Alaska State Library
Historical Collections

Guide to Collection

Alaska State Library
Framed and Unframed Photograph and Image Collection [ongoing]
PCA 410

79 numbered items (photographs, prints, paintings, sketches) Processed by: Sondra Stanway, Sept. 2001

ACQUISITION: Provenance is often unknown. Information, when known, is included with the image. The collection is ongoing.

ACCESS: The collection is available for viewing, however, the items may not be photocopied.

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PROCESSING: Images were inventoried. Framed images were assigned numbers. Information in finding aid indicates the location of the item. **Most Framed Images stored in Vault**
SCOPE AND CONTENTS NOTE

This collection contains photographs, prints, paintings, and one sketch. Subjects include, but are not limited to, Alexander Dolgopolov, the Governor’s Mansion, and whaling ships. Dates range from 1848 to 1998.

The collection also contains framed and unframed posters which are available for loan.

INVENTORY
(* indicates available for loan)

Framed Images

1. Scene in Fairbanks Alaska, Aug. 3, 1904. L. E. Robertson Photo. PCA 277-20-01 (23 ½w X 10 ½ h) – Vault, on Map Case

2. Alaska. Five Finger Light Station. Priscilla L. Messner, 1990 (23w X 18h) – Vault, on Map Case

3. Governor’s Mansion erected 1911 (63w X 47h) – Museum

4. [Alaska State flag. Painting by] V. Ushanoff 78 (17 ¼w X 14h) – Vault, on Map Case

5. Spictor’s Vickett Display, Juneau AK 1910. PCA 87-1036 (61 1/8w X 41h) - Museum

Numbers 6 - 13 are prints from: Gilkerson, William. American Whalers in the Western Arctic. (SH382.B62 1983 EXTRA OVERSIZE)

**Removed from frames and placed in an Archival box. The Archival box is located in the Vault on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas.**

6. The barks Eugenia and Julian abandoned in the Disaster of 1871. G83 (18 ½h X 22 ½w)

7. The bark Helen Mar clearing Prince of Wales Shoal, October 29, 1879. G82 (18 ½h X 22 ½w)
8. Jim Vincent’s boat lost in the ice, May 1885. G82
   (18 ½h X 22 ½w)

9. The steam barkentine Newport among whales. G82
   (18 ½h X 22 ½w)

10. The bark Superior enters Bering Strait, July 23, 1848. G82
    (18 ½h X 22 ½w)

11. Wrangel Island discovered by the bark Nile, August 14, 1876. G83
    (18 ½h X 22 ½w)

12. Steam whalers Newport, Balaena, Karluk and Jeanette wintering at Herschel Island, 1895. G82 (18 ½h X 22 ½w)

13. The Whaler Young Phoenix a derelict, 1889. G82
    (18 ½h X 22 ½w)

    (20 1/8h X 17 ¼w)  [Plaque under Dolgopolov picture (7 7/8h X 6 5/8w) ]
    Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas

15. [Painting of Rezanov by] V. Ushanoff 84
    (20 ¾h X 17 ¼w) – Vault, on Map Case

16. Seward 1965 or 66
    (23h X 27 ½w) – Vault, on Map Case

17. Seward 1943?
    (22 ½h X 18 ¼ w) – Vault, on Map Case

18. Mollie Walsh. Skagway character
    (15 ½h X 12w) – Vault, on Map Case

*19. Totem poles, Fort Wrangel, Alaska c. 1895. PCA 87-151
    (20h X 16w) – Vault, on Map Case

20. Haines, Alaska 1915 ?
    (14 ¾h X 53 ½w) – Vault, on Map Case
21.  Governor Walter J. Hickel Delivers Opening Message...5th Alaska Legislature  
   Sept. 29, 1967, House Chambers, Juneau, AK  
   (11 ½h X 49w) – Vault, on Map Case

22.  14th Alaska Legislature. House of Representatives. 1986  
   (16h X 47w) Matted not framed – Vault, on Map Case

*23.  [Shows Juneau Cold Storage Co. Inc.] PCA 01-4013  
   (16 ½h X 19 ½w) – Vault, on Map Case

*24.  Gold Ave--Flat City--Alaska. PCA 277-12-36  
   (15h X 19 ¼w) – Vault, on Map Case

*25.  Two Tlingit Indian girls in doorway. PCA 87-70  
   (19 ¼h X 15 ½w) – Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas.

