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TITLE: Clarence and Winona Gronning Collection

COLLECTION NUMBER: B2005.013

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Dates: circa 1922-1965

Extent: 1 box; 0.2 linear feet

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): Clarence and Winona Gronning, Harold W. Johnson, Galen Biery

Administrative/Biographical History:

The *M/V Health* was a "floating clinic," a marine unit of the Alaska Department of Health. The program was created to facilitate the battle against tuberculosis in Alaska after World War II. Tuberculosis was an urgent concern in Alaska at the time, particularly in Indigenous communities. The *M/V Health*, along with the *M/S Hygiene* and the riverboat *M/V Yukon Health*, were mobile health units that allowed medical professionals to treat rural Alaskans in their villages. The *Health* and *Hygiene* serviced the coastlines of Alaska, from Southeast Alaska to the Aleutian Islands and as far north as Point Hope, while the *Yukon Health* serviced the lower Yukon River. Villagers usually boarded small boats and rowed out to *M/V Health* for chest x-ray screenings, blood tests, health checks, vaccinations, treatment, health education, and dental care. At times when the weather was bad or villagers could not leave their homes, the medical staff made house calls. The medical staff also met with village councils to discuss how to care for sick members of the community after the ship left, particularly those diagnosed with active tuberculosis.

Captain Clarence R. Gronning and his wife Winona served aboard the *M/V Health* in 1951-1952.

Clarence Rudolph Gronning was born on March 22, 1904. At 16, he left high school and on June 6, 1924, he applied for Seaman's Certificate. He eventually worked his way to becoming a 'Captain Licensed in Any Ocean' and master mariner. During his career he served with the U.S. Bureau of Fisheries, Pacific American Fisheries in Bellingham, and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers. During WWII, Clarence served as a Lieutenant Commander in the Merchant Marines patrolling Alaskan waters for Japanese ships and submarines, for which he was awarded the Asiatic Pacific Campaign medal.

In his later years he worked as a high janitor but went back to sea in his 60s where he sailed as Third Mate to bring supplies to Vietnam. According to family, he was a typical sailor and led a colorful life having married several times.

Winona ("Nona") Adah Blair was born on October 7, 1906, and was soon after adopted and raised in Bellingham, WA. She worked as a stenographer and secretary for several businesses in Bellingham during her early adult years. At age 42 while working as a secretary at PAF (Pacific American Fishers) she met Clarence and married him on November 25, 1948. She sailed with him as a secretary aboard the *M/V Health* and lived with him in Anchorage.

After retiring from sailing, Clarence and Winona moved to the Seattle area where she worked as a secretary for the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration. Clarence died on December 21, 1969, and Winona followed on March 26, 1985.

Scope and Content Description:

This collection consists of 455 color 35mm slides, most taken in the 1950s during the Gronnings' service aboard the *M/V Health*. The *M.V Health* primarily held clinics along the Aleutian chain and up along the Bering Sea to villages on St. Lawrence Island and Norton Sound. There is one commercial slide (.268). Several images were taken in Whittier, where Clarence was based as captain of the Army tug LT-130. For more information, see Detailed Description of Collection.

The 2025 Addendum includes 4 photographic prints, 20 color 35mm slides, and documents related to Clarence Gronning's seamanship including a 1922 Certificate of Seaman's Service and his U.S. Department of Commerce Continuous Discharge Book dated 1942-1969.

Arrangement: Loosely arranged by subject and location. Addendum 2025 arranged by format; original order of slides maintained.

CONDITIONS GOVERNING ACCESS AND USE

Restrictions on Access: The collection is open for research use.

Physical Access: Original items in good condition.

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ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION

Acquisition and Appraisal Information

Donated by Noreen and Andy Gronning in March 2005. Addendum donated by Noreen Gronning in April 2025.

Separated Materials

Some items received with the 2025 Addendum were not accessioned and were either offered back to the donor, kept with the Accession File, and/or added to the vertical files as appropriate.

Notes

The 2025 Addendum includes documents related to Gronning's seamanship in Folder 4. The original materials in that folder have been accessioned and individually numbered. The unnumbered documents in F4 are the photocopies that were gifted by the donor; originals were not provided. Those unnumbered items are retained as supplemental non-accessioned items and copies have also been placed in the accession file.

The following items have been masked for sensitive and/or restricted content: .50 and .242.

RELATED MATERIALS

B1991.046 Jeanne Schaver Boone Collection

B1995.014 Eugene Tetinek Photographs (photos of M/V Yukon Health)

B1995.010 George E. Allen Collection (photos of M/S Hygiene)

B2001.035 M/V Health Collection

1991.046.1-.3

Albrecht, Earl (vertical file)

RC313.A63 F67 2005 *"Must We All Die?": Alaska's Enduring Struggle with Tuberculosis*

RA644.T7 M47 1998 *Alaska's Search for a Killer: A Seafaring Medical Adventure*

RA447.A4 A3 1954 *Fourteenth Annual Report 1953-1954*. Alaska Department of Health

SUBJECTS

Gronning, Clarence, 1904-1969

Gronning, Winona, 1906-1985

Blair, Hazel

Schaver, Jeanne
Illanna, Aloysius
Olson, Clarence
Hooper, Tommy
United States. Navy
Health (Ship)
Public health—Alaska
Rural health services—Alaska
Health and hygiene
Ships—Alaska
Canneries—Alaska
Akutan / Achan-ingiiga (Alaska)
Alitak Bay (Alaska)
Anchorage / Dgheyaytnu (Alaska)
Belkofski / Taxtamaġ (Alaska)
Chignik / Cirniq (Alaska)
Gambell / Sivuqaq (Alaska)
Hooper Bay / Naparyaarmiut (Alaska)
Ikatan (Alaska)
Juneau / Dzánti K’ihéeni (Alaska)
King Cove / Agdaaġuġ (Alaska)
Kodiak / Sun’aq (Alaska)
Mekoryuk / Mikuryar (Alaska)
Nome / Sitŋasuaq (Alaska)
Chevak / Cev’aq (Alaska)
Perryville / Perry-q (Alaska)
Pribilof Islands (Alaska)
Saint Lawrence Island (Alaska)
Saint Paul Island / Tanaġ Amiġ (Alaska)
Saint George Anġaaxchaluġ (Alaska)
Sanak Island / Sanaġax (Alaska)
Sand Point (Alaska)
Savoonga / Sivunga (Alaska)
Scammon Bay / Marayaarmiut (Alaska)
Seward (Alaska)
Whittier (Alaska)

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

Folder 1

- .1 – [distant view of large ship at sea, with drift ice]
- .2 – [freighter or trawler under way, with drift ice]
- .3 – [small ship or tug under way along coastline, Western Alaska or Aleutians]
- .4 – [two Navy ships and one smaller boat at sea]
- .5 – [ship, possibly fishing boat, under way]

