City/County Building Time Capsule photograph collection, 1890-1899

Overview of the Collection

| Title | City/County Building Time Capsule photograph collection |
| Dates | 1890-1899 (inclusive) |
| Quantity | 30 photographs |
| Collection Number | P0367 |
| Summary | The City/County Building Time Capsule photograph collection contains photographs, placed in time capsule in 1892 and removed in 1989, includes portraits of the architects of the building, Masons, etc., and views of the city from Prospect Hill and from the Temple. |
| Repository | University of Utah Libraries, Special Collections, J. Willard Marriott Library, Special Collections, J. Willard Marriott Library, University of Utah, 295 South 1500 East, Salt Lake City, UT, 84112-0860, Telephone: 801-581-8863, SPCReference@lists.utah.edu |
| Access Restrictions | Materials must be used on-site; advance notice suggested. Access to parts of this collection may be restricted under provisions of state or federal law. |
| Languages | English |

Content Description

The photographs in this collection were contained in the time capsule placed in the cornerstone of the City/County Building in the dedication ceremony of 1892. The time capsule was placed by Masons. In 1989, a re-dedication ceremony was held for the newly restored building, at which time the time capsule was opened and a new one put in its place. The materials contained in the original were placed in the Marriott Library at the behest of Mayor Palmer Depaulis.

Most of the images are in excellent condition, although some of the portraits appear to show evidence of "bronzing," the migration of some of the mount metal onto the image.

Administrative Information

Arrangement

Collection is arranged in topical and alphabetical order.
Separated Materials

The time capsule papers are in the Manuscripts Division, but have not been assigned an accession number as of this date.

Processing Note

Processed by Peter F. Schmid in 1991.

Detailed Description of the Collection

Portraits and Salt Lake area

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1  Portraits, B-D
Photograph number 1: George W. Bird, Architect of the City/County Building. Photo: Rogers, Wichita, Kansas. Photograph number 2: John H. Bowman, Contractor and Builder. Photo: Ellis and Goodwyn, Salt Lake City, Utah. Photograph number 3: Mildred D. Bowman, daughter of John H. Bowman. Photo: Fox and Symons, Salt Lake City, Utah. Photograph number 4: Christopher Diehl, Grand Secretary, Grand Lodge, Ancient Free and Accepted Masons. Photo: Morris & Co., Salt Lake City, Utah.

2  Portraits, E-H

3  Portraits, L-S
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| 4           | Church-Related Salt Lake City Views  
All photographs by C.R. Savage, Salt Lake City. 
Photograph number 1: Deseret News and Tithing Office. 
Photograph number 2: Eagle Gate. 
Photograph number 3: Grave of Brigham Young. 
Photograph number 4: Mormon Tabernacle. 
Photograph number 5: Salt Lake Temple [rendering]. |
| 5           | Salt Lake City Views  
All photographs by C.R. Savage, Salt Lake City. 
Photograph number 1: Culmer Block Building. 
Photograph number 2: Templeton Hotel. 
Photograph number 3: Z.C.M.I. Shoe Factory. 
Photograph number 4: Salt Lake City viewed from Prospect Hill. 
Photograph number 5: Salt Lake City viewed from the Temple. |
| 6           | Photograph Envelopes  
Photograph number 1-3: Original photograph studio envelopes. 
Photograph number 1-2: are Sainsbury and Johnson. 
Photograph number 3: is a C. R. Savage |

**Names and Subjects**

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