



American Indian & Alaska

Native Resources at the
Sequoyah National Research Center

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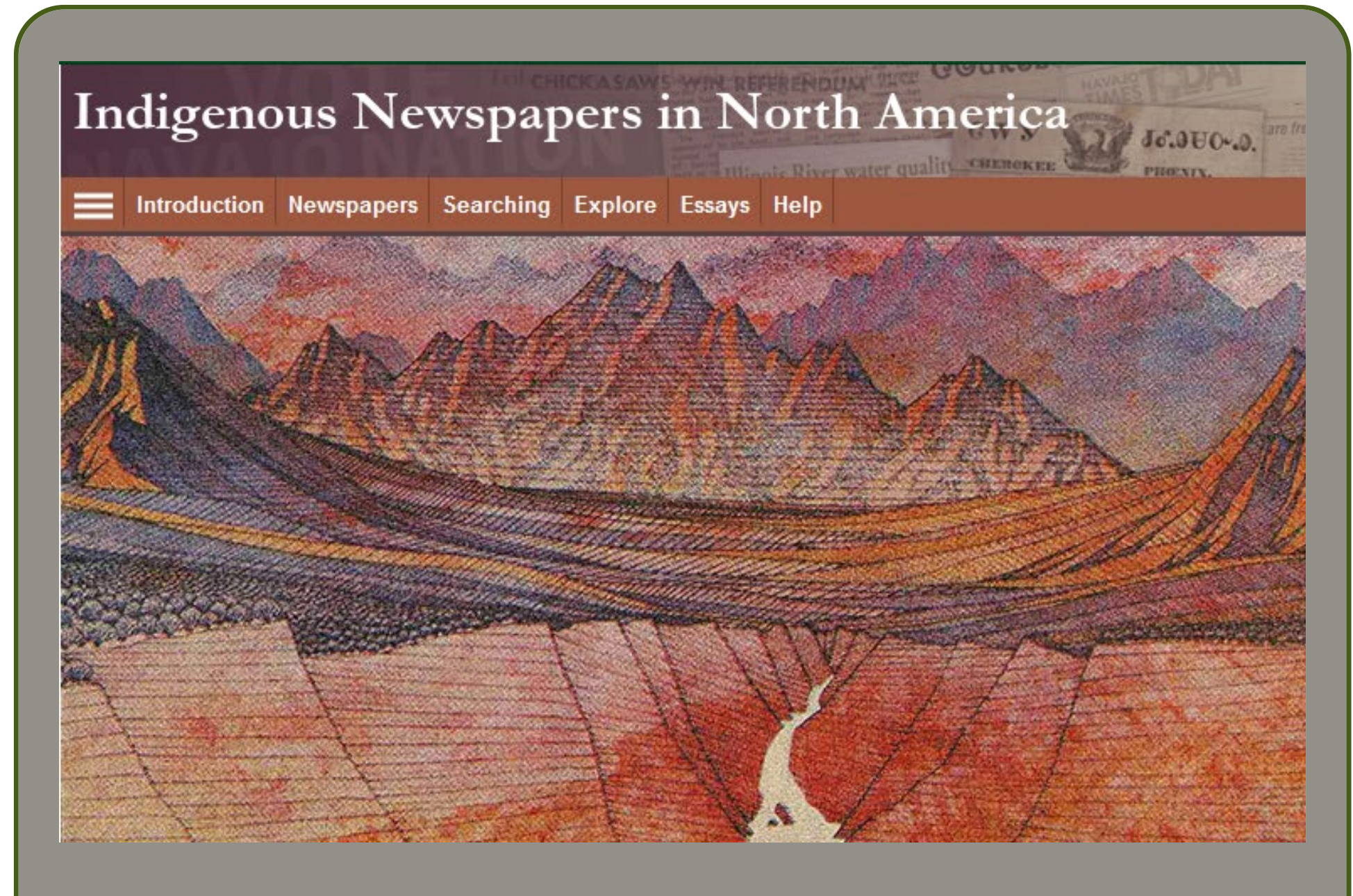
OUR HISTORY

- Established in 1983 by Drs. Daniel F. Littlefield, Jr. and James W. Parins.
- Seed collections came from the University of Arizona Museum and UCLA.
- First collecting priority was Native-published newspapers and periodicals.
- First budget in FY2006



