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Finding aid for the
Wynn Bullock Archive, 1921-1980
AG 10

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Creator

Bullock, Wynn (1902-1975)

Abstract

Personal papers, correspondence, activity files, audio-visual materials, and photographic materials, 1920 - 1980, relating to the career of Wynn Bullock (1902 - 1975), photographer, teacher, and inventor. The papers offer significant information on the exhibition, publication, and sale of Bullock's photographs; his experiments with solarization; his involvement with the Friends of Photography; and his teaching activities. Less well documented are his tenure as a commercial photographer, his brief career as a concert singer, and his own education at the Art Center School in Los Angeles, California.

Quantity/ Extent

90 linear feet

Language of Materials

English

Biographical Note

Wynn Bullock (1902 – 1975) was born in Chicago and raised in South Pasadena, California. His early career was as a singer, and following high school he moved to New York where he performed in the chorus of Irving Berlin’s Music Box Revue and later with the show’s Road Company. During the mid-1920s, while performing in Europe, he became fascinated with artworks by Cezanne, Man Ray, and Lazlo Moholy-Nagy. Bullock once wrote, “My first ambition was to become a concert singer....But interpreting others’ creative work did not satisfy my own creative impulses and so I turned to photography.” Bullock bought a simple box camera and launched into amateur picture making.

In 1938 Bullock enrolled at the Los Angeles Art Center School. Three years later, his work was showcased in one of the Los Angeles County Museum of Art’s early solo photography exhibitions. During the 1940s, he conducted pioneering research to control the effect of solarization (a darkroom process for altering an image) and was awarded patents in the U.S., Canada, and Great Britain for a “Photographic Process for Producing Line Image.”
Bullock was deeply inspired by fellow photographer Edward Weston, who he met in 1948, and Weston’s work motivated him to investigate straight photography. Throughout the 1950s, Bullock clarified his unique point of view, establishing a deep, direct connection with nature. A lifelong learner, he also read widely in the areas of physics, general semantics, philosophy, psychology, Eastern religion, and art.

Bullock came into the public spotlight when Museum of Modern Art curator Edward Steichen chose two of his photographs for the 1955 Family of Man exhibition. When the exhibition was shown at the Corcoran Gallery in Washington, D.C., his photograph Let There Be Light, was voted most popular. The second, Child in Forest, became one of the exhibition’s most memorable images. By the end of that decade, his work was widely exhibited and published worldwide and in 1957, he was honored with a medal from the Salon of International Photography.

During the early 1960s, Bullock departed from the black-and-white imagery for which he was known and produced a major body of work, Color Light Abstractions, which expressed his belief that light is a great force at the heart of all being. Further image-making innovation included alternative approaches including extended time exposures, photograms, and negative printing.

During the 1960s and 1970s Bullock expanded his influence through other roles. In 1968, he became a trustee and chairman of the exhibition committee during formative years at Friends of Photography in Carmel, California. He taught advanced photography courses at Chicago’s Institute of Design during Aaron Siskind’s sabbatical and at San Francisco State College at John Gutmann’s invitation. In the last decades of his life, he lectured widely, participated in many photographic seminars and symposia, and was a guest instructor for the Ansel Adams Yosemite Workshops. Bullock died at the age of 73 in November 1975.

Along with Ansel Adams, Harry Callahan, Aaron Siskind, and Frederick Sommer, he was one of the founding photographers whose archives established the Center for Creative Photography in 1975.

**Scope and Content Note**

The collection offers insight into Bullock’s attitudes toward his own work. Notes and diaries, articles written by Bullock, and his correspondence reflect the development of his philosophical approach to photography. There is less evidence of his thoughts on photography in general, although some of the papers do document his attitudes toward
the work of other photographers and the development of the medium. The Bullock
collection consists of 223 prints and 90 linear feet of archival materials, including personal
papers, diaries, correspondence, activity files, audio-visual and photographic materials. The
archive offers significant information on the exhibition, publication, and sale of Bullock's
photographs; his experiments with solarization; his involvement with the Friends of
Photography; and his teaching activities. The collection offers insight into Bullock's attitudes
toward his own work and the development of his philosophical approach to the medium.

The **first series** contains correspondence (1921-1980) between Bullock and other
photographers, gallery and museum staff, editors, students, photographic sales agents, and
others. Subjects covered include the sale, publication, and exhibition of photographs;
aesthetic issues relating to photography; Bullock’s photographic experiments; teaching
positions; and other topics. Extent: 6.5 linear feet.

