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Finding Aid for the
Wilmington Area Streets and Neighborhoods Photographic Collection,
1900-1998, bulk date 1980-1989

Collection Overview

Title: Wilmington Area Streets and Neighborhoods Photographic Collection

Dates: 1900-1998

ID: WAS

Primary Creator: Wilmington Historical Society (Calif.)

Extent: 0.89 linear feet

Arrangement: Arranged at the series level.

Series I: Identified Locations, 1900-1994

Series II: Unidentified Locations, 1952-1998

Forms of Material: Photographic materials

Language of materials: English

Abstract

The Wilmington Area Streets and Neighborhoods Photographic Collection documents locations of individual residential homes and businesses, as well as views of neighborhoods, intersections, business districts, city blocks, and industrial areas in the Wilmington, California area between 1900 and 1998.

Scope and Contents

The Wilmington Area Streets and Neighborhoods Photographic Collection documents physical locations in the city of Wilmington, California area, including residential, business, and industrial sites, between 1900 and 1998. The bulk of the locations were photographed between 1980 and 1989. Highlights include historic photographs of Avalon Bl. (formerly Canal St.) and Anaheim St., as well as aerial photographs from the 1920s and 1950s. This collection is organized into two series: Series I: Identified Locations (1900-1994), Series II: Unidentified Locations (1952-1998).

Series I: Identified Locations, contains snapshots of individual residential homes and businesses, as well as views of neighborhoods, intersections, business districts, and industrial areas. This series is arranged alphabetically by street name and numerically by street number within.

Series II: Unidentified Locations, consists of photographic images of residential homes and businesses, as well as aerial views of neighborhoods, commercial businesses, industrial areas, city blocks, intersections, and other areas of interest. This series is arranged first by date, and within by format and size.

Subjects/Access Terms

Creator

Organization Name:

Wilmington Historical Society (Calif.)

Subject Headings

Topical Terms:

Business enterprises

Communities

Dwellings

Industrial buildings

Neighborhoods

Geographical locations:

Los Angeles County (Calif.)

Wilmington (Los Angeles, Calif.)

Documentary forms:

Photographic materials

Administrative Information

Processing Information: Holli Teltoe, 2024

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Conditions Governing Access: The collection is open for research use.

Preferred Citation: Wilmington Area Streets and Neighborhoods Photographic Collection.
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Acquisition: This collection has been acquired and assembled by the Wilmington Historical Society from a variety of sources. The sources and dates of acquisition are unknown.

Collection Contents

Series I: Identified Locations

Box 1

Folder 1: Anaheim St., 1941, 1988-1990

Folder 2: Arabic St.

Folder 3: Avalon Bl., 1900, 1908, 1911, 1928, 1954, 1988-1989

Folder 4: Avalon Bl., 1988-1989, 1993, 1988

Folder 5: "B" St., 1988-1989, 1994

Folder 6: Banning Bl.

Folder 7: Bay View Ave., 1988-1990

Folder 8: Blinn Ave., 1990

Folder 9: Broad Ave., 1988, 1990

Folder 10: "C" St., 1989

Folder 11: Cary Ave.

Folder 12: Colon St.

Folder 13: "D" St., 1989

Folder 14: Denni St., 1990

Folder 15: "E" St., 1989

Folder 16: Eubank Ave., 1988

Folder 17: "F" St. and Marine Ave.

Folder 18: Flint Ave., 1989

Folder 19: Fries Ave., 1912, 1989

Folder 20: Frigate Ave.

Folder 21: "G" St.

Folder 22: Grant St., 1988

Folder 23: Gulf St., ca. 1920-ca. 1929,1989

Folder 24: Hyatt Ave., 1988-1989

Folder 25: "I" St.

Folder 26: Island Ave., 1988-1989

Folder 27: "L" St.

Folder 28: Lagoon Ave.

Folder 29: Lakme Ave.

Folder 30: Lomita Bl., 1989

Folder 31: Lowen St.

Folder 32: "M" St., 1923, 1988

Folder 33: Mahar Ave., 1988

Folder 34: Mar Vista Ave., 1989

Folder 35: Marine Ave., 1989

Box 2

Folder 1: Mc Donald Ave., 1988

Folder 2: Neptune Ave., 1988

Folder 3: "O" St., 1988

Folder 4: Opp St., 1988

Folder 5: Pacific Coast Highway, 1988

Folder 6: Papeete St.

Folder 7: "Q" St., 1924-1925

Folder 8: "R" St.

Folder 9: Ravenna Ave.

Folder 10: Ronan Ave.

Folder 11: Sandison St.

Folder 12: Sanford Ave., 1989

Folder 13: Water St.

Folder 14: Wilmington Bl., 1916, 1988

Folder 15: Watson Ave., 1988-1989

Folder 16: Young St., 1990

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Flat File 1: Ronan Ave., 1986 May 16

Flat File 2: Ronan Ave., 1986 May 28

Flat File 3: Terminal St.

Series II: Unidentified Locations, 1952-1998

Folder 17: Aerial Views, ca. 1920-ca. 1929, 1950, 1956

Folder 18: Unidentified Businesses, 1952, 1968, 1986, 1989, 1998

Folder 19: Unidentified Businesses

Folder 20: Unidentified Residences, 1980, 1990

Folder 21: Unidentified Residences

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