

**Alaska State Library
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Guide to Collection

Iditarod, Alaska, Photograph Collection, ca. 1970s

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SCOPE AND CONTENTS NOTE

The 64 color photographs, taken during a trip to the area by U.S. Senator Ted Stevens and party during the early 1970's, reflect Iditarod's abandoned gold rush buildings, deteriorating boats and equipment. The photographer is unknown. One 8 x 10 b&w image of the old Iditarod printing press is included. The press, which has been restored and is the property of the Alaska State Museum, is on display in the Alaska State Archives building in Juneau. There are views of an old cemetery.

INVENTORY

- 1 - 8. [Senator Ted Stevens and party arriving at Iditarod.]
- 9 - 12. [General views of the Iditarod area.]
- 13 - 28. [Distant views of deteriorating buildings.]
- 29 - 36. [Close up view of deteriorating buildings.]
- 37 - 48. [Rusting equipment and old boats lying in grassy area.]
- 49 - 55. [Iditarod cemetery.]
- 56 - 64. [Interior views of buildings showing contents in disarray.]
- 65. [Deteriorating printing press in horse barn.]