



Interim finding aid

DEVITT_J01

**Sound recordings collected by
Jeannie Devitt, 1995**

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SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

Date: 1995

Extent: 4 sound cassettes (ca. 90 min. each) : analogue, mono + notes.

Production history

These recordings were collected between 10 March and 3 April 1995 by anthropologist Jeannie Devitt during fieldwork in Alice Springs, NT. The purpose of the field trip was to interview Mrs Marie Burke (Mrs Roper) on her early life at the Roper River and Emerald River Missions and Alice Springs in the Northern Territory. The collection was deposited at AIATSIS on 12 February 2008.

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descriptions, featuring timing points, are not yet available as the collection has not been auditioned by AIATSIS staff.

ITEM LIST

Field recording number	AIATSIS item number	Description
Tape 1	N/A	Oral history concerning Roper River and Emerald River Missions with Marie Burke (Mrs Roper), 10 March 1995
Tape 2	N/A	Oral history concerning Roper River Mission, evacuation during WW II, and working at Alice Springs with Marie Burke (Mrs Roper), 28 March 1995
Tape 3	N/A	Oral history concerning Roper River and Emerald River Missions, her family and genealogy with Marie Burke (Mrs Roper), 31 March 1995
Tape 4	N/A	Oral history concerning Roper River and Emerald River Missions, her family and genealogy, and working at Roper River with Marie Burke (Mrs Roper), 3 April 1995