

# **Card Mounted Photograph Collection**

# An inventory of Card Mounted Photograph Collection at DC Public Library

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#### **Summary Information**

**Repository:** Stage

**Title:** Card Mounted Photograph Collection

**ID:** P025

**Date [inclusive]:** 1883-1889

**Physical Description:** 1 box

**Language of the** English

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#### **Scope and Contents**

The collection consists of 33 albumen card mounted portraits. These types of images come in a wide variety of styles and sizes. Among the more popular were the cabinet card and carte de visite (CDV). The majority of the images where mounted on standardized mounts roughly measuring 4 ¼" x 6 ½" for cabinet card and 2 ½" x 4 ¼" for the CDVs. In addition to these formats there was also an assortment of larger decorative mounts that gained popularity during the Victorian era. The image itself is often an Albumen print, which is a process by which the emulsion was developed on very thin sheets paper, and was then pasted to the cardboard mounts.

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## **Administrative Information**

#### **Publication Statement**

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#### **Custodial History**

Images transferred from the Washington Historic Image Collection in 2006. There is no deed of gift and it is uncertain as to how the library acquired the majority of these photographs. A few images do note donor on the rear of the image.

#### **Processing Information**

All images were originally housed with the Washington Historic Image Collection (HIC). During preservation work on the collection it was decided to transfer these images to the DC Community Archives for long-term storage. This move will decrease the likelihood of further damage to the photographs. Those images from the HIC often had a negative created for each image. A sticker containing the negative number was then affixed to the image. Often the number was affixed to the front of the mounting and repeatedly to the image itself. The stickers will remain attached because their removal might cause irreversible damage the image. The images are arranged alphabetically. 29 images contained a note stating they came from the "Evans Collection." Through some research it was determined that the Evans Collection came to the library in November 1929 in conjunction with four National Rifle scrapbooks. Since all of these 29 images contained a note stating they came from the "Evans Collection." Through some research it was determined that the Evans Collection came to the library in November 1929 in conjunction with four National Rifle scrapbooks. Since all of these men were in uniform and most likely members of the National Rifles and originally donated together as one collection it was decided that the images should be returned to the National Rifle Collection, DC Community Archives Collection 51.

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#### **Controlled Access Headings**

Photographs

## **Collection Inventory**

Series 1	
Title/Description	Instances
Allen, Clarence G., 1883	Box 1 Folder 1

Negative Number: 519

Box 1	Folder 2	
Box 1	Folder 3	
Box 1	Folder 4	
Box 1	Folder 5	
Box 1	Folder 6	
Box 1	Folder 7	
Box 1	Folder 8	
Box 1	Folder 9	
Box 1	Folder 10	
Box 1	Folder 11	
Box 1	Folder 12	
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Gill, Lancey W., 1885	Box 1	Folder 13	
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Negative Number: 687			
Grannis, Charles G In uniform, Undated	Box 1	Folder 14	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 683			
Greeley, A. W In uniform, Undated	Box 1	Folder 15	
Hawley, C. E., 1882	Box 1	Folder 16	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 953			
Jenkins, Fred, Undated	Box 1	Folder 17	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 989			
Johnson, Fred L With bicycle, Undated	Box 1	Folder 18	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 988			
Johnson, Fred L With bicycle, 1887	Box 1	Folder 19	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>			
Negative Number: 990			
Kelly, Ivan - CDV, Undated	Box 1	Folder 20	
Killetts, J. M., Undated	Box 1	Folder 21	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 1022			
Leaming, Joseph E., Undated	Box 1	Folder 22	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 1035			
Littell, J. Reed, Undated	Box 1	Folder 23	

Negative Number:	1037
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Manners, E. C., Undated	Box 1	Folder 24	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>			
Negative Number: 1161			
McCook, Charles M., Undated	Box 1	Folder 25	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>			
Negative Number: 1167			
Moran, T. Pling, 1887	Box 1	Folder 26	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>			
Negative Number: 1160			
Newman, Ed, Undated	Box 1	Folder 27	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>			
Negative Number: 8080			
Noyes, Theodore W., Undated	Box 1	Folder 28	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>			
Negative Number: 1188			
Owen, Fred D., Undated	Box 1	Folder 29	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 1189			
Quinn, M. J In uniform, Undated	Box 1	Folder 30	
Scope and Contents			
Negative Number: 1199			
Rule, James F., 1883	Box 1	Folder 31	
<b>Scope and Contents</b>			
Negative Number: 1256			
Schnider, F. F., 1885	Box 1	Folder 32	
Sturmey, Henry, Undated	Box 1	Folder 33	
Todd, Weber - In uniform, Undated	Box 1	Folder 34	

Negative Number: 1283

Tyler, Edward Royall, 1889 Box 1 Folder 35

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Negative Number: 1284

Way, Will H. - In uniform, Undated Box 1 Folder 36

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Negative Number: 1166

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