

# Guide to the Photographic Collections at The Center for Western Studies



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*The images of the young photographers and the resourceful water courier are a part of the Richard and Coletta Smith Collection at the Center for Western Studies.*



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**ASSOCIATIONS / ORGANIZATIONS**

**20002 American Indian Culture Research Center**

Format: glass-plate negatives, prints, digital

Extent of collection: 17 boxes and many framed prints

Time period: late 1800s - early 1900s

Description: The prints are monochromatic, and show Native Americans in daily life, as well as studio shots, and other miscellaneous images. The negatives were found by the brothers at Blue Cloud Abbey, near Marvin, SD. The photos generally depict Eastern Sioux tribes.

**20005 Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC)**

Format: published pictures

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1936 - 1937

Description: The collection contains a Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) scrapbook that belonged to Ralph B. Johnson. It contains information about Johnson and Company 711, which was stationed in Ely, Minnesota, and had its camp on the Portage River near there. Pictures of the members of Company 711 are in the book.



**20015            Lutheran Social Services**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 11 folders

Time period: 1960s

Description: The photos in this collection concern the Lutheran church's ministry among the Native Americans in South Dakota. Photo topics include people, ministry, arts and crafts, Indian culture, Indian housing, events, buildings and schools, and nature.

**20021            John Morrell and Company, Sioux Falls Plant Records**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 5 boxes

Time period: 1920s – 1970s

Description: The collection contains photographs, negatives, printed materials, and scrapbooks of John Morrell and Company since the construction of its Sioux Falls meat-packing plant in 1911. The photograph collection consists of interior and exterior scenes of workers and equipment. The various stages of building the first plant are depicted in one set of photographs. Other photo topics include group pictures, special events, a workers' strike, and advertising photos.

**20024            Sioux Falls Air Base, 1942-1945**

Format: prints

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1943

Description: The collection consists of two photos of the first anniversary of the base's service club on October 17, 1943.

**20030            Sioux Falls Stock Yards Company**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 18

Time period: possibly 1920 - 1940s

Description: The slides depict the yards, chutes, and animals, as well as trucks and cattle trailers. There are also a few pictures of employees.

**20032            Sioux Valley Hospital Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: possibly the 1920s

Description: The collection contains twenty-one unidentified photographs of various scenes of the Sioux Valley Hospital, including facilities such as the operating room and nursery, as well as the dining area. One photo depicts a number of the hospital's nurses, and another shows an ambulance from that period.

**20033            Sons of Norway**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 photograph

Time period: late 1800s

Description: This collection contains a photograph of a threshing crew up in Yellowgrass, Saskatchewan. The photo shows a threshing machine, steam engine tractors, teams of horses, and a number of men. The photo is labeled "C.A. Larsen's Outfit, Yellowgrass, Sask."

**20040 South Dakota Ornithologists' Union Records**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 4 boxes

Time period: multiple years, unknown

Description: The collection contains one box of photos of people and an additional three boxes containing slides of birds, nests, eggs, etc.

**20042 South Dakota State Medical Association Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 boxes and multiple scrapbooks

Time period: 1950s - 1960s

Description: The collection contains many pictures of people at various events, such as banquets, and at the South Dakota legislative building. Some photos are identified.

**20044 Nordland Fest**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 3 boxes

Time period: 1970s - 1980s

Description: The collection contains a number of pictures, the majority of which document events and exhibits, as well as people.

**20046 Norwegian Singers Association**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box, multiple scrapbooks and photo albums

Time period: 1920s - 1980s

Description: The collection contains many pictures of mens' singing groups and documents their participation in the Norwegian Singers Association of America (NSAA) Sangerfests. Other photos include pictures of their wives and guests at these events.

**20046.001 Robert Force -NSAA Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 4 large rolled photographs

Time period: 1920s

Description: These large group photos depict Norwegian Singers Association of America Sangerfest gatherings. The photos are from at least two separate NSAA events.

**20056 Dell Rapids Action Group- DRAG**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 100+ slides

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection consists of approximately 118 slides and contains an inventory. The slides document Dell Rapids' stores, houses, and other buildings, as well as parks and streets. Nearly all the slides are identified.

**20062 River Improvement Society- RISE**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 1 small box

Time period: 1990

Description: The 15 slides depict people and the landscape around the river, and efforts to improve the area around the Big Sioux River.

Related collection: Roy Nyberg Collection ID 30467—related, non-photographic collection

**20064 South Dakota American Guild of Organists Collection- SDAGO**

Format: prints

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: multiple years, unknown

Description: The collection depicts people, events, and local churches. Some photos are identified.

**20070 Sioux Falls Masonic Lodge**

Format: black and white photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: early 1900s

Description: The collection is comprised of 71 photographs of Masonic Lodge buildings in South Dakota. Included are photos of the construction of the Sioux Falls Masonic Lodge.

**20073 Beaver Creek Lutheran Church**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 scrapbooks, 1 folder

Time period: multiple years, 1940s - present

Description: The pictures depict various members of the church, as well as confirmations, baptisms, Vacation Bible School, Sunday School and Ladies Aid, and other typical church events.

**20074 Norse Glee Club**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 boxes, scrapbooks

Time period: multiple years, 1920s - 1960s

Description: The collection contains pictures of the Glee Club members, group gatherings, Nordland Fests, and more. A number of photos are of western scenery, especially the Black Hills. Some photos in this collection are hand-tinted.

**20075 Sioux Falls Municipal Band**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 1 box, some loose photos

Time period: multiple years, 1920s -1990s

Description: The collection contains pictures of the band, its conductors, and vocalists.

## PERSONAL PAPERS COLLECTIONS

### **30005 Gladys Amacher Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: a few photos

Time period: late 1940s

Description: The collection contains a few photographs of the Big Sioux River.

### **30008 Guy Anderson Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs, photographic postcards, negatives

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: early 1900s

Description: The collection contains over 350 photos, postcards, reprints, and some duplicates of Sioux Falls and other South Dakota scenes. Most of the photos are identified. Spanish American War and WWI photos are also included in the collection.

### **30020 Anna Berdahl**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 album

Time period: 1890s

Description: Anna Berdahl's photograph collection consists of an album entitled "Sioux Falls During the 1890's." It includes photos of many buildings, street scenes, and the falls of the Big Sioux River.

Related collections: 30021, 30021.001, 30022, 30388, 30408

### **30021 Clarence Berdahl**

Format: photographs, photographic postcards

Extent of collection: two photo albums

Time period: 1900 - 1963

Description: The collection contains portraits and photos of family, scenes around the farm, and images of weddings and other events. The postcards depict a number of buildings from Minnesota and South Dakota.

