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TITLE: Alaska Native Hospital Panorama

COLLECTION NUMBER: B2013.071

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Dates: circa 1952-1960

Extent: 1 item

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): E.O. Goldbeck, National Photo & News Service

Administrative/Biographical History:

E. O. (Eugene Omar) Goldbeck, born 1891 or 1892 in San Antonio, Texas, was a well-known photographer specializing in panoramics and military photography. In 1921 he established the National Photo Service, the first and only independent news-photograph supplier headquartered in Texas. He employed several photographers to assist him in canvassing the country recording groups and events, and the company prospered. Goldbeck began providing motion-picture footage to newsreel companies in the 1930s and renamed his company National Photo and News Service.¹ He died in 1986.

Scope and Content Description:

One panoramic photograph, 72.5 x 10 inches, labeled "Alaska Native Hospital, Anchorage, Alaska, Goldbeck Photo No. 2921581, National Photo & News Service, San Antonio, Texas." Print also has "mask here" written on it in two places along lower edge. Photograph probably taken from atop McKinley Apartments in Anchorage circa 1952-1960, looking to the east and including Elmendorf Air Force Base at left, Merrill Field near center, and numerous businesses and residential buildings.

¹ Curlee, Kendall. "GOLDBECK, EUGENE OMAR." In The Handbook of Texas Online. Denton, TX: Texas State Historical Association. Web. 29 Oct. 2013.

Arrangement: Not applicable

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Acquisition and Appraisal Information

Purchased in 2013.

Processing Note

Photo mounted on foam core. Glassless frame damaged in transit from seller and discarded.

RELATED MATERIALS

B1970.079

B1979.165.001

B1991.036

B1991.037

B1995.005

B1998.002

B2010.006

B2010.007

B2012.010

B2013.029

B2013.038

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