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**Internal Provinces of New Spain Collection**

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Spanish colonial governmental unit. Copies of documents (1704–1789) from the Spanish archives of New Mexico relating to Indian relations, military defense, trade, and general colonial conditions in New Mexico, with notes from Ralph Emerson Twitchell's guide, *The Spanish Archives of New Mexico*.

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**About the collection:**

This collection consists of photostatic copies of documents from the Spanish Archives of New Mexico. The documents are arranged chronologically in 9 volumes, and cover the period from 1704-1789. Most of the documents are edicts, reports, correspondence, or civil hearings concerning relations (particularly trade and hostilities) between the Spanish and the Pueblo Indians of the Rio Grande Valley and the Utes, Apache, Navajo, and Comanche. Brief descriptions of the contents of each volume are listed below and have been taken largely from Ralph Emerson Twitchell's guide, *The Spanish Archive of New Mexico* (1914). Numbers appearing in parentheses before each document(s) are catalog numbers as given by Twitchell in his guide.

- Volume 1: (104) Record of Edicts and proceedings relative to a reported conspiracy of the Pueblo Indian with the Apaches and Yutes (December 23, 1704 – February 28, 1705). 37 pp.
- Volume 2: (117) Decree of Juan Paez Hurtado forbidding trade among groups living outside of Taos and Pecos with the Apaches (June 9, 1704), 4 pp.; Petition from the Cabildo of Santa Fe to the Governor and Captain General of New Mexico, requesting that suitable steps be taken to control and prohibit trade among Pueblo Indians and Apache (June 1, 1705). 5 pp.; Decree of Francisco Cuervo Y Valdes, Governor and Captain-General of New Mexico, relative to bartering in Pueblo towns with the Apache (June 1, 1705), 3 pp.
- (193) Letters and Decree of Juan Ignacio Flores Mogollon regarding Navajo designs upon the Pueblo of Santa Clara (May 1713), 9 pp.
- (199) Edicts and council of war, relative to thefts committed by Navajo Apaches at the Pueblo of San Yldefonso and the order for Captain Serna to punish them, with fifty soldiers, twenty vecinos (settlers), and one hundred and fifty Indians of the pueblos of the province (October 30, 1713), 13 pp.

- Volume 3: (250) Journal of Felix Martinez of events and operations of his expedition against the Moquis (Hopi) (May 14, 1716), 34 pp. (Note: the second part of this journal is to found in volume 4, listed below).
- Volume 4: (250) Continuation of journal of Felix Martinez, 36 pp.
- Volume 5: (362) Junta de Guerra (war council) convened by Geruasio Cruzat y Gongora, Governor and Captain General of New Mexico, relative to a campaign against the Apache for disturbing the peace of the province (July 18, 1731), 13 pp.
- (402) Criminal proceedings against Diego de Torres (“Theniente de Alcalde Mayor”) for attempting to barter with the Comanche Indians (April 13-May 16, 1735). 34 pp.
- Volume 6: (443) 7 copies of order of Gaspar Domingo Martinez direction the Alcaldes Mayores of several jurisdictions to maintain vigilance in the wake of Comanche depredations (February 20, 1742), 15 pp.
- (479) Dispatch and Letter from the Supreme Government of New Spain ordering a campaign to be undertaken fro the presidios of Guevavi Fronteras, Jaros, and El Paso against the Gilas, Apaches, and other confederated nation (June 22, 1747), 16 pp.
- (483) Report of Joachin Codallos Y Rabal of campaign of Captain Don Alonso Rubin de Celis that was undertaken against the Gila, Apaches and their confederates (December 26, 1747), 7 pp.
- (494) Statement of Bentura Yndio Geniza regarding the present state of the Navajo people and their lands (July 20, 1748), 9 pp.
- Volume 7: (706a) Letter from Cavallero de la Croix to Don Pedro Fermin de Meninueta, Governor of New Mexico, regarding payment of excise duties in Chihuahua by residents of New Mexico (September 30, 1777), 1 pp.
- (707) “Instructions to be observed by Official destined for the forming of militia in the Province of Nueva Vizcaya,” by Cavallero de la Croix (October 1, 1777), 19 pp.
- (717) Letter from Cavallero de la Croix to Francisco Trebol Navarro, Governor of New Mexico, regarding Apache raid in the Albuquerque area and their subsequent retreat to Robledo and the Organ Mountains (January 22, 1777), 2 pp.

(740) Order issued by Don Fernando Trebol Navarro prohibiting settlers and friendly Indians from visiting the Utes for the purpose of trade or barter (September 3, 1778), 3 copies, 12 pp.

(751) Notice of armaments and munitions received in the province of New Mexico through December 30, 1778, by Fernando Trebol Navarro, (December 30, 1778), 3 pp.

(752) Order and proclamation concerning various matters, including the establishment of a monthly courier service from the Bay of Espiritu Santo, Texas, to Arispe, Sonora (February 15, 1779), 9 pp.

Volume 8: (912) Record of proceedings against Marcelino Manzanares for violations of order prohibiting trade with the Utes (April 10-26, 1785), 8 pp.

(913) Record of proceedings against Salvador Salazar and Santiago Lucero and Francisco Valverde for conducting commerce with the Utes in the latter's territory (April 22-May 9, 1785), 10 pp.

(920) Record of proceedings against Vincente Serna for violating order prohibiting trade with the Utes (March 31-April 29, 1785), 8 pp.

(944) Letter of Jacobo Ugarte Y Loyola to Don Juan Bautista de Anza regarding Pedro Vial's proposed trip from Texas to Sonora (October 26, 1786), 3 pp.

(961) Letter of Joseph Antonio Rengel to Governor (N.M.) Juan Bautista de Anza concerning Royal Decree and payment of officers absent from duty (July 12, 1788), 2 pp.

(961a) Letter from General Rengel to Governor de Anza concerning successful campaign against the Apaches and military affairs in Chihuahua (August 10, 1788), 4 pp.

(991) Letter from Jacobo Ugarte Y Loyola to Don Fernando de la Concha, concerning the establishment of the "Barrio of Analco" for the scattered population in the vicinity of Santa Fe (January 21, 1789), 3pp.

(992) Letter from Jacobo Ugarte Y Loyola to Don Fernando de la Concha, concerning journey of Pedro Vial to Louisiana (January 23, 1789), 3 pp.

(1015) Letter from Jacobo Ugarte Y Loyola to Don Fernando de la Concha, concerning Comanche abandonment of the Arkansas River (July 22, 1788), 3 pp.

Volume 9: (1025) Statement of Fernando de la Concha regarding expenses and cost of gifts given to allied Comanches, Yutes, Jicarilla (Apache), and Navajos, from August 28, 1788-December 31, 1788, 32pp.

(1039) Letter of Jacobo Ugarte Y Loyola to Don Fernando de la Concha concerning the re-settlement of the Arkansas River by Spanish families and the difficulties involved in doing so (January 28, 1789), 2 pp.

(1041) Record of proceedings against Miguel and Benito Perea, charge with stealing horses from the Comanches (February 19-March 17, 1789), 20 pp.

(1049) Letter of Don Fernando de la Concha to General Jacobo Ugarte Y Loyola, concerning the establishment of commerce with Louisiana, as suggested by the commander of the fort at Natchitoches (June 15, 1789), 4 pp.