The **second series** of activity files contains publications and writings, exhibition files,
education files, membership organizations, business records, technical materials, personal
and financial papers, and miscellaneous papers.

Under activity files, subseries one through six include publications and writings (1950-
1976), which include manuscripts, tear sheets, correspondence, and similar material
relating to publications by Bullock and those written about him by others. Also included are
Bullock’s diaries and notes on photography, transcripts of interviews with Bullock, files
concerning the publication of his photographs, and copies of publications in which his
photographs appeared. Extent: 3 linear feet.

The seventh subseries contains catalogs, scripts, lists of photographs, notices, contracts,
correspondence and other material relating to exhibitions of Bullock’s photographs. See
also the notebooks of Bullock’s negative numbers (AG10:11/ 23-24), which include lists of
prints Bullock sent to various exhibitions. Extent: 1 linear foot.

The eighth subseries, education (1939-1980), includes correspondence, lists of students,
course descriptions and announcements, minutes of professional association meetings, and
similar material relating to photographic courses and workshops taught by Bullock. Also
included are three folders of material from the Art Center School in Los Angeles, which
Bullock attended from 1939 to 1940.  Extent: .5 linear feet.

The ninth subseries includes correspondence, minutes and meeting material, reports,
exhibition and publication notices, and other material relating to Bullock’s involvement
with the Friends of Photography (FOP) between 1967-1975. Bullock served as chairman of
the FOP’s exhibitions committee. Extent: .5 linear feet.

The tenth subseries contains business records relating to Bullock's photographic businesses
(1951-1965). Materials include correspondence, invoices, balance sheets, lists of supplies,
and other material. These commercial enterprises were ARTCO, Inc., Arrow Portrait Studio,
Arrow Photo Finishers, and Santa Maria Photo Finishers. The records pertaining to these businesses are sketchy and incomplete. Extent: .25 linear feet.

The eleventh subseries contains technical materials (1936- circa 1975), such as legal papers, correspondence, articles, and other material relating to the two photographic processes patented by Bullock – “Photographic Process for Producing Line Images” (1948) and “Method for Matching Opposing Densities in Photographic Film” (1957). In these experiments, Bullock worked with processes that he hoped would take the place of hand drawn technical illustrations. Material relating to Bullock’s photographic equipment is also included. Extent: 1.25 linear feet.

The twelfth subseries contains miscellaneous papers (1921-1975) that includes correspondence, bibliographies of Bullock’s publications and exhibitions, press releases, model releases, newspaper clippings, and other material relating to a wide variety of activities. Extent: 1 linear foot.

The thirteenth subseries contains personal and financial papers (1921-1970s) related to correspondence, army, school, and medical records, personal financial material, newspaper clippings, and similar items. Two scrapbooks of clippings, correspondence, brochures, articles, and similar material relating to Bullock’s career as a concert singer and photographer. Extent: .25 linear feet.

The third series, other materials, include newspaper and magazine clippings, books and periodicals, audio tapes, film and video tapes, and posters. The newspaper and magazine clippings (circa 1920-1975) are related to events of Bullock’s career, including exhibitions, publications, lectures, and related activities. A few of the clippings are examples of Bullock’s commercial work. The clippings are from a wide variety of publications, primarily newspapers. The books and periodicals come from Bullock’s personal library collection. The works deal with photography, philosophy, art and related subjects. Some of the books are annotated or signed by Bullock, but none contain his photographs or writings.

The fourth series, photographic materials, contains photographic equipment, photographs, negatives, and transparencies of Bullock’s work. In 1975, after Wynn Bullock had designated the Center for Creative Photography for his archive, he selected 140 prints as representative of his artistic oeuvre. These prints form the Core Collection of the Wynn Bullock Archive. At the same time, Bullock designated 159 prints as rejected prints, largely on technical grounds. An additional 700 prints from Bullock’s non-commercial, non-student work form a separate study collection. Early work, student work, commercial photographs, patent experiments, and family snapshots form five additional sections of Wynn Bullock’s photographs.
There are approximately 15,000 negatives ranging in size from 35mm to 8x10 inches. The negatives are often accompanied by Bullock’s notations, which usually include his negative number, title, or date. A few of the negatives are accompanied by contact prints. Note: the notebooks in which Bullock listed his negative numbers are in his papers (box 11).