Related collections: 30020, 30021.001, 30022, 30388, 30408

### **30021.001 Julian Berdahl**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 item

Time period: 1906

Description: The collection contains a large group portrait of the Kristi Berdahl family, dated 1906.

Related collections: 30020, 30021, 30022, 30388, 30408

### **30022 James O. Berdahl Collection**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1800s - 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos of family, various events, and South Dakota towns.

The collection also documents Berdahl's travels and includes photos taken in Norway.

Related collections: 30020, 30021, 30021.001, 30388, 30408

### **30025            Boe Family Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 4 boxes

Time period: late 1800s - 1984

Description: The collection contains photographs of the Boe family, Rev. Nils N. Boe and his wife Sissel, and their children, Dagny, Lois, Karen, Borghild, and Nils Andreas. The collection also contains some antique photo albums.

Related collections: 30329, 30466

### **30026            Pearl Boe Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1800s - 1950s

Description: This collection contains photos of the construction of the Presho American Lutheran Church, a portrait of Dr. V.T. McGillicuddy, a pioneer doctor who served at Pine Ridge Reservation and Rapid City, a photo of Calamity Jane, and photos of a Roundup Years event.

### **30033            Charlotte V. Carver—South Dakota Arts Council Papers**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1967 - 1990

Description: The photographs depict meetings, events, and people associated with the South Dakota Arts Council. Most of the photographs are identified.

### **30035            Fern L. Chamberlain Papers**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1930s

Description: The collection contains one folder of Civilian Conservation Corps (CCC) photographs, along with related news clippings from 1990. The images depict young men involved in radio school code practices, working in the commissary, learning to cook, receiving U.S. Forest Service Radio training, and taking aeroplane mechanics courses, among other activities.

### **30036            Fred C. and J. Marie Christopherson Papers**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1952 - 1982

Description: The photographs illustrate Fred and Marie's public and home life, and the approximately 380 slides predominantly document the Christophersons' travels in the U.S. and abroad from 1957-1972.

**30047 Edith Mortenson Delman Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: late 1800s - early 1900s

Description: The collection contains images of farm scenes depicting threshing, steam engine tractors, and livestock, as well as photos of homesteads. The collection also contains portraits.

**30048 Vine Deloria, Jr. Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: inclusive of dates 1911 - 1960s

Description: Deloria's collection contains photographs of Sitting Bull's death site, a photo of St. Francis, and a few scrapbooks contains pictures of All Saints' School and St. Elizabeth's School. Most of the photos are identified.

**30053 D.C. Doerr Look's and Bauch's Meat Market Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: late 1800s

Description: The collection contains pictures of Bauch's Meat Market and Look's Meat Market.

**30058 Paul Eide Photograph Collection**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 photograph

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection contains one photograph of a threshing machine which has fallen through a bridge.

**30060 John Elsing—Mansfield, SD Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection contains items relating to the history of the Mansfield, SD area. The collections includes three photographs of the Beater Brothers, three photos of an Indian village excavation near Mobridge, and a photo of the last bull train (cattle drive).

**30064 Fred W. Farrar Photograph Collection**

Format: photographic prints

Extent of collection: about 25 prints

Time period: early 1900s

Description: Fred Farrar was a pioneer photographer who lived in the Black Hills. The collection contains only a few prints from Farrar's complete collection of photos. The prints in

this collection were used for an exhibit at the Center. The prints' topics include people, events, businesses, trains, and rural and hunting scenes, all from the Black Hills area. Only some are identified, and even fewer are dated.

**30076.01 Reuben Goertz—Germans from Russia Collection**

Format: photographs, slides, negatives, glass-plate negatives

Extent of collection: 14 boxes

Time period: 1900s

Description: The Goertz collection contains an extensive collection of prints, 6,000 slides, negatives, and glass-plate negatives. Topics include photos of individuals and groups, family portraits, Goertz's travels, and street scenes, likely from Freeman, SD where he made his home.

**30077 Clemens Granskou Family Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1900s

Description: The photos in the Granskou Collection include family pictures, as well as photos depicting Granskou serving as a military aviator during World War I. Photos from Granskou's time as Augustana College president can be found in the related collection listed below.

Related collection: 30139

**30081 Sioux K. Grigsby Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1891 - 1935

Description: The Grigsby Collection contains photos of people, the construction crew for the Carpenter Hotel, and a 1928 used car lot.

**30082 Albert H. Hagen - Phyllis Day Collection**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 6 folders

Time period: 1891 - 1941

Description: The collection contains a number of group photos from miscellaneous events, photos of Opdalslaget personnel and meetings, and photos from a school reunion.

**30089 Mrs. Ralph O. Hillgren Collection**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 photograph

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection contains a photograph of Oscar Rolie, the second white boy born in Sioux Falls.

**30096 Dale Jensen Photograph Collection**

Format: prints, negatives

Extent of collection: 9 boxes

Time period: 1900 - 1940

Description: The Dale Jensen photograph collection is quite extensive. Most of the pictures were taken in the Black Hills area, although the collection contains pictures taken from all over South Dakota. The collection covers a number of topics, including landscapes, cities, Native Americans, President Coolidge and many other people, buildings and businesses.

**30104            Olaf M. (Bud) Jordeth Photograph Collection**

Format: black and white prints

Extent of collection: 39 prints

Time period: 1985 - 1905

Description: The collection consists of reprints of photographs taken by Einar Jordeth of rural scenes in the Gettysburg and Lebanon, SD, areas, campus scenes of Lutheran Normal School, and the University of South Dakota.

**30108            Roy Kintner Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: late 1800s - early 1900s

Description: The photograph collection contains over 250 photos relating to the work and family of Roy Adolph Swartwout, who was a bridge engineer. The collection also contains early nineteenth century photos of work and family life, cars, recreational activities, and the Great Plains.

**30109            Emma (Mrs. Tom) Kirby Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1939 - 1960

Description: The collection contains photograph albums of Thomas H. Kirby, a Sioux Falls lawyer and son of the founder of the Western Surety Company. Photo topics include family activities, recreation, and events, mainly from the 1940s.

**30112            Doris Knutson Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection contains 23 unidentified photographs. Included are two postcards of Sioux Falls, photos of the falls of the Big Sioux River, photos of the construction of a dam, and what appears to be the aftermath of a summer storm or tornado.

**30114            Herbert Krause Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1905 - 1976

Description: The boxes contain many photographs of author and teacher Krause and his family spanning his whole life. Photos of his travels in Australia, South Africa, and the Philippines are included as well as a collection of photos relating to his book publications.



