

# Guide to the Frank Richard Oastler Collection

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## Collection Overview

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**CALL NUMBER:** WA MSS S-2162

**CREATOR:** Oastler, Frank Richard, 1871-1936

**TITLE:** Frank Richard Oastler collection

**DATES:** 1908-1938

**PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION:** 128 linear feet (254 boxes) + 3 broadsides

**LANGUAGE:** English

**SUMMARY:** The collection consists of photograph albums, lantern slides, and photographic negatives documenting Oastler's interest in wildlife and conservation, from 1909-1938. The 68 photograph albums document the Oastlers' trips to the West and elsewhere. Approximately 6400 lantern slides, most of them hand-colored, were used for Dr. Oastler's lectures on the West, and include nine panoramic lantern slides.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box  
f. folder

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## Administrative Information

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### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift of Maude Matthews Oastler in memory of Dr. Frank Richard Oastler. Transferred from the School of Forestry to Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library, 1983. Transferred from Manuscripts and Archives to Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Yale University, 1998.

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## Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Restricted Fragile Material: Cut film negatives, glass negatives (box 239), and films (boxes 241-252) may be consulted only with permission of the appropriate curator.

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## Conditions Governing Use

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## Preferred Citation

Frank Richard Oastler Collection. Yale Collection of Western Americana, Beinecke Rare Book and Manuscript Library.

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## Processing Information

The Frank Richard Oastler Collection included 204 black and white 16mm motion picture films documenting the Oastlers' Western trips and visits to other national parks, accompanied by various descriptive notes. In May 2012, these films were deaccessioned and permanently transferred to the Library of Congress, Motion Picture, Broadcasting and Recorded Sound Division, National Audio-Visual Conservation Center. Beinecke Library pursued extensive conservation of four of the films which have been digitized and made available as part of Beinecke Digital Collections.

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## FRANK RICHARD OASTLER (1871-1936)

Frank Richard Oastler, Yale College Class of 1891, was a surgeon by profession and also an amateur photographer, scholar, and authority on wildlife conservation and its interpretation to the public. Upon graduating from Yale, Oastler attended Columbia University's medical school, and graduated with the degree of M.D. in 1894. He became a surgeon specializing in gynecology, and was a professor of surgery at Columbia University from 1912 to 1932, when he retired. Known as an authority in his field, he was a member of many medical associations, and head of the department of gynecology at Lenox Hill Hospital in New York until his death in 1936.

Dr. Oastler spent his summers exploring the mountains of the United States and Canadian West, traveling by pack train, photographing the landscapes, fauna, and flora he encountered. He brought home both still and motion pictures which he used in lectures to teach others about natural history and conservation. He was sought after as an authority on the American wilderness, is credited with being chiefly responsible for saving the trumpeter swan from extinction, and instituted the National Park Service's public education program. He advocated nature walks, museums, and nature lectures. He served as a member of the Advisory Board of the National Park Service and was a leader in the movement to create the Isle Royale National Park in Michigan.

In the summer of 1936 Dr. Oastler died of a heart attack while traveling with his wife Maude in Glacier National Park, Montana.

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## Scope and Contents

The Frank Richard Oastler Collection consists of photograph albums, lantern slides, movie film, and photographic negatives documenting his interest in wildlife and conservation, from 1908-1938. The Collection is comprised of four series: *Photograph Albums*, *Lantern Slides*, *Photographic Negatives*, *Motion Picture Film* and is housed in 254 boxes. The collection does not include any significant collection of Oastler's personal papers. There are a few letters preserved with the photograph albums, and a few instances of writings in them as well.

[Series I, \*Photograph Albums\*](#), 1912-1935, undated (boxes 1-69), consists of albums documenting the Oastlers' trips to the West and elsewhere and is arranged chronologically. Many of the albums are captioned, in manuscript, by the Oastlers. There are a small number of hand-colored photographs. While most of the photographs in the albums were taken by Oastler, a few commercial photographs and photographic postcards are also present. Commercial photographers whose work appears in the albums include Cross & Dimmitt; Asahel Curtis; T. Davis; Foster Photo Co. (Miles City, Montana); E.R. Freeman Photo; F. Gowen; Gurr Photo; Byron Harmon (Banff, Canada); Kiser Photo Co. (Portland, Oregon); L.D. Lindsley; Smith's Photo; Thieman [?] (Kalispell, Montana); Jim Thompson Co. (Knoxville, Tennessee); A. Wilkes; and Winter & Pond Co. (Juneau, Alaska).

The albums include items laid in loose; their presence has been noted in the finding aid. Those items which when flattened were too large to fit into the album have been removed to a separate box at the end of the series, or have been placed in Oversize, as appropriate. The early albums also occasionally include other textual material: a typescript account of a trip to Glacier National Park, Montana (box 3), a holograph poem for a drowned horse (box 8), a list of a guide's vocabulary (box 10).

[Series II, \*Lantern Slides\*](#), consists of approximately 6400 lantern slides used for Dr. Oastler's lectures on the West. (Scripts for these lectures, however, are not present.) Most of the slides are hand-colored; some duplicate images in the photograph albums. The hand coloring was done by Mildred Petry, under the direct supervision of Dr. Oastler. The lantern slides are organized into two subseries: Lantern Slides in Oastler's Classification (ca. 5500 slides), and Unclassified Lantern Slides.

A combination of classification indices and topical indices, portions of which are replicated in this finding aid, provide detailed geographic and topical subject access to the slide collection. A key to the classification system can be found in a bound typescript in box 80. The first letter and number of the classification (e.g. A2) refers to the place in which the photograph was taken; for convenience, the finding aid includes these places as headings in the box listing. This listing, therefore, provides fairly detailed geographic access to the slides. A card index to the slides (boxes 70-79) provides more detailed topical subject access, by animal, plant name, etc. The cards also include the text of captions for each slide, which also appear on the slide casing. The card index appears to be very nearly complete, and includes cards for slides present in the collection but not included in the classification index. There are also cards for slides which are not now present in the collection. These missing slides have been noted in the corresponding box description in the finding aid. The topical headings employed in the card index, including types of flora, fauna, and place names depicted have been listed in [Appendix I](#). Both the classification system and card index were received with the collection, and presumably were created either by the Oastlers or under their direct supervision.

