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# **MR. & MRS. G. A. PLATZ PHOTOGRAPH ALBUM**

### **Circa 1925**

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## ***HISTORY***

Little is known of Mr. & Mrs. Platz, other than that they visited Yellowstone National Park in the 1920s and may have come from Colorado.

## ***SCOPE AND CONTENT***

### MR. & MRS. G. A. PLATZ PHOTOGRAPH ALBUM Circa 1925

*CATALOG NUMBER* YELL 192401

*VOLUME* 0.2 LF

*DESCRIPTION* Photograph album of an automobile trip to Yellowstone National Park in the 1920s.

The collection consists of a photograph album containing sepia-toned, black and white prints mounted on black construction paper and bound in black linen covers with the word "SnapShots" embossed on the front.

The photographs show a couple, possibly as part of a larger group, as they tour Yellowstone National Park by car in the 1920s. Landscape images show Sylvan Lake, Lower Falls, Tower Falls, Specimen Ridge west of Crystal Creek, and the Grand Tetons. Geothermal features include Mammoth Terraces, Old Faithful Geyser, Morning Glory Geyser, Grotto Geyser, and Giant Geyser. Wildlife depicted include a black bear, pronghorn antelope, and bison. Other images include Old Faithful Inn, a stagecoach, a log cabin, and a dam, possibly Shoshone Dam.

*ORGANIZATION* The album remains in its original order.

*PROVENANCE* Gift of Ted Schroeder in 2009.

*RESTRICTIONS* YES

***CONTAINER LIST*****Box 1**

| <b>File Unit Nbr</b> | <b>Title</b>     |
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| 01                   | Photograph album |