

EDWARD A. MCDERMOTT COLLECTION

1964 Alaska Earthquake

Pictorial record of the Alaska Disaster inspection trip, March 28-30, 1964 by Edward A. McDermott, Director, Office of Emergency Planning. The collection consists of the following:

1. 64 black and white 8x10 photos taken by a White House photographer B87.83.1-64
 - 1-14 People/meetings
 - 15-39 Anchorage, earthquake damage
 - 40-44 People
 - 45-51 Kodiak, earthquake damage
 - 52-54 Seward, earthquake damage
 - 54-64 People/meetings
2. 55 color slides, all Anchorage earthquake damage and people. Views similar to the black and white photos. B87.83.65.1-55 Filed with the Museum's earthquake slides.
3. 16 mm film titled "Dateline Alaska", prepared for the Office of Emergency Planning by the U.S. Air Force Photographic Service, 1964. (about 30 min. in length) B87.83.66
3. Audio tape Speech made by McDermott to the Anchorage Chamber of Commerce and Bar Association. Recorded by KFQD radio news. B87.83.67