**30116 Alice Kundert—Nils Boe Scrapbook Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 album

Time period: 1950s - 1990s

Description: The Kundert collection contains one photo album consisting of pictures Kundert took of Governor Nils A. Boe and herself, both from the time he was in office through his retirement.

Related collection: 30466

**30117 Ron and Charlotte Lakson Photographic Slide Collection**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection consists of a wide assortment of slides of the Northern Plains and Rocky Mountain regions, focusing mainly on South Dakota and Wyoming. Some features the slides focus on are the South Dakota Badlands, Grand Teton Mountains, Yellowstone National Park, Mt. Rushmore, and more. Also included is a collection of photos taken during the changing seasons of the area around Spearfish, SD, the donor's hometown.

**30120 Evangeline Larson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: early 1900s

Description: This collection contains photos of Larson's father, P.E. Peterson, and the Loricks-Peterson Heritage House, which is now a museum in Oldham, SD. The pictures complement the correspondence between the father and daughter during the 1930s, which describes some of the family's hardships during the Great Depression.

**30123 Verna Lippert Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 folders

Time period: 1923

Description: The collection contains photographs of Battery C, 9<sup>th</sup> Field Artillery, Pierre, SD, as well as undated photos of Plains Indians and Dakota Territory.

**30124 William Beach Locke Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: early- to mid-1900s

Description: The collection contains photographs on the topics of the William A. Beach Printing Company picnics, the Beach-Locke wedding, and Beach family photos.

**30133 Gunnar Johannes Malmin Collection**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 photograph

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection contains one photograph of the sloop "Selen."

**30138 V.H. Masters Collection**

Format: photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1880 - 1920

Description: The collection contains over 200 postcards of South Dakota and the American West. Masters collected these postcards from the towns he visited while working as a bank examiner.

**30139 Ruth Granskou Mellem Papers**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box and 3 folders

Time period: early- to mid-1900s

Description: The collection contains photographs relating to Ruth's parents, Clemens and Ella Granskou, as well as photos of Waldorf College and other misc. photos and albums.

Related collection: 30077

**30141 Roy A. Miller Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1940s

Description: The collection contains photos taken in or near the Calumet Shipyard in Chicago. Images include the towboat Horace E. Horton, a river steamboat and barge, and an unidentified ship christening.

**30145 Gertie Moen Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: mid 1800s

Description: The photos in this collection complement the family history manuscript regarding Moen's grandfather, Esten E. Eggen, a homesteader near Sioux Falls in about 1871.

**30146 L. J. Moriarty**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1939 - 1951

Description: The collection contains negatives and prints of birds and nests taken by Moriarty, a dentist in Watertown, SD.

**30148 Patrick David Morrow Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: around the 1920s

Description: The collection contains family photographs, at least some of which were taken in the 1920s. The photos relate to the two books Morrow attempted to publish.

**30149 Anna Mortensen Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1900 - 1950

Description: This collection contains photographs taken of Sioux Falls, and most photos are identified. Many photographs contain people, and quite a few identify local businesses. A few relate to World War I.

**30151 Ann B. Mundelein Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: mainly 1922 - 1933

Description: The collection contains two folders of photographs from Mundelein's time doing evangelistic work in China, and four photo albums covering many different subjects. Many of the photos are identified.

**30155 V.R. Nelson—Civilian Pilot Training Program Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 4 folders

Time period: 1940s - 1990s

Description: The photos document the Civilian Pilot Training Program and the Augustana Aviation Program, of which V.R. Nelson was an instructor. Some photos are identified.

**30159 Old Fort Thompson Project**

Format: photographs, negatives, slides

Extent of collection: 2.5 boxes

Time period: 1890s - 1984

Description: The collection consists mainly of photographs of the Old Fort Thompson and Crow Creek areas. Some photos are identified. Some topics include tipis, buildings, portraits, Niobrara, and more.

**30163 Clarence S. Paine Collection**

Format: prints

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: mid- to late-1800s

Description: The collection contains photographs on Wild Bill Hickok, Calamity Jane, and other Western characters.

**30164 Donald Dean Parker**

Format: photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1880s

Description: The collection contains images of sod houses in Nebraska in the 1880s. The postcards were published by the Nebraska State Historical Society in Lincoln. One image

depicts what is referred to as a “mansion:” a 2 or 2 ½ floor sod house with a chimney, large windows, and a steeply pitched roof.

**30166 Maurine and Orville Paulson collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1910 - 1915

Description: The collection contains photographs of Norwegian-Americans at Stavangerlaget meetings in Eagle Grove, Iowa.

**30168 Irma Person Collection**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 photograph

Time period: 1955

Description: The collection contains a photo of Dr. Richard Tauber at Ebenezer Lutheran Church in Albany, Minnesota.

**30171 Bessie Pettigrew Papers**

Format: photographs, glass-plate negatives

Extent of collection: 7 boxes

Time period: 1870 – early 1900s

Description: The collection contains portraits, as well as photos of family, land surveying, and many communities, especially Sioux Falls.

**30173 Peder L. Phillips Collection**

Format: photographs, slides, negatives

Extent of collection: 2 folders

Time period: early 1900s - 1971

Description: The collection contains a family portrait, family photos, pictures of the farm, and Peder in his World War I uniform. Peder was a farmer in Valley Springs, SD.

**30175 Lester A. and Edith L. Pierson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 folders

Time period: 1923 - 1970s

Description: An interesting image in the collection is a photo of the Grace Lutheran Drive-in Church in Watertown, SD. The collection also contains photos of the Womens Missionary Federation Scholarships winners, as well as the Piersons.

**30186 Gilbert P. Riswold Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: early 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos of some of Riswold's prize-winning sculptures, as well as photos of his wife and himself.

**30192            Lloyd Schrag Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 folders

Time period: 1921 - 1991

Description: The collection contains photos of meetings, various groups, his family, and his farm, as well as photos of political candidates or officials. Some of these photos are autographed.

**30194            Kent Scribner Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 7 folders

Time period: 1962 - 1984

Description: The collection contains photographs relating to the South Dakota Symphony, previously known as the Sioux Falls Symphony.

**30197            Eleanor Shanley Collection**

Format: photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: early 1900s

Description: The collection contains 23 postcards from North and South Dakota. Included are images of Sioux Falls, Pierre, Watertown, and Grand Forks.

