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KEEN_S05

**Sound recordings collected by
Sandra L. Keen, 1970**

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Date: 1970

Extent: 6 sound tapes (ca. 6hrs.) : analogue, 3 3/4 ips, mono + field tape report sheets.

Production history

These recordings were collected in August and September 1970 by Sandra Keen during fieldwork at Dumadji in north-west Queensland, Australia. The purpose of the field trip was to research and document the Yukulta and Waanyi languages. Interviewees and speakers include Alice Gilbert (Yukulta), Limerick Peter (Waanyi) and Major Walden (Yukulta). The collection was deposited with AIATSIS on 22 October 1970.

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ITEM DESCRIPTIONS

001916A/FT 59

Performer/speaker(s):	Alice Gilbert
Subject keywords:	Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation, Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation – Sentences, Language – Linguistics – Vocabulary and grammar – Nouns and ergatives, Language – Linguistics – Vocabulary and grammar – Adjectives
Language/people:	Yukulta / Gangalidda
Places:	Dumadji / Doomadgee (Qld Gulf SE54-05)
Recording quality:	Fair

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
KEEN_S05-001916A	00:00:00	Yukulta language elicitation, including sentences and emphases on nouns and and adjectives with Alice Gilbert.	August 1970	Dumadji, Qld
	01:05:35	End of FT 59 and end of KEEN_S05-001916A.		

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001916B/FT 60

Performer/speaker(s):	Alice Gilbert
Subject keywords:	Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation, Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation – Sentences, Language – Vocabulary – Environment and natural phenomena
Language/people:	Yukulta / Gangalidda
Places:	Dumadji / Doomadgee (Qld Gulf SE54-05)
Recording quality:	Fair

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
KEEN_S05-001916B	00:00:00	Yukulta language elicitation, including sentences, with Alice Gilbert.	August 1970	Dumadji, Qld
	00:48:20	Yukulta language elicitation, including sentences and terms associated with the moon and the sky, with Alice Gilbert.		
	01:05:00	End of FT 60 and end of KEEN_S05-001916B.		

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001917A/FT 61

Performer/speaker(s):	Alice Gilbert
Subject keywords:	Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation, Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation – Sentences, Language – Linguistics – Vocabulary and grammar – Interrogatives
Language/people:	Yukulta / Gangalidda
Places:	Dumadji / Doomadgee (Qld Gulf SE54-05)
Recording quality:	Poor

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
KEEN_S05-001917A	00:00:00	Yukulta language elicitation, including sentences, with Alice Gilbert.	August 1970	Dumadji, Qld
	00:33:20	Yukulta language elicitation, including sentences and questions, with Alice Gilbert.		
	01:04:35	End of FT 61 and end of KEEN_S05-001917A.		

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001917B/FT 62

Performer/speaker(s):	Alice Gilbert
Subject keywords:	Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation, Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation – Sentences
Language/people:	Yukulta / Gangalidda
Places:	Dumadji / Doomadgee (Qld Gulf SE54-05)
Recording quality:	Poor

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
KEEN_S05-001917B	00:00:00	Language elicitation, including miscellaneous sentences, with Alice Gilbert.	September 1970	Dumadji, Qld
	01:04:05	End of FT 62 and end of KEEN_S05-001917B.		

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001918A/FT 63

Performer/speaker(s):	Alice Gilbert, Limerick Peter, Major Walden
Subject keywords:	Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation, Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation – Discussion / Conversation, Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation – Sentences
Language/people:	Yukulta / Gangalidda, Waanyi
Places:	Dumadji / Doomadgee (Qld Gulf SE54-05)
Recording quality:	Poor to fair

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
KEEN_S05-001918A	00:00:00	Conversation between Alice Gilbert (Yukulta) and Limerick Peter (Waanyi) in their respective languages.	1 September 1970	Dumadji, Qld
	00:09:45	Yukulta language elicitation with Major Walden.		
	00:26:50	Conversation in Yukulta between Alice Gilbert and Major Walden.		
	00:32:30	Yukulta language elicitation with Alice Gilbert		
	01:04:35	End of FT 63 and end of KEEN_S05-001918A.		

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001918B/FT 64

Performer/speaker(s):	Alice Gilbert
Subject keywords:	Language – Linguistics – Language elicitation
Language/people:	Yukulta / Gangalidda
Places:	Dumadji / Doomadgee (Qld Gulf SE54-05)
Recording quality:	Poor to fair

Archive item number	Timing point	Description	Date	Place
KEEN_S05-001918B	00:00:00	Yukulta language elicitation with Alice Gilbert.	September 1970	Dumadji, Qld
	00:29:05	End of FT 64, end of KEEN_S05-001918B and end of the collection KEEN_S05.		

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