   PCA 131-42(detail of)  
   (15h X 19w) – Vault, on Map Case

   Nunivak Island, Sept. 1949 Photographer Emmitt Haddon  
   (16 ½h X 19 ½w) – Vault, on Map Case

*28.  Images from the Inside Passage. PCA 87-297 (copy 2 under framed posters)  
   (28 ¼h X 18 ¼w) – Vault, on Map Case

29.  Community Christmas Tree, Juneau, Alaska. 1926. (hand-tinted) (Black & white  
   negative at PCA 87-1061)  
   (11h X 7w) – Vault, on Map Case

30.  Partie Septentrionale De L’Ocean Pacifique . . . (Gift of Robert N. DeArmond)  
   (17 ½h X 23w) – Vault, on Map Case

*31.  [Print showing mukluks] G. Peterson, ’88  
   (28h X 17w) – Vault, on Map Case

*32.  [Print showing miscellaneous items including baskets, ulu, purse]  
   G. Peterson, ’88 (28h X 17w) – Vault, on Map Case
*33.  [Print showing miscellaneous items including woven hat, halibut hook]
G. Peterson, '88  (28h X 17w) – **Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas**

*34.  Lights o’ Juneau. Winter & Pond  
(15h X 22 7/8w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

*35.  [Judge James Wickersham] Bushnell, Seattle  
(18h X 14 ½ w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

(Have not located 10/13/08) out on loan

*37.  XV Arctic Winter Games, Yellowknife, Y.T. 1998. [top row, l. to r.: Manitok Thompson, Northwest Territory, Minister of Community Services; Valentin Zuev, Oblast of Pryumen, Russia, Representative of Sport; Shirley McClenann, Government of Alberta, Minister of Community Services; Dave Keenan, Yukon Territory, Minister of Community & Transportation Services; Tony Knowles, Gov., State of Alaska; Vice Mayor of Nuuk, Greenland (per Berthelsen, Municipality of Nuuk)]  
(13 ¼h X 14 ½w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

*38.  Sketch of the Harbour of Samganooda, on the Island Oonalaska [Unalaska].  
London, Published by Alex. Hogg, at the Kings Arms, No. 16, Paternoster Row. [engraving from the 1784 edition of Cooks Voyages. [In the Historical Collections: A new, authentic, and complete collection of voyages round the world: undertaken and performed by Royal authority, by George W. Anderson, John Hogg, ca. 1785?, London, printed for Alex. Hogg.]
(15h X 19 ¼w) – **Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas**

*39.  View of Oonalashka [Unalaska], and the inhabitants, & c. Engraved for Bankes’s New System of Geography, Published by Royal Authority. [In the Historical Collections: [In the Historical Collections: A new, authentic, and complete collection of voyages round the world: undertaken and performed by Royal authority, by George W. Anderson, John Hogg, ca. 1785?, London, printed for Alex. Hogg.]
(16h X 21w) – **Vault, on Map Case**


43. With affectionate best wishes, and thanks for her help – to Gladi Kulp – [signed Frederica de Laguna] 8/19/99. [portrait of young Frederica de Laguna]. de Laguna-1 (14h X 11 ½w ) – Vault, on Map Case

44. [view of Frederica de Laguna working at a table in the Alaska State Library Historical Collections reading room, 1996. Kathryn H. Shelton Photo. PCA 304-Juneau-ASL-57 (11 ½h X 14w) – Vault, on Map Case

45. The Alaska Legislature “Honoring the Library” [Letter May11, 2005] (17 ¾h X 14 5/8w) 2 copies- copy 1 &2: Vault, on Map Case

