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Detailed Overview

SUMMARY: *Sabin Americana, 1500–1926* offers an up-close perspective on life in the Americas, encompassing the arrival of the Europeans on the shores of North America in the late 15th century to the first decades of the 20th century. Covering a span of 400 years, this easy-to-use digital collection highlights the society, politics, religious beliefs, customs and momentous events of the time. Users will have quick access to books, pamphlets, broadsides and documents from an assortment of genres – from sermons and political tracts to legislation and literature.

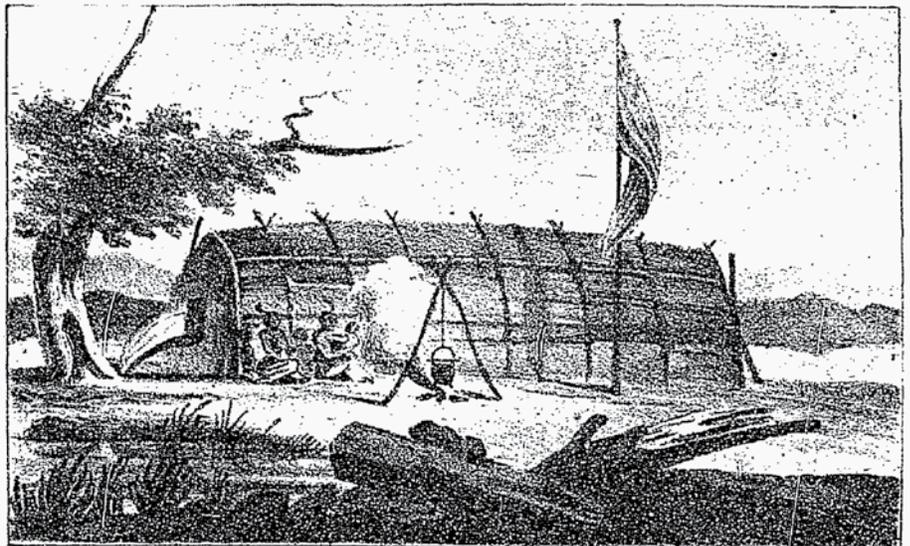
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SOURCE: Drawn from Joseph Sabin's famed bibliography, *Bibliotheca Americana – a Dictionary of Books Relating to America from Its Discovery to the Present Time, Sabin Americana, 1500-1926* covers four centuries of life in North, Central and South America, and the West Indies.

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Captain John Smith's map of New England, 1616



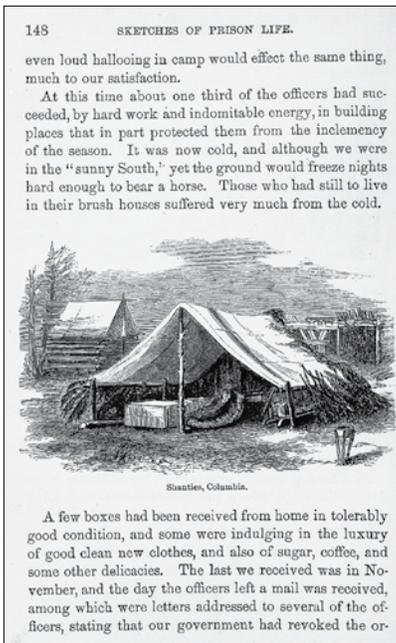
CHIPPEWAY INDIAN LODGE.

Illustration accompanying an article on Chippeway culture, 1827

Sabin Americana, 1500-1926

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Excerpt from an article on prison life in the South, 1865

Sabin Americana, 1500-1926 is an essential research tool for American studies and colonial history, providing an interdisciplinary perspective on American society, culture, history and politics.

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Discovery and exploration of the Americas - accounts from British, French, Spanish, Portuguese, Dutch and Danish explorers

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