

Souvenir booklets of Washington, D.C., and environs



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Collection Summary

Title: Souvenir booklets of Washington, D.C., and environs

Span Dates: ca. 1873-ca. 1953

Call No.: LOT 12043 (F)

Extent: ca. 50 items ; 23 x 31 cm. or smaller.

Language: Collection material in English

Location: Prints and Photographs Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

LC Catalog record: <https://lccn.loc.gov/2004668785>

Summary: Collection contains about 50 souvenir booklets and loose images from booklets showing scenes and buildings around the Washington, DC area in the 19th and 20th century.

Online Content: To see already digitized images from this collection, search our [Online Catalog](#) by call number or descriptive words.

Provenance

Copyright deposit and other sources unknown.

Processing History

The Souvenir booklets of Washington, D.C., and environs was processed by the staff in the Prints and Photographs Division. This finding aid contains unverified data from old container lists transcribed by Libby McKiernan. Finding aid encoded by Owen Ellis in August 2020.

Rights Restrictions

Rights status of individual images not evaluated. For general information see: "[Copyright and Other Restrictions...](#)"

Access Restrictions

The Souvenir booklets of Washington, D.C., and environs is open to research.

Requesting Materials

For information about service in the Prints and Photographs Reading Room, including obtaining copies, see "[Information for Researchers.](#)"

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Library of Congress, Prints & Photographs Division, Souvenir booklets of Washington, D.C., and environs, LOT 12043, and item or reproduction number, if available [e.g., LOT 12043-1, no. 1 or LC-DIG-ppmsca-12345]

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Bibliography

Washingtoniana : photographs : collections in the Prints and Photographs Division of the Library of Congress / Kathleen Collins. Washington : The Library, 1989.

Scope and Content Note

The collection contains about 50 viewbooks and loose images from the Washington, DC area. Material from the following publishers is included: American Security and Trust, Avil Publishing, J. W. Carnahan, Catholic University, E. Fitzki, Ph. Frey, W. B. Garrison, Louis Glaser, U.S. Government Printing Office, I. K. Hunter, Inter-State Medicine; J. F. Jarvis, T. G. McCrory, J. W. McKitrick, W. H. Morrison, L. H. Nelson, Sudwarth Printing, J. S. Topham, H. E. Wilkins Printing, and Wittemann Bros. (Albertype Co., printer).

Arrangement

The collection is arranged into the following subdivisions:

- [LOT 12043-1 \(F\)](#): General Views
- [LOT 12043-2 \(F\)](#): Catholic University
- [LOT 12043-3 \(F\)](#): Government Printing Office Mutual Relief Association
- [LOT 12043-4 \(F\)](#): Inauguration of President McKinley
- [LOT 12043-5 \(F\)](#): Library of Congress
- [LOT 12043-6 \(F\)](#): Mount Vernon
- [LOT 12043-7 \(F\)](#): U.S. Soldiers' Home
- [LOT 12043-8 \(F\)](#): Trinity College
- [LOT 12043-9 \(F\)](#): White House
- [LOT 12043-10 \(F\)](#): Loose pictures from souvenir viewbooks

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

People

Glaser, Louis

Jarvis, J. F. (John F.), 1850-

Organizations

Philip Frey & Co.

Places

Washington (D.C.)--1870-1960.

Form/Genre

Photomechanical prints--1870-1960.

Viewbooks--1870-1960.

Description of Series

Container

Series

General Views

Call No.: LOT 12043-1 (F)

The Catholic University of America

Call No.: LOT 12043-2 (F)

Government Printing Office Mutual Relief Association

Call No.: LOT 12043-3 (F)

Inauguration of President McKinley

Call No.: LOT 12043-4 (F)

The Library of Congress

Call No.: LOT 12043-5 (F)

Mount Vernon

Call No.: LOT 12043-6 (F)

Trinity College

Call No.: LOT 12043-7 (F)

U.S. Soldiers' Home

Call No.: LOT 12043-8 (F)

The White House at Washington

Call No.: LOT 12043-9 (F)

Loose pictures from souvenir viewbooks

Call No.: LOT 12043-10 (F)

Container List

Container

Contents

General Views

Call No.: LOT 12043-1 (F)

Views of Washington City

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 7 1/2 x 12 cm, containing 16 prints attached in accordion style

Note: Published by Edward Fitzki, Washington, D.C. Entered according to Act of Congress in the year 1873 by Edward Fitzki in the office of the Librarian of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Washington

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 9 x 13 cm, containing 17 prints attached in accordion style

Note: Copyrighted 1881 by Wittemann Bros., Photo Views, New York. Louis Glaser. Library of Congress. Chap. 4, shelf 3295.

Washington

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 11 x 16 cm, containing 16 prints attached in accordion style

Note: Jarvis' Album of Washington, 135 Penna. Avenue. From Ph. Frey & Co's Art Repository.

