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TITLE: Anchorage Newspaper Photographs

COLLECTION NUMBER: B2015.001

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION


Extent: 3 items

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): Fran Durner, Anchorage Times, Anchorage Daily News

Administrative/Biographical History:
The annual Anchorage winter carnival, the Fur Rendezvous, began in 1935.

The city of Anchorage made an unsuccessful bid to host the 1992 Olympic Winter Games.

Scope and Content Description:
The collection consists of three 8 x 10” black-and-white press photographs from the Anchorage Times and the Anchorage Daily News. For more information, see Detailed Description of Collection.

Arrangement: Arranged chronologically

CONDITIONS GOVERNING ACCESS AND USE

Restrictions on Access: The collection is open for research use.
Physical Access: Original items in fair condition. Two of the prints exhibit the deterioration typical of proof prints.

Technical Access: No special equipment is needed to access the materials.

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Acquisition and Appraisal Information
Purchased by Aaron Leggett from Newport Archives via eBay, then donated to the Museum.

SUBJECTS
Fur Rendezvous (Anchorage, Alaska)
Anchorage Organizing Committee for the 1992 Olympics
Winter Olympics—Proposals
Anchorage (Alaska)

Detailed Description of the Collection

.1 – [Stamp on verso: Anchorage Times photograph, Feb. 16, 1981. Hot air balloons being filled at East High School during Anchorage Fur Rendezvous, with large group of spectators and Chugach Mountains in background]
.2 – Earl Carlson, Mr. Fur Face 1982, being crowned at Miners & Trappers Ball (to be held on Sat. night) [hands placing fur crown on bearded man holding trophy, Anchorage Fur Rendezvous]
.3 – Anchorage Daily News Photograph Information: file slug: election; location: Sheraton; time/date: 8/23/88; credit: Fran Durner; description: Olympic supporters celebrate the victory at election HQ. Herschel Gardner center w/confetti, Freddie Ringer far right [group of men and women with noisemakers, Anchorage bid for Winter Olympics]

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