46. [Photograph of Capitol Building in winter, sculpture Nimbus visible. From the Jim Ruotsala Collection] (12h X 14w) – Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas

47. [Claudia J. D. Kelsey drawing of Alaska Wild Rose] (20 ¾h X 16w) – Vault, on Map Case

48. [Claudia J. D. Kelsey drawing of Lupine] (20 ¾h X 16w) – Vault, on Map Case

49. The 49 Star Flag of the United States – Alaska Enters the Union Commemorating 50 years of statehood 1959-2009 (22 ¼h X 27w) – Vault, on Map Case

50. State of Alaska Map E (36 ½h X 50w) – Vault, leaning on Map Case

51. Library of Congress – Bicentennial Commemorative Stamp (24 ½h X 18 ½w) – Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas
52. Alaska Highway Poster by Jan Van Zyle, © 1992
   (26h X 18¼ w) – **Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas**

   (22h X 25 ¼w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

54. Capital City Library Card
   (16 ½h X 28 ½w) – **Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas**

55. Library of Congress Classification System – Part 1
   (18 1/8h X 12 ¾w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

56. Library of Congress Classification System – Part 2
   (18 1/8h X 12 ¾w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

57. Dunton of Toog – (damaged protective frame)
   (24h X 18 ¼w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

   (28h X 39w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

   (19h X 23w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

60. Black and white photograph of six women taken by Trevor Davis. Caption reads: Mrs. Ernest Gruening, wife of Governor, wins an Election bet. Leading Republican woman, Mrs. H. L. Faulkner, Shines shoes of First Lady of Alaska. 11-13-40. T. Davis Juneau
   (6h X 8 ½w) – **Vault, on Map Case**

   (14 ½h X 17 ½ w) – **Vault, on Map Case**
62. 4.8 – 23 – 12. Perseverance Division
   “From the collection of Thomas A. Landon”
   (19 ¼h X 22 ¼w) – Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas

63. Jim Ruotsala Collection
   Original Brad Washburn 1937 [Acc. #2005-13?]
   (13 ¾h X 16 ½w) – Vault, on Map Case

64. Community Christmas Tree – [Evening view – Hand tinted]
   Ludwig Nelson Jewelry Curio [ Acc. #2005-13]
   (11 ½h X 14 ¾w) – Vault, on Map Case

   Marion H. Thornton Photographer : PCA 338 – 427
   (20h X 16 ¼w) – Missing

66. “Qajaq; Kayaks of Siberia and Alaska” - ASM Traveling exhibits program.
   (21 ¼hX 15 ½w) - Vault, on Map Case

67. An Invitation to the Library – Sheila Nickerson Poet Laureate of Alaska 1979
   (20 ¾h X 15w) – Vault, on Map Case

68. [Two men on motorized wagon with lumber, probably Perseverance Division]
   “From the collection of Thomas A. Landon”
   (19 ¼h X 22 ¼w) – Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas

Number 69 (#Acc. 2011-022)
69. Juneau and Douglas High School Reunion Classes of 1946 through 1950
   (10 ½ h x 51 w) – Vault, on Map Case

    Exhibits Program   (22 ¼w X 19 ¼h) – Vault, on Map Case

71. Alaska State Library Welcomes [Group of 5 women on the deck of the Princess
    Mary] AHS/MA Conference October 4-7, 2006 [Image cropped from Winter &
    Pond photograph, PCA 87-2563]  (28 ½h X 20 ¾ w) – Vault, on Map Case
Numbers 72 through 75 are the gift of Seldon L. and Jennie W. Butron. (Acc. # 2013-46)
72. Tlingit canoes and houses. Hand tinted photograph. (8½ h x 10 ¼ w) – Vault, on Map Case
73. Old Juneau-Douglas Bridge, view looking down from Mt. Juneau. Photo by Trevor Davis, hand tinted. Piecrust frame. (12h x 8w) – Vault, on Map Case
74. #5. Juneau, Alaska. Wide view of Juneau from Douglas Island. Photo by Winter & Pond Co. (21 ½ w x 13 ½ h) – Vault, on Map Case
75. Taku Glacier. Photo by Winter & Pond ©. Piecrust frame. (12 ¼ h x 19 ¼ w) – Vault, on Map Case

