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**TITLE:** Cornelia Lincoln Martin Collection

**COLLECTION NUMBER:** B1992.024

**OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION**

Dates: 1927

Extent: 102 items

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): Cornelia Lincoln Martin

**Administrative/Biographical History:**

During the summer of 1927, Cornelia Lincoln Martin (1908-1991) and her mother Mary Lincoln (1880-1978) took a cruise to Alaska. Martin was between her sophomore and junior years at Pomona College. She took her Kodak camera along as they boarded the S.S. Admiral Farragut at Seattle on August 11, 1927 for a 24 day trip with the Alaska Pacific Steamship Company.

Her father, William F. Lincoln (1879-1949) served in a detachment of the U.S. Seventh Infantry which landed in Alaska in April 1900 and built Fort Liscum across from Valdez, but he did not travel with Cornelia and Mary for the cruise.

**Scope and Content Description:**

This collection consists of 102 items, including 97 images, in a scrapbook of a personal trip on the steamship *Admiral Farragut*. Areas of Alaska shown include Igya'aq (Cordova), Dzánti K'ihéeni (Juneau), Sun'aq (Kodiak), Latouche Island, Uusenkaa (Ouzinkie), Petersburg (Séet Ká), Qutekcak (Seward), Sheet'ká (Sitka), Suacit (Valdez), and Yaakwdáat (Yakutat). Outside of Alaska, locations also include Portland, Oregon and Vancouver, British Columbia.

Arrangement: Arranged by previous archivist.

## **CONDITIONS GOVERNING ACCESS AND USE**

Restrictions on Access: The collection is open for research use.

Physical Access: Original items in good condition.

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

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## **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

Acquisition and Appraisal Information

Donated by David Lincoln Martin, the son of Cornelia Lincoln Martin, on September 25, 1992.

Processing Note

Original inventory also includes a folded map from Pacific Steamship Company, log of *Admiral Farragut*, a handbill for Father Hubbard's film "Valley of Ten Thousand Smokes," and a copy of *Alaska in Summer: A Daily Record* by M.T. Gilmore. These materials were not included in the card catalog but were found when the collection was physically reviewed and previous number assigned are reflected in the Detailed Description of the Collection.

## **RELATED MATERIALS**

B1987.056 W.T. Roberts Album

B1997.008 Trip to Alaska

B2004.021 Inside Passage Photo Album

B2005.032 Allan Rennie Collection

B2009.004 Natalie Brother Photograph Album

B2012.004 Eustace Ziegler Photographs

B2012.035 Alma T. Nelson Album

## **SUBJECTS**

Martin, Cornelia Lincoln, 1908-1991

Lincoln, Mary, 1880-1978

Admiral Farragut (Steamship)

Alutiit (Indigenous peoples) – Alaska  
Cordova / Igya'aq (Alaska)  
Holy Resurrection Orthodox Cathedral  
Inside Passage  
Juneau / Dzánti K'ihéeni (Alaska)  
Kodiak / Sun'aq (Alaska)  
Latouche Island (Alaska)  
Lingít (Indigenous peoples) – Alaska  
Ouzinkie / Uusenkaa (Alaska)  
Pacific Steamship Company  
Petersburg / Séet Ká (Alaska)  
Port Graham / Paluwik (Alaska)  
Portland (Oregon)  
Salmon canneries  
Seward / Qutekcak (Alaska)  
Sitka / Sheet'ká (Alaska)  
Sugpiat (Indigenous peoples) – Alaska  
Valdez / Suacit (Alaska)  
Vancouver (British Columbia, Canada)  
Yakutat / Yaakwdáat (Alaska)