Washington

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 12 x 19 cm, containing 16 prints attached in accordion style

Note: Published and copyrighted by Adolph Wittemann, 25 Park Place, New York. Louis Glaser, Library of Congress, Copyright June 10, 1886, (13479), City of Washington.

Washington Album

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, containing 12 prints

Note: Published and Copyrighted by A. Wittemann, 58 & 60 Reade Street, N.Y. Library of Congress, Copyright Jan. 5, 1888 (T 2 907)

Portfolio of Washington Views and History of the U.S. Capital

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 23 x 31 cm, containing 30 photomechanical prints

Note: Copyrighted and Edited by J. Worth Carnahan, A.D. 1904. Issued only by the Inter-State Medicine Company, Washington, D.C.

Washington. Photo-Gravures

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 18 x 23 cm, containing 26 photogravures (prints)

Note: Copyright, 1894, by A. Wittemann, 67 & 69 Spring Street, New York. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

Washington and Vicinity

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 15 x 23 cm, containing 42 prints

Note: Published and Copyrighted, 1897, by J.F. Jarvis, Washington, D.C. [L.C. stamp: "5 copy"] [gift, Arthur Floyd, Mar. 22, 1957]

The Latest Views of Washington, D.C.

Extent: 1 booklet : 20 x 26 cm, containing 47 photomechanical prints

Note: Published by I. Kent Hunter, Washington, D.C.

The Latest Views of Washington

Extent: 1 booklet : 20 x 26 cm, containing 47 photomechanical prints

Note: Published by L.H. Nelson Company, Portland, Maine. Copyright, 1906, 1908, 1909, by L.H. Nelson Co. (LC Copyright Entry Feb. 20, 1909. Class A XXc, no. 231496, Copy A)

The Latest Views of Washington

Extent: 1 booklet : 20 x 26 cm containing 31 photomechanical prints

Note: Published for the Washington News Company, Washington D.C. Copyright, 1906, 1908, 1909, by L.H. Nelson Co. (LC Copyright Entry Feb. 20, 1909. Class A XXc., no. 231496, Copy A)

Washington: Our Nation's Capital

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 20 x 26 cm, containing 47 photomechanical prints

Note: Published by J.G. McCrorey & Co., Washington, D.C. Copyright, 1906, by L.H. Nelson Co., Portland, Me. (LC Copyright Entry Dec. 19, 1906. Class A XXc., no. 163575 Copy B.)

The City of Washington. Photographs in Black from Recent Negatives by the Albertype Company

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 19 x 25 cm, containing 72 photomechanical prints

Note: Published and Copyrighted, 1892, by A. Wittemann, 67 & 69 Spring Street, New York.

Washington, The Nation's Pride

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 20 x 26 cm, containing 81 photomechanical prints

Note: Copyrighted 1902, by Avil Publishing Company, Philadelphia, Pa. Foster & Reynolds, Washington Agents, 1333 Pennsylvania Avenue, Washington, D.C. [stamped "By Transfer Dec. 23, 1911]

The Nation's Capital

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 23 x 31 cm, containing 26 photomechanical prints

Note: Copyright by W.B. Garrison, 1215 E Street, N.W., Washington.

Views of the City of Washington. Photogravures

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 21 x 26 cm, containing 24 photogravure (prints)

Note: Copyright by A. Wittemann, Publisher of American Views, 15 Laight St., N.Y. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

Washington, The National Capital, Illustrated

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 13 x 19 cm, containing 30 photomechanical prints

Note: Copyright, 1898, by A. Wittemann, 58 & 60 Reade St., New York. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

Washington. 39 Photographs in Black

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 13 x 18 cm, containing 39 photogravures (prints)

Note: Copyright, 1889 by A. Wittemann, 58 & 60 Reade St., New York. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

Souvenir of Washington. Photogravures

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 13 x 18 cm, containing 32 photogravures (prints)

Note: Copyright by A. Wittemann, Publisher of American Views, 250 Adams St., Brooklyn-New York. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

[Views of Capitol, White House, Mount Vernon, Custis-Lee Mansion, Etc.]

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 16 x 21 cm, 24 photomechanical prints

Note: [ca. 1925, with copyright marking]

[Views of Capitol, Union Station, Etc.]

Extent: 24 pages : bound, 16 x 21 cm

Note: [ca. 1923, with copyright marking]

[Views of Capitol, Library of Congress, Post Office, etc.]

Extent: 30 photomechanical prints, previously 25 pages : bound, 17 x 21 cm

Note: [ca. 1923; index and description attached]

Washington, D.C.: The Nation's Capital

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 16 x 23 1/2 cm, containing pages of 48 photomechanical prints from drawings

Note: Copyright 1953 by the American Security and Trust Company, Washington, D.C. Designed and sketched by T. Roger Blythe, Tucson, Arizona, U.S.A.