**30199            Harold Shunk Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 11 boxes

Time period: 1850 - 1987

Description: The photograph collection is extensive and composed, largely, of identical images in various sizes. Many of the images were done by the Bureau of Indian Affairs cartographic unit in Concho, Oklahoma. Some subject categories include Buffalo Bill's Wild West Show, Sioux Reservations, ranching, Turtle Mountain Agency, and more.

**30207            James R. Smith Collection**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1956-1992

Description: Smith was a founder and employee of Raven Industries, Inc., which became known for its balloons, many of which were used for high-altitude research and for parades. Some of Raven's customers were the U.S. Office of Naval Research and the Air Force Special Weapons Center. The photographs depict balloons, people, and facilities. Also included is a slide presentation entitled, "Geography of the Northern Plains."

**30210            Lawrence M. Stavig Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 folders

Time period: 1925 - 1975

Description: The collection contains photos of family, friends, banquets and events, and Augustana College, where Stavig served as president. Also included is Paul Stavig's baby book, covering the years 1925-1930.

**30216 Nils Petter Swanson Papers**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: late 1800s

Description: Swanson was a copper miner in the Upper Peninsula of Michigan. The collection contains photos of miners on a ship near Calumet, MI, photos of men in a row boat, and a portrait of Swanson.

**30225 Leonard Y. Tripp Papers**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1918 - 1981

Description: The collection contains photographs, which along with clippings and monographs, reflect Tripp's interest in the Yankton Trail, steamboats on the Missouri River, street railways in South Dakota, the stonecutting industry in Sioux Falls, and other aspects of South Dakota history.

**30235 Nellie Zabel Willhite Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1904 - mid 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos relating to Willhite, South Dakota's first female pilot. Included are images of Willhite, family, and friends, as well as flying. Also, the collection contains a scrapbook of photos of the Women's Hospital of the State Hospital in Yankton, SD.

**30245 Mary Hobbs Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1920s

Description: The collection contains photographs of Hobbs' mother, Mrs. Paul Barbour, in the 1920s while she and her family lived at St. Mary's in Springfield.

**30248 Ivan Nelson Collection**

Format: black and white photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1890 – early 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos and negatives of American Indians. Topics of the photos include Wounded Knee after the massacre, dances, village life, including food preparation, and portraits of various people.

**30252 Byron A. Russell Collection**

Format: photographs, photographic postcards, negatives, glass-plate negatives

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos and postcards of the Devil's Nest area of Nebraska, and the communities of Wayne, NE, and Yankton and Wall, SD. Also included are images of Russell's family, home, and lands and communities near where he lived.

**30253 Ethel Oyans Collection**

Format: black and white photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: mid 1900s

Description: The photos in this collection were used in Oyans' book, "South Dakota for Young People." Subjects include nature and wildlife, scenery, fields, buildings, and recreation activities.

**30256 South Dakota Penitentiary**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1885

Description: This is a photo of the first warden and guards of the South Dakota Penitentiary, taken in 1885.

**30277 Les Baylor—Rapid City Flood Slide Collection**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 20 slides

Time period: 1972

Description: This collection contains 20 color slides of the Rapid City area. These slides date from June 8 and 10, July 8, and August 27, 1972. A note included with the collection explains that the donor, Les Baylor, spent the night of June 9-10, 1972, in Vanocke Canyon surrounded by flash-flood water.

**30279 Janet May—Joe Foss Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 photographs

Time period: early 1940s

Description: The Janet May collection contains two photos of aviator Joe Foss taken at his farm during World War II.

**30281 Enid Kinhead—Baltic Photograph Collection**

Format: black and white photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1890 - 1905

Description: The collection consists of twelve photos of the Questad Store and Flour Mill in Baltic, SD.

**30283 Janet Aronson Photograph Collection**

Format: black and white photographic prints

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1909, 1914 - 1919, and 1934

Description: The subjects of the collection are primarily of the Sioux Falls area, and include the Crescent Creamery, Washington High School, First Congregational Church, and the Sioux Falls Brewing Company.

**30289 Robert Kolbe Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs, photo postcards, negatives

Extent of collection: 8 boxes

Time period: late 1800s – mid 1900s

Description: The Kolbe collection contains a number of photo topics, including Campbell Family photos, John Gamble Estate photos, Dr. L.M. Hardin photos, and Hartman Family photos. Images in the Athol Mabee Photograph Postcard collection, some of which are identified, are military in nature containing the subjects of the Mexican Border Conflict and World War I in France.

**30292 Richard Cropp Collection**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: about 5 boxes

Time period: late 1800s – mid- to late-1900s

Description: Richard Cropp spent 34 years in the South Dakota National Guard and retired in 1961 as a Lieutenant Colonel. The collection contains a large number of military-related photos, many regarding World War I and World War II. Also included are a number of photos of family and of Native Americans.

**30295 Robert Evanson and Thomas Hovland Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: unknown

Description: The entire collection is comprised of photographs of trains.

**30296 Historic Sioux Falls Slide Collection**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: late 1800s - mid 1900s

Description: The Historic Sioux Falls slide collection is an extensive collection that contains slides on a number of topics, including industry, public buildings, business buildings, transportation, panoramic and bird's eye views of Sioux Falls, rivers and bridges, street scenes, parks, cemeteries, people, houses, institutions, churches, and civic organizations. Box two contains non-Sioux Falls slides focusing on rural scenes, counties, roads, rivers, people, and small cities.

**30299 John Saul Slides**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1930s



Description: This collection is composed of slide images of Saul's paintings under the Works Progress Administration. These were used in Yankton Sioux Water Colors, published by CWS in 1993.

**30308 CWS Oversize Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 photographs

Time period: late 1800s, and 1900

Description: The collection contains two photographs of the Minnehaha Mandskor men's singing group.

**30314 Arthur Helm Estate Collection—Roland Reed Photographs**

Format: sepia photographs

Extent of collection: 8 photographs

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection consists of photographs of American Indians and the American West, taken by photographer Roland Reed.

Related collection: 30449

**30315 Richard and Coletta Smith Collection**

Format: black and white photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1890s - 1930s

Description: This extensive collection contains photos taken by Richard Smith of the small towns around Winner, SD, and of everyday life. Also included is a series from the White River Rodeo.

**30325 Jim Legg Collection**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 3 photographs, more than 100 slides

Time period: 1973

Description: The collection contains many slides pertaining to the second Wounded Knee. The photographs show the church, a helicopter, and multiple military tanks involved in the siege.

**30326 Belva Curtis Collection**

Format: slides, negatives

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1899 - 1990

Description: The collection consists of slides of portraits painted by portrait artist Curtis, and also slides of Native Americans, including the Sioux, Navaho, and Northwest Indian tribes.