The Unclassified Lantern Slides are organized into Panoramic Lantern Slides and Other Lantern Slides. There are nine panoramic lantern slides, which measure 8 x 25 cm. Other Lantern Slides include three sets of slides still in the traveling cases that Dr. Oastler used for his lectures (boxes 233-235). These traveling cases, labeled "Alaska Lecture," "Canadian Rockies Lecture," and "Isle Royale National Park, Michigan" include a few slides of other places as well. Not all of the slides in the traveling cases are captioned, but all are arranged and numbered in order of presentation during the lectures.

[Series III, \*Photographic Negatives\*](#), 1920, undated (box 237), is organized into two subseries: Glass Plate Negatives and Cut Film Negatives. The glass plate negatives are a miscellaneous assortment of forty-five glass plate negatives. In addition to the contents of box 237, there are approximately eight boxes of cut film nitrate negatives, which are restricted. They are presumed to correspond to the prints assembled in the albums (Series I). For further information, contact the Western Americana curator.

Series IV. Film Surrogates contains four copies of films made by Frank Richard Oastler that record undated trips to Glacier National Park and to Yellowstone National Park, a trip down the Colorado River in 1925, and a trip to Alaska in 1927. The original films were badly deteriorated and the Beinecke Library pursued extensive conservation of these four prior to the transfer of the films to the Library of Congress.

[Oversize](#), broadside folders 294-295a, contains material from Series I and II, and is arranged in box order.

*Restricted Fragile Material* in Box 239 consist of originals for which preservation copies have been made.

## Collection Contents

### Series I: Photograph Albums, 1912-1935

54.2' (69 boxes)

Series I, *Photograph Albums*, is arranged chronologically. Many of the albums carry manuscript captions for the photographs. The albums contain miscellaneous loose items. These have been noted, and those items which when flattened were too large to fit into the album have been removed to a separate box at the end of the series, or have been placed in Oversize, as appropriate.

1912		
b. 1, f. 1	Glacier National Park, Montana. Album I Photograph of Lower Falls, Two Medicine laid in at front, with note on back from Collins [Anderson] to Mrs. Oastler dated 1914 Apr 11	[1912]
b. 2, f. 2	Glacier National Park, Montana. Album II Includes photographs by Kiser Photo Co. Three photographic postcards laid in loose	
1913		
b. 3, f. 3	Glacier National Park, Montana with Yellowstone via Cody, Wyoming, I. Album I Typescript description of trip, printed maps, and a photographic postcard of the Glacier Park Hotel previously in front envelope stored in box 69, folder 69 Album includes photographs of Blackfoot Indians	
b. 4, f. 4	Glacier National Park, Montana. Album II	
b. 5, f. 5	Glacier National Park, Montana. Album III Includes photographs by Kiser Photo Co., Portland, Or.	
1914		
b. 6, f. 6	Mount Robson Trip. Album I Holograph poem written on Dr. Frank R. Oastler's stationery previously in envelope at front. Photographic postcards by Byron Harmon, Banff, Canada laid in loose.  Printed maps and a letter from Joe Warner, hunter and guide to Dr. Oastler dated 1915 Mar 16, which were previously in the "Maps" envelope at the front of the album are stored in: box 69, folder 70, and Oversize, broadside folder 294	[1914-15]
b. 7, f. 7	Mount Robson Trip. Album II Photograph of pinto horse laid in loose	[1914]
b. 8, f. 8	Mount Robson Trip. Album III	[1914]
1915		
b. 9, f. 9	Wyoming. Album I Printed map previously in the envelope at the front of the album is stored in: Box 69, folder 71	[1915]



## 1915 (continued)

b. 10, f. 10	Wyoming. Rampart Divide. Album II	[1915]
b. 11, f. 11	Wyoming. Wapiti Arch. Album III	[1915]
1916		
b. 12, f. 12	Grand Canyon, Arizona and New Mexico Includes photographs of Indian villages (Oraibi Pueblo, Zuni Indian village). Printed material laid in loose	[1916]
1917		
b. 13, f. 13	New Mexico. Album I Printed map previously laid in at back stored in: Oversize, broadside folder 295	[1917]
b. 14, f. 14	New Mexico. Album II Printed material and photographs laid in loose	[1917]
b. 15, f. 15	New Mexico. Album III Letter from Fred Harvey dated 1916 Nov 13 laid in loose	1916-[17]
1918		
b. 16, f. 16	Wyoming	[1918]
b. 17, f. 17	Wyoming	[1918]
b. 18, f. 18	Wyoming	[1918]
1919		
b. 19, f. 19	Wyoming. Album I Photograph of a sheep laid in loose. Includes photographs by Foster Photo Co., Miles City, Mont.	[1919]
b. 20, f. 20	Wyoming. Album II	[1919]
1920		
b. 21, f. 21	Selkirk Mountains, Canada. Album I Photographs of a bear shot by guide, and bearskin laid in loose	[1920]
b. 22, f. 22	Selkirk Mountains, Canada. Album II	[1920]
b. 23, f. 23	Selkirk Mountains, Canada. Album III	[1920]
1921		
b. 24, f. 24	Canadian Rockies. Album I Photograph of a half-lit tipi laid in loose	[1921]
b. 25, f. 25	Canadian Rockies. Album II Panoramic photographs of mountains, and photographs of Dr. Oastler with a camera and men around a campfire laid in loose	[1921]
1922		