DIGITAL RESOURCE

- Partnered with AM Digital to digitize newspapers
- Published in 2016
- Features 43 publications
- Over 150,000 pages digitized



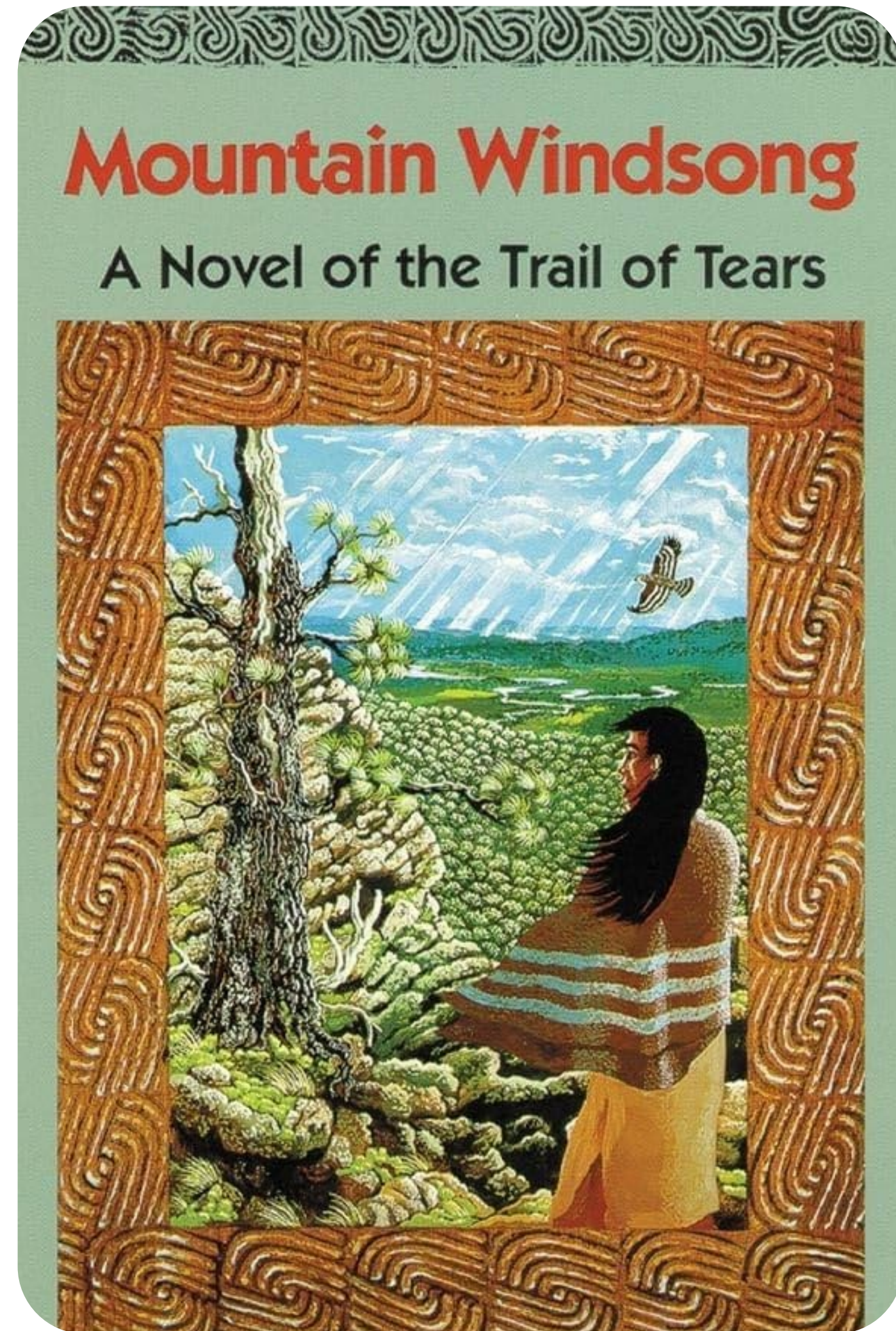
ALLECE LOCKE GARRARD

- Seminole-Choctaw drama teacher turned WWII Army hostess turned philanthropist
- Garrard Ardeneum Collection follows her life story, family history, and history of McAlester, Oklahoma.
- Established Best Play Prize in 1974 at Five Civilized Tribes Museum