**30329 Borghild Boe Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1964 - 1972, 1980

Description: The collection contains pictures of Borghild's retirement party Family Service Association of America, as well as a number of scrapbooks regarding her brother Nils Boe's campaign and time as Governor of South Dakota. More photos of Borghild can be found in the Nils A. Boe collection at 30466.

Related collections: 30025, 30466

**30330 Kordy Johnson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 folders

Time period: late 1800s – 1950s

Description: The collection contains pictures of people and buildings Augustana College in the 1950s, as well as many family photos and portraits.

**30338 Herb Qualseth—Argus Leader Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 oversized cases

Time period: 1940s – 1950s

Description: These photos by Argus Leader photographer Qualseth relate to stories covered by the Sioux Falls newspaper.

**30344 Roscoe Dean - Wounded Knee Research Files**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 65 slides

Time period: 1890

Description: The collection contains a set of slides published by the Smithsonian Institute and entitled, "The Ghost Dance Tragedy at Wounded Knee."

Related collection: 30442

**30364 Mary Ellen Eggers Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos of houses, as well as portraits. One interesting portrait shows number of children in various poses with their new bicycles.

**30368 Ray Loftesness Papers**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 4 folders

Time period: 1950s - 1973

Description: The collection contains photos of South Dakota State Corn Picking contests and farm implements, as well as a number of KSOO-related photos. The slides depict the Voices at Rushmore event.

**30380 East Nidaros and Dedication of Lutheran Church in Irene, SD, Oct. 1911**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1911

Description: The collection contains two photos. The first image is titled, "East Nidaros," and the second is titled, "Dedication of Lutheran Church in Irene, SD, October 1911."

**30384 Virgil Smith Collection**

Format: photographs, photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s

Description: The collection mainly contains portraits, but some photos portray the Sioux Falls Fire Department building on Minnesota Avenue, firemen, and horses and equipment, c. 1913.

**30386 Albert Good - Francis R. Sutton Papers**

Format: photographs, tintypes

Extent of collection: 2 folders

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s

Description: The collection contains portraits, farming, wildlife, landscape and town scenes, as well as photos of the Corn Palace in Mitchell.

**30388 Berdahl Family Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos of family, the homestead, buildings, Sioux Falls, groups of people and some portraits. Some of the photographs are identified.

Related collections: 30020, 30021, 30021.001, 30022, 30408

**30395 Ed Kilen Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: late 1800s, 1925

Description: The collection contains quite a few portraits taken by a studio in Bergen, Norway. Of interest in the collection are images from a Norse-American Centennial celebration in 1925. Some photos show stands of people creating the image of the Norwegian flag, followed by the American flag.

**30406 Herman Lerdahl—Agnes Sundal Dybvig Photograph Album Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1910 - 1914

Description: The collection contains 84 photographs, many in postcard form. Sundal was a student at Lutheran Normal School from 1910-1914, and the photos reflect events and acquaintances from her time at the school.

**30407 Lucien Johnson Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1800s - early 1900s

Description: The collection includes photographs of family members and the family farm.

**30408            John H. Thompson Collection**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s

Description: The Thompson collection contains many photographs and albums related to the Berdahl family. Photo topics include the Berdahl family members, the family's house and church, and events such as weddings.

Related collections: 30020, 30021, 30021.001, 30022, 30388

**30409            David Humphreys Miller Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 4 boxes

Time period: 1900s

Description: The extensive collection contains many pictures of Native Americans, rodeo photos, travels in Mexico, Asia, and probably Africa, and Miller's time in the military. Also included are many production stills from his time as a technical advisor for TV shows and films. Pictures of Miller with his book, *Custer's Fall: The Native American Side of the Story*, are also in the collection.

**30416            Eleanor Segirdsen Collection**

Format: photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: late 1800s - early 1900s

Description: This small collection contains historic Sioux Falls, SD, postcards.

**30417            Dorothy Jacobson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: possibly 1917

Description: This is a collection of WWI photographs apparently from the Fourth Regiment of the South Dakota Volunteers of Sioux Falls, possibly Battery D.

**30422            Richard Miller—Rosebud Photos**

Format: digital— CD-R

Extent of collection: over 270 images

Time period: late 1800s

Description: The collection contains images of Native Americans and Native artifacts, buildings, and portraits. The disk features a document containing image comparisons and notes.

**30427            Gary L. Conradi Photograph Albums**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 4 albums

Time period: 1880s – present

Description: The Conradi photograph albums document the 64 South Dakota county courthouses and the South Dakota Supreme Courthouse through photographs and historical information. The negatives for these photos are included in the collection.

**30429 Sven Froiland Collection**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection:

Time period:

Description: The collection contains a number of photos and slides collected by Augustana College biology professor, Sven Froiland, that focus on topics such as the Black Hills, Froiland's travels, his time at Augustana College and the Center for Western Studies, and his personal life.

**30431 Richard Stivers Collection**

Format: black and white photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: about 1910

Description: The postcards depict scenes from South Dakota, mainly of ranch life and rural scenes.

**30433 Mina Lerhdal Olson Collection—Beloit Children's Home Photographs**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1909 - 1910

Description: The collection contains seven photographs that depict people and places from the Beloit Children's Home in Canton, SD. The photos are identified in a general way, but do not specify peoples' names.

**30436 Martin Ballinger Collection—NCAI Photo**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 oversize photograph

Time period: 1944

Description: This collection is composed of a single photograph, the National Convention of the National Congress of American Indians official group photograph. The photo depicts a large group of Native Americans in front of the Bamboo Room in Denver, Colorado, during the time of November 15-18, 1944.

**30442 Roscoe Dean Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1975

Description: The collection contains two 8x10 color photographs. The photos depict George Bridge hitching up a covered wagon on the prairie.

Related collection: 30344

**30449 Native American Oversize Print Collection**

Format: prints

Extent of collection: 5 prints

Time period: supposed to depict the 1800s or earlier

Description: These prints depict Native Americans and Native American life. The groups represented are Ojibwa, Piegan, and Hopi. The photos are staged, and the models are wearing fancy clothing rather than everyday clothes. The originals were taken by the photographer Roland Reed.

Related collection: 30314

**30452 Dorothy Grinager Lindbloom Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: early 1900s

Description: This collection contains family, Augustana College, and Dakota Infantry photos. Military subjects include the Mexican Border Conflict and World War I. Some of the photographs are identified.

