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Collection Summary
Collection Title: Yosemite Stereoviews by C.L. Pond
Date (inclusive): circa 1871-1878
Collection Number: BANC PIC 1965.028--STER
Collector: Charles L. Pond
Extensive: 31 stereographs: b & w; 9 x 18 cm. 31 digital objects
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Abstract: The Yosemite Stereoviews by Charles L. Pond collection consists of 31 stereographic prints taken from circa 1871 to circa 1878.
Languages Represented: Collection materials are in English
Access
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**Identifier/Call Number:** BANC PIC 1965.030--STER:

**Title:** Miscellaneous Stereoviews from the Eugene Compton Collection

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**Title:** Stereographic Views from the Eugene Compton Collection

**Indexing Terms**
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library’s online public access catalog

Compton, Eugene. Associated name CU-BANC
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Yosemite National Park (Calif.) -- Pictorial works.

**Acquisition Information**
The Yosemite Stereoviews were donated by Eugene Compton circa 1965.

**Scope and Content**
The Yosemite Stereoviews by Charles L. Pond collection consists of 31 stereographic prints taken from circa 1871 to circa 1878. Pond, of Buffalo, New York, was an active photographer from 1861 to 1881 and a stereograph publisher from 1869 to 1878. Pond is exceptional among stereographers in appearing in many of his own stereographs, and may be the figure inspecting the big trees in the "Mammoth Trees of Calaveras Co., California" series, a number of which are found in this collection. The collection consists primarily of scenes in Yosemite, including views of Mirror Lake, Yosemite Falls, Vernal Falls, North Dome, South Dome and the Cap of Liberty. Also included are a few scenes in Salt Lake City. Each of the stereographic prints bears the photographer's number, and all were published in Buffalo, New York, and included in the "American Scenery" series, except for one which is part of the "Instantaneous Marine Views, Lake River & Harbor" series. The Yosemite Stereoviews by C.L. Pond are part of the Eugene Compton collection.

Printed captions are reprinted in the container listing. Captions in parentheses appear in manuscript on the stereographs. Captions in brackets have been supplied.

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**El Capitan, 3,300 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California.** BANC PIC :01--STER

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Additional Note
Photographer's number: 600
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

**North Dome, 3,725 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California.** BANC PIC :02--STER

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Additional Note
Photographer's number: 601
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

**Glacier Mountain, from Mirror Lake. Yo Semite Valley, California.** BANC PIC :03--STER

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Additional Note
Photographer's number: 602
Photographer's series: American Scenery.
Cap of Liberty, 4,000 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :04--STER  ark:/13030/tf3r29p2sv
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 605
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Bridal Veil Fall, 940 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :05--STER  ark:/13030/tf929013qp
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 606
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Mirror Lake and Mount Watkins. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :06--STER  ark:/13030/tf2d5nb50f
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 607
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Cathedral Rocks and Spires, 2,600 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California.
BANC PIC :07--STER  ark:/13030/tf3f59p200
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 612
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

BANC PIC :08--STER  ark:/13030/tf4m3nb7c1
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 613
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Yo Semite Falls, 2,634 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :09--STER  ark:/13030/tf467nb76t
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 614
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Mirror View Washington Column, Clouds Rest and South Dome. Yo Semite Valley, California.
BANC PIC :10--STER  ark:/13030/tf4d5nb6vg
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 615
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Salt Lake City, Utah, showing Mormon Tabernacle. BANC PIC :11--STER  ark:/13030/tf087007km
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 641
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.
Interior of Mormon Tabernacle, Salt Lake City, Utah. BANC PIC :12--STER
ark:/13030/tf787011qd
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 645
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

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Additional Note
Photographer's number: 674
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Glacier Point and Washington Column, from Mirror Lake. Yo Semite Valley, California.
BANC PIC :14--STER ark:/13030/tf3b69p2s7
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 675
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Beautiful Landscape, Yosemite Valley, California. BANC PIC :15--STER
ark:/13030/tf4290104w
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 679
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Yo Semite Falls, 2,634 feet high (Group of Spanish Cattle.) Yo Semite Valley, California.
BANC PIC :16--STER ark:/13030/tf1g5008b3
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 683
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Fallen tree Father of the Forest, circumference 112 feet. Mammoth Trees of Calaveras Co., California.
BANC PIC :17--STER ark:/13030/tf9b69p688
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 696
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Ribbon Falls, 3,300 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :18--STER ark:/13030/tf1m3nb49m
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 684
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Big Tree James D. Dana, Circumference 68 ft. Mammoth Trees of Calaveras Co., California. BANC PIC :19--STER ark:/13030/tf2t1nb544
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 698
Photographer's series: American Scenery.
One of the Fallen Big Trees, Circumference 97 feet, length 325 ft. Mammoth Trees of Calaveras Co., California. BANC PIC :20--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf3g50109s
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 701
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Nevada Falls, 713 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :21--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf5z09p4b1
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 705
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Yo Semite Falls, 2,634 feet high. Lost Arrow Mt. on right. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :22--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf4q2nb7hr
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 708
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Eagle Point, (Angel Cloud Floating over the Valley). Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :23--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf0t1nb4qt
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 719
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Vernal Falls, 350 ft. high, and Cap of Liberty. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :24--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf767nb8v2
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 764
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

South Dome and Clouds Rest, from Glacier Mountain. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :25--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf538nb75z
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 761
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Beauties of Mirror Lake. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :26--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf100007j0
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 767
Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Mirror Lake and Mount Watkins. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :27--STER ⏎ ark:/13030/tf1199p26v
Additional Note
Photographer's number: 768
Photographer's series: American Scenery.
Butt-end section of the original Big Tree, diameter, 25 feet. Mammoth Trees of Calaveras Co., California. BANC PIC :28--STER ark:/13030/tf3s201003
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 771
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Three Brothers, 4,200 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :29--STER ark:/13030/tf58701072
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 772
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

Washington Tower and South Dome, 6,000 feet high. Yo Semite Valley, California. BANC PIC :30--STER ark:/13030/tf367nb640
  Additional Note
  Photographer's number: 777
  Photographer's series: American Scenery.

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  Additional Note