#### Detailed Description of the Collection

##### **Box 1**

- .1 – envelope that includes letter from Pacific Steamship Company confirming reservation on *Admiral Farragut*, Souvenir Passenger List, Table of Distances, and newspaper clipping about the Alaska flag
  - .1a – envelope, Pacific Steamship Company. Steamship: Admiral Farragut. Sailing: 10AM, AUG 11 1927. Stateroom: 33. Berth: All. J.D. Birse, Ticket Salesman.
  - .1b – letter, Pacific Steamship Company, The Admiral Line. June 11, 1927. File I-100-L-1. To Mrs. William F. Lincoln from District Passenger Agent F.L. Ashton regarding reservations.
  - .1c – handout, Pacific Steamship Company, Table of Distances.
  - .1d – handout, Pacific Steamship Company, The Admiral Line, Souvenir Passenger List.
  - .1e – newspaper clipping, “Official Flag Now Enroute to France: On Display This Week at Territorial Museum – Will Grace Alaska Paris Headquarters.”
- .2 – Alaska – 1927. Pacific Steamship Co. – the “Admiral Farragut” [map cutout with Pacific Steamship Company route]
- .3 – Log of the “Admiral Farragut”
- .4 – Passenger List of “Admiral Farragut”
- .5 – Passengers of “Admiral Farragut,” August 1927 [group of individuals posed on ship deck for photograph with water and mountains in the background]
- .6 – Passengers [group of individuals posed on ship deck for photograph with water and mountains in the background]

- .7 – Pilot Einar Thomsen. Chief Office Brewer [two individuals posed in uniform on ship deck, identified Pilot Einar Thomsen at left and First Officer H.T. Brewer at right]
- .8 – Pilot Einar Thomsen. Captain C.C. Graham [two individuals posed in uniform on ship deck, identified as Captain C.C. Graham at left and Pilot Einar Thomsen at right]
- .9 – The Musicians Three. Hugh, Walt, Fritz [three individuals seated in front of a smoke stack on deck with lifeboats at left and right. Identified left to right as Hugh, Walt, and Frtiz]
- .10 – Mary Lincoln, Naomi Deutsch, Mrs. Deutsch, Mr. Sumner [nine individuals posed on deck. Individuals identified as left to right: (top row) Mary Lincoln, Naomi Deutsch, Hermine G. Deutsch, Cornelia Lincoln Martin, Luis Sumner, and unknown; (bottom row) Chief Steward J.H. Weinrabe, Captain C.C. Graham, and Pilot Einar Thomsen]
- .11 – Mr. Harris, Steward, Capt. Graham, Capt. Thomsen, Mrs. Mann [nine individuals posed on deck. Individuals identified as left to right: (top row) Mary Lincoln, Naomi Deutsch, Hermine G. Deutsch, Cornelia Lincoln Martin, Luis Sumner and unknown; (bottom row) Captain C.C. Graham, Florence Mann, and Pilot Einar Thomsen]
- .12 – Aug. 5, 1927. Will, Mary, Cornelia Lincoln [three individuals identified left to right as William Lincoln, Mary Lincoln, and Cornelia Lincoln Martin posed in front of a building]
- .13 – Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Mann aboard the “Farragut” [two individuals identified as C.G. Mann and Florence Mann posed on ship deck]
- .14 – “on board” Mary and Cornelia Lincoln [two individuals identified as Mary Lincoln and Cornelia Lincoln Martin posed on ship deck]
- .15 – “Aboard the Farragut” C.A.L. Miss Ziegler, Mr. Mann [three individuals identified as Cornelia Lincoln Martin, Fannie L. Ziegler, and C.G. Man seated in a deck chair with mountains in the background]
- .16 – “Aboard the Farragut” Miss Ziegler – Miss Deutsch, Mrs. Deutsch [three individuals as Fannie L. Ziegler, Naomi Deutsch, and Hermine G. Deutsch posed on deck]
- .17 – “Aboard the Farragut” Luis Sumner – radio operator. Cornelia Lincoln, Jeanette Moynier, Capt. Nordyke [four individuals identified left to right as Lius Sumner, Cornelia Lincoln Martin, Jeanette Moynier, and I.E. Nordyke posed on deck with water and mountains in the background]
- .18 – “On board” Miss Deutsch – Minn. U. boy – Mrs. Deutsch [three individuals identified left to right as Naomi Deutsch, unknown, and Hermine G. Deutsch]
- .19 – “On board” C.A.L. in action [one individual identified as Cornelia Lincoln Martin walking on ship deck]
- .20 – “On board” Capts. Graham and Thomsen. Mary Lincoln in background. [two individuals posed in uniform identified as Captain C.C. Graham and Pilot Einar Thomsen with Mary Lincoln visible back left]
- .21 – Just an iceberg. Icy Straits. [view of iceberg in water with shore and mountains in the background. S’ix’ Tlein (Icy Strait), Xunaa K̄wáan]
- .22 – Shipping – Petersburg [view of boats at dock with buildings and mountains in the background. Boat with lettering on stern, “Gypsy, Petersburg.” Séet Ká<sup>1</sup> (Petersburg), Shtax’héen K̄wáan]