**30453 Susan Haig Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: photographs are interspersed among 4 scrapbooks

Time period: late 1900s

Description: The collection is composed of four scrapbooks which detail the tenure of Susan Haig as the director of the South Dakota Symphony. The photos depict people and events at the Washington Pavilion.

**30459 Leroy Iseminger Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 photographs

Time period: 1921 - 1923

Description: The collection contains two photographs of the Augustana College Choirs from 1921-1923.

**30462 Eleanor Peterson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 boxes of albums

Time period: 1988 - 2005

Description: The collection consists of extensive photos of Scandinavian rosemaling, many taken at the annual National Rosemaling Exhibition sponsored by the Vesterheim museum.

**30465 Orville Waltner Collection—World War II**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: Interspersed among 12 boxes

Time period: 1940s - 2005

Description: The Waltner collection contains many photos of WWII-related objects and events. Many images are copies of photos.

**30466 Nils A. Boe Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 boxes

Time period: 1913 - 1992

Description: The Nils A. Boe collection contains numerous photographs. The photos document his childhood, time in school and the military, his political and law careers, and his retirement. A number of the photos include family members, especially his sister Borghild, who acted as First Lady while Nils served as the South Dakota governor.

Related collections: 30025, 30329, 30116

**30468 Claude VanEpps Collection**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1920s - 1972

Description: This collection contains a number of photos and slides relating to Boy Scouting. Van Epps was a scout leader and held many positions within the national organization.

**30476 Barbara Westby Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 10 folders

Time period: 1800s - 2004

Description: Westby was a specialist in Norwegian-language cataloguing for the Library of Congress. The photographs in this collection pertain to her work, but also to her family and her travels. Included in the collection is a photo album depicting images of Norway and the end of Nazi occupation.

**30487 Max Rittgers Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 file

Time period: 1990s

Description: The collection contains photos related to the Cheyenne River Expedition and the discovery of the A Miotte plate.

**30495 Elmer O. Forsberg Collection**

Format: photographs, photographic postcard

Extent of collection: 3 items

Time period: 1892, 1900

Description: The Forsberg collection consists of two photographs and a photographic postcard. The postcard depicts the creamery in Elmer's hometown of DeSmet around 1900. One photograph shows a family outside a house with the caption: The Forsberg's and their "Sod House Home," 1892. The other photo is an aerial shot of a farm, likely the Forsberg's farm.

**30500 Herbert Hoover**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1000s of images

Time period: 1900s

Description: This collection will be deposited at the Center for Western Studies at a future date and will contain numerous pictures of Native Americans, reservations, and other South Dakota-related subjects.

**39000.001 Photo Album**

Format: black and white photographs

Extent of collection: 1 album

Time period: about 1900

Description: The photo album contains pictures of Sioux Falls and what appears to be a trip to California. The Center has no donor information about this collection.

**39000.005 Lottie Huston Collection**

Format: photograph

Extent of collection: 1 photograph

Time period: 1938

Description: The collection contains a portrait of Lottie Huston at about 21 years old.

**39000.006 Minnehaha County Jail and Courthouse Photograph**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 photo

Time period: likely the 1920s

Description: The collection is composed of one photograph of the Minnehaha County Jail and Courthouse.

**39000.023 Ragnild Risty Collection**

Format: photographs, photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 1 file

Time period: around 1900

Description: The collection consists of a number of photographs of Ragnild Risty and her family. A few of these are in a postcard format, and some photos were taken on the Lutheran Normal School campus.

**39000.032 Dale J. Simons Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 8 photos

Time period: 1940s

Description: These photos document Simons' time as a chaplain in the U.S. military stationed on Tarawa. Images include shots of the church, cemetery, and a memorial, as well as military life and the base.

**39500 Miscellaneous Photograph Collections**

Format: photographs, tintypes

Extent of collection: about 30 photographs

Time period: late 1800s



Description: This collection of miscellaneous photographs contains images of the Sioux Falls Brewery interior, photos of kitchen and household appliances and the appliance showrooms from the 1920s and 1930s, and the Simeon E. Dow house, among others.

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### **40001.01 Bishop William Hobart Hare Papers**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1870 – 1883, 1890 – 1903

Description: The collection contains photos of St. Elizabeth's School, Hope Chapel of the Messiah, Pine Ridge Agency, clergy, and St. Paul's school, as well as other miscellaneous photos.

### **40001.03 Hugh L. Burleson Papers**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1918, 1920, 1924 - 1930

Description: The collection contains photographs of Niobrara Convocations in 1918 and 1920, church buildings on the Lower Brule and Crow Creek Reservations, and several clergy.

### **40001.04 William Blair Roberts Papers**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1907 – 1953

Description: The Roberts Papers contain an extensive photograph collection. The five scrapbooks contain photos on the topics of "The 313<sup>th</sup> Engineers in France" in World War I, the Niobrara Convocations of 1915, 1923, and 1925, the Church of the Incarnation in Dallas, SD, a scrapbook prepared by Elizabeth Bradley, and other subjects relating to the Episcopal Church.

### **40001.05 Conrad Gesner Papers**

Format: photograph

Time period: 1921

Description: The Conrad Gesner Papers contain one portrait of Paul Roberts, taken in 1921, as well as a number of other photos included in the Episcopal Diocese Photographs Collection at 40011.01.

### **40001.07 Walter H. Jones Papers**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1958 – 1989

Description: The collection contains a scrapbook of St. Luke's Chapel, Iron Lightning, 1958-1989.

### **40002.01 Edward Ashley Papers**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1890, 1900 – 1907, 1920 – 1926

Description: This collection consists of photographs of convocations, Cheyenne River Church buildings, and various individuals.

**40003.02 Wilbert D. Swain Papers**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1925, 1931, 1940

Description: This collection contains photographs of the buildings at Camp Remington and St. Paul's Church at Vermillion, SD. Also included are several photos of buildings on the University of South Dakota campus in Vermillion, SD.

**40005.02 Elizabeth Bradley Papers**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1894 – mid-1900s, 1903

Description: This collection contains photos of church buildings, Native Americans and their families, convocations, individuals, Indian camps, mission buildings, including St. Elizabeth's School, and photos of the 1903 Niobrara Convocation held at Crow Creek.

**40005.06 Bernice Jones Collection**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1937 - 1938

Description: This collection contains unidentified photos of students and faculty at St. Mary's School in 1937 and 1938.

**40007.09.01 Bishop Hare Industrial School Collection**

Format: photographs, negatives

Time period: about 1930

Description: The collection contains mainly negatives, although it includes some photographs. The subjects of the collection are students of the Bishop Hare Industrial School, buildings, livestock, farm activities and wildlife.