The collections also includes approximately 1750 color transparencies of light abstractions, nudes, commercial work, family and friends, Bullock’s black and white photographs, and other subjects. Also included are color stereo transparencies of a variety of subjects and a series of transparencies that illustrate Bullock’s method of making light abstractions. An extensive inventory exists for the photographic materials in the Wynn Bullock Archive. This may be viewed in the Study Center, or a copy requested from the archivist.

Arrangement

Series 1: Correspondence (1921-1980)
Series 2: Activity Files (1921-1980)
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Names and Subject Terms

Bullock, Wynn, 1902-1975

Restrictions

Conditions Governing Access

Negatives are in cold storage and require a two-week notice. For permission to view the negatives, please consult the archivist. Requests will be considered on the basis of need and physical condition of the negatives.

Access to this collection requires an appointment with the Volkerding Study Center.

Conditions Governing Use

Copyright to Bullock's photographs and writings is held by Bullock Family Photography, L.L.C.

It is the responsibility of the user to obtain permission from the copyright owner (which could be the institution, the creator of the record, the author or his/her transferees, heirs, legates or literary executors) prior to any copyright-protected uses of the collection.

The user agrees to indemnify, defend, and hold harmless the Arizona Board of Regents, the University of Arizona, Center of Creative Photography, including its officers, employees, and agents, from and against all claims made relating to copyright or other intellectual property infringement.

Separated Materials

Boxes 86-90 are photographic prints that have been transferred to the CCP Fine Print collection.

Provenance

The Wynn Bullock Archive was purchased from the photographer in 1975.

Preferred Citation


Processing Information

Processed by Charles Lamb and Cynthia Ludlow, 1982. Information was updated in October 2005. Materials were rehoused and further processing completed by Leah Rios, 2015. Finding aid was updated by Alexis Peregoy and CCP staff in 2016.
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Arrangement: Alphabetical; Quantity: 13 boxes; 6.5 linear feet

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Series 2: Activity Files

Subseries 1: Files Concerning Publications and Writings by Bullock, circa 1950-1970s

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8 Untitled manuscripts on photography, n.d.
9 “Feet,” n.d.
10 “The Small and the Large Camera,” n.d.
12 "Photography in the Fourth Dimension," n.d.
13 "The View Camera," ca. 1956
14 Manuscripts on line photography, ca. 1950s
16-18 "Line Photography," Medical and Biological Illustration (April 1957)
19 "Partial Reversal Line Photography," Medical and Biological Illustration (October 1957)
20 "Space-Time as the Fourth Dimension in Photography," 1957
21 "The Psychological Error of Object-Thinking," 1958
22 Untitled manuscript on photography, ca. 1959
23 "Thoughts on Space-Time," 1959
24 Notes sent to Nat Herz for an article in Infinity Magazine (November 19 6)
26 Introduction to Multiple Images, a portfolio by Carla Romeike, 1968
27 Introduction to the Japanese Portfolio by Brett Weston, 1970
28 Introduction to Discovery: Inner and Outer Worlds, The Friends of Photography
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29  Introduction to *Edward Weston*, a portfolio offered by Witkin-Berley Ltd., 1971

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|     | 44     | List of photographs published and photographs in permanent collections, ca. 1965
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|     | 52     | Interview conducted by Hughes Boucher, 1974
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Subseries 4: Files Concerning Writing about Wynn Bullock by Other Writers, circa 1955-1975

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|     | 55     | Jacob Deschin, "Western Style, Bullock is Typical of California School," *New York Times*, September 11, 1955
|     | 56     | Shigemine Kanemaru, "Bullock and His Policy on Large Contact Prints," *Asahi Camera 12* (1955)
|     | 58     | Shoichi Abe, "From Concert Singer to Photographer - Wynn Bullock," *Photo Art* (1956)
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     4-5  Art Center School, Los Angeles, class notebooks, 1938-1939
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20  Technical notebook (kept by Bullock), n.d.
23-24  Notebooks of negative numbers kept by Bullock, ca. 1956-74. (Notebooks also contain lists of prints sent to various exhibitions, 1960s-70s).
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2  American Society of Magazine Photographers, 1958-62
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8  Bookplate, n.d.
9  Films, Two Photographers by Fred Padula, 1967-75
10  Films, Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson, Peter Thompson, and David Fuess, ca. 1975 (For transcripts of interviews done for this film, see AG10:5/53 for the original tapes of these interviews, along with other audio tapes and working materials used in making this film, see AG10:19/23).
11  Invitations, 1961-64
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20  Professional Photographers of California, Professional Photographers of Northern California, Professional Photographers of America, ca. 1960-64
21-23  Publications and newspaper clippings on art, photography, and other subjects, ca. 1940s-70s
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25  Recommendations written for Bullock, 1942-52
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Subseries 13: Personal and Financial Papers, circa 1921-1970s