Number 76 (Acc. #2013-041)
76. C.P.R. S.S. Princess Sophia; Taku Glacier, Alaska. Copyright 1913 By W.H. Case 720. (10 ½ h x 12 ½ w) – Vault, on Map Case

Number 77 (Acc. #2015-032)

Number 78 & 79 Donated by Barry Rodrigue (MS 269)
“Also, these pictures were used as cover art for the Archipelago Works – these are the originals – by John Svenson & Peter Goll” [From 2 Nov 2012 note written by Barry Rodrigue, see MS 269 Masterfile]
78. J.E. Svenson 1979. “The picture is actually a view from Mt. Roberts. John, I believe, made it from a personal experience up there. We used it on the cover of the Panhandler Songbook, volume 1.” [From 7/18/16 e-mail sent by Barry Rodrigue, see MS 269 Masterfile] - Vault on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas
79. - Skagway, Alaska – Svenson – Vault, on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas

Framed Art from MS


http://www.library.alaska.gov/hist/hist_docs/finding_aids/PCA410.pdf
**Framed Posters** – *All located in Vault on the shelf above the Oversize PCA Panoramas*

“Arctic Winter Games” An Exhibit Organized & Traveled by the ASM
(19 h x 24 ½ w)

Images From the Inside Passage (copy 2; copy 1 at PCA 410-28)
An Alaskan Portrait by Winter & Pond PCA 87-297
(29 ½h x 19 ¾w)

IAIA Institute of American Indian Arts [from verso: Sante Fe, New Mexico - Census ‘90
“King Island Dancer Belt” by Denise H. Wallace] (34”w x 18 ½ h)

Dolly Spencer Inupiak Doll Maker / ASM Traveling Exhibits Program
photograph and design by Mark Daughhetee (18”h x 23 ¼” w)

**Unframed Posters: Folder 1-6**

**Folder 1: Unframed Posters**
Located in PCA/Panoramas X-Oversize, Map Case in Vault

**Calendars**: **Moved to new Calendar collection, 2/2014**

The Art of Healing 2007, CIRI
Aleutian World War II National Historic Area 2010, NPS & Ounalashka Corporation
Landscapes & Lifestyles, Remembering Alaska’s First 50 Years 2009, First National Bank

**Posters & Prints**

“Thank you, Mr. Stevens” – Alaska Newspapers Presents A Special Commemorative
Poster, Monday, August 16, 2010 – poster

*Juneau Silver Anniversary Committee – poster

Juneau Alaska 100 Years 1880-1980 – poster (2)

Schools in Rural Alaska – 2007 [PCA306-0155/MS146-03-16A] - The Alaska State
Library’s Historical Collection - The Friends of the Alaska State Museum Store (2)
A Conference of Tlingit Tribes & Clans - “Chilkat Spirit” by Mike A. Jackson
May 5-8, 1993 Kluwan & Haines, Alaska

Sharing Our Knowledge - A Conference of Haida, Tlingit and Tsimshian Tribes and Clans-Sitka 2007

Fur Rendezvous 1983. print artist: George Rodgers

Anna Brown Ehlers - At the 1986 Fur Rendezvous – Anchorage, Alaska

READ (Alaska Governor Sarah Palin reading The Great Serum Race) (2 copies)

Leaders Are Readers. Readers Become Leaders. (Governor Sarah Palin reads with her youngest daughter, Piper NEA - Alaska - Read Across America an NEA Project)

*1981 Governor’s Awards for the Arts - poster

*Bolivia – Amanecer “For the Children”

*Vision - Education & Early Development - Commissioner Roger Sampson (2)


*Alaska Archives Month 2009 – You Otter Visit an Archives Near You!