- .6 – [ship under way. Original image blurry]
- .7 – [Navy ship at anchor, buildings on low beach in background]
- .8 – [three ships at anchor, drift ice in background, dock in foreground]
- .9 – [distant view of large ship at sea, with drift ice]
- .10 – [Navy ship at sea, with ice floe]
- .11 – [ship at sea, possibly fishing seiner]
- .12 – [large ship at anchor in drift ice, smaller boat approaching from right. cf. .341]
- .13 – [Navy ships at anchor in drift ice]
- .14 – [two large ships at anchor, mountainous coastline at left, Western Alaska or Aleutians]
- .15 – [Navy ships at anchor in drift ice]
- .16 – [Navy ships at anchor in drift ice]
- .17 – [close-up view of bow of Navy ship with number 28]
- .18 – Groceries from “Explorer,” July 1951 [view from deck of two individuals on small boat loaded with crates and boxes]
- .19 – W.G. & Capt. Anderson, U.S.S. “Explorer” [individual, possibly identified as Winona Gronning with captain, possibly identified as Capt. Anderson of U.S.S. Explorer]
- .20 – C.G. & Capt. Anderson, U.S.S. “Explorer,” 7/1951 [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning with captain, possibly identified as Capt. Andreson of U.S.S. *Explorer*]
- .21 – Mount Shishaldin [as seen from water]
- .22 – [Mount Shishaldin]
- .23 – [view of coast from water, with storage tanks and buildings, Aleutian Islands?]
- .24 – [similar to .23]
- .25 – [view of unidentified village from water] [At AFN 2022, identified as Bristol Bay area. Appears to be a cannery community, possibly Clarks Point or Ekuk.]
- .26 – [view of coast from water, with storage tanks and buildings. Cf. .23]
- .27 – [Navy ship at anchor near beach with equipment. At AFN 2017, location identified as Ikatan]
- .28 – [view of coastline from water]
- .29 – [view from water of stream emptying into sea, Aleutian Islands?]
- .30 – [view from ship deck of small rocky island]
- .31 – [view from ship deck of fast ice along coastline]
- .32 – [single piece of drift ice in sea]
- .33 – [view of coast from water, ship in distance at left]
- .34 – [view of coast from water. Cf. .29]
- .35 – [view of coast from water, with storage tanks and buildings. Cf. .23]
- .36 – [view from water of Navy ship at anchor near coastline]
- .37 – [view from water of snow-covered coastline]
- .38 – [view of coast from water]
- .39 – [view of coast from water. Cf. 34]
- .40 – [view from ship of birds on drift ice, snow-covered coastline in background, Chignik. Original image blurry. Cf. .80]
- .41 – [view of unidentified village from water. At AFN 2015, identified as Akutan]
- .42 – [view of unidentified village from water, drift ice in foreground]
- .43 – [view from water of snow-covered coastline]

- .44 – [close-up of rocky peak along coastline]
- .45 – [view of coast from water, with storage tanks and buildings. Cf. .23]
- .46 – [view of unidentified village from water. Cf. .7, .346. At AFN 2015, location identified as St. Paul Island]
- .47 – [view from water of airplane flying low over coastline. Original image blurry]
- .48 – [view of coast from water, with distinctive rock formation, Cape Hinchinbrook?]
- .49 – [view of coast from water]
- .50 – [Restricted due to sensitive content]
- .51 – Dr. B. going to “Sweetbriar,” Akutan [view from ship deck of two individuals in small boat, one possibly identified as Dr. Hazel Blair]
- .52 – Akutan [bird’s eye view of houses along beach, June 1952?]
- .53 – Akutan “main street” [individual walking on boardwalk between houses and utility poles, June 1952?]
- .54 – Akutan, June 1952 [bird’s eye view of ship crew and medical personnel on deck, one individual playing guitar, another playing accordion, laundry hanging on clotheslines. Cf. .67]
- .55 – Akutan [view of village from water, June 1952?]
- .56 – Dr. Jack Hittson, Akutan, 6-1952 [individual, possibly identified as Dr. Jack Hittson, wearing hip waders and holding fishing rod standing in water angling]
- .57 – Fishing, Akutan [individual smoking cigarette and wearing white coat, ball cap, and hip waders standing on beach near fish, 6-19-52?]
- .58 – Akutan fishing trip [several individuals on beach, three hauling in net, 6-19-52?]
- .59 – [two white individuals, one holding rifle, and one black individual holding fishing rod standing next to rusted equipment, remains of old whaling station, Akutan]
- .60 – [similar to .59]
- .61 – Whaling station, Akutan [one individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, wearing red ball cap and military shirt standing in remains of station, propping up hand-painted “Danger” sign]
- .62 – At whaling sta. & Russian coaling sta., Akutan [individual wearing jeans, boots, and green ball cap sitting on debris, possibly identified as Winona Gronning]
- .63 – At old whaling station, Akutan [two individuals standing next to debris, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, who is holding a rifle, and Winona Gronning]
- .64 – Remains of old whaling station, Akutan [dilapidated dock in foreground, three storage tanks on hillside in background]
- .65 – Tommy Hooper, Akutan [Unangan individual identified as Tommy Hooper wearing hip waders and cap standing in water holding long fish]
- .66 – Tommy, Akutan [Unangan individual identified as Tommy Hooper wearing wristwatch holding live bird]
- .67 – Akutan musicians [three individuals seated on boat deck, one smoking cigarette and playing guitar, one playing accordion. Cf. .54]
- .68 – Akutan musicians [Unangan individual playing guitar. At AFN 2015, individual identified as Luke Shelikoff]
- .69 – Akutan musicians [three individuals, one playing accordion, one playing ukulele, and one playing guitar on ship deck, laundry hanging on clotheslines. At AFN 2015, individual with the

guitar was identified as Luke Shelikoff. At AFN 2025, individual playing the guitar confirmed as Luke Shelikoff and individual on left identified as Eddie McGlashan]

.70 – 4th St., Anchorage, Sept. 1954 [street scene looking east from F Street with pedestrians, automobiles, All America City banner, and businesses including Ship Creek Market, J. Vic Brown & Sons Jewelers, 515 Club, Lois Beauty Salon, L.W. Hines Optometrist, Pacific Northern Airlines, Rexall Drugs, Hewitt's Drugs]

.71 – View from Westward Hotel window, 1-8-52, 25° below zero [bird's eye view of Port of Anchorage, Ship Creek docks, Cook Inlet]

.72 – En route from Anch. to Seward 1-10-52 (train) [Alaska Railroad Loop District]

.73 – Moose near Anchorage 2/19/52

.74 – En route from Seattle-Anchorage 1-7-52, 11,000 feet up [aerial of clouds]

.75 – En route from Seattle-Anchorage 1-7-52, 11,000 feet up, 250 mi. hr. [aerial, clouds and airplane wing]

.76 – [Pan American World Airways Clipper airplane tail number N6112C on tarmac, Anchorage]

.77 – [passengers boarding Pan American Clipper airplane tail number N6112C, Anchorage]

.78 – Belkofsky, Russian Orthodox Church [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, posed outside Holy Resurrection Church in Belkofski]

.79 – Belkofsky April 1952 [view from water of village in winter with Holy Resurrection Church in center, Belkofski]

.80 – Chignik 1952 [cormorants perched on drift ice in sea near Chignik. Cf. .40]

.81 – Chignik 3/1952 [view from water of village in winter]

.82 – Charlie, Chignik 3/1952 [view from ship of docks, storage tanks, buildings]

.83 – Chignik 1952 [four individuals standing on a dock]

.84 – Chignik 1952 [two individuals sitting on edge of boat on beach, mending fishing net, buildings and dock in background, possibly old cannery]

.85 – Chignik, March 1952 [several individuals and one youth on deck of boat at dock]

.86 – Chignik, Charlie [three crewmembers on deck folding sail, individual in background taking photograph, snow-covered mountains in distance]

.87 – Chignik 3/1952 [three individuals leaning on boom of boat at dock, other individuals securing lifeboat in background]

.88 – Castle Cape, March 1952 [view from ship at sea]

.89 – Cape Hinchinbrook [view from water]

.90 – Cape Hinchinbrook [similar to .89]

.91 – En route Chignik to Perryville, 3/1952 [view from ship stern of path through drift ice, snowy coastline in background]

.92 – En route Chignik to Perryville, 3/1952, Jeanne [similar to .91]

.93 – En route Chignik to Perryville, 3/1952 [ship deck in foreground, with drift ice and coastline]

.94 – En route Chignik to Perryville, 3/1952, Charlie, Lee, Blair [bird's eye view of two individuals looking over ship stern at sea ice]

.95 – Mr. Lowe, Capt. Don Davis, Dr. Blair, Harry Lowe, June 1951 [four individuals, one possibly identified as Hazel Blair, standing on dock near buildings, P.E. Harris & Co. cannery, False Pass]

.96 – Mr. Lowe, Harry Lowe, Capt. Davis, Dr. Blair, False Pass, May 1951 [three individuals standing on dock, P.E. Harris & Co. cannery]

.97 – Mr. Lowe, Dr. Blair & me, False Pass, 5/1951, P.E. Harris cnry. [Individual possibly identified as Winona Gronning at left with possibly Hazel Blair, at right]