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<sup>1</sup> <https://www.uaf.edu/anla/collections/map/names/>

- .23 – Salmon cannery – Petersburg [view of dock and cannery building. Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .24 – Wrangell Narrows just before entering Petersburg [view of Ganti Yaakw Seedi (Wrangell Narrows). Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .25 – Petersburg. “Admiral Farragut” in background. [view of boats and *Admiral Farragut* at dock with mountains in the background. Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .26 – Petersburg. “Admiral Farragut” [view of *Admiral Farragut* at dock with other boats and town in the background. Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .27 – Petersburg. “Admiral Farragut” [view of *Admiral Farragut* at dock with other boats and town in the background. Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .28 – Leaving Petersburg [view of water and mountains in the background. Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .29 – Leaving Petersburg [view of water and mountains in the background. Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .30 – Leaving Petersburg [view of water and town at right with mountains in the background. Séet Ká (Petersburg), Shtax'héen K̄wáan]
- .31 – Approach to Juneau [view of downtown Dzánti K'ihéeni (Juneau) from *Admiral Farragut*. Áak'w K̄wáan]
- .32 – Alaska – Juneau Gold Mining Company [view of Alaska Juneau Mine from *Admiral Farragut*. Dzánti K'ihéeni (Juneau), Áak'w K̄wáan]
- .33 – Mendenhall Range near Juneau [view of ship in water with mountains in the background]
- .34 – Mendenhall Range near Juneau [view of water with mountains in the background]
- .35 – Mendenhall Range near Juneau [view of water with mountains in the background]
- .36 – Mendenhall Range near Juneau [view of water with mountains in the background]
- .37 – Yakutat [view of buildings on shore with boat in the water. Yaakwdáat (Yakutat), Laax̄aayík K̄wáan]
- .38 – Yakutat [view of ships at dock with buildings at right. Yaakwdáat (Yakutat), Laax̄aayík K̄wáan]
- .39 – Some [Lingít individuals] of Yakutat [seven Lingít youth in western dress standing in front of a building with a dog at left. Yaakwdáat (Yakutat), Laax̄aayík K̄wáan]
- .40 – Interling Yakutat [view of water with buildings on shore at center and mountains in the background. Yaakwdáat (Yakutat), Laax̄aayík K̄wáan]
- .41 – A dead glacier [view of Bear Glacier from the water. Sugpiat Territory]
- .42 – Bear glacier [view of Bear Glacier from the water. Sugpiat Territory]
- .43 – The Gulf. A poor attempt to get a sunset. [view of the Gulf of Alaska]
- .44 – The Gulf. A poor attempt to get a sunset. [view of the Gulf of Alaska]
- .45 – The Gulf. A poor attempt to get a sunset. [view of the Gulf of Alaska]
- .46 – Mt. St. Elias [view of water and mountains. Was'eitushaa (Mount Saint Elias), K'ineix K̄wáan<sup>2</sup>]
- .47 – Capt St. Elias [view of water and mountains with lighthouse at left. Was'eitushaa (Mount Saint Elias), K'ineix K̄wáan]

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<sup>2</sup> <https://www.nps.gov/wrst/learn/historyculture/yakutat-tlingit-ethnographic-study.htm>