## 1922 (continued)

b. 26, f. 26	Spring: Eastern Flowers	[1922]
b. 27, f. 27	Spring: Eastern Flowers Photographs of flowers laid in loose	[1922]
b. 28, f. 28	Summer: Motor Trip from Grand Canyon to Kayenta, Arizona. New Mexico. Bryce Canyon, Utah. Redwood Highway. Rocky Mt. National Park Includes photographs by A. Wilkes	[1922]
b. 29, f. 29	Summer: Arizona, Utah (Rainbow Bridge) Painted Desert, Blue Canyon, Grand Canyon, Arizona. Blue Forest, Havasupai Canyon, Catarack Canyon, Arizona, Rainbow Bridge Trip, Monument Valley, Adamana Petrified Forest, Arizona. Photograph laid in loose	[1922]
1923		
b. 30, f. 30	Saskatchewan, Canada Includes photographs by Asahel Curtis, F. Gowen, L.D. Lindsley	[1923]
b. 31, f. 31	Mount Hood, Crater Lake, Cascade Mountains Includes photographs by L.D. Lindsley, Gurr Photo, and Cross & Dimmitt	[1923]
b. 32, f. 32	Saskatchewan, Canada. Mount Rainier and climb to summit. Cascade Mountains	[1923]
1924		
b. 33, f. 33	Colorado and Mohave Desert. Grand Canyon, and California	[1924]
b. 34, f. 34	Bryce Canyon, Zion Canyon, New Brunswick, Yosemite Two photographs of a moose fording a river laid in loose	[1924]
b. 35, f. 35	Yosemite, Redwoods, Olympic Mountains, Alberta, Canada Maps of California laid in loose. Includes photographs by E.R. Freeman Photo, and Winter & Pond Co., Juneau	[1924]
b. 36, f. 36	High Sierras, Colorado, and Mohave Desert	[1924]
1925		
b. 37, f. 37	Spring: Eastern Flowers	[1925]
b. 38, f. 38	Spring: Eastern Flowers Hand-colored photograph of a river scene with boat laid in loose	[1925]
b. 39, f. 39	Devil's Garden, Winslow Castles, Blue Mountains, Arch Canyon, White Canyon Five photographs of fawns laid in loose, with Mrs. Oastler's notes on itinerary of trip. Includes photographs by Smith's Photo	[1925]
b. 40, f. 40	Mount Rainier and Yellowstone Eleven photographs of bears, and one of Mt. Rainier laid in loose	[1925]
b. 41, f. 41	Colorado River, Bryce Canyon, and Yosemite Mrs. Oastler's holograph notes on itinerary of trip laid in loose	[1925]

## 1925 (continued)

b. 42, f. 42	Olympic Mountains and Yellowstone National Park	[1925-1926]
1926		
b. 43, f. 43	Jasper National Park and Crater Lake Photographs of mountain in Jasper National Park laid in loose	[1926]
b. 44, f. 44	Glacier National Park	[1926]
b. 45, f. 45	Idaho, Isle Royale, and Yellowstone	[1926-1928]
1927		
b. 46, f. 46	Spring: Eastern Flowers	[1927]
b. 47, f. 47	Alaska and Yellowstone Two photographs laid in loose	[1927]
b. 48, f. 48	Alaska Manuscript maps and photographs laid in loose	[1927]
b. 49, f. 49	Alaska	[1927]
1928		
b. 50, f. 50	Redwoods, Grand Canyon, Zion National Park, Bryce National Park, Sequoia, Yosemite, Lassen	[1928]
b. 51, f. 51	Bear River Marshes of Utah	[1928]
1929		
b. 52, f. 52	Bryce Canyon Newspaper clipping laid in loose	[1929]
b. 53, f. 53	Mount Rainier National Park, Rocky Mountain National Park, Grand Teton National Park, Zion National Park, Mesa Verde National Park	[1929]
b. 54, f. 54	Charleston, S.C.; Quill Lake, Saskatchewan, Canada; Isle Royale, Michigan; Yellowstone National Park; Grand Canyon Photograph of spanish moss laid in loose	[1929]
1930		
b. 55, f. 55	Cobbs Island, Virginia; Isle Royale, Michigan; Bear River, Utah; Bird Island, Great Salt Lake, Utah; Banff, Alberta, Canada; Yellowstone Photograph of a flower laid in loose	[1930 May-Sep]
b. 56, f. 56	Canadian Rocky Mountains, Alberta, Canada	[1930 Aug-Sep]
1931		
b. 57, f. 57	Smoky Mountains, Isle Royale, and Glacier Park Photograph of deer laid in loose, with Christmas greetings on back from Mr. & Mrs. Joseph S. Dixon, Berkeley, California. Includes photographs by Jim Thompson Co. Knoxville, and Thieman [?], Kalispell, Montana	[1931]

## 1931 (continued)

b. 58, f. 58	Pack Train Trip around Mount Rainier	[1931]
b. 59, f. 59	Florida, Texas, and Louisiana Photograph of an American egret [?] laid in loose	[1931]
1932-1933		
b. 60, f. 60	Trumpeter Swan at Red Rock Lake; Yellowstone National Park; Grand Teton National Park; Bear River Marsh, Utah	[1932-1933]
b. 61, f. 61	Canadian Rockies and Cypress Swamp	[1933]
1934		
b. 62, f. 62	Isle Royale and Yellowstone	[1934]
1935		
b. 63, f. 63	Stikine River and Cassiar Mountains, Alaska Includes photographs by Winter & Pond, Juneau, and T. Davis	[1935]
b. 64, f. 64	Alaska, Yellowstone Park, and Glacier Park	[1935]
UNDATED		
b. 65, f. 65	Eastern Flowers and Central Park	undated
b. 66, f. 66	Spring in the East First leaf inscribed in Mrs. Oastler's handwriting: "I think these pictures were taken in Westchester County, Bronx Park, and near Greenwich, Conn."	undated
b. 67, f. 67	Spring in the East	undated
b. 68, f. 68	Spring and Winter in the East	undated
LOOSE ITEMS REMOVED FROM ALBUMS		
b. 69, f. 69	Typescript description of trip, printed maps, photographic postcard of the Glacier Park Hotel removed from Box 3, 1913 Glacier National Park, Album I	[1913]
b. 69, f. 70	Printed maps and a letter from Joe Warner, hunter and guide, to Dr. Oastler dated 1915 Mar 16, which were previously in the "Maps" envelope at the front of the 1914 Mount Robson Trip, Album I	1915, undated
b. 69, f. 71	Printed map previously in the envelope at the front of 1915 Wyoming Album I	undated
OTHER PHOTOGRAPHS		
b. 69, f. 72	Glacier Park, Montana. Found with the cut film negatives	1912-1926
b. 69, f. 73	Miscellaneous photographs found with the cut film negatives	undated
Formerly Framed Photographs		
Formerly framed photographs of created by Oastler and made into an enlarged photographic print by Robert C. Heinze. The photographs are accompanied by the backing papers as well as a brass plaque originally attached to one of the frames.		

