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**MS 377**  
**Ivancovich, Byron Collection**  
**1957**

## **DESCRIPTION**

This small collection consists of reproduced manuscripts on early travels to missions in the Sonora Mexico area and the future American Southwest. The first manuscript is by Antonio Maria de los Reyes and is titled *Reyes Report of 1772: A Report on the Existing Conditions in the Missions of Sonora Administrated by the Fathers of the Propagation of the Faith College of the Holy Cross in Queretaro, Mexico*. The second group of copied documents entail references to San Xavier del Bac. All these documents are in Spanish and include Reyes' Report of 1788, *Expediente* of Reyes-Barbastro dispute re beginning and end of the custody of San Carlos, Barbastro Memorial 1788, Correspondence up to 1792 (includes Barbastro Memorial for San Xavier and Tucson See), and letter of Feb. 24, 1792 advising of King's dissolution of custody. One additional folder contains a listing of visitors to San Xavier from 1827 to 1912 compiled by Byron Ivancovich in 1957.

1 Box, .25 linear ft.

## **ACQUISITION**

Documents were copied at the Bancroft Library in California for the Historical Society in 1942.

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