- .48 – Mt. St. Elias [view of water and mountains. Was'etitushaa (Mount Saint Elias), K'ineix K'wáan]
- .49 – A typical landing – Chief Officer Brewer on duty [*Admiral Farragut* coming to port at Cordova docks with three individuals, including First Officer H.T. Brewer. Sign on building reads, “Cordova, the ‘Copper Gate’ of Alaska. Igya'aq (Cordova), Eyak territory]
- .50 – Mrs. Mann on Cordova dock [Florence Mann posed on docks with buildings in the background. Igya'aq (Cordova), Eyak territory]
- .51 – Entering Cordova [view of water with mountains in the background. Igya'aq (Cordova), Eyak territory]
- .52 – Fort Lisicum – where dad was stationed across the bay from Valdez [view of buildings on shore with mountains in the background. Sugpiat Territory]
- .53 – Entering Valdez [view of water with buildings on shore from *Admiral Farragut*. Suacit (Valdez), Sugpiat Territory]
- .54 – Valdez [view of old Valdez townsite with Valdez Glacier and mountains in the background. Suacit (Valdez), Sugpiat Territory]
- .55 – Columbia Glacier approaching [view of Columbia Glacier from the water with mountains in the background, Sugpiat Territory]
- .56 – Columbia Glacier, a thousand feet away [view of Columbia Glacier face with ice floes in the water. Sugpiat Territory]
- .57 – Columbia Glacier leaving [view of Columbia Glacier with mountains in the background. Sugpiat Territory]
- .58 – Columbia Glacier entering [view of Columbia Glacier with mountains in the background. Sugpiat Territory]
- .59 – Columbia Glacier near [view of Columbia Glacier face with ice floes in the water. Sugpiat Territory]
- .60 – Columbia Glacier [view of Columbia Glacier face with ice floes in the water. Sugpiat Territory]
- .61 – Columbia Glacier [view of Columbia Glacier face with ice floes in the water and ship in the foreground. Sugpiat Territory]
- .62 – Columbia Glacier [view of Columbia Glacier with mountains in the background. Sugpiat Territory]
- .63 – Columbia Glacier [view of Columbia Glacier face with ice floes in the water and one individual standing at ship railing at right. Sugpiat Territory]
- .64 – Columbia Glacier [view of Columbia Glacier face with ice floes in the water. Sugpiat Territory]
- .65 – Columbia Glacier [view of Columbia Glacier face with ice floes in the water and mountains at left. Sugpiat Territory]
- .66 – La Touche near where the Japanese boat is on the rocks – entering La Touche [view of Beatson Copper Mine buildings on shore and mountains in the background. Latouche Island, Sugpiat Territory]
- .67 – La Touche near where the Japanese boat is on the rocks – entering La Touche [view of shoreline and mountains in the background. Latouche Island, Sugpiat Territory]
- .68 – La Touche [view of Beatson Copper Mine buildings on shore and mountains in the background. Latouche Island, Sugpiat Territory]

- .69 – Near la Touche [view of shoreline and mountains in the background. Latouche Island Sugpiat Territory]
- .70 – Seward. Mr. Mann and the reindeer on the Main street [C.G. Mann standing next to a reindeer on 4<sup>th</sup> avenue in Qutekcak<sup>3</sup> (Seward), Sugpiat Territory. In the background include the Brown & Hawkins building and sign for Seward Bakery and Lunch storefront]
- .71 – Pet reindeer – Seward [reindeer posed on sidewalk on 4<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Qutekcak (Seward), Sugpiat Territory]
- .72 – Kenai Lake about 20 miles inland from Seward. Mt. Kenai in the middle distance [view of Kenai Lake and Kenai Mountains in the background. Dena’ina Territory]
- .73 – Stream flowing into Kenai Lake [view of creek with trees and mountains in the background. Dena’ina Territory]
- .74 – Seal rocks [view of rock surrounded by water]
- .75 – Seal rocks [view of rock surrounded by water]
- .76 – Sunset on the gulf – near Mt. Fairweather [view of water and clouds]
- .77 – Kodiak Island. A typical view of the fall of ash, left from 1912 eruption of Mt. Kenai [view of rock formation and water]
- .78 – Kodiak – “Admiral Farragut” tied to cannery dock in distance [view of *Admiral Farragut* at dock with buildings and structures along shoreline. Sun’aq (Kodiak), Alutiit Territory]
- .79 – Kodiak U.S. Government experimental farm on hills in distance [view of Sun’aq (Kodiak) and shoreline, Alutiit Territory]
- .80 – Kodiak – note spires of Russian church – Kodiak church next wealthiest to Sitka church [view of buildings in Sun’aq (Kodiak), with spires of the Holy Resurrection Orthodox Cathedral in the background. Alutiit Territory]
- .81 – Russian church, Kodiak supposed to own many fine jewels and robes. We only saw the surface tinsel. [view of Holy Resurrection Orthodox Cathedral with two cows in the foreground. Sun’aq (Kodiak), Alutiit Territory]
- .82 – Early morning Kodiak with the fishing boats at anchor [view of boats at anchor in the water with islands and mountains in the background. Sun’aq (Kodiak), Alutiit Territory]
- .83 – Ouzinkie – dried salmon for [Indigenous] consumption! Such flies!! [fish drying on racks with building in the background. Uusenkaa<sup>4</sup> (Ouzinkie), Alutiit Territory]
- .84 – Leaving Ouzinkie [view of water and mountains. Uusenkaa<sup>4</sup> (Ouzinkie), Alutiit Territory]
- .85 – Uganik Bay, “Admiral Farragut” at dock [view of docks with buildings and mountains in the background. Alutiit Territory]
- .86 – “Admiral Farragut” San Juan dock – Uganik Bay [*Admiral Farragut* at dock with metal drums on docks. Alutiit Territory]
- .87 – Zachar Bay – still Kodiak Island [view Uyaq (Uyak Bay) with mountains in the background. Alutiit Territory]
- .88 – “Admiral Farragut” at Zachar Bay [view of *Admiral Farragut* in Uyaq (Uyak Bay), Alutiit Territory]
- .89 – Utopian Fisheries. MacDonald’s Spit [ship at anchor in Kasitsna Bay, Alutiit Territory]

