and Jesse Nusbaum’s photographs of School of American Research archaeological expeditions in Quirigua, Guatemala and Copan, Honduras in the 1910s. Also includes newspaper and magazine clippings and hand-drawn map of BC 51. Most of the historic photographs in the album are not original, but were copy prints collected by Paul Reiter, probably during his time as curator at the Museum of New Mexico from 1931 to 1938. Many of the original photographs for images in this album are currently housed at the Palace of the Governors Photo Archives in Santa Fe. Dates of photographs in the album are based on when the original image was captured rather than when the print was created and collected by Reiter.
SERIES 4: BOX 5  03. Research Materials, 1937-1942
Contains two publications collected by Paul Reiter while he was a professor in
the Department of Anthropology at UNM. Publications are related to Paul
Reiter’s personal and professional interests in archaeology and ethnology, they
include a report describing Native American ethnographic objects at the Denver
Art Museum and the Notebook of the Society for American Archaeology.