## OTHER PHOTOGRAPHS &gt; Formerly Framed Photographs (continued)

"Uncle Ned," Bull Moose, Rock Harbor, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan Stored in: Box 240, folder 295b Inscription on verso of backing paper "I.R.N.P. No. 2"	undated
"Uncle Ned," Bull Moose, Rock Harbor, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan Stored in: Box 240, folder 295c Inscription on verso of backing paper "I.R.N.P. No. 3"	
Squirrel, probably in Isle Royale National Park, Michigan Stored in: Box 240, folder 295d Inscription on recto: "3"	undated
White Birches, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan Stored in: Box 240, folder 295e Inscription on verso of backing paper "I.R.N.P. No. 4"	undated
Frog being fed a dragonfly by Mrs. Oastler at Mud Lake, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan Stored in: Box 240, folder 295f Inscription on verso: "I.R.N.P. No. 6"	
Two moose, probably in Isle Royale National Park, Michigan Stored in: Box 240, folder 295g	

**Series II: Lantern Slides, 1908-1938***71' (167 boxes)*

Series II, *Lantern Slides*, is organized into two subseries: Lantern Slides in Oastler's Classification, and Unclassified Lantern Slides. A card index, housed in ten boxes, provides access to the lantern slides in the first subseries, which are arranged to a classification system, the key to which appears in a bound typescript (box 80). The first letter and number of the classification refers to the place in which the photograph was taken, and for convenience the headings are included here as headings.

## LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION

## Indexes and Related Material

## Card Index

b. 70, f. 74	Air plant - Bear River, Birds	undated
b. 71, f. 75	Bear River, Scenic - Canadian Rocky Mountains, Scenic	undated
b. 72, f. 76	Canadian Rocky Mountains, Scenic - Colorado River Region, Scenic	undated
b. 73, f. 77	Colorado River Region, Scenic - Ferns	undated
b. 74, f. 78	Finch - Heron, Black-crowned Night	undated
b. 75, f. 79	Heron, Blue - Mayflower	undated
b. 76, f. 80	Meadow rue - New York, Scenic	undated
b. 77, f. 81	New York, Trees - Sheep	undated
b. 78, f. 82	Sheep, Dall - Yellowstone Region, Animals	undated
b. 79, f. 83	Yellowstone Region, Animals - Zygadena	undated

## Related Material

b. 80, f. 84	"Classification of Lantern Slides, Frank R. Oastler Memorial Collection at Yale University," bound typescript	1938 Sep
	Oastler Collection sign indicating the lantern slides were hand colored by Mildred Petry Stored in: Oversize broadside folder 295a	undated

## Lantern Slides

## Alaska

b. 81, f. 85	A2 Ab3 1 - A2 Am7 2	1927-1935, undated
b. 82, f. 86	A2 Am7 3 - A2 Bg9 2 Holograph list of Alaskan birds and flowers seen in 1927 stored in: Box 228, folder 232	1927, undated
b. 83, f. 87	A2 Bg9 3 - A2 Mf4 Sh2	1927-1935, undated
b. 84, f. 88	A2 Mf9 ts1 - A2 S2 6	1927, undated

## LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION &gt; Lantern Slides (continued)

b. 85, f. 89	A2 S2 7 - A2 S3 4	1927-1935, undated
b. 86, f. 90	A2 S3 5 - A2 S3 39	1927-1935, undated
b. 87, f. 91	A2 S3 40 - A2 S3 75	1927
b. 88, f. 92	A2 S3 76 - A2 S3 108	1927, undated
b. 89, f. 93	A2 S3 109 - A2 S3 127 Missing: A2 S3 109	1921, undated
Arches National Monument		
b. 89, f. 93	A4 Ad3 a1 - A4 S2 17	1925
b. 90, f. 94	A4 S2 18 - A4 S2 52	1925, undated
b. 91, f. 95	A4 S2 53 - A4 S2 55	1925-1932, undated
Bear River Region		
b. 91, f. 95	B3 Am85 1 - B3 Bc9 l4	1928-1932, undated
b. 92, f. 96	B3 Bc9 l5 - B3 Bd8 rh20	1928-1932, undated
b. 93, f. 97	B3 Bd8 rh21 - B3 Be3 s22	1928-1930, undated
b. 94, f. 98	B3 Bg2 1 - B3 Bg9 c10	1928-1932, undated
b. 95, f. 99	B3 Bg9 c11 - B3 Bh3 t5	1928-1930, undated
b. 96, f. 100	B3 Bh3 t6 - B3 Bo8 s2	1928-1930, undated
b. 97, f. 101	B3 Bp3 w1 - B3 Bt2 b16	1920-1932, undated
b. 98, f. 102	B3 Bt2 f1 - B3 S1 4	1928-1930, undated
b. 99, f. 103	B3 S1 5 - B3 S1 23	1928-1932
British Columbia		
b. 99, f. 103	B7 Ag5 rm1 - B7 S3 4	1935
Bryce Canyon National Park		
	B8 Fc5 b1 - B8 Fl6 Se2 Stored in: Box 228, folder 233 Holograph notes on geology of Bryce Canyon	1924-1925

LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION > Lantern Slides > Bryce Canyon National Park  
(continued)

b. 100, f. 104	B8 Fp3 p1 - B8 S2 1	1924-1925, undated
b. 101, f. 105	B8 S2 2 - B8 S2 42	1924-1925, undated
b. 102, f. 106	B8 S2 43 - B8 Tp4 y1	1924-1925, undated
California		
b. 102, f. 106	C1 Bc7 1 - C1 Ts3 11	1923-1924, undated
b. 103, f. 107	C1 Ts3 12 - C1 Ts3 30	1924, undated
Canadian Rocky Mountains		
b. 103, f. 107	C2 Ab3 1 - C2 Ab4 3	1923-1926, undated
b. 104, f. 108	C2 Ab4 4 - C2 Ag6 1 Missing: C2 Ad8 m1 C2 Ad8 m2 C2 Ae5 1 C2 Ae5 2 C2 Ae5 6 C2 Ag5 rm1 C2 Ag5 rm2 C2 Ag5 rm4	1921-1930, undated
b. 105, f. 109	C2 Ah7 1 - C2 As6 rm25 Missing: C2 Ap5 1 C2 As6 rm1 C2 As6 rm2	1921-1933, undated
b. 106, f. 110	C2 As6 rm26 - C2 Bc7 5	1923-1929, undated
b. 107, f. 111	C2 Bc7 6 - C2 Bg88 p7	1921-1929, undated
b. 108, f. 112	C2 Bg88 p8 - C2 Bp3 w14	1913-1933, undated
b. 109, f. 113	C2 Bp4 w1 - C2 Fa7 p3	1921-1933, undated
b. 110, f. 114	C2 Fa8 y1 - C2 Fo5 wr1	1920-1933, undated
b. 111, f. 115	C2 Fp1 1 - C2 S2 7 Missing: C2 S1 1	1921-1933, undated
b. 112, f. 116	C2 S2 8 - C2 S2 43	1920-1933, undated
b. 113, f. 117	C2 S2 44 - C2 S2 78	1920-1921, undated
b. 114, f. 118	C2 S2 79 - C2 S2 115	1914-1926, undated
b. 115, f. 119	C2 S2 116 - C2 S3 7 Missing: C2 S2 137	1920-1933, undated



LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION > Lantern Slides > Canadian Rocky Mountains  
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b. 116, f. 120	C2 S3 8 - C2 S3 45	1930-1933, undated
b. 117, f. 121	C2 S3 46 - C2 S3 84	1926-1933, undated
b. 118, f. 122	C2 S3 85 - C2 S3 120	1914-1933, undated
b. 119, f. 123	C2 S3 121 - C2 S3 152	1914, undated
b. 120, f. 124	C2 S3 153 - C2 S3 186	1920-1921, undated
b. 121, f. 125	C2 S3 187 - C2 S3 222	1921, undated
b. 122, f. 126	C2 S3 223 - C2 S3 255	1921, 1931
b. 123, f. 127	C2 S3 256 - C2 S3 291	1921-1931, undated
b. 124, f. 128	C2 S3 292 - C2 S3 325	1926, undated
b. 125, f. 129	C2 S3 326 - C2 S3 365 Missing: C2 S3 359-19360	1921-1926, undated
b. 126, f. 130	C2 S3 366 - C2 S3 402	1923
b. 127, f. 131	C2 S3 403 - C2 S3 438	1923
b. 128, f. 132	C2 S3 439 - C2 Ts5 1 Missing: C2 T1 1	1920-1929, undated
Cascade Mountain Region		
b. 128, f. 132	C3 Bh9 1 - C3 Bj1 C1	1923, undated
b. 129, f. 133	C3 Fg2 1 - C3 Ts5 1 Missing: C3 T1 1	1923, undated
Colorado River Region		
b. 130, f. 134	C5 Ab9 1 - C5 B1 Missing: C5 Ac2 b1-b2	1922-1928, undated
b. 131, f. 135	C5 Bb6 1 - C5 Fb29 1	1922-1928, undated
b. 132, f. 136	C5 Fb88 1 - C5 Fc12 o5	1923-1925, undated
b. 133, f. 137	C5 Fc12 pe1 - C5 FI58 w2	1922-1925, undated
b. 134, f. 138	C5 FI58 w3 - C5 Fv28 d1	1921-1925, undated

LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION > Lantern Slides > Colorado River Region  
(continued)

b. 135, f. 139	C5 Fv28 d2 - C5 Ms5 r4	1922-1925, undated
b. 136, f. 140	C5 Ms5 r5 - C5 S2 37	1924-1925, undated
b. 137, f. 141	C5 S2 38 - C5 S2 74	1923-1925, undated
b. 138, f. 142	C5 S2 75 - C5 S2 111	1923, undated
b. 139, f. 143	C5 S2 112 - C5 S2 152	1922-1925, undated
b. 140, f. 144	C5 S2 153 - C5 S2 191	1925, undated
b. 141, f. 145	C5 S2 192 - C5 S2 229	1922-1924, undated
b. 142, f. 146	C5 S2 230 - C5 S2 264	1923, undated
b. 143, f. 147	C5 S2 265 - C5 S2 304	1922, undated
b. 144, f. 148	C5 S2 305 - C5 S2 345	1922-1923
b. 145, f. 149	C5 S2 346 - C5 S2 379	1922-1923
b. 146, f. 150	C5 S2 380 - C5 S3 4	1922-1925, undated
b. 147, f. 151	C5 S3 5 - C5 S3 42	1923-1925
b. 148, f. 152	C5 S3 43 - C5 S3 80	1925
b. 149, f. 153	C5 S3 81 - C5 S3 112	1923-1925, undated
b. 150, f. 154	C5 S4 1 - C5 S4 33	[1922]-1925, undated
b. 151, f. 155	C5 S4 34 - C5 Tp1 2	1922-1925, undated
b. 152, f. 156	C5 Tp1 3 - C5 Tw4 d3	1922-1925, undated
Connecticut		
b. 153, f. 157	C55 Bc8 s1 - C55 S3 1	1918-1923, undated
Crater Lake National Park		
b. 153, f. 157	C6 Am25 1 - C6 Ts5 2	1923, undated
Florida		
b. 154, f. 158	F5 Ba5 1 - F5 Bl5 3	1931, undated

## LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION &gt; Lantern Slides &gt; Florida (continued)

b. 155, f. 159	F5 Bp3 b1 - F5 S3 15 Missing: F5 Bp3 b1	1929-1931, undated
b. 156, f. 160	F5 S3 16 - F5 Tp1 co2 Missing: F5 Tm2 3	1931, undated
Glacier National Park		
b. 156, f. 160	G4 Ab3 b1 - G4 Ag5 rm1	1926-1935, undated
b. 157, f. 161	G4 Ag5 rm2 - G4 Fd12 sa1	1913-1935, undated
b. 158, f. 162	G4 Fd8 1 - G4 S1 10	1926-1935, undated
b. 159, f. 163	G4 S1 11 - G4 S2 34	1926-1935, undated
b. 160, f. 164	G4 S2 35 - G4 S3 4 Missing: G4 S2 40	1926-1935, undated
b. 161, f. 165	G4 S3 5 - G4 S3 41 Missing: G4 S3 31	1926, undated
b. 162, f. 166	G4 S3 42 - G4 S3 79	1926-1935, undated
b. 163, f. 167	G4 S3 80 - G4 Tp4 c1	1912-1935, undated
Grand Canyon, Colorado River		
b. 163, f. 167	G6 Aa5 1 - G6 Ad3 m2	1928-1930, undated
b. 164, f. 168	G6 Ad3 m3 - G6 S1 11 Missing: G6 S1 11	1922-1925, undated
b. 165, f. 169	G6 S1 12 - G6 S1 43	1922-1923, undated
b. 166, f. 170	G6 S1 44 - G6 Ta85 c1	1925, undated
Grand Teton National Park		
b. 166, f. 170	G7 Am7 1 - G7 Am7 2	1934
b. 167, f. 171	G7 Am7 3 - G7 S3 1	1925-1934, undated
Gulf of Mexico		
b. 167, f. 171	G9 Be3 a1 - G9 Bh3 m2	1931, undated

## LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION &gt; Lantern Slides &gt; Gulf of Mexico (continued)

b. 168, f. 172	G9 Bh4 1 - G9 Bt2 r4	1931-1934, undated
High Sierra Region (including Sequoia and General Grant National Parks and Forest)		
b. 168, f. 172	H4 Ac3 1 - H4 Ad3 5	1922-1925, undated
b. 169, f. 173	H4 Ad3 6 - H4 Ad3 20	1922-1925, undated
b. 170, f. 174	H4 Ad3 21 - H4 Fc4 y1	1922-1925, undated
b. 171, f. 175	H4 Ff 38 1 - H4 Ms5 r1 Missing: H4 Fp4 1	1921-1925, undated
b. 172, f. 176	H4 S2 1 - H4 S3 3	1921-1928
b. 173, f. 177	H4 S3 4 - H4 S3 37	1921-1924
b. 174, f. 178	H4 S3 38 - H4 Ts3 4	1922-1924, undated
Idaho		
b. 174, f. 178	I2 Ad6 1 - I2 Bg88 1	1922-1926
b. 175, f. 179	I2 Bg88 2 - I2 S3 9	1926, undated
b. 176, f. 180	I2 S3 10 - I2 Th2 1	1926
Isle Royale, Michigan		
b. 176, f. 180	I8 Af8 s1 - I8 Am7 30	1926-1934, undated
b. 177, f. 181	I8 Am7 31 - I8 Bl6 1 Missing: I8 Am7 45-47, 50 I8 Bg9 h4	1926-1934, undated
b. 178, f. 182	I8 Fb8 1 - I8 Ms5 b2	1932-1934, undated
b. 179, f. 183	I8 MS6 1 - I8 S3 23	1926-1934, undated
b. 180, f. 184	I8 S3 24 - I8 Tb4 w5	1926-1934, undated
b. 181, f. 185	I8 Tb4 w6 - I8 Ts5 1	1934, undated
Kaibab Region		
b. 181, f. 185	K2 Ad3 1 - K2 Ad3 m5	1924-1926, undated
Louisiana		

## LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION &gt; Lantern Slides &gt; Louisiana (continued)

b. 181, f. 185	L6 Bg9 h1 - L6 S3 1	1931, undated
	Massachusetts	
b. 181, f. 185	M3 Ac27 1 - M3 S2 1	1917, undated
	Mesa Verde National Park	
b. 181, f. 185	M4 Fc12 pc1 - M4 S4 6	1925, undated
b. 182, f. 186	M4 S4 7 - M4 S4 20	1922-1925, undated
	Mexico	
b. 182, f. 186	M5 Ad3 1 - M5 S2 3	1923, undated
	Mississippi	
b. 182, f. 186	M7 Bp3 1 - M7 S1 1	1931, undated
	Montana	
b. 182, f. 186	M8 Ac3 1 - M8 As6 rm3	undated
b. 183, f. 187	M8 As6 rm4 - M8 S2 6	1912-1933, undated
	Mount Hood Region	
b. 183, f. 187	M85 Ac3 1 - M85 S2 8	1923-1926, undated
b. 184, f. 188	M85 S3 1 - M85 S3 18	1923, undated
	Mount Rainier	
b. 184, f. 188	M9 Ab3 1 - M9 As8 b1	1920-1924, undated
b. 185, f. 189	M9 Bc88 c1 - M9 Fp43 p1	1923-1932, undated
b. 186, f. 190	M9 Fq3 1 - M9 S2 10	1923-1931, undated
b. 187, f. 191	M9 S2 11 - M9 S2 45	1924-1931, undated
b. 188, f. 192	M9 S2 46 - M9 S2 80	1920-1932, undated
b. 189, f. 193	M8 S2 81 - M9 Ts5 4	1923-1931, undated
	New Brunswick	
b. 190, f. 194	N3 Ad3 1 - N3 S3 7	1924, undated
	New Jersey	

## LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION &gt; Lantern Slides &gt; New Jersey (continued)

b. 190, f. 194	N4 Bo8 gh1	1933
New Mexico		
b. 190, f. 194	N5 Ab9 1 - N5 Ms5 r1	1917-1922, undated
b. 191, f. 195	N5 S11 - N5 S2 34	1917-1923, undated
b. 192, f. 196	N5 S2 35 - N5 S3 10	1921, undated
b. 193, f. 197	N5 S3 11 - N5 Ta85 q1	undated
New York (State)		
b. 193, f. 197	N9 Ac27 1 - N9 As8 g1	1908-1923, undated
b. 194, f. 198	N9 Bc88 1 - N9 Fa7 p1	1919-1933, undated
b. 195, f. 199	N9 Fa7 p2 - N9 Fb9 2	1919-1926, undated
b. 196, f. 200	N9 Fb92 1 - N9 Fj1 3	1918-1933, undated
b. 197, f. 201	N9 Fj5 1 - N9 Fp3 w3	1918-1933, undated
b. 198, f. 202	N9 Fp43 p1 - N9 Fv4 y1	1918-1925, undated
b. 199, f. 203	N9 Fv45 1 - N9 S2 2	1918-1933, undated
b. 200, f. 204	N9 S2 3 - N9 S3 28	1910-1933, undated
b. 201, f. 205	N9 S3 29 - N9 T1 7	1917-1934, undated
b. 202, f. 206	N9 T18 - N9 Tb3 2	1919-1926, undated
b. 203, f. 207	N9 Tb4 1 - N9 Tp5 1	1920-1926, undated
b. 204, f. 208	N9 Tp8 1 - N9 Tw4 2	1919-1925,
North Carolina		
b. 204, f. 208	N95 Ar13 1	undated
Olympic Region		
b. 204, f. 208	O5 Ab4 1 - O5 S3 4	1924-1925, undated

## LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION &gt; Lantern Slides &gt; Olympic Region (continued)

b. 205, f. 209	O5 S3 5 - O5 T1 17 Missing: O5 T1 2	1924-1925, undated
b. 206, f. 210	O5 T1 18 - O5 Ts5 1	1924-1925, undated
Ouray Region (Uncompagre National Forest)		
b. 206, f. 210	O8 S3 1 - O8 S3 3	1935
Pennsylvania		
b. 206, f. 210	P3 S2 1 - P3 S3 4	1917-1921, undated
Rocky Mountain National Park		
b. 207, f. 211	R6 Ab4 1 - R6 S3 7	1923-1929, undated
Smoky Mountain National Park		
b. 207, f. 211	S5 S3 1 - S5 S3 2	undated
South Carolina		
b. 207, f. 211	S7 Bh4 l1 - S7 Bs4 b4	1929-1931, undated
b. 208, f. 212	S7 Bs4 b5 - S7 To1 b1	1928-1931, undated
Switzerland		
b. 208, f. 212	S9 S2 1 - S9 S3 4	undated
Texas		
b. 209, f. 213	T3 Bd8 1 - T3 Bh4 wa7	1931, undated
b. 210, f. 214	T3 Bh4 yc1 - T3 S3 5	1930-1931, undated
Virginia		
b. 211, f. 215-	V8 Bd8 bl1 - V8 S3 1	1930-1933, undated
Yellowstone National Park and Region		
b. 212, f. 216	Y3 Aa5 1 - Y3 Ab3 b12	1925-1935, undated
b. 213, f. 217	Y3 Ab3 b13 - Y3 Ab4 9	1925-1934, undated
b. 214, f. 218	Y3 Ab4 10 - Y3 Ab8 13	1916-1934, undated

LANTERN SLIDES IN OASTLER'S CLASSIFICATION > Lantern Slides > Yellowstone National Park and Region (continued)

b. 215, f. 219	Y3 Ab8 14 - Y3 Ae5 24	1926-1935, undated
b. 216, f. 220	Y3 Ae5 25 - Y3 Am7 8	1925-1935, undated
b. 217, f. 221	Y3 Am7 9 - Y3 As6 rm26	1926-1932, undated
b. 218, f. 222	Y3 As8 c1 - Y3 Br28 1	1923-1934, undated
b. 219, f. 223	Y3 Br5 w1 - Y3 S1 7	1926-1933, undated
b. 220, f. 224	Y3 S1 8 - Y3 S3 24	1915-1935, undated
b. 221, f. 225	Y3 S3 25 - Y3 S6 2	1915-1926, undated
b. 222, f. 226	Y3 S6 3 - Y3 Tp4 1	undated
Yosemite National Park		
b. 222, f. 226	Y7 Ad3 1 - Y7 Ae5 1	1924-1925, undated
b. 223, f. 227	Y7 Bg88 So1 - Y7 S3 14	1924-1933, undated
b. 224, f. 228	Y7 S3 15 - Y7 Ts3 2	1923-1926, undated
Zion National Park		
b. 224, f. 228	Z7 Am8 1 - Z7 S1 15	1924-1925, undated
b. 225, f. 229	Z7 S1 16 - Z7 S3 6	1920-1928, undated
b. 226, f. 230	Z7 S3 7 - Z7 Tl 1	1923-1925, undated
Miscellaneous		
b. 226, f. 230	Misc. Ab3 g1 - Misc. Fp43 g1	undated
b. 227, f. 231	Misc. Fr9 1 - Misc. Mt4 11	1924-1925, undated
Loose Items Removed from Above Boxes		
b. 228, f. 232	Holograph list of Alaskan birds and flowers seen in 1927 found folded in front of A2 Bc7 1, Birds of Alaska slides	[1927]
b. 228, f. 233	Holograph notes on geology of Bryce Canyon found folded in front of B8 Fc5b 1	undated



## UNCLASSIFIED LANTERN SLIDES

## Panoramic Lantern Slides

b. 229, f. 234	Mt. Assiniboine Environs, Alberta, Canada	1921
b. 229, f. 235	Lake Og - Mt. Assiniboine, Alberta, Canada	undated
b. 229, f. 236	Range from Wonder Pass, Alberta, Canada	undated
b. 229, f. 237	Fording the Kananackia, Alberta, Canada	1921
b. 229, f. 238	Bryant Creek Valley, Alberta, Canada	1921
b. 229, f. 239	Lawson Lake, Jellicoe Glacier, Alberta, Canada	undated
b. 229, f. 240	Pallisar Pass, Alberta, Canada	1921
b. 229, f. 241	Blue Bells, Hidden Lake, Alberta, Canada	1921
b. 229, f. 242	Blue Bells, Hidden Lake, Alberta, Canada	undated