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<sup>3</sup> <https://www.chugachmiut.org/about-us/about-chugachmiut/service-area/qutekcak-seward/>

<sup>4</sup> <https://alutiigmuseum.org/alutiig-people/language/kodiak-alutiig-place-names/>

- .90 – MacDonald’s Spit [view of Kasitsna Bay with mountains in the background. Alutiit/Sugpiat Territory]
- .91 – Leaving Port Graham to enter the gulf [view of water and island leaving Paluwik (Port Graham), Alutiit/Sugpiat Territory]
- .92 – Totem Pole Park – Sitka. Mr. and Mrs. C.G. Mann [C.G. Mann and Florence Mann posed next to a carved pole, possibly the original Yaadaas Crest Pole at the Sitka National Historical Park. Sheet’ká (Sitka), Sheet’ká K̄wáan]
- .93 – Totem Pole Park – Sitka entrance to park [four individuals posed between two carved poles at the Sitkan National Historical Park. Sheet’ká (Sitka), Sheet’ká K̄wáan]
- .94 – Portland, Oregon. George Currie & Miss Ziegler [two individuals identified as George Currie and Fannie Ziegler posed next to a sidewalk]
- .95 – Gregory – Miss Z’s nephew [one individual posed with a tennis racket on a lawn. Portland, Oregon]
- .96 – Portland, Oregon. Miss Ziegler & Gregory [two individuals identified as Fannie Ziegler and Gregory posed on a lawn]
- .97 – Victoria, B.C. Parliament building – statue of Queen Victoria in foreground two individuals walking in front of statue
- .98 – Harding Memorial – Stanley Park. Vancouver, B.C. The bronze statues represent Canada and the United States. The tablets on either side contain extracts of Harding’s speech at Vancouver. [two statues of individuals turned towards each other with the profile of President Warren G. Harding and lettering “Harding” at center]
- .99 – Mt. Rainier – near Seattle showing one of its’ 28 glaciers [scenic view of Mount Rainier with glaciers and trees]
- .100 – handbill. The Pacific Geographic Society, “The Glacier Priest”: Father Bernard R. Hubbard, S.J.
- .101 – booklet, *Alaska in Summer: A Daily Record* by M.T. Gilmore [Cornelia Lincoln Martin mentioned on page 31]
- .102 – map, Pacific Steamship Co., The Admiral Line, copyright 1917, by Poole Bros., Chicago. Back: Mrs. Mary Lincoln, San Bernadino, Calif. Map of Pacific Steamship route, coast of Alaska.

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