Guide to the Stereographs of the Central Pacific Railroad, ca. 1872

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Descriptive Summary
Title: Stereographs of the Central Pacific Railroad,
Date (inclusive): ca. 1872
Collection number: PC-RM-Stereos: Box 03
Creator: Muybridge, Eadweard
Extent: 13 photographic prints (mounted), 8.5 x 17.5 cm
Repository: California Historical Society, North Baker Library
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Abstract: Stereographs of the Central Pacific Railroad taken by Eadweard Muybridge.
Physical location: Please consult repository.
Language: English.

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Preferred Citation
Stereographs of the Central Pacific Railroad, PC-RM-Stereos: Box 03, California Historical Society, North Baker Research Library, Photography Collection.

Acquisition Information
Consult repository.

Scope and Content of Collection
Contains images of Central Pacific Railroad tracks, cuts, and tunnel views. Contains a few images of other subjects along the route, including a lumber mill, Calistoga visitors riding in a carriage, Tahoe House, and a group of Shoshone Indians at Corinne, Utah.

Stereographs are organized by series, based on mount description: Illustrated by Edw. J. Muybridge; Illustrated by Helios’ Flying Studio; Published by Bradley & Rulofson.

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

Subjects
Central Pacific Railroad Company--Pictorial works.
Railroads--West (U.S.)--Photographs.
Railroads--Track--Photographs.
Railroad tunnels--West (U.S.)--Photographs.
Shoshoni Indians--Utah--Corinne--Pictorial works.
Lumber trade--California--Photographs.
Carriages and carts--California--Photographs.
Tahoe, Lake (Calif. and Nev.)--Pictorial works.

Other Index Terms Related to this Collection
Helios Flying Studio.
Bradley & Rulofson.

Box 3 Central Pacific Railroad (Illustrated by Edw. J. Muybridge), ca. 1872

Physical Description: 5 photographic prints (mounted)

Scope and Content Note
Various views from along the Central Pacific Railroad lines in California and Utah.

Stereo No. 710 Tahoe House, on the shore of Lake Tahoe
Stereo No. 732 Lumber Mill at Rocky Glen, Truckee River
Stereo No. 754 Shoshone Indians at Corinne
Stereo No. 796 Eureka Cut, looking east
Stereo No. 958 Stump of Fossil Tree, Petrified Forest near Calistoga

Box 3 Central Pacific Railroad (Illustrated by Helios’ Flying Studio), ca. 1872

Physical Description: 3 photographic prints (mounted)

Scope and Content Note
Various views from along the Central Pacific Railroad lines.

Stereo No. 739 View from top of Tunnel number 15, looking west
Stereo No. 744 Humboldt [i.e., Humboldt] Palisades, looking west
Stereo No. 798 Tri-Kanyon Point, between Shady Run and Alta, looking west

Box 3 Central Pacific Railroad (Published by Bradley & Rulofson), ca. 1872

Physical Description: 5 photographic prints (mounted)

Scope and Content Note
Various views from along the Central Pacific Railroad lines, including Calistoga Springs.

Stereo No. 703 Palisade Lake, near Western Summit Sierra Nevada Mountains
Stereo No. 730 Bridge over the Truckee River, near Boco
Stereo No. 829 Tunnel No. 1, the first bored on the C.P.R.R. looking east
Stereo No. 935 Calistoga Springs, The Railroad, from Mount Lincoln
Stereo No. 951 Calistoga Springs, all Aboard for the Geysers with Clark Foss