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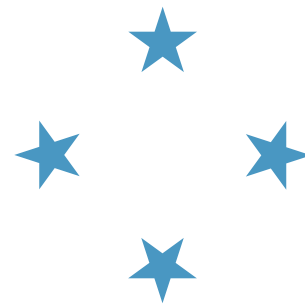
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This selection mainly features Yapese currencies and their history. It also shows the types and usages of local currencies that can be used in local gatherings, ceremonies, or events.

1. Machaf nu Waab I (Yapese Traditional Currencies I)

Performers: Yad
Date of Recording: N/A

This is a story about traditional Yapese currencies and how they were used on different occasions. Although Yap has many types of traditional money, each plays a different role depending on occasions and purposes. There are several types of money in Yap, ranging from stone money to shell money and beads.



2. Machaf nu Waab II (Yapese Traditional Currencies II)

Performer: N/A
Date of Recording: N/A

This is similar to the story of the Genesis flood in the Bible. This legend states that there was a big flood when a man mistakenly killed a rat who was the incarnation of his wife's mother. The story starts with a rat that snuck into the house and ate all the sugar cane reserved for the man's children. The man got mad at the rat and set a trap to kill it. The rat was killed and brought in a big flood that covered the whole island of Yap.



야프의 전통 화폐에 대한 구전 역사

본 선집은 야프의 화폐와 관련된 역사를 주로 다룬다. 또한 지역 모임, 예식, 행사에 사용할 수 있는 지역 통화의 종류와 사용법을 소개한다.

1. 아프의 전통 화폐 I

연행자: 아프
녹음연도: 해당 없음

아프의 전통 화폐와 이 전통 화폐가 다양한 상황에서 사용되는 방식을 다룬다. 아프에는 여러 가지 전통 화폐가 있고 각 화폐는 상황과 목적에 따라 상이한 역할을 수행한다. 돌, 조개, 구슬 등 다양한 재료로 만든 여러 종류의 돈이 있다.



2. 아프의 전통 화폐 II

연행자: 해당 없음
녹음연도: 해당 없음

성경의 창세기 편에 나오는 홍수 이야기와 유사하다. 전설에 따르면 한 남자가 장모의 현신(現身)인 쥐를 실수로 죽이자 대홍수가 발생했다. 이야기는 쥐 한 마리가 집에 몰래 들어와 남자가 자식들을 위해 남겨둔 사탕수수를 모두 먹어 치운 사건으로 시작한다. 남자는 분노하여 쥐를 죽이기 위해 덫을 놓는다. 그 결과 쥐가 죽자 거대한 홍수가 밀어닥쳐 아프 섬 전체를 집어삼켰다고 한다.



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