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Summary Information

Repository:	Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections
Creator:	Call, Albert "Bert", 1866-1965
Title:	Bert Call Photograph Collection
ID:	SpC MS 0081
Date [inclusive]:	1914-1939
Physical Description:	3376 photographs (negatives ; black-and-white ; 13 x 18 cm)
Language of the Material:	English
Abstract:	Negatives of photographs taken between 1914 and 1939 by Call of outdoor scenes of mountains, lakes, woods and streams in the northern part of Maine.

Preferred Citation

Bert Call Photograph Collection, SpC MS 0081, [Box No.], [Folder No.], Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections Department, University of Maine, Orono, Maine

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Biographical Note

Bert Call was a professional photographer in Dexter, Maine from 1887 to 1953, starting as an apprentice to A.G. Fassett and shortly thereafter buying Fassett's studio. He was a portrait photographer but took many photographs in the northern Maine woods. He was also the official photographer from 1915 to 1931 for the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad's publication, "In the Maine Woods."

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Scope and Contents

Negatives of photographs taken between 1914 and 1939 by Call of outdoor scenes of mountains, lakes, woods and streams in the northern part of Maine. Included are shots from the Mt. Katahdin and Baxter State Park area, the Greenville and Moosehead Lake region, Mt. Desert Island and Bar Harbor, Aroostook and Piscataquis Counties, and the towns of Onawa and Dexter, Maine. Photos of agricultural scenes from northern Maine, coastal scenes, and industrial scenes, especially of the Katahdin Iron Works, are also found in the collection. A small number of the negatives represent homes and people in the Dexter area. Many photographs were used in the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad's annual, "In the Maine Woods," published to promote the railroad's passenger business.

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No restrictions on access.

Use Restrictions

Rights assessment remains the responsibility of the researcher. No known restrictions on publication. For information about the process and fees for obtaining higher resolution scans or another file format, contact Special Collections.

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift from Dexter Historical Society in 1988. Additional material given in 1991 by John Reed, Orono, Me.

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Related Materials

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Researchers may wish to see images, found on DigitalCommons@UMaine (https://digitalcommons.library.umaine.edu/bert_call/).

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- Arts
- Aroostook County (Me.) -- Photographs
- Bar Harbor (Me.) -- Photographs
- Baxter State Park (Me.) -- Photographs
- Dexter (Me.) -- Photographs
- Greenville (Me.) -- Photographs
- Katahdin, Mount (Me.) -- Photographs
- Moosehead Lake (Me.) -- Photographs
- Mount Desert Island (Me.) -- Photographs
- Onawa (Me.) -- Photographs
- Piscataquis County (Me.) -- Photographs
- Maine -- Description and travel
- Photographers -- Maine
- Negatives (Photographic)
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- Bangor and Aroostook Railroad Company
- Katahdin Iron Works (Firm)

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