

Editor's Picks: Articles

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["Racializing Mexican Immigrants in Iowa's Early Mexican Communities"](#)

Omar Valerio-Jiménez, Annals of Iowa 75, no. 1 (Winter 2016), 1-46

["Settlement Sovereignty: The Meskwaki Fight for Self-Governance, 1856-1937"](#)

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