.98 – Mr. Lowe, Round Top Mt., False Pass, June 1951 [one individual and one youth standing on boardwalk near houses, mountain in background]

.99 – C.G. & Capt. Bill Blackford, False Pass [two individuals, both smoking cigarettes, standing on deck of boat docked at P.E. Harris cannery, individual on left possibly identified as Capt. Bill Blackford and individual on right possibly identified as Clarence Gronning]

.100 – Aboard “Deep Sea”, May 1952, False Pass [four individuals on boat deck, similar to .99, possibly identified as Clarence and Winona Gronning, Dr. Hazel Blair, Bill Blackford]

.101 – Gambell, 6/1952 [village scene, with group of individuals standing at left near walled tent, houses and other buildings visible; in 2014, Gambell residents identified the white building in right background as the school]

.102 – Gambell [village scene with houses, boats on racks in center background; in 2014, Gambell residents identified the house at left as Walter Oseuk’s, the house at right as Andrew Oozevaseuk’s]

.103 – [Indigenous] house, Gambell, 6/1952 [village scene, with individual stepping out of doorway to six-sided wooden house with rounded front; in 2014, Gambell residents identified the woman as Snowflake Konahok and noted that the rounded fronts of homes were usually pointed into the wind]

.104 – [Indigenous] house, Gambell, St. Lawrence Id. [family outside wooden house; in 2014, Gambell residents identified the house as belonging to Oktokuyuk family]

.105 – Fishermen, background Siberian mts., June 1952 [distant view of four individuals in small boat, Bering Sea]

.106 – June 1952, Siberian Mountains [distant view from ship]

.107 – June 1952, Siberian Mountains [similar to .106]

.108 – Walrus skin [individual wearing printed parka carrying youth on her shoulders and holding a large inflated gut. Same individual as in .236; in 2014, Savoonga residents identified the woman as Aghaya May Kingeekuk with daughter Qakaghhleq Vera Kingeekuk Metcalf at Savoonga, and noted that the inflated walrus stomach would have been used to make drums, similar to photograph in Jeanne Schaver Boone Collection B1991.046.53]

.109 – 6/1952, Gambell [six youths standing on wooden frames holding bells outside of Gambell Presbyterian Mission]

.110 – Fish rack, Gambell, 6/1952 [sled frame under drying rack, barrels and buildings in background]

.111 – [Indigenous person], Gambell [individual carrying youth on shoulders; in 2014, Gambell residents identified woman as Lena Booshu with daughter Carmel K. Booshu]

.112 – Medical staff arriving Hooper Bay 7/8/1951 [view from ship of villagers gathered on beach near boats, barrels, buildings, and drying racks in background]

.113 – [field of Alaska cotton]

.114 – Jeanne, Dr. Blair & Al [two individuals, possibly identified as Jeanne Schaver and Hazel Blair, in small boat driven by Indigenous individual, location: Hooper Bay]

- .115 – Tomaganuk family going berrying, Hooper Bay to Chevak, 7/1951 [large group of individuals in small boat pulling second boat carrying sheep or goats. Original image blurry]
- .116 – Hooper Bay July '51 [view of waterfront from boat]
- .117 – Hooper Bay village, Catholic Church at left (backgr'd), 7-8-51 [one youth walking along tramway rails, handcar on tracks, with buildings, drying racks, laundry on clothesline at left. In 2017, structures identified as (L-R) Kurt Bell house, old Catholic Church (back), Ted Hunter house, Gus Green house, Angelo Hoelscher house, Paul Lake house. Tracks were from tram used to haul freight cart from river to school]
- .118 – Catholic Church, Hooper Bay, July 1951 [Little Flower of Jesus Church]
- .119 – Father Paul O'Connor, C.G. & [Indigenous] children, Mr. Weiss & Al in background, schoolhouse, Hooper Bay [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, standing foreground left, with priest, possibly identified as Paul O'Connor, and four Indigenous youths and three other individuals on schoolhouse porch in background, large pile of barrels at right. At AFN 2015, young girls identified as (left to right): Johanna Rivers, Dorothy Tall, Lena Johnson, Theresa Mann]
- .120 – Hooper Bay, July 1951, Jeanne [village scene, dog yard in foreground, houses, drying racks, clotheslines, barrels]
- .121 – Fishing in creek near Hooper Bay, 7-1951 [Indigenous individuals fishing from bank, other individuals near drying racks and kayak in background. At AFN 2016, people identified as: left to right in foreground, Antonia Olson, Maria Bell, Maggie Smith; at right, possibly Elizabeth Tall; center background, possibly Martha Kopanuk]
- .122 – Fish racks & fish boats, Hooper Bay fish camp, 7-1951 [Indigenous individuals standing on beach near two boats, drying racks in background. At AFN 2016, woman tentatively identified as Celestine Gump]
- .123 – Fish racks, Hooper Bay, 7-1951 [view of fish rack and fish drying on shore]
- .124 – Fish racks, Hooper Bay, 7-1951 [boat at right]
- .125 – Summer fish camp, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [two people on beach near camp fire, walled tent, and drying rack]
- .126 – [individuals, adults and youths, outside walled tent at fish camp, Hooper Bay, 1951. At AFN 2015, woman at right tentatively identified as Mupak Lucille Knight]
- .127 – [Barabara with barrels, sled frames, Hooper Bay]
- .128 – C.G. & F.P. & [Indigenous] sod house, Hooper Bay, 7-1951 [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, and another individual standing with Indigenous family outside wood dwelling with sod roof. At AFN 2015, man at far right tentatively identified as Jerome Napoleon. In 2017, men at right tentatively identified as Donald Tall and Edgar or Ike Tall]
- .129 – Barbara [sic], sod house, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [wood plank house with sod roof, skin stretched on drying rack hanging on wall]
- .130 – Sod house, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [hybrid wood and earthen house, with skylight and weather vanes]
- .131 – Ikatan [pile driver in harbor, boat *Karluk* of Seattle docked at driver platform, other boats at anchor]
- .132 – Pile driver, Ikatan [similar to .131]
- .133 – Ikatan [similar to .131, with village buildings at left]

- .134 – Remains of cannery, Ikatan [view from water of dilapidated buildings, P.E. Harris & Co. salmon cannery?]
- .135 – Lee, Dr. B., Marsh, Jeanne, wash day, K.C. [individuals on ship deck, laundry hanging on clotheslines, King Cove.]
- .136 – [three individuals on ship deck eating, one possibly identified as Clarence Gronning at right, King Cove. Original image blurry]
- .137 – Joe & Margaret, King Cove, May '52 [two individuals standing on boardwalk along waterfront, other individuals seated at left, buildings in background]
- .138 – King Cove gang [five individuals standing on boardwalk in front of building, individual at left, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, holding camera. Original image blurry]
- .139 – King Cove P.O. [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, holding camera, standing with another individual, possibly identified as Jeanne Schaver, outside post office]
- .140 – King Cove dock [Pacific American Fisheries cannery building at right, village buildings in distance]
- .141 – King Cove, May 1952 [Pacific American Fisheries cannery as seen from water]
- .142 – Approaching King Cove, May 1952 [similar to .141]
- .143 – King Cove [view along waterfront]
- .144 – Dog on block of wood, King Cove [dog standing on wood piling or debris in harbor, individual on boat next to dock at right]
- .145 – Nearing Kodiak, 3-1952 [view of town from water, with Pillar Mountain and St. Paul Harbor]
- .146 – Entering Kodiak, 3-1952 [waterfront as seen from water]
- .147 – Kodiak, 3-1952 [view from water of docks, Chevron storage tanks]
- .148 – C. & Charley Madsen, Kodiak [two individuals standing on dock, one possibly identified as Clarence Gronning at left, other possibly identified as Charley Madsen, smoking cigarette, harbor in background]
- .149 – Baptist church, Kodiak, 3-1952 [Community Baptist Church]
- .150 – Main St. Kodiak, 3-1952 [Center Avenue street scene with pedestrians, automobiles, café, church, Plymouth dealer, Orpheum Theatre]
- .151 – Tony's Bar, Kodiak, 3-1952 [Tony's Place in Kodiak Hall, automobile parked at curb]
- .152 – Mekoryuk village, 6/1951, "Health" in background [bird's eye view of houses along waterfront, laundry on clothesline in foreground, ship in Shoal Bay]
- .153 – Sod-roof house, Hannah Jones, Mekoryuk, fish & seal meat on racks [youth wearing mukluks and plaid dress and holding a ball posed next to house, drying racks and bay in background]
- .154 – Mekoryuk, 6-20-51, fish racks & boats, our ship in background [drying racks, boats, and barrels in foreground, ship in bay]
- .155 – "Hot Rod" Luke & wife Betty, Mekoryuk 6/20/51, fish & basket reeds on racks [two Indigenous individual standing next to drying racks, bay in background]
- .156 – Larson King, Emily Baker, reindeer corral in background, 6/20/51, Mekoryuk, Nunivak Isl. [young individual wearing Western-style clothes and another individual wearing parka and headscarf on *Health* deck, small boat tied to ship stern, corral fencing on beach in background]
- .157 – Lucy Whitman and Moses, Mekoryuk, 6/21/51 [Indigenous individual wearing qaspeq, headscarf and eyeglasses and carrying baby, standing with two youths outside house]

