

# Basic Detail Report

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## Alligator Hunt

**Date**

1948

**Primary Maker**

Fred Beaver (Eka La Nee [Brown Head])

**Medium**

Watercolor on board

### Description

Men capturing an alligator in the swamp. This painting shows how the alligator was captured by the young men of the tribe or family. The hide was dried and sold to white men for use making various purposes. The family itself used some of the hide for footwear and other uses around the home.

### Dimensions

Board: 14 × 21" (35.6 × 53.3 cm)