Alaska Archives Month 2012 – Alaska’s History – We’re saving it for you

Get Your Motors Running: Chainsaws and Outboards on the Last Frontier
-Juneau-Douglas City Museum – May 14-November 19, 2011

Click On Preservation – Northeast Document Conservation Center [under photo: All Rights Reserved, Photo Archives, Denver Museum of Natural History]

Folder 2: Unframed Posters
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*Family Wellness Warriors Initiative – four (4) posters
*Alaska State Museum:
  “Summer Exhibits 2005”
    - on verso of “Search for the Northwest Passage” 1994 exhibit
  “The Lure of Alaska: A History of Tourism in the Great Land”
  “Arctic Winter Games” An Exhibit Organized & Traveled by the ASM
  *1981 Statewide Competition – “Wood, Ivory and Bone”
  “Quilts of Alaska: A Textile Album of the Last Frontier” (2)
  “All That Glitters - A Centennial Exhibition on the Alaska-Yukon Gold Rushes
    -Alaska State Museum – May 18 – September 22, 1996
  Alaska Positive 1994 - February 4 - March 12, 1994 - Alaska State Museum
  “Just Old Hat(s): Headgear in Alaska History”
    –Alaska State Museum – May 6, 2011-October 15, 2011
  “Capturing New Frontier Early Alaskan Photography 1866-1891
    -May 14,-October 22, 2011-Alaska State Museum

University of Alaska – Fairbanks:
  “Some Warm Tone” University of Alaska Museum Fairbanks, 1984 June-
  September
  *Fairbanks Summer Arts Festival [annual posters]:

Fairbanks North Pole [graphic (cartoon-like drawings) map of area w/pictures of those
business which paid for advertisements] Fiesta Promotions copyright 1985

Folder 3: Unframed Posters
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*Alaska Railroad Corporation:
  2001— [Sheep] - James Havens – Color poster
  2004— [Orca]-James Havens - Color poster
  2005— [Train number] 1077” – Atkinson - Color posters (2)
  2008— [Train number] 4015; Fairbanks Depot- Kurt Jacobson - Color poster

The Iditarod National Historic Trail - April 2008 - Alaska Archaeology Month

*Auke Bay Fisheries Laboratory – Silver Anniversary - poster

“All Sustainability – It’s In Our Hands”, 2002 Ray Troll and Terry Pyles, NOAA Fisheries –
Sustaining Our Living Oceans

http://www.library.alaska.gov/hist/hist_docs/finding_aids/PCA410.pdf
*Game Fishes of Alaska – Alaska Dept. of Fish and Game

*Earth and the Great Weather – Friends of the Earth

*Glacier Bay, Alaska National Monument – National Park Service, Dept. of the Interior

*Alaska State Division of Tourism:
   - Mt. McKinley (2)
   - Gastineau Channel (1)
   - Sport fishing in Southeast Alaska Waters (1)
   - Anchorage (1)
   - [Cruise ship in Alaska Waters] (5 copies)
   - [Totem] (2 copies)
   - [Wetlands foreground; Mountains background] (5 copies)
   - [Sunshine over purple mountains] (3 copies)
   - [Seabirds over water] eyelets in each corner (2 copies)
   - [Native Alaskan Dancer] reproduction of art by J. VanHoesen of Haines, AK

A Road Well Traveled, The Denali Highway – Bureau of Land Mngmt, Dept. of Interior

Folder 4: Unframed Posters
Located in PCA/Panoramas X-Oversize, Map Case in Vault


AIRPAC…the Alaska Connection 1984 [torn & top cut off, original size unknown]


Alaska                Alaska Airlines (2 copies)

OUR OIL RUN Alaska Airlines to Prudhoe Bay [no other info on print]

The Alaska Gold Rush starts May 1. [1979, Alaska Airlines, much more text]

[Sheet of various Alaska Airlines photos and graphics, no date] (2 copies)
Boeing is proud to help celebrate 75 years of Alaska Spirit. Alaska Airlines EST. 1932. – Rita Moore print

No matter where we go we never forget where we came from. A lot has changed in 75 years, but our core belief remains the same. It’s called Alaska Spirit. Alaska Airlines EST. 1932. Celebrating 75 years of Alaska Spirit.