ROBERT J. CONLEY

- Cherokee Nation author of historical fiction and non-fiction
- First and only Native American president of the Western Writers of America
- Lifetime Achievement Award in 2014



FRAZIER COLLECTION

200-year Cherokee
family history, includes
allied families -
Morgan Family,
Yeatman Family, and
Ivey Family.

e work to night.
his after-noon and he said my old friend
an was in the city and was going to take
t seen her yet.
ool enough; I think Chicago is a fine
ast let me know a good while
or not so that Mr. Troupe can
is the adjoining room.
a you in the morning. If you
nd send to  and I will do
it down to a salted peanut.
All ever be
Your.




DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
Commissioner to the five Civilized Tribes.

Certificate of Allotment

T. _____ R. _____ **CHEROKEE LAND OFFICE**

Tahlequah, I.G.
This certifies that Mar
has this day filed his selection of
land, viz:

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SUB-DIVISION OF

Topics include slavery
and the Civil War,
education and society,
Cherokee allotment
and citizenship.



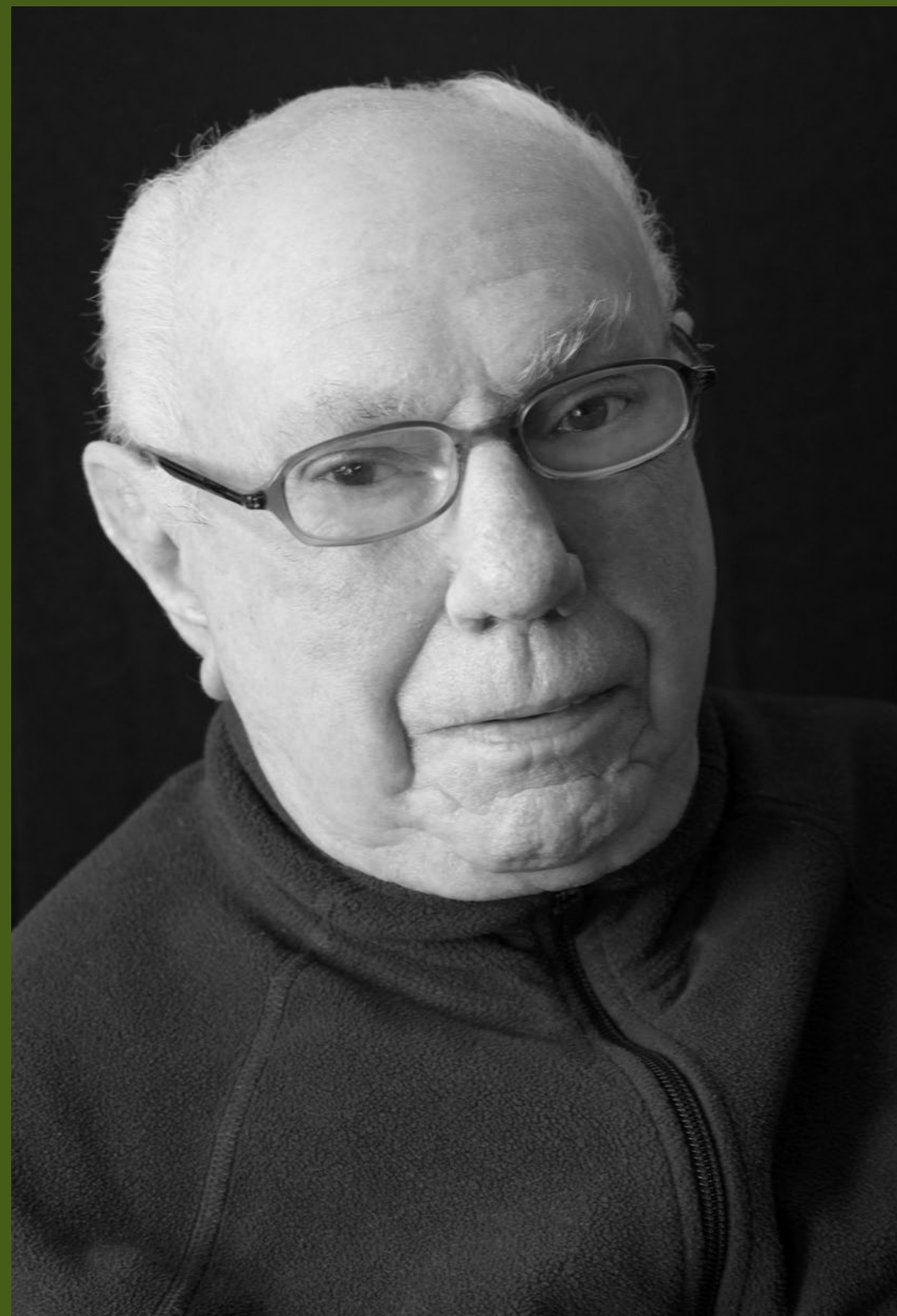
MAURICE KENNY

Mohawk-descended poet, editor, and
publisher

Studied under Louise Bogan, the 4th Poet
Laureate of the United States

Established Contact/II and Strawberry Press

Winner of American Book Award and
twice-nominated Pulitzer Prize author



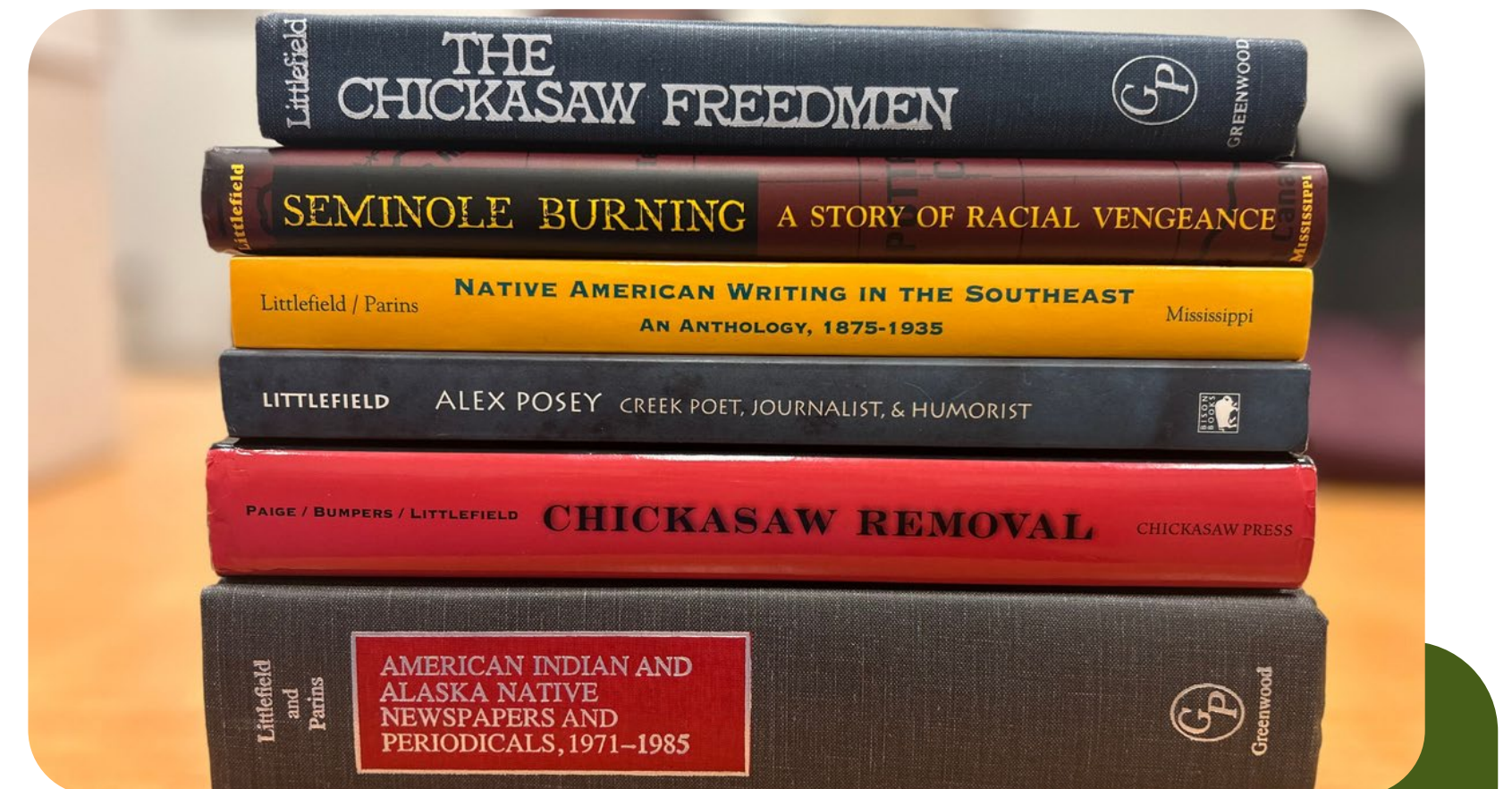


DANIEL F. LITTLEFIELD

Founding director of Sequoyah National
Research Center

Supported topics:

- Black Indians
- Indian Removal
- Native Literature



