American Indian tribe. Correspondence (1895–1953) concerning claims by the Cayuga Indians against the state of New York, the United States, and the St. Lawrence Power Company.

Folder:
1. Typescripts of various treaties signed by the Cayugas with the United States and the state of New York, 1784-1831

2. List of Cayuga Indians living west of the Mississippi River, not dated

3. Two letters from James G. Johnson to John A Winney, July 29 and October 5, 1895; both deal with claims by the Cayugas against the state of New York and the US; also with complications of their claims because of Canadian band of Cayugas.

4. Five letters from J.S. and Burdette Whipple to D.A. Harvey, October 8, 1911, March 18, 21 & 31, 1913 and April 22, 1913; all letters concern a claim by the Cayugas against the state of New York.

5. Two copies of a letter from William Zimmerman, Jr., Asst Comm. of Indian Affairs, to Moses Crow, October 10, 1933. Re: claims by the Cayugas against the state of New York.

6. Two letter from Grover C. Splitlog (Chief of Cayugas) to Charles E. Grounds, January 5 and March 3, 1953. Re: a disputed claim between the Senecas and the Cayugas and the necessity of calling a tribal meeting to discuss the issue.

7. Four letters from Grover C. Splitlog (Chief of Cayugas) to Enola Shumate, January 15, February 14 & 27 and March 3. Re: claims against the St. Lawrence Power Company and payments to the various bands of Cayugas. Refers to the fact the "Whipple and Whipple" won the original case--see folder 4 of this collection.

8. Letter from Mrs. Tommie Harjo (Chairman of the Cayuga's Business Committee) to Enola Shumate, March 17, 1853. Re: helping the Cayugas locate a piece of evidence (a silver tomahawk) to help them prove the claim.