[Starliner 75 overhead bin artwork] (2 designs, 2 copies of each)

A lot has changed in 75 years, but our caring service remains the same. Alaska Airlines est. 1932. Celebrating 75 years of Alaska Spirit.

A lot has changed in 75 years, but our commitment to going the extra mile is still the same. Alaska Airlines est. 1932. Celebrating 75 years of Alaska Spirit.

Alaska Airlines #1 in Customer Satisfaction Because of YOU! The Most Five-Star Ratings Among Network Carriers.

Alaska Airlines Fine Art Poster Series. Russia the Soviet Far East. In commemoration of Alaska Airlines’ inaugural flight to the Soviet Far East June 17, 1991… Artist Barbara Lavallee (5 copies, some with artist’s biographical info on verso)

Alaska Air Cargo calendars: 2008 (Calvin W. Hall photo), 2009 (Peter Barrett photo)

Good Friday 1989 Prince William Sound, They Anointed Our Waters With Oil Our Cup Runneth Over (Laurie Ferguson Craig 1989)

**Folder 5: Unframed Posters**

*Located in PCA/Panoramas X-Oversize, Map Case in Vault*

“Continuing Our Traditional Way Of Life: In Our Ancestors’ Trail”; ©hudson hudson ’90; Celebration ‘90; May 24, 25, 26, 1990; Centennial Hall; Juneau, Alaska. Sponsored by Sealaska Heritage Foundation. (2 copies)

Beginning Tlingit; Tsu héidei shugaxtootáan yá yaakoosgé daaekte haa jeex’ a nák has kawdk’et’ – Kichnáałx. We will open again this container of wisdom left in our care. – George Davis. Sealaska Heritage Foundation · Celebration 10 Years; The 3rd edition of Beginning Tlingit was made possible by generous support from

http://www.library.alaska.gov/hist/hist_docs/finding_aids/PCA410.pdf
Sealaska Corporation. November 2, 1991. Sealaska Heritage Foundation · One Sealaska Plaza, Suite 201 · Juneau, Alaska 99801; Bentwood box by Nathan Jackson · From the collection of Judson Brown · Photo by Trevor Roehl · Poster design by Sarah O’Donnell.

Celebration ′98; June 4, 5, & 6, 1998; Centennial Hall & ANB Hall, Juneau, Alaska; Sponsored by Sealaska Heritage Foundation and the Sealaska Corporation. ©JoAnn George ′94.


In Juneau At The Sealaska Cultural Arts Park. Naa Kahidi Theater. “The simplicity and authenticity of costumes and set, the excellent performance really touched me. A long time admirer of Native art in every form I was greatly moved by the performance my son and I attended (July).” Eleanor M. Prevost, West Vancouver, BC. Alaska Native Storytelling. One-Hour Performances · Daily. Sealaska Corporation. One Sealaska Plaza. Juneau, Alaska 99801.

Folder 6: Unframed Posters
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More Unframed Posters

Case and Draper Photographs 1898–1920 - ASM – Traveling Exhibitions Program - Located in PCA/Panoramas X-Oversize, Map Case in Vault - on top of Unframed Posters - Folder 1


Traditional Tlingit Country [cartographic material]: circa late nineteenth century. Fourth edition revised ©2003 – laminated Located in Research Room on map case counter

On Loan - From Alaska State Museum

Photographs Case & Draper - JC Burns – Vault, leaning on Map Case

“Thlinget Band   Juneau, July 4th 1907   Case & Draper  139N” - See Master File for location

Chilkoot Pass 100 [PCA 125-22, J.M. Blankenberg Photo Collection] - Museum

2 “postcards” hanging from ceiling in – Vault, leaning on Map Case