.158 – 1 red-haired [Indigenous individual] & [other Indigenous individuals] at Mekoryuk, 6/1951 [individual, possibly identified as Winona Gronning, standing outside house with Indigenous adults and one youth, Lucy Whitman with Moses at left, Mekoryuk. In 2015, woman at right identified as Apurin Susie Shavings with daughter, possibly Marion]

.159 – Thomas Toots selling fish spears, Mekoryuk, 6/20/51 [two Indigenous individuals posed with spears and points, one individual with labrets]

.160 – [Indigenous individuals], Mekoryuk, 6/21/51, kayaks in background [Indigenous individual wearing print parka, headscarf and sunglasses standing with three youths on beach, one youth wearing print parka, one wearing fur parka, and one wearing Western-style clothing. Kayaks, Quonset hut, and drying rack in background. Youth at left Lizzie Viola Amos, cf. .161. In 2015, woman identified as Mildred David, girl second from right as Dora John, girl at right tentatively identified as Maggie Snare. At AFN 2015, identified as (left to right): Elizabeth Spud, Isabell Maniqnuq, Flora Jack, and Magdalene Monigak]

.161 – Lizzie Viola Amos, Mekoryuk, 6/21/51 [Indigenous youth wearing headscarf, mukluks, and Western-style dress seated on beach near boat and barrels. Possibly identified as Lizzie Viola Amos/Elizabeth Spud, individual also in .160]

.162 – Main street, Nome [Front Street scene, Clarence standing on boardwalk next to Surplus Store and Arctic Lunch, school bus in background, Northern Commercial Company across street]

.163 – Nome shoreline [view of town from water]

.164 – Nome harbor (from LSM), 7/11/52 [view of town from landing boat. Original image blurry]

.165 – Nome, Health in background [view between two buildings to water, barrel marked Light Oil next to building at right]

.166 – “Fishing” for coins, Nome, Alaska [two Indigenous adults and three youths sitting on boardwalk next to building]

.167 – Georgie Nash, Chevak, 7-1951 [elder Indigenous individual with youth on dock. Original slide damaged. In 2017, identified as John Nash with adopted son Georgie Nash]

.168 – New Chevak, Aug. 1951 [view of town from water]

.169 – C.G. & “friends,” New Chevak, 8-1951 [distant view of individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, and other individuals, possibly crew of *M/V Health*, gathered on tundra, walled tent on stilts along Ninglikfak River]

.170 – En route New Chevak, Jack’s boots drying, foggy day [three individuals riding in skiff *Health* with boots on two poles]

.171 – Dr. B., Jeanne & Al, 7-1951 [three people in skiff *Health*, possibly Jeanne Schaver and Hazel Blair, en route to New Chevak]

.172 – C.G., Frank, Lee, Lillian & Dr. Blair at New Chevak [group picnicking on tundra, Clarence at left, Hazel Blair at right]

.173 – Perryville [village buildings, dog kennel in right foreground, boat at left]

.174 – Perryville [view of village from water]

.175 – Sod storage house, Perryville [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, standing next to barabara, barrel at left]

.176 – Perryville, “Health” in background [debris and barrels on shore, *M/V Health* visible in the background]

- .177 – Crab net, Jack [crab cage on ship deck, Perryville]
- .178 – Aleut kids & baby sea lion, Perryville [three youths posed with dead seal pup next to building. Original image blurry]
- .179 – Bells on church, Perryville [close-up of bells on rack, St. John the Theologian Church]
- .180 – “Christian” Perryville [fishing boat *Christian* under way]
- .181 – Pribilof shoreline [scenic of surf and coastline]
- .182 – Kittywake [large flock of kittiwakes, Pribilof Islands]
- .183 – Puffin [close-up of puffins, Pribilof Islands]
- .184 – Sea lion [herd on shore, Pribilof Islands]
- .185 – Sea lion [similar to .184]
- .186 – Seal, foreground, sea lion, background [herd on shore, Pribilof Islands]
- .187 – Seal playing in surf [herd in water, Pribilof Islands]
- .188 – Seal pups learning to swim [similar to .187]
- .189 – Hair seal pup [young ringed seal, Pribilof Islands]
- .190 – Seal pup [young fur seal, Pribilof Islands]
- .191 – Rookery [seals, Pribilof Islands]
- .192 – Rookery [seals, Pribilof Islands]
- .193 – Seal lion rookery, typical foggy day [Pribilof Islands]
- .194 – Seal rookery [Pribilof Islands]
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- .196 – Seal bull [close-up, Pribilof Islands]
- .197 – Harem, bull foreground, cows in background [seal rookery, Pribilof Islands]
- .198 – Bull seal fighting in foreground [rookery, Pribilof Islands]
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- .202 – Seal rookery, St. Geo. Island, June 1951
- .203 – Seal rookery, St. Geo. Island, overcast day, 6/1951
- .204 – Rowers, skin boat, St. George Island, June 1951 [five Indigenous individuals in a skin boat on the water.. At AFN 2015, man holding oar at left identified as Nicholai Mercurief]
- .205 – Rowing a skin boat, St. Geo. in background, June 1951 [individuals in military dress pulling at oars in umiak, St. George village in distance, individuals also in .204]
- .206 – Skin boat, St. George, June 1951 [skin boat loaded with passengers being rowed into dock]
- .207 – Dr. and Mrs. Brier, Mr. May, Mr. & Mrs. Benson, St. Geo. Island, Pribilof, June 1951 [four individuals, one in Navy uniform, posed outdoors, St. George village in background]
- .208 – Skin boat, St. Paul Island [view from ship deck of skin boat loaded with individuals, most in military dress, individual taking photograph from deck at right, large building on shore in background]
- .209 – Clarence Olson, St. Paul Island, June 1951 [individual sitting in automobile. Cf. B1990.008]
- .210 – St. Paul village in distance [view across bay to village, holding pond in foreground]
- .211 – St. Paul Island, Pribilofs, June 1951 [village buildings in distance, dirt road in foreground]

.212 – St. Paul village [view through dunes to buildings in distance]

.213 – Eugene & Lorraine Smith, weather station, St. Paul Island, June 1951 [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, and couple standing next to building]

.214 – Aleut child, St. Paul Island, June 1951 [Unangan youth sitting outdoors]

.215 – Aleut youngsters [four Unangan youths posed outdoors, St. Paul Island. At AFN 2015, identified as (left to right) Gabriel T. Rukoushnikoff, Gregory Fratis Sr., Neil Onstigoff, and Carl Stepetin]

.216 – Aleut youngster [Unangan youth eating bread, St. Paul Island. At AFN 2015, identified as Alex Stepetin Jr.]