HEARTBEAT ALASKA


Created by Jeanie Greene, an
Inupiaq journalist

Over 1200 videos, now available on
YouTube

Includes This Generation, Northern
Lives, and We Win





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- Map of the Trail of Tears through Arkansas
 - 80+ sites identified
 - Current-day photographs
 - Primary resources documents
 - Touchscreen table & website

journeyofsurvival.org

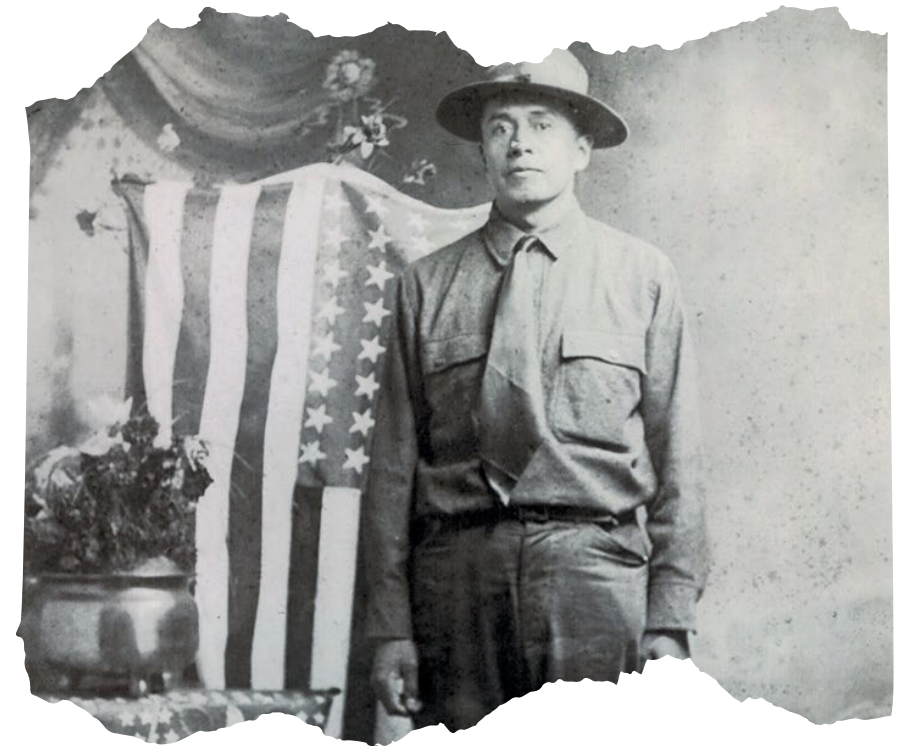


MODERN WARRIORS OF WORLD WAR I

Mission: Identify all 12,000 American Indians
and Alaska Natives who served in WWI

Created website with United States World
War I Centennial Commission in 2019

Partnered with George S. Robb Centre for the
Study of the Great War to identify Native
soldiers who qualify for the World War One
Valor Medals Review



