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Field notebooks and extracts from notebooks, c. 1927-55.  
Microfilm, 4 reels.

Reel A: This comprises mainly typed material from his Forrest River notebooks and includes sections on the Karadjeri, Ungarinyin, Nyul-Nyul and Yauor tribes.

Reel B: Field Notebooks (1) Forrest River 1946 parts 1, 2, and 3. (Part 2 and 3 cover Oenpelli Elcho Island material)

(2) 1947-8  
(includes material from many areas of the Northern Territory.)

(3) Arnhem Land IA 1946

(4) Rembaranga 1949 (1952)  
(includes Wagaitj material)

(5) 1949  
(Northern Territory material, especially Mainora)

Reel C: Field Notebooks (1) Notes on songs, mainly Oenpelli area (1949)

(2) Notes on songs, ceremonies, genealogies, mainly Arnhem Land (1952)

(3) North coast NSW (1942)

(4) Queensland north coast (1946)

(5) General notes, Northern Territory (1953?)

(6) East Kimberley material, divided into several volumes. Introductory note states that most of this material was typed up 1927-8 (see Reel A)

Vol. I East Kimberley material  
Vol. II Nyul-Nyul  
Vol. III Nyul-nyul, Jabera-Jaber, Bard  
Vol. IV Bard  
Vol. V Jab-Jab  
Vol. VI Forrest River  
Vol. VII Forrest River  
Vol. VIII Port George IV Mission (?)  
Ungarinyin

Reel D: Vol. IX Karadjeri (La Grange)  
Vol. X The Murchison 1955  
East Kimberley 1928.