.217 – Sanak Id. [view across harbor to village buildings]

.218 – Nick Ermaloff, Tommy Hooper, Sanak Id. [individual looking out over harbor, *Health* at anchor with several smaller boats around, buildings on opposite shore]

.219 – Sanak Id., May 1952, approach to dock destroyed by ice [dry-docked boat on beach in foreground, *Health* at anchor near partial dock in Sanaġax (Sanak Island) bay with several smaller boats around]

.220 – Ice floe near Savoonga, 6/1952 [distant view of drift ice]

.221 – Ice floe near Savoonga, mid-June

.222 – Ice floes, St. Lawrence Id.

.223 – Ice floes

.224 – [distant view of Savoonga, drift ice in water]

.225 – Approaching ice floes, Savoonga (6-1952)

.226 – Ice floes, mid-June

.227 – Savoonga, St. Law. Id. [view of Sivunga (Savoonga) from water]

.228 – Nickie pushing ice, June 1952, Savoonga [individual in small boat with outboard motor driving into ice floe]

.229 – Seals [crossed out and replaced with] walrus? on ice near St. Lawrence Id. [distant view of mammals on ice floe]

.230 – [view from small boat or shore across water to M/V *Health* anchored near Savoonga, drift ice in water]

.231 – “Health” at Savoonga, mid June [view from shore across water to M/V *Health* anchored near Savoonga, drift ice in water. Original image blurry]

.232 – N.E. cape, St. Lawrence Id. [view of Northeast Cape from water. Original image blurry]

.233 – N.E. cape, St. Lawrence Id. [similar to .232]

.234 – Fish cache & sled dogs, Savoonga [chained dogs lying in snow next to drying rack. At AFN 2015, identified as drying rack for seal or walrus meat, building in background left as old church]

.235 – Fish drying, Savoonga, 6/1952 [wooden building with drying rack mounted along edge of roof, metal barrels in yard; at AFN 2014, identified as the warehouse owned by Smith Immingan]

.236 – [Indigenous individuals], Savoonga [Indigenous individual wearing printed parka carrying youth on her shoulders standing on boardwalk near shore. Same individual as in .108; in 2014, Savoonga residents identified the woman as Aghaya (May Kingeekuk) with daughter Qakaghhleq (Vera Kingeekuk Metcalf)]

- .237 – [Indigenous individuals], Savoonga [three Indigenous individuals wearing printed parkas standing or sitting on steps of house talking with another individual; in 2014, Savoonga residents identified seated woman as Lucille Wongittilin]
- .238 – Rug made of furs, Savoonga (Mrs. Annie Allowa) [individual wearing parka standing on boardwalk, holding one end of sewn blanket or rug, other individuals, including individual possibly identified as Hazel Blair, holding other end, dogs lying at Allowa's feet]
- .239 – John Amokon's boat sinking in storm en route from Sc. Bay to Hooper Bay, 7/3/51 [view from ship stern down rope to vessel in distress, second small boat tied at right, waters near Scammon Bay]
- .240 – Approaching Scammon Bay, 6/24/51 [view of village from water]

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- .241 – Scammon Bay, Kun River, 7/1/1951, 9:45 p.m.
- .242 – [Restricted due to sensitive content]
- .243 – School and Catholic ch., Scammon Bay, 6/1951 [corrugated metal building, Blessed Sacrament Catholic Church]
- .244 – Scammon Bay, M.V. "Health" anchored Kun River, 6/26/51 [log buildings with windmill generators in foreground, *Health* in distance]
- .245 – [Indigenous] children, Scammon Bay 6/26/51 [Indigenous youths posed outdoors, buildings and drying racks in background. At AFN 2015, girl at left identified as Elizabeth Kasiul, girl second left as Ida Utteryuk Agathluk, boy second left holding pole as Patrick Amokan]
- .246 – [Indigenous individuals], Scammon Bay, 6/26/51 [Indigenous adults and youths sitting on tundra. At AFN 2015, woman at right identified as Maryann Sundown, woman at left as Agnes Wilson]
- .247 – [Indigenous individual cooking over fire outdoors at Scammon Bay. Similar to photograph in Jeanne Schaver Boone collection B1991.046.9, that description identifies the individual as Larson King's mother in Mekoryuk in 6/1951]
- .248 – Theresa Amokon, Scammon Bay, 6/26/51 [individual wearing fur parka, headscarf and oxford shoes standing next to log building, Blazo can at left, Scammon Bay]
- .249 – Alice Amokon, Scammon Bay, 6/26/51 [individual wearing print qaspeq standing next to log building, other buildings in background]
- .250 – C.G., Angelina Amokon & Lillian Wright, Scammon Bay, 6/26/51 [group of individuals posed next to log building, possibly identified as: Clarence Gronning at left smoking cigarette, Angelina Amokon wearing fur parka, and Lillian Wright wearing leather jacket and eyeglasses and holding small case and bouquet of flowers]
- .251 – Jeanne Schaver, nurse, Scammon Bay, 6/28/51 [individual, possibly identified as Jeanne Schaver, wearing red ball cap and eyeglasses standing in bow of boat, ship in distance]
- .252 – C.G. in "Nanuk," Scammon Bay, 7/1951 [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, in skiff with outboard motor]
- .253 – Sand Point from the "Clara G." [view from boat of village and warehouse or cannery, *Health* at dock]
- .254 – Leaving Seattle, govt. locks, May 9, 1951 [locks in foreground, commercial buildings and ships in background, including Lightship *Swiftsure*]

- .255 – Grenville Channel, Mountain Pt. on right, May 1951 [view from ship deck of waters in Inside Passage through British Columbia, rowboat on deck]
- .256 – P.A.F. Cannery, Petersburg, 9/1951 [view from water of Pacific American Fisheries cannery]
- .257 – Mt. Fairweather, Alaska Range [sic] 9/1951 [view from water]
- .258 – Mt. Fairweather, Alaska Range [sic] 9/1951 [similar to .257]
- .259 – Nearing Juneau, Sept. 1951 [view of city from Gastineau Channel]
- .260 – Juneau harbor, 9/1951 [view of waterfront from water, with H.M. Parks Co. barge at left and Alaska Coastal Airlines terminal and floatplanes at right, Baranof Hotel in background]
- .261 – Mr. Richard W. Freer, Juneau 9/1951 [individual wearing suit, tie, and fedora hat standing on dock]
- .262 – Bureau of Mines bldg., Douglas Id., Juneau, 9-1951 [view from water]
- .263 – Yakutat, May 1951 [view of village from water]
- .264 – Rough sea near Cape St. Elias, 9-1951 [view from ship stern]
- .265 – Storm at sea off Cape St. Elias, May 20, 1951
- .266 – Rough sea near Cape St. Elias, 9-1951
- .267 – Cape St. Elias, 9-1951
- .268 – #373. Moose cow and two calves. Harold W. Johnson, Northern Color Film Co. [in manuscript:] Moose w/2 calves
- .269 – Nearing Seward, May 1951 [Resurrection Bay]
- .270 – Scene near Seward, 2-1952 [woods in winter]
- .271 – Wind blowing snow on mt., near Seward San., 1-1952
- .272 – Mt. near Seward, Jan. 1952 [winter woods]
- .273 – Barwell Island, entrance to Seward, May 1951
- .274 – Seward, May 1951 [view of waterfront from water, freighter at docks]
- .275 – Seward, May 1951 [similar to .274]
- .276 – Little boat hbr., Seward, 9-1951 [small boat harbor]
- .277 – “King”, Seward 1951 [dog, possibly a red labrador, on dock]
- .278 – Seward Main St., 9-1951 [Fourth Avenue street scene with automobiles, bakery, Leo & Bobbie Liquors and Pool, Alaska Shop]
- .279 – Jessie Lee Home, Seward, 9-1951 [distant view of Jesse Lee Home, field of fireweed in foreground]
- .280 – Near Seward San., 2-1952 [winter woods]
- .281 – Road near Seward San., Jan. 1952 [view down road in winter]
- .282 – From steps of Seward San., 2/1952 [winter woods, building at left]
- .283 – Seward San., 2-1952 [people boarding bus outside Seward Sanatorium]
- .284 – Entrance, Seward San., 2-1952 [automobiles parked outside Seward Sanatorium]
- .285 – On hiway to Kenai, 9-1951 [four individuals standing on unpaved road with automobile and bus, possibly Clarence Gronning at left, Sterling Highway]
- .286 – Kenai Lake, Sept. 1951
- .287 – W.G. [large group adult individuals and youths standing outdoors in early spring, three individuals holding cameras, building in background, Whittier?]
- .288 – [individual being pulled on skis behind Army Jeep. Original image blurry]

.289 – From Salmon Run Rd. [two boats and open water in foreground, winter woods and mountains in distance, Whittier, 1954-55? Cf. .306]

.290 – [open water and snow blowing off mountains, Whittier area, 1954-55?]