CURRENT TOPICS

- Osage murders in 1920s
- Osage News coverage
- Louis F. Burns Papers



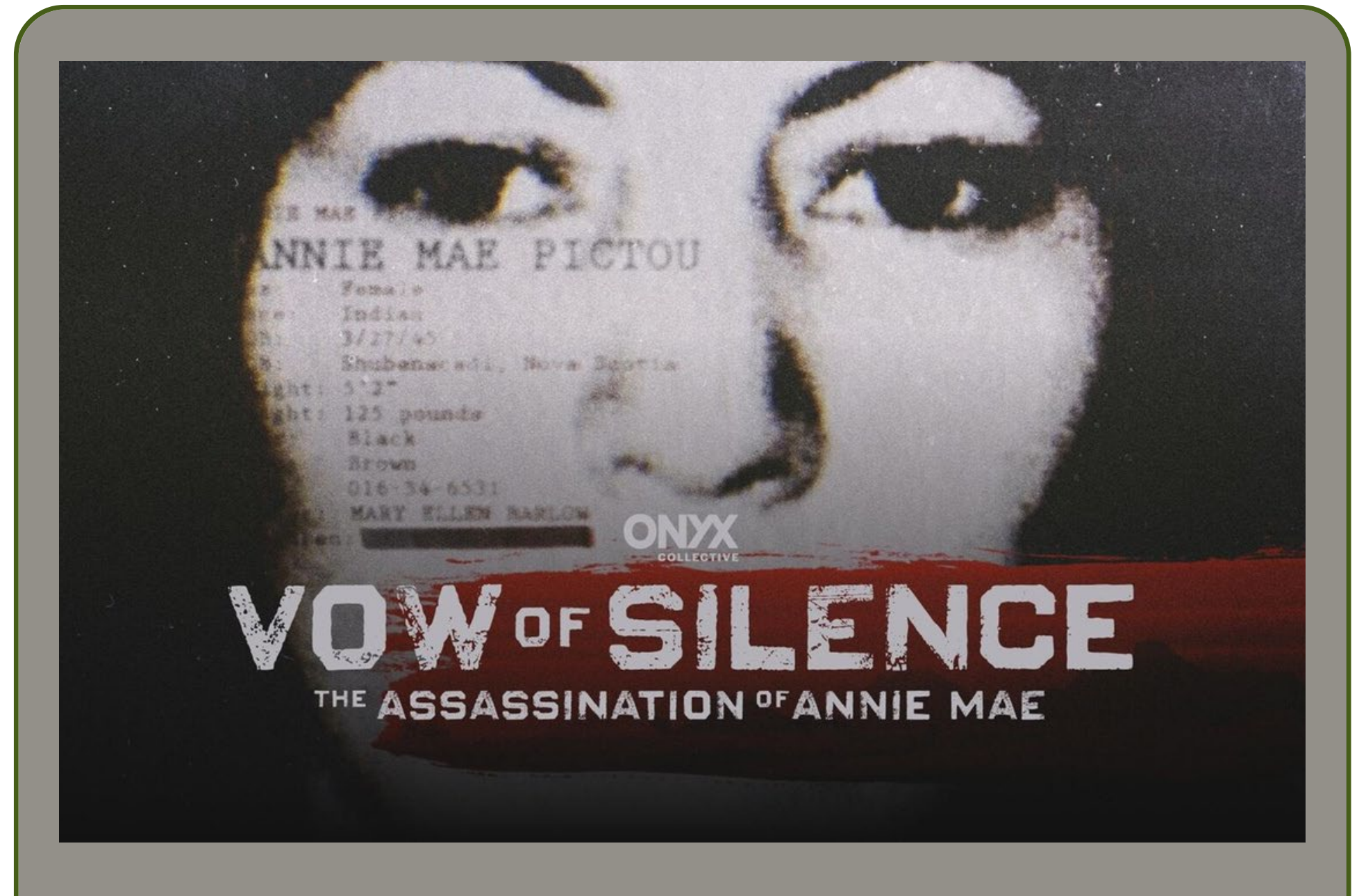
CURRENT TOPICS

- Missing and Murdered Indigenous Women (MMIW)
- Native newspaper coverage
- Special investigations and reports



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- Murder of Annie Mae Aquash & American Indian Movement
- Native newspaper coverage
- Investigative research in Paul DeMain Papers



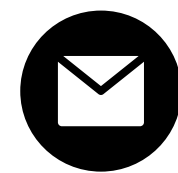


THANK YOU

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