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<td>Letters, cards, programs (including a few items relating to Bullock's singing career), circa 1920-40s</td>
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<td>Wynn Bullock's horoscope, n.d.</td>
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<td>Medical, 1956-71 (see also X-rays in AG10:13)</td>
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<td>Miscellaneous personal papers, 1956-73</td>
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<td><em>Copa de Oro</em>, South Pasadena High School Yearbook, 1925</td>
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<td>Singing career newspaper clippings and other material, 1921-39</td>
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<td>Invoices and receipts (primarily for sales of photographs), ca. 1954-71</td>
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<td>Investment brochures and newsletters, 1961-74</td>
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<td>Property and real estate, ca. 1940s-50s</td>
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<td>Two scrapbooks of clippings, correspondence, and other items relating to Bullock's career as a singer and photographer; also, medical X-rays.</td>
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Series 3: Other Material

Subseries 1: Newspaper and Magazine Clippings, circa 1920-1975

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13-14  Miscellaneous clippings on photography and art, n.d.
84     Newspaper clippings
85     Newspaper clippings, correspondence, auction, exhibitions

Subseries 2: Wynn Bullock’s Personal Library

Box
15     Books annotated by Bullock
16     Books not annotated by Bullock (some are signed by Bullock)
17     Periodicals

Subseries 3: Audio Tapes

Box
18     Twenty tapes of lectures and interviews with Bullock, panel discussions, and taped letters.

Subseries 4: Films and Video Tapes

Box
19     Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: 48 reel-to-reel audiotapes
19A    Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: sound and picture work print
       Film:
       “H Bomb interneagitive G. Richardson clear”
       “Tyson Bullock pic redo”
       “W.B. 8/78”
       Audiotape: 19 reel-to-reel and 2 cassette
20     Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: sound and picture work print
       “Wynn Bullock: Photographer workprint”
       “Cabin Sound”
       “Living Room A”
       “Living Room A / House Interior Garden”
       “Point Lobos Picnic”
20A    Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: sound and picture work print
       “Bullock Dialogue”
       “Music Track D Heads”
       “Music; Music & Effects”
       “Studio B; Photo Talk II of II”
       “Cabin I”
21     Unlabeled box with small pieces of film
       “Living Room: Death Talk + Darkroom”
“Cabin Picnic Only 2” Picnic – Trims Cont. Story, Wynn Mos cabin walking + photog”
“Cabin Picnic; Tide pool -10 sec, Short ends sound”
“Wynn Bullock Bio; C.T.W.”
“Living Room B / Sound 8”
“Wynn & Barbara in Garden”
“House Interior / Studio A apple re-do massage”

21A Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: sound and picture work print
“Sound / Outs; Dialogue Pick-ups”
“Wynn Bullock Photographs”
“Edna MOS; Mimi, Barbara, Lynn 9”

22 Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: sound and picture work print
“Stills, Opt. of Eye, Portfolio MOS; + Ansel Adams 4”
“Philosophy, Garden”
“MOS – House Studio”
“Wynn Bullock Photographs”
“Studio A & B II 8”
“Color Work”

23 Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: sound and picture work print
“Cabin II”
“Bullock – MOS; Lobos; MPC teaching; Weston Beach, Padula”
“Living Room; Death Talk; B&W Workprint”
[unlabeled blue box] with one reel labeled, “Padula Film”
“F61/x 07 Diff Story #39-7T”
“Assorted Trims / Re-Mix Neg Re-cut”

24 Wynn Bullock: Photographer by Thom Tyson: sound and picture work print, release prints, release prints and archive negative, soundtrack for Two Photographers: Wynn Bullock and Imogen Cunningham by Fred Padula; “Boy Saving Duck in Oil Slick Water” by Wynn Bullock at L.A. Art Center, 1939
“Pt. Lobos Picnic; N.G. Raw stock; Henshey Pt. Lobos outs”
“Archive negative and sound track for Two Photographers: Wynn Bullock and Imogen Cunningham
“Wynn Bullock”
“Two Photographers”
“Car A & B”
“Wynn Bullock Photographer 78”
“Wynn Bullock Photographer 78”

Subseries 5: Posters
Box 25-30  Bullock’s collection of posters of his photographs (7 posters), one man and
group exhibitions of his work (16 posters), and posters of photographs by
other photographers (8 posters).