**40007.09.03 Bishop Hare Mission Home**

Format: photographs

Time period: 1974 – 1978

Description: Many of the images in this collection are unidentified photos of students and buildings.

**40007.13 Children's Home Finance Committee Collection**

Format: photographs

Time period: about 1931

Description: The collection contains three photographs of the Sheeley House in Vermillion, SD, and the Sheeley Farm in Clay County, SD.

**40011.01 South Dakota Episcopal Diocese Photographs Collection**

Format: photographs, negatives, glass-plate negatives

Extent of collection: over 50 boxes

Time period: 1870 – 1975

Description: This is an extensive collection of photographs and negatives drawn from many of the Episcopal collections in the Center, including those of Edward Ashley, Elizabeth Bradley,

Hugh L. Burleson, William H. Hare, W. Blair Roberts, and others. The photographs have been indexed and arranged together in order to make a complete and easily accessible resource. Topics covered by this collection relate to the Episcopal Church as well as South Dakota history and Native American culture. Subjects include churches and towns, institutions, missions, organizations, convocations, people, and transportation, among many others. A very detailed index and individual photo listing is available at the Center for Western Studies.

#### **40012.01 Scrapbooks Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 10 boxes

Time period: 1919 – 1930s

Description: This is a compilation of scrapbooks by a number of different creators. The scrapbook, “Photographs, Property of the Rev. David W. Clark, Crow Creek Indian Mission,” contains photos of people and buildings of Crow Creek, SD in about 1924. The book, “A Scrapbook from Sisseton Indian Reservation, by the Rev. Joseph DuBray,” contains photos of St. James and St. Mary’s churches on the Sisseton Reservation in about 1926. Another scrapbook contains photos taken in 1938 of churches, chapels, and schools that belonged to the Episcopal Church. Other scrapbooks include photos of the Niobrara Convocation of 1923, pictures taken from 1919-1921 of clergy and their families, St. Mary’s School, Native Americans, and other convocations from the 1930s.

#### **40017 Elizabeth Baker Collection**

Format: negatives

Extent of collection: about 10 images

Time period: 1927

Description: The negatives are from the 1927 Niobrara Convocation on the Pine Ridge Reservation. Rev. Neville Joyner was the priest-in-charge.

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#### **50001.05 Conference Office—Photograph Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: 1880 - 1960

Description: The collection contains photos of churches, people, and miscellaneous subjects. Many photos are identified. Also included in the collection are photographs from one-minute “Sketches in Faith” television spots.

#### **50003.01 Ethnic Associations—Dakota Association Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 folders

Time period: 1962-1969

Description: The collection contains a number of photos of Native American people, including many photos of children. Also in the collection are a number of church and building photos. Some of the photographs are identified.

**50005.03 Youth Programs—Placerville Camp Collection**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1918 – 1980

Description: Placerville Camp is a youth camp and became the official UCC state camp in 1953. The collection contains photos of the facilities and camp construction, photos of campers in both small and large group settings, and camp programming. Also included is a slide presentation entitled, “Mayflower Hall Replacement Fund Drive Tape/Slide Presentation 1978.”

**50005.04 Youth Programs—Yankton Assembly Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1925 - 1950

Description: The collection is composed mainly of group photos of campers, although it also contains a number of pictures of clergy.

**50008.08 Historical Committee—Slides Collection**

Format: slides

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s

Description: The slides depict the Mitchell Congregational Church, General Council meetings, Mission Meetings, a Bear Creek celebration, and LaPlant and Bridger, among many other subjects.

**50008.10.06 Elizabeth Riggs Gutch Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 folders

Time period: 1874 - 1982

Description: The collection contains photographs of the Oahe Mission from about 1887-1953, as well as portraits of Nina Riggs and her son Theodore.

**50009.02 Santee Normal Training School Collection—Photographs**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 box

Time period: approximately the 1880s – 1920s

Description: The photographs in this collection are arranged by subject: buildings, faculty, Santee Indian Mission, and students.

**50010.04 Oahe Mission—Indian Women’s Missionary Society Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1930, 1940 - 1941

Description: The collection is composed of photos of groups of Native American and Riggs family women. Examples of captions are “Womens Meeting at Cherry Creek,” “Buffalo Church Womens Society,” and “Women at the Dakota Conference 1930.”

**50010.10      Margaret Louisa Irvine Riggs Papers**

Format: photographs, negatives

Extent of collection: 2 boxes

Time period: 1860 - 1951

Description: This collection contains photos relating to the Riggs and Irvine families. Also included are photographs relating to the Dakota Association, Oahe Industrial School students and teachers, and Missions. The collection contains a number of miscellaneous photos and negatives.

**50012            1987 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: unknown

Description: The collection contains photographs of Frank Workentine, Beresford Church and Parsonage, and the Faulkton Church and Parsonage.

**50015            1991 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 6 folders

Time period: late 1800s – early 1900s, 1950s

Description: The collection contains photos of the Placerville Camp, Rev. Thomas Blue Eyes, and Ward Academy. Also included is a photograph album on the Santee Normal Training School and other miscellaneous photos. Many of the photos in the collection are of people, and most are identified.

**50016            1992 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 4 folders

Time period: early 1900s

Description: The collection contains a photograph from the Young People's Assembly in 1925, as well as photos of Bon Homme Church, its members, and its ministers.

**50017            1993 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1993

Description: The collection contains photographs of the Goodbear and Moser families' visit to Fayette County, Pennsylvania on June 17, 1993.

**50018            1994 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1993

Description: The collection contains photos of the 1993 Annual Meeting of the Conference.

**50025            2001 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 4 folders

Time period: late 1800s, 1999

Description: The collection contains three folders of photos and pictures of UCC Churches in South Dakota taken around 1999 for use in a pictorial history. The fourth folder contains photos of clergy, missionary assistants, an Indian policeman, and other various people. These photos are attributed to George W. Reed, and all are identified.

**50027            2003 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs, slides, negatives

Extent of collection: about 1 box

Time period: 1870s – early 1900s

Description: This collection contains many photos of the Oahe Mission and its buildings, including the Stone House, both exterior and interior, and the preceding Log Mission House. The collection also contains photos of the Riggs family, slides of maps used in slide presentations, and photos of mission meetings.

**50029            2005 Acquisitions**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: early 1900s

Description: The collection contains photos of churches, including Grand River Church, White Clay Church on the Pine Ridge Reservation, and the dedication of Houghton Congregational Church in April of 1923. Also in the collection are a few photos of Standing Rock Agency and Crow Agency. Two photos concern George W. Reed. One portrays him and Dr. Beard standing in front of a cookhouse at Little Eagle, and the other is of Reed's cabin.