Views of Washington City

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 8 x 12 cm, containing 16 prints attached in accordion style

Note: Published by Edward Fitzki, Washington, D.C. Entered according to Act of Congress in the year 1873 by Edward Fitzki in the office of the Librarian of Congress, Washington, D.C. [Booklet has "350127" written in pencil on one page]

Morrison's Views of the Public Buildings and Statues of Washington City, with Full Descriptions of the Same Fifteen Beautifully Executed Steel Engravings

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 9 x 16 cm, 12 prints

Note: Published by W.H. & D.H. Morrison. Print by "Siebert, Washn."

Washington: Photographs in Black

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 9 x 13 cm, containing 12 photomechanical prints

Note: Copyright, 1889, by A. Wittemann, 58 & 60 Reade St., New York. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

Washington Album

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 16 x 25 cm, contain 96 prints on 30 pages

Note: No publisher or copyright information

[Views of Washington]

Extent: 1 mount with 9 prints, 21 x 31 cm

Note: No publisher or copyright information. One sheet of 9 photographs.

The Catholic University of America

Call No.: LOT 12043-2 (F)

The Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C. Photo-Gravures

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 14 x 19 cm, containing 15 photogravures (prints)

Note: Published by the Catholic University of America, Washington D.C. The Albertype Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.

The Catholic University of America, Washington, D.C.

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 11 x 16 cm, containing 10 photomechanical prints

Government Printing Office Mutual Relief Association

Call No.: LOT 12043-3 (F)

The Government Printing Office Mutual Relief Association Manual, 1903

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 22 x 27 cm, containing 104 pages with text, advertisements, and photomechanical prints

Note: Henry E. Wilkins Printing Co., Washington, D.C.

The Government Printing Office Mutual Relief Association Manual, 1904

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 19 x 25 1/2 cm, containing 112 pages with text, advertisements, and photomechanical prints

Note: Sudwarth Printing Co., Washington, D.C.

Inauguration of President McKinley

Call No.: LOT 12043-4 (F)

Inauguration of President McKinley

Container

Contents

Inauguration, March 4th, 1897

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 17 1/2 x 26 cm, 12 pages with text and 1 photomechanical print

Note: Government Printing Office

The Library of Congress

Call No.: LOT 12043-5 (F)

The Library of Congress, Washington, D.C. Photo-Gravures

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 13 x 18 cm, containing 17 photogravures (prints)

Note: Copyright, 1898, by A. Wittemann, publisher of American Views, 250 Adams Street, Brooklyn-New York. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

The New Library of Congress: A Souvenir in Photo-Gravure

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 21 x 26 cm, containing 26 photogravures (prints)

Note: Copyright, 1898, by A. Wittemann, publisher of American Views, 250 Adams St., Brooklyn-New York.

[Views of Library of Congress, similar to preceding entry, "The New Library of Congress..."]

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 21 x 26 cm, containing 39 photomechanical prints

Note: [Title page is missing.]

Mount Vernon

Call No.: LOT 12043-6 (F)

Views of Washington and Mount Vernon

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 24 x 16 cm, containing 21 prints

Note: Published 1896 for Jos. S. Topham, 1231-33 Penna. Ave., Dealer in Trunks, Travelers and Leather-Goods [stamped "L.C. Division of Prints" 47478]

Trinity College

Call No.: LOT 12043-7 (F)

Trinity College Washington, D.C. A Catholic Institution for the Higher Education of Women

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 14 x 19 cm, containing 34 photomechanical prints

Note: The Albertype Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.

Trinity College Chapel of Notre Dame, Washington, D.C.

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 12 x 16 cm, containing 11 photomechanical prints

Note: The Albertype Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.

U.S. Soldiers' Home

Call No.: LOT 12043-8 (F)

U.S. Soldiers' Home, Washington D.C.

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 14 x 19 cm, containing 17 photomechanical prints

The U.S. Soldiers' Home, Washington, D.C. Photo-Gravures

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 13 1/2 x 18 1/2 cm, containing 17 photogravures (prints)

Note: Published by J.W. McKittrick, Post Exchange, U.S. Soldiers' Home. The Albertype Co., Brooklyn, N.Y.

U.S. Soldiers' Home, Washington, D.C. Indelible Photographs

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 13 x 18 cm containing 15 photomechanical prints

Note: Copyright, 1891, by A. Wittemann, 67 x 69 Spring Street, N.Y. The Albertype Co., New York

U.S. Soldiers' Home

Container

Contents

The U.S. Soldiers' Home, Washington, D.C. Indelible Photographs

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 14 x 19 cm, containing photomechanical 20 prints

Note: Copyright by A. Wittemann, Publisher of American Views, 250 Adams St., Brooklyn-New York. The Albertype Co., N.Y.

The White House at Washington

Call No.: LOT 12043-9 (F)

The White House at Washington

Extent: 1 booklet : bound, 9 x 13 cm, containing 12 prints attached in accordion style

Note: Published and Copyrighted, 1881, by Wittemann Bros, 45 Murray St. New York.
Louis Glaser

Loose pictures from souvenir viewbooks

Call No.: LOT 12043-10 (F)

Extent: 6 photomechanical prints and 4 prints, mounted