.291 – Winter 1954-1955 [view down road in winter, pedestrian in distance, Whittier area]

.292 – Whittier, 1954 [view of town from water]

.293 – Whittier, 1954 [similar to .293]

.294 – [Passage Canal]

.295 – [Passage Canal. Original image blurry]

.296 – Whittier, 1954 [bird's eye view of small boat harbor]

.297 – From apt. window, 1954, early fall [Passage Canal]

.298 – From apt. window, 1954 [Passage Canal]

.299 – Remains of burned dock, foreground [similar to .298]

.300 – Sno-go, depot [bird's eye view of snow removal in front of Whittier station, Alaska Railroad]

.301 – Sno-go [close-up of snow plowing vehicle at Whittier station]

.302 – [ships in Passage Canal near Whittier]

.303 – From apt. window, Whittier, 1954 [ships and docks in Passage Canal]

.304 – [ship in Passage Canal, Whittier buildings and docks in background]

.305 – [similar to .304]

.306 – [bird's eye view of ships at dock, Whittier. Cf. .289]

.307 – [bird's eye view of RCMP *Herschel* and T.N. Co. ship in Passage Canal, Whittier]

.308 – [tug in Passage Canal, two Navy ships in distance]

.309 – [Whittier waterfront as seen from dock]

.310 – [ships in Passage Canal near Whittier]

.311 – [freighter and tug in Passage Canal, Whittier]

.312 – [boat on river passing village, sea in back, unidentified location. At AFN 2016, location identified as Tununak]

.313 – From apt. window, Oct. 1954 [ship in Passage Canal, with Alaska Railroad cars in foreground, Whittier]

.314 – [similar to .313]

.315 – Snow, from apt. window [Alaska Railroad cars and docks, Whittier]

.316 – View from apt., depot [bird's eye view of Alaska Railroad cars and automobiles covered in snow, Whittier]

.317 – Road from apt. [Jeeps, Alaska Railroad cars, and Passage Canal, Whittier]

.318 – Tank farm & West Camp Rd., Whittier, 14 Jan. 56, taken from top apt. bldg. [bird's eye view of Whittier including docks, railroad yard, Passage Canal]

.319 – In front of apt. [automobile buried in snow, Whittier, 1954-55]

.320 – Winter 1954-55 [troops marching down plowed road, large snowbank at right, Buckner Building at left, Whittier]

.321 – Our apt. from lower road, Whittier, Winter 1954-55 [building and large snowbank]

.322 – [automobiles parked on gravel outside of apartment building, Whittier]

.323 – Road in front of apt. [plowed road, truck buried in snow in front of apartment building at left, pedestrian on road, Whittier, 1954-55]

- .324 – Oct. 1954, apt. bldg. background [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, standing on hillside, holding metal can, apartments and Passage Canal in background, Whittier]
- .325 – Hvy. equip. shop [heavy equipment shop, Whittier, Alaska Railroad? Army?]
- .326 – T-141, winter 1954-55 [entrance to women's barracks buried in snow, sign "No Dogs Allowed," Whittier]
- .327 – Winter 1954-55, Women's barracks, T-141 [building buried in snow, Whittier]
- .328 – HQ bldg. & ACS, Whittier, 14 Jun 56 [bird's eye view of Alaska Railroad yards and Passage Canal]
- .329 – HQ bldg. [headquarters building in winter]
- .330 – HQ, ACS, Buckner, Whittier, 14 Jun 56 [bird's eye view with Alaska Railroad yards, Passage Canal, Buckner Building at right]
- .331 – Buckner Bldg. [individuals walking on plowed road past large snowbanks, Buckner Building in background]
- .332 – Buckner Bldg. [exterior of Buckner Building]
- .333 – [Army soldiers marching past Buckner Building under construction, Whittier, circa 1953]
- .334 – [Army officers on reviewing stand in front of Buckner Building under construction, Whittier, circa 1953]
- .335 – [soldiers in formation outdoors in winter, Whittier. Original image blurry]
- .336 – [military marching band on parade in winter, Whittier. Original image blurry]
- .337 – [officers on reviewing stand watching parade in winter, Whittier. Original image blurry]
- .338 – [military color guard on parade passing Buckner Building under construction, Whittier, circa 1953]
- .339 – [similar to .337]
- .340 – [ships under way amid ice floes]
- .341 – [large ship at anchor in drift ice, smaller boat approaching from right. cf. .12]
- .342 – [three ships under way amid ice floes]
- .343 – [two ships under way amid ice floes]
- .344 – [ice floes, possibly seals or other mammals at center. Original image blurry]
- .345 – [ice floes]
- .346 – [distant view of unidentified village as seen from water, ice floes in foreground. cf. .46. At AFN 2015, location identified as Unalakleet]
- .347 – [ice floes]
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- .351 – [ice floes]
- .352 – [view from bow of ship breaking through ice floes]
- .353 – Polar bear? [ice floes, possibly polar bear swimming in center]
- .354 – [view from bow of ship breaking through ice floes]
- .355 – [view from bow of ship breaking through ice floes]
- .356 – [view from boat of several ships under way amid ice floes]
- .357 – [view from bow of ship breaking through ice floes]
- .358 – [view from bow of ship breaking through ice floes]

.359 – [view from ship deck of ice floes, coastline in distance]

.360 – [view from ship deck of ice floes]

.361 – [Indigenous individuals] on “Health,” “Explorer” in background, 7/1951 [view from ship deck of group of Indigenous individuals in small boat tied to ship. Probably Hooper Bay or Chevak. At AFN 2015, identified as possibly Diomedea people. Similar photograph of the same people in the same pose in the Jeanne Schaver Boone Collection B1991.046.17, that photograph’s description: Hooper Bay, at AFN 2018, identified as left to right: Roseanne Sipary, Dorothy Tall, Ida Brown, Mathilda Smart, Elizabeth Hoelscher Lake, Bernadette Hunter, Helen Bell, Julius Green]

.362 – At fish camp, Klamonik River, late in eve., 8/1951 [large group of Indigenous individuals and youths posed next to walled tents. At AFN 2016, location identified as old Chevak, called Kashnak or Qissanaq. At AFN 2024 or prior, name of the river corrected to Cev'allraq River. Individuals identified as (right to left) possibly Maacungaq, [unknown], Hilda Saton (Ayuluk), Mary Friday, [unknown], and Eggsualek Frances Ayuneraq Slats. On left hand of picture in back row, individuals identified as [unknown], Theresa Wools [with a notation "older" next to their name], Utuan Lucy Sparck, Ayaginareq Clara Tall, and Nauyugaq Theresa Mathias. Individual in front row to the left of center in the light colored kuspuk and no headscarf identified as Arnauq Julia Askuluk Tom]

.363 – Omukumiut, July '49 [Indigenous individual weaving basket, seated outside barabara, two other individuals at right, Umkumiut? At AFN 2015, location identified as Toksook Bay. In 2019, woman sitting at far right identified as Agnes Alexie]

.364 – [parade, Asian group in costume, Seattle?]

.365 – [parade, Chinese dragon, Seattle?]

.366 – [parade, marching band dressed as Robin Hood, Seattle?]

.367 – [parade, PAFCO Club float, Seattle?]

.368 – [parade, PAFCO Club float, Seattle?]

.369 – [parade, PAFCO Club float, Seattle?]

.370 – [parade, Seattle City Light float, Seattle?]

.371 – [parade, AIO float, Seattle?]

.372 – [parade, Bellingham Sportsmen’s Club float, Seattle?]

.373 – [parade, Far Away Places float, Seattle?]

.374 – [parade, float, Seattle?]

.375 – [parade, Pacific National Exhibition float, 1957? , Seattle?]

.376 – [parade, pirate float, Seattle?]

.377 – [parade, North City float, Seattle?]

.378 – [parade, Independent Order of Foresters, Seattle?]

.379 – [parade, float, Seattle?]

.380 – [parade, Chinese dragon, Seattle?]

.381 – [parade, Indian Summer float, Seattle?]

.382 – Oct. 1951, Volunteer Park [interior of greenhouse, Seattle]

.383 – Oct. 1951, salmon derby [large crowd viewing salmon on ice in large trough, Seattle]

.384 – May 5, 1950, “Rudakof” – P.A.F. [individual petting pig in crate on dock, one youth and other individuals looking on]

.385 – Dr. Blair, nurse, Al, Nimmer, Mrs. Pete Sather, Nuka Bay, May 1951 [Josephine Sather in center with Hazel Blair and Jeanne Schaver at right, Aloysius Illanna and Nimmer on left]

.386 – “Ho-hum” Picinich, Aloysius in background [individual wearing eyeglasses and driving cap on deck of *Health*, second individual leaning on boom in background]

.387 – Lillian Wright, near Seward, May 1951 [individual climbing in rigging of *Health*, individual possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, seated on boom in foreground]

.388 – Aloysius Illanna, May 1951 [Indigenous individual hosing deck of *Health*, storage tanks, dock and buildings in background. “New Richmond Laundry” and “American Tar Co.” on buildings in background. Also “***ard of California” on building to the left. Possibly Lake Union in Seattle.]

.389 – Mr. & Mrs. Harris, Aloysius & Pat Womkon, Seattle, May 1951 [four individuals on deck of *Health* near lifeboat, South Lake Union in Seattle in background]

.390 – Mrs. Rebekah Harris, May 9, 1951 [individual, possibly identified as Rebekah Harris, on deck of *Health* near lifeboat, Seattle in background]

.391 – [individual dumping bucket over side of deck on *Health*, possibly identified as Hazel Blair, other individual possibly identified as Winona Gronning, individual, possibly identified as Aloysius Illanna, hanging from side of boat]

.392 – [shirtless individual aboard *Health*]

.393 – [similar to .392]

.394 – Harold Jacobson, Oct. 1951 [individual wearing cardigan sweater and tie standing on deck of small boat at dock, buildings in background]

.395 – Marian Chapman & Viola Skogstad “waiting for Tulstui,” Aug. 26, 1950 [two individuals seated on dock next to small boat *Tebenkof*]

.396 – Near Anchorage, 1954 [possibly Knik Arm, Mt. McKinley in distance]

.397 – M.V. Health office, 7/1951 [individual possibly identified as Winona Gronning, at left, another individual possibly identified as Jeanne Schaver, at right, with Indigenous adults and youths. At AFN 2015, woman directly in front of Winona identified as Gemma Joseph of Hooper Bay]

.398 – [interior of office, possibly on *Health*, one individual, possibly identified as Adjutant John Weston Jr., seated at desk, another individual standing at left]

.399 – C.G., Tornensis, Lindegard, Slivers, Aloysius, Pichinich, Nimmer, 5/1951 [crew of *Health*, individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, standing at left]

.400 – [interior of *Health*, party with individuals wearing paper leis, individual at center playing accordion, cake on table, possibly same party photographed in Jeanne Schaver Boone Collection 1991.046.136]

.401 – [interior of *Health*, crew posed around table, several people smoking cigars, individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, at center with gun to his head, Hazel Blair seated at right]

.402 – [interior of *Health*, crew gathered around table]

.403 – C.G., Slivers, Picinich, Aloysius, Nimmer [individuals posed on deck of *Health*, individual possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, at left]

.404 – Tommy Hooper, Apr. 1952 [Indigenous individual, possibly identified as Tommy Hooper, wearing yellow rain gear on deck of *Health*, deck and railings covered with ice]

.405 – Bill, Tommy, Burchard, Clarence, 9-1951 [bird's eye view of individuals in bow of *Health*, three individuals looking overboard, individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, at right looking up at camera]

.406 – Clarence & Charlie, "pacing the deck" [two individuals on deck of *Health*, one, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, wearing red plaid hat, coast in background]

.407 – Joe and Wilma Aker [individual wearing red checkered dress and apron and holding plate standing with another individual on deck of *Health* at dock, individual identified as Clarence Gronning seated at right]

.408 – Charlie Larsen [individual standing on deck of *Health* holding fish on a line]

.409 – C.G. and "Sonny" Gardner, Sand Point [four individuals sitting on lifeboat on ship deck, Clarence second from right, coast in background]

.410 – Earl and Eva Brown, Alitak [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, at right, standing with two individuals and dog outside store]

.411 – Mr. Freer, Oct. 1951 [individual posed on ship deck, tools at his feet, buildings and dock in background, Seattle?]

.412 – Jessie Ainsworth [individual on deck of *Health*, snowy coast in background]

.413a – Naomi Peterson, "Health," 8-1951 [individual seated on deck]

.413b – [docks and buildings as seen from water, Navy ship at left, Whittier, pre-1953?]

.414 – Lillian Wright, 7/1951 [individual wearing red rain gear on deck of *Health*, individual possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, in background]

.415 – Lillian Wright, 7/1951 [individual wearing apron and eyeglasses and holding cake pan on deck of *Health*]

.416 – [two individuals on small boat, *Health* anchored in background, individual possibly identified as Hazel Blair at left]

.417 – [two individuals posed on deck of *Health*, both holding cameras, snowy coast in background]

.418 – [bird's eye view of four individuals on deck of *Health*, all holding cameras]

.419 – [group of individuals on small boat with outboard motor, one individual in bow wearing military uniform]

.420 – [individuals on deck of *Health*, individual possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, at right]

.421 – [Indigenous individual, possibly identified as Tommy Hooper, piloting small boat, *Health* at anchor in background. At AFN 2015, location identified as possibly Kodiak area, with power fish scow in background]

.422 – [group of individuals gathered for picnic, one possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, at right, automobiles and trailers in background. Cf. 423]

.423 – [three individuals posed outdoors with tent at left, automobiles and trailers]

.424 – [similar to .422]

.425 – [similar to .422]

.426 – [two individuals posed next to automobile and trailer, picnic table at right]

.427 – [who individuals posed in kitchen, possible Pete and Josephine Sather. Similar picture of the same individuals in Jeanne Schaver Boone Collection B1991.046.105]

.428 – [four individuals posed outdoors near water, one individual hosing off rocks, mountains in background]

- .429 – [three individuals posed at dining room table, one holding cake reading “Happy Birthday Dad,” coffee cups piled on table]
- .430 – [individual wearing coveralls and military hat posed on road in winter with large snowbanks, probably Whittier, 1954-55]
- .431 – [two individuals grilling food in backyard near picket fence, both wearing paper hats]
- .432 – [similar to .431]
- .433 – Nina [individual posed next to corrugated metal building in winter, Whittier?]
- .434 – [two individuals standing outdoors next to carport]
- .435 – Seward airport, May 1951 [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, standing next to Republican RC3 Seabee amphibious airplane]
- .436 – C.G. & “Tiny,” Seward airport, May 1951 [individual, possibly identified as Clarence Gronning, and another individual, standing next to Republican RC3 Seabee]
- .437 – Agnes Walker, Marcella Walker, Hooper Bay, July 1951 [Indigenous adult and youth, both wearing fur parkas, standing on deck of *Health*]
- .438 – Henrietta & Dion Rivers, Hooper Bay, 7-1951 [individual standing next to two small Indigenous youth on deck of *Health*, one is eating]
- .439 – Anna & Rose Anna Sipary, H.B., 7/1951 [two Indigenous individuals, one wearing fur parka and other wearing print parka, standing on deck of *Health*, Hooper Bay]
- .440 – Rose Anna Sipary, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [Indigenous individual wearing striped dress, plaid jacket, and headscarf posed on deck of *Health*]
- .441 – Lucille Simon, Hooper Bay, July 1951 [Indigenous individual wearing fur parka, blue jeans, hip boots, headscarf, and eyeglasses posed on deck of *Health*]
- .442 – Lucille Simon and mother Aldine, Hooper Bay, July 1951 [two Indigenous individuals, one wearing yellow qaspeq and headscarf, other wearing Western-style clothing and eyeglasses, posed on deck of *Health*]
- .443 – Lucille and Aldine Simon [two Indigenous individuals wearing print qaspeq posed outside house, Hooper Bay]
- .444 – Titus Tomaganuk, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [two Indigenous youths in Yup’ik kayak, similar to photo from Jeanne Schaver Boone Collection, B1991.046.24]
- .445 – Titus Tomaganuk, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [two Indigenous youths in Yup’ik kayak, similar to .444]
- .446 – [Indigenous individuals], Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [large group of Indigenous individuals posed with kayak on deck of *Health*. At AFN 2015, identified as Andy Gump? (far left); Guy Mann (in kayak); Knute Smart (first row kneeling next to kayak); back row left to right: Ignatia Black, Ruth Hunter, Joseph Smart, Gemma Joseph, Lena Johnson, Elizabeth Hoelscher, Willie Johnson, Lucille Simon Johnston, [unknown], [unknown], Maggie Johnson, Gertrude Hill. At AFN 2024 or prior, location identified as probably on North Star or another freighter]
- .447 – Patrick Hoelscher, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [Indigenous youth posed outdoors holding driftwood]
- .448 – *Health*, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [Indigenous individuals and youths on deck of *Health*, individual at right playing guitar. At AFN 2015, identified as (left to right): Ignatia Black, Gemma Joseph, Ida Brown Lawrence, [unknown], Lucille Tall, Ruth Hunter, [unknown], Gertude Hill, Lucille Anaruk]
- .449 – Hooper Bay, an unhappy baby, 7/1951 [one Indigenous youth near fish drying rack]

- .450 – Charlie Peterson & family, 7/1951 [Indigenous individuals and youths on deck of small boat, Hooper Bay in background]
- .451 – [Indigenous individuals], Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [similar to .448. At AFN 2015, woman kneeling left identified as Lucille Tall, standing at right Nellie Knight, seated in back (right to left): Gemma Joseph, Lucille Anaruk, Aaron Rivers, Ruth Hunter, unknown, unknown. At AFN 2025, individual holding the guitar identified as Aldine Simon, individual in uniform confirmed as Aaron Rivers, and individual standing on right confirmed as Nellie Knight] [Central Yup'ik territory, Naparyarmiut (Hooper Bay)]
- .452 – [Indigenous] mother & baby, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [Indigenous individual wearing striped qaspeq and mukluks seated outside log house, holding one youth. At AFN 2015, identified as Rachel Smart with daughter Mary.]
- .453 – Hooper Bay, July 1951 [young Indigenous individual wearing print dress, plaid jacket, and headscarf, holding baby, posed outdoors, drying racks, buildings, and wind generators in background]
- .454 – Playground, Hooper Bay, 7/1951 [school youths playing game outdoors. Original image blurry]

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Folder 3

Photographs – Prints and 35mm slides

- .455 – [Copy print. Studio portrait of Clarence in uniform and wearing a “Pilot” hat.]
- .456 – Copy of Slide # 1_4_img_0043 [Copy print. Clarence in uniform using a sextant.]
- .457 – U.S. Army FS-790 [Group photo of ship crew on deck. Clarence Gronning may be eighth from right.]
- .458 – Winona Gronning AKA Nona [Copy print. Studio portrait of Winona.]
- .459 – C. he was Captain of ??? At Whittier – 1954 [Front view of a U.S. Army vessel, likely the U.S. Army LT-130.]
- .460 – [Side view of a U.S. Army vessel at dock, likely the U.S. Army LT-130.]
- .461 – C. Captain of this ship [Clarence in a light jacket aboard the vessel U.S. Army LT-130.]
- .462 – [Front view of the U.S. Army LT-130 at dock.]
- .463 – “Health” in drydock 10/1951 [*M/V Health* at dock with a tarp stretched over the cabin.]
- .464 – July 1951 – on MV Health Good picture [Clarence and Winona seated in a kayak on deck of the *M/V Health*.]
- .465 – C.G. + W.G. M.V. “Health” Charlie Peterson at wheel. Good picture [Clarence and Winona peeking out the wheelhouse window of the *M/V Health*.]
- .466 – Winona – Tolstoy. Clarence & Andy sailed on this. By Galen Biery [Side view of the vessel *Tolstoi* at dock.]
- .467 – “Health” in drydock – Oct. 1951. [Closeup view down the side of *M/V Health* at drydock, two people standing on dock at right.]
- .468 – “Health” iced down Chignik dock = ~1952 M.V. Health Charley [*M/V Health* covered in ice at dock. At Cirniq (Chignik) in Alutiiq / Sugpiaq territory.]
- .469 – M.V. “Health” 7/1951 Anchorage Hooper Bay [Distant view of *M/V Health* anchored in Naparyarmiut (Hooper Bay), Central Yup'ik territory.]

.470 – Enroute Perryville Apr. 1952 M.V. “Health” [View of mountains from *M/V Health* deck with lifeboats, enroute to Perry-q (Perryville), likely in Alutiiq / Sugpiaq territory.]
 .471 – Whittier -1954 [Distant view of ship against a mountain backdrop.]
 .472 – Winona S.S. Square Knot By Galen Biery [Two smaller vessels (one being lowered by crane) beside a larger ship loaded with logs.]
 .473 – “Tolstoi” 8/26/50 Last Trip 1950 Season [Distant view of the vessel *Tolstoi*.]
 .474 – Mr. Tarrant, Capt. Sorenson, M.V. “Neva” June 21, 1950 [View of Tarrant and Sorenson posed on the deck of *M/V Neva*.]
 .475 – Unknown Ship [The *Radium Dew* at dock.]
 .476 – Unknown Ship [The *Radium Dew* at dock.]
 .477 – Unknown Ship [The *Radium Dew* at dock.]
 .478 – M.V “Neva” June 21, 1950 [*M/V Neva* at dock either being loaded or unloaded of freight.]

Folder 4

Documents and Continuous Discharge Book

.479 – Certificate of Seaman’s Service, February 9, 1922
 .480 – Certificate of Seaman’s Service, February 9, 1942
 .481 – Letter from W. E. Brown, Superintendent, to Captain C. R. Gronning, Master, SS Lakima, May 25, 1945 [On Alaska Steamship Company letterhead, regarding ports of call for Voyage 28.]
 .482 – Sea-Land Service, Inc. Service Record
 .483 – Application for Membership, International Organization of Masters, Mates and Pilots, Clarence R. Gronning, September 29, 1965
 .484a – United States of American Department of Commerce Continuous Discharge Book. Gronning [Identity document with chronological service log noting ships, engagement places, voyage types, and Gronning’s rating per voyage. Dated 1942-1969.]
 .484b – International Organization of Masters, Mates and Pilots Assignment Slip, Master of the S.S. Iliamna 10-13-1966 [Loose document included with Continuous Discharge Book.]
 .484c – Great Circle Route [Loose handwritten document on lined paper included with Continuous Discharge Book.]

Supplemental documents, photocopies

- 335571 United States Coast Guard License to U.S. Merchant Marine Officer, Clarence R. Gronning, April 16, 1965
- 346577 United States Coast Guard License to U.S. Merchant Marine Officer, Clarence R. Gronning, December 18, 1967
- C15600 United States Department of Commerce Qualified Member of the Engine Department, Clarence R. Gronning, Issued August 17, 1938 [with] Aug 17/38, Endorsed for Engine Department and qualified to serve in the rating of Watertender & Fireman [Document with thumb print.]
- B67645 United States Department of Commerce Certificate of Efficiency to Lifeboat Man, Clarence R. Gronning, August 17, 1938

- A64433 United States Department of Commerce Certificate of Service to Able Seaman, Clarence R. Gronning, March 7, 1942

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