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ALICE & FLOYD BLOOM PHOTOGRAPHS AND FILMS
1952-1962

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HISTORY

The Blooms were concessions employees for the Yellowstone Park Company, working at Roosevelt Lodge. Alyce was a waitress and then worked front desk registrations and Floyd drove the truck to the dump to take out the garbage (and filmed bears) and also deposits to the bank in Gardiner.

DESCRIPTION

The collection consists of slides and home movies of Alice and Floyd Bloom, documenting their time as concessions employees at Roosevelt Lodge in Yellowstone National Park. Materials depict wildlife, particularly bison and bears feeding at the dump; a stagecoach ride; fishing; Dr. Dorf conducting a geological survey of the park; Heists Ranch; friends or fellow coworkers; and thermal features. Areas outside of Yellowstone include Virginia City, Montana; Jackson and Cody, Wyoming; and Washington and Oregon.

PROVENANCE

Gift of Janet Swank, niece of the Blooms, 2010.

AVAILABILITY

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