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**60251.002      Lawrence and Cora Stavig Papers**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 folders

Time period: 1973 – 1986

Description: The photos in this collection concern Stavig's time as the Augustana College president, his family, and many of the events and ceremonies attended by him and his wife.

**60253            William Nelsen Papers**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 folder

Time period: 1980 - 1986

Description: This collection contains photographs of Nelsen, his work as President of Augustana College, and Nelsen's family.

**60435            Phi Rho Beta/Alpha Nu Omega**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 scrapbook

Time period: 1967 – 1972

Description: This collection contains photos and clippings of activities and events of Beta/Omega members and of the Augustana campus in general. Many of the images are from newspapers. This and the Alpha Sigma Chi collection provide a good documentary of the social and scholastic school events from those years.

#### **60445            Alpha Sigma Chi/ Kappa Theta Phi Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 scrapbooks

Time period: 1959 – 1979

Description: This collection contains photos and clippings of activities and events of Alpha Sigma Chi and of the Augustana campus in general. This and the Phi Rho Beta collection provide a good documentary of the social, athletic, and scholastic school events from the covered years.

#### **60451            Women's Recreational Association**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 scrapbook

Time period: 1956 – 1964

Description: The collection contains a large scrapbook on the Augustana Women's Recreational Association. The scrapbook contains photographs, letters, and newspaper clippings.

#### **60602            Alumni Office Records**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 4 folders

Time period: 1978, inclusive of years 1986 – 1999

Description: This collection contains photographs regarding Alumni Days and the Augustana Academy Reunion Weekend events. Photos of Area Club Dinners from about 1978 are also included in the collection.

#### **60604            News Bureau**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 boxes of individual files, most containing a photograph

Time period: mid-1900s – current

Description: The News Bureau kept files on Faculty, Staff, and Regents members containing biographical data sheets, press releases, a photograph, and news clippings.

#### **60610            Athletic Hall of Fame**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: a few photographs

Time period: 1933-1988

Description: This collection contains photographs of Hall of Fame Inductees and inductee ceremonies and a few photos of Augustana athletic teams. Some of the photos are identified.

**60902 Fantle Building Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 album

Time period: 1999 – 2001

Description: The photos in this collection document the construction of the Fantle Building, the transfer and arrangement of the collections, library, and exhibits, and the ribbon-cutting ceremony for the new facilities.

**64001 Cencoad - Center for Community Organization and Area Development**

Format: photographs, slides, negatives

Extent of collection: 4 boxes

Time period: 1970s

Description: The collection contains photos of landscapes, buildings, and people. The slides are in the form of slide presentations, many of which deal with land use issues.

**64200 Augustana Academy**

Format: photographs, slides

Extent of collection: 2 boxes and 3 additional folders

Time period: 1893 – 1985

Description: The collection contains many group and class photos from near the turn of the century, as well as from 1956-1963. Some of the photos in the Augustana Academy collection relate to Jennie Berdahl Rolvaag and her family. The majority of the collection's photos depict groups of people, buildings, classes, such as keyboarding class, and much more. Also included in the collection are photos of the demolition of Sorum Hall.

**64300 Herman Lerdahl--Lutheran Normal School Photos**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 3 photographs

Time period: about 1906

Description: The collection contains two photos of the outside of the Ladies Hall and Old Main on the Augustana campus. The third photo shows five women, probably students, cooking.

**68000s Augustana Photo Collection series, 68000.01-68000.74**

Format: photographs, slides, negatives, nitrate negatives, glass-plate negatives

Extent of collection: over 70 boxes

Time period: 1880s – 1995

Description: The very extensive Augustana Photo Collection contains photos, slides, and negatives on a variety of subjects including: Augustana Fellows, images created by the Development Office, marketing slides, campus buildings, sports, presidents, faculty, staff, campus photos, musical groups, Viking Days, student activities, building construction, Lutheran Normal School, Augustana College in Canton, aerial photos, senior slide shows, and yearbook photos for the EDDA.

**68611.001 Viking Varieties Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: a few files



Time period: 1953 – 2003

Description: The Viking Varieties collection contains a number of photographs documenting the annual homecoming variety show.

**69003 C. Joseph Nelson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 5 folders

Time period: 1941-1943

Description: The collection consists of five folders of photographs taken at Augustana during the 1941-42 and 1942-43 school years. The majority of the photographs feature students at the college, and some are identified.

**69012 Sylvan Schetnam Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 2 albums

Time period: 1920s and 1930s

Description: The photos in this collection depict Yellowstone National Park, family, Augustana College scenes, and rural South Dakota.

**69014 Alfred Olson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 file

Time period: early 1900s

Description: The collection contains group photos of Augustana Academy classes from Olson's time at the high school.

**69017 Bertha Anderson Strunk Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 scrapbook

Time period: approximately 1918 – 1921

Description: This scrapbook was created by Strunk when she was a student at Augustana. The photos document Strunk's experiences and life at Augustana.

**69022 Wilhelm G. Solheim Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 file

Time period: 1920s and 1930s

Description: Wilhelm G. Solheim was a teacher at Lutheran Normal School, and these materials were saved by his wife and later donated to the Center by his son. The Solheim collection contains many photos of LNS from the 1910s and 1920s, including sports teams, band, portraits, and large group photos.

**69024 Myrtle Taake Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 photo album

Time period: 1920s

Description: The Taake collection contains a "Memory Book" containing many pictures of Taake and her friends at Augustana College. It also is a good reference for 1920s clothing styles.

**69032            Edna Anderson Collection**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 1 photograph

Time period: 1896

Description: This collection contains a studio portrait of the Lutheran Normal School class of 1896, which was the school's second graduating class. The photo is accompanied by a history of the first graduates of LNS from 1893 and 1896.

**69034            Mrs. Herman Linde Collection**

Format: photographic postcards

Extent of collection: 8 postcards

Time period: 1910 – 1911

Description: The collection consists of images from Lutheran Normal School. Photo subjects include the library, basket weaving in a classroom, Commencement Day in 1911, young students at LNS Model School, and groups of ladies.

**69900.003      Ida Stordahl Quiggle**

Format: photographs

Extent of collection: 9 photographs

Time period: 1920s

Description: Ida was a 1926 graduate of Augustana College. The collection consists of a photograph of the campus, as well as photos of students and faculty from that time, including J. Berdahl, Ola Solheim, and K. Jacobson.