## Other Lantern Slides

Numbers in parentheses are the number of slides in a box

b. 230, f. 243	Alaska (5)	1927, 1935
b. 230, f. 244	Arch Canyon, Utah (4)	1925
b. 230, f. 245	Bryce & Zion Canyons, Utah (5)	1925, undated
b. 230, f. 246	Bryce Canyon, Utah (5)	1925, undated
b. 230, f. 247	Canadian Rockies (10)	1926-1933, undated
b. 230, f. 248	Colorado River Trip (7)	1925
b. 230, f. 249	Colorado River Trip (6)	1925
b. 230, f. 250	Colorado River Trip, (6)	1925
b. 230, f. 251	Crater Lake, Oregon (1)	1923
b. 230, f. 252	Glacier Park, Montana (8)	1926
b. 230, f. 253	Isle Royale National Park (5)	1934, undated
b. 230, f. 254	Isle Royale National Park (6)	1934, undated
b. 230, f. 255	Isle Royale National Park (5)	1926, 1934
b. 230, f. 256	Mt. McKinley, Muldrow Glacier, Alaska (8)	
b. 231, f. 257	Mt. McKinley & Region. Kenai Peninsula, Alaska. Cassiar Mts., B.C. (9)	1927, 1935
b. 231, f. 258	Mt. Rainier (6)	1924-1931, undated

## UNCLASSIFIED LANTERN SLIDES &gt; Other Lantern Slides (continued)

b. 231, f. 259	Mt. Rainier (7)	1930-1931, undated
b. 231, f. 260	Westchester Fall (6)	1919-1924
b. 231, f. 261	Westchester Fall (6)	1919-1926
b. 231, f. 262	Westchester Fall (6)	1918-1933
b. 231, f. 263	Westchester Spring (6)	1925-1926
b. 231, f. 264	Westchester Spring (6)	1925-1926, undated
b. 231, f. 265	Westchester Summer (9)	1911-1934, undated
b. 231, f. 266	White Canyon & Bridges on way to Colorado River (6)	1925
b. 231, f. 267	Yellowstone National Park (6)	undated
b. 231, f. 268	Yellowstone National Park (6)	1925-1934, undated
b. 232, f. 269	Flowers (5)	undated
b. 232, f. 270	Flowers (5)	undated
b. 232, f. 271	Unidentified black and white flowers (8)	
b. 232, f. 272	Unidentified black and white flowers (7)	
b. 232, f. 273	Flowers, place unknown (6)	undated
b. 232, f. 274	Egrets, Doe and Miscellaneous scenes (7)	
b. 232, f. 275	Prairie Dogs (8)	undated
b. 232, f. 276	Unidentified Black and White Eggs -- Animals (3)	undated
b. 232, f. 277	Miscellaneous slides (13)	1932, undated
b. 233, f. 278	Alaska Lecture. 221 slides in box, numbered in order of presentation With tag reading "Lecture given by Dr. Oastler just as he gave it." Numbers 1-17, 19-54, 56-80, 82-89, 91-225. Holograph notes are inserted for 18, 55, 81, 90 indicating that they had to be redone	1927, undated
b. 234, f. 279	Canadian Rockies Lecture. 139 slides in box, numbered in order of presentation With tag labeled "Canadian Rockies. Lecture given by Dr. Oastler just as he gave it. Shadow Lake, Haiduk Lake, Mt. Ball." Holograph note inside states that there are 155 slides in box; numbers currently present: 2-4, 4-13, 15-33, 35-79, 81, 81-140	1925-1933, undated

## UNCLASSIFIED LANTERN SLIDES &gt; Other Lantern Slides (continued)

b. 235, f. 280	Isle Royale National Park, Michigan. 190 slides in box, numbered in order of presentation  With tag labeled "Lecture given by Dr. Oastler just as he gave it. Beaver slides, Rome, Westchester, Maine Flowers." Holograph note inside states that there are 187 slides in box; numbers currently present: 1-106, 108-124, 126-192. There are notes for 107 and 125 indicating that they had to be redone	1920-1933, undated
b. 236, f. 281	Alaska, Canadian Rockies, and unidentified. 120 slides, all but two black and white	1927-1933, undated

**Series III: Photographic Negatives, 1912-1935, undated**

2.79'(4 boxes)

Series III, *Photographic Negatives*, is organized into two subseries: Glass Plate Negatives and Cut Film Negatives.

**GLASS PLATE NEGATIVES**

This subseries contains original 3 x 4 inch glass plate negatives (access is restricted), and 8 x 10 inch reference prints made from these negatives.

**Reference prints**

b. 237, f. 282	Arizona: Altar, Snake kiwa; Kiva, Oraibi; Snake dance, Oraibi; Snakes, kiva; Tucson animals; Tucson flowers Image of Snakes, kiva by James Photo	undated
b. 237, f. 283	California: Desert Primroses near Palm Springs, Santa Barbara flowers Desert Primroses image signed Willard	1920, undated
b. 237, f. 284	Canadian Rockies: Two rams, Athabasca	undated
b. 237, f. 285	Olympic Region: Elk	
b. 237, f. 286	Wyoming: Bears, Crow, Deer in Yellowstone, Elk, Mountain lion, Mountain sheep	undated
b. 237, f. 287	Place unidentified: Deer swimming Lake [?], Elk, Mountain lion, Mountain sheep, Sea gulls, Unidentified	undated
b. 237, f. 293	Empty folder	
b. 239	Original glass negatives Restricted fragile material. Reference surrogates have been filed in the collection. For more information please consult the appropriate curator.	

**CUT FILM NEGATIVES**

The subseries contains original nitrate negatives (access is restricted), and annotated envelopes that formerly housed these negatives.

**Cut Film Negatives**

There are approximately eight boxes of cut film nitrate negatives which are restricted. They are presumed to be of photographs in the photograph albums in Series I. For further information, contact the appropriate curator.

Restricted fragile material. Closed pending digitization. For further information consult the appropriate curator.

b. 253-254	Envelopes 2 boxes  Empty envelopes formerly housing cut film nitrate negatives. Many are annotated with locations and dates. A few contain one or two prints.	1912-1935
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## Series IV: Motion Picture Film

Preservation surrogate copies of four films made by the Oastlers, and notes by Mrs. Oastler about the content of the films.

These four films were among the 204 black and white 16mm motion picture films documenting the Oastlers' Western trips and visits to other national parks that were transferred to Library of Congress, Motion Picture, Broadcasting and Recorded Sound Division, National Audio-Visual