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**Snow, Jerry Whistler  
Papers 1893-1915  
2 feet**

**Collector. Correspondence (1893-1915) to and from members of the Whistler family regarding life in Oklahoma Territory, describing a first ride in an automobile, sicknesses and quarantines, floods, Sac and Fox Indian dances and customs, the Sac and Fox Indian Agency and its agent, Lee Patrick, the Chilocco Indian School, wild west shows, Christmas traditions, and Independence Day celebrations. Correspondents include Maude Mayes Whistler, Pearl Mayes Whistler, and Gertrude Nadan.**

**BX1 Correspondence**

**FF1** Mayes to Maude: July Fourth festivities, school, consumption, saw mill, robberies, the Kickapoo Opening, the Indian Agency, typhoid, flooding, and the Chandler Bank Robbery. 1893-1898

**FF2** Bee to Maude: Sac & Fox Indian girls, masquerade party, education, and Miss Reel, the superintendent of all the Indian schools. 1898-1899

**FF3** Maude to Bee: Mission, smallpox, because of which the agency was under quarantine enforced by men and guns, squaw dance, and an abortion. 1898-1900

**FF4** Bee to Maude: Sac & Fox Indians, quarrel between normal and commercial school factories. 1891-1900

**FF5** Mayes to Maude: Whooping cough, Haskell under quarantine, pension papers, President McKinley, and Dennis Flynn, the Territory of Oklahoma's delegate to Congress. 1900

**FF6** Bee to Maude: "Magic Lantern and Moving Picture Show," and the Lake Superior Indian Commission. 1900

**BX2 Correspondence**

**FF1** Maude to Bee: Medicine dance, Indian Service. 1900

**FF2** Mayes to Maude: Smallpox, causing the school to close, and Grand Army of the Republic Week. 1901