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GEIGER FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS

1936

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HISTORY

The Geiger family, including twelve-year-old son Gerald, travelled by automobile from Indiana to Yellowstone National Park via the Northeast Entrance in the summer of 1936. Gerald was a Boy Scout and used an AGFA Memo 35mm camera to take film strips of the trip.

DESCRIPTION

The collection consists of filmstrips, photographs, and ephemera of the Geiger family automobile trip to Yellowstone National Park in 1936. The filmstrips, taken by son Gerald G. Geiger, document Cooke City, Montana; Red Lodge, Montana; the Beartooth Mountains; the Northeast Entrance area and other typical tourist areas of Yellowstone National Park. There is also a commercial set of photographic prints by the Royal Roads Travel Service of the Red Lodge - Cooke City Highway (now the Beartooth Highway) as well as the vehicle license issued to enter the park.

PROVENANCE

Gift of Gerald G. Geiger, 2000.

AVAILABILITY

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