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TITLE: CIHS Saindon and Loomis

COLLECTION NUMBER: B1963.021

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Dates: 1917-1952

Extent: 3 items

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): Alaska Railroad

Administrative/Biographical History:

Nothing is known about the donors Bill Saindon and Glen Loomis at the time of processing.

Scope and Content Description:

This collection consists of Freight Bills around 1919 from the Alaska Engineering Commission, and papers from the Alaska Board of Road Commission. The photograph in the collection is of a long acre subdivision at Mile 20 out of Seward.

Arrangement: Collection 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 Bill Saindon and Glen Loomis to the Cook Inlet Historical Society in August 1963. Transferred to the Anchorage Museum.

Processing Note

Items .2-.4 deaccessioned in December 1972.

Notes

The Miss Alaska USA competition is the pageant that selects the representative for the state Alaska in the Miss USA pageant. Alaska's highest placement was in 1964, with Patricia Marlin as the second runner up. At least three other major races were held in Fairbanks between 1927 and 1941. The Sweepstakes trophy competition began in 1936, consisting of three 30-mile heats. In 1940 and 1941, that race became a mid-distance classic of some 165 miles round trip between Fairbanks and Livengood. Between 1927 and 1934, the Fromm trophy was presented to the winner of the women's sled dog championship, which ran over a distance of about 17 miles.

RELATED MATERIALS

B1969.016 CIHS Howell

B1970.x.002 Railroad Photograph Collection

B1979.002 Alaska Railroad Collection

B1994.019 Early Railroad

B2015.016 W.L. McCulloch Alaska Railroad Collection

B2019.015 Alaska Railroad Slides

SUBJECTS

Saidon, Bill

Loomis, Glen

Alaska Railroad

Alaska Engineering Commission

Alaska Board of Road Commission

Seward (Alaska)

Detailed Description of the Collection

.1a-k – freight bills, Alaska Engineering Commission (A.E.C.)

.5 – Alaska Board of Road Commissions

.6 – Long acre subdivision. Mile 20 out of Seward, Alaska. Taken of “The Loop” on the Alaska Railroad close to Seward [Same as B1969.16.14]

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