**Series 4: Photographic Material**

**Subseries 1: Photographic Equipment**

**Box**

31-36  Cameras, lenses, densitometer, light meters, filters, film holders, enlarger,
and other photographic equipment. Also included are 11 glass plates
(approximately 12x 15") covered with paint that were used by Bullock as
printing masks. Some of the equipment is accompanied by technical notes
made by Bullock. For manuscripts material relating to Bullock's
photographic equipment see AG10:11/25-37.

129  Photographic equipment

OV  Tripods

**Subseries 2: Photographs**

**Box**

37  Rejected prints- seascapes

38  Rejected prints- nudes, architecture

39  Rejected prints- roads, bridges, furniture, landscapes, photograms,
negative images, solarizations, portraits

40  Rejected prints- design

41  Rejected prints- relics, graveyards, rocks, shells

42  Rejected prints- trees, leaves, plants

43  Study prints- nudes

44  Study prints- relics, graveyards, animals, furniture, architecture

45  Study prints- clouds, moon, plants, leaves, trees, portraits, landscapes

46  Study prints- roads, bridges, fences, design, seascapes

47  Study prints- photograms, negative images, solarizations, light abstractions,
rocks, shells

48  Study prints- plants, leaves, trees, portraits, design

49  Study prints- rocks, shells, seascapes

50  Study prints- architecture, nudes

51  Study prints- graveyards, relics

52  Study prints- light abstractions (oversize flat box)

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54  Study prints- light abstractions (oversize flat box)

55  Exhibition and award winning prints
56 Contact sheets
57 Photographs- early work, Art Center work
58 Art Center
59 Photographs- Art Center work
60 Commercial work- “Feet” Monterey Savings and Loan
61 Commercial work- Santa Cruz Boardwalk Ranches
62 Commercial work- “Postman to Paradise”, puppets, Laguna Seca car races, postcards
63 Commercial work- Monterey Jazz Festival, Elgin Gates Trophy Series
64 Commercial work- studio portraits, miscellaneous work, motels, Hermits of Camaldoli
65 Patent experiment photographs
66 Photographs- family, friends
67 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:001-149
68 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:150-299
69 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:300-399
70 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:400-499
71 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:500-599
72 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:600-699
73 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:700-849
74 Contact prints- 8x10, 75:001:850-996
75 Contact prints- 5x7, 75:003:001-047
76 Contact prints- 4x5, 75:004:001-200
77 Contact prints- 4x5, 75:004:201-399
78 Contact prints- 4x5, 75:004:400-600
79 Contact prints- 4x5, 75:004:602-727
80 Contact prints- 4x5, duplicates
81 Contact prints- 2 ¼ x 2 ¾, 75:005:001-241
82 Contact prints- 2 ¼ x 2 ¾, 75:005: 313-599
83 Contact prints- 2 ¼ x 2 ¾, 75:005:600-758

Subseries 3: Negatives
Note: negatives include nitrate and acetate materials, and are in cold storage. Access to these materials requires a two-week notice.

Box
91 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:1 1-59
92 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:2 60-141
93 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:3 142-210
94 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:4 211-260
95 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:5 261-324
96  Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:6 325-379
97  Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:7 380-439
98  Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:8 440-496
99  Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:9 501-589
100 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:10 600-670
101 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:11 671-727
102 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:12 751-860
103 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:13 861-921
104 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:14 1080-1135
105 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:15 1136-1209
106 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:16 1210-1283
107 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:17 1284-1334
108 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:18 1335-1361
109 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:19 1362-1479
110 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:20 1482-1545
111 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:21 1548-1627
112 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:22 1628-1667
113 Negatives- 8x10, NG:1:23 1669-3973
114 Negatives- R/M 1 505
115 Negatives- 4x5, NG:2
116 Negatives- 5x7, 649-2528; 4x5, 20-3681
117 Negatives- 4x5, 499-1776; Negatives- 1 ¼ x 2 ¼, 3705-3920
118 Negatives- 2 ¼ x 2 ¼, 798-3971
119 Negatives- 2 ¼ x 2 ¼, 23-2597
120 Negatives- 2 ¼ x 2 ¼, 2619-3764
121 Negatives- 35mm, M1-M38; L3-L73
122 Negatives- 35mm, L19-L208
123 Negatives- patent experiment
124 Early work and Art Center School work

Subseries 4: Transparencies

Box
125 Transparencies- 8x10, 5x7, 4x5, 2 ¼ x 2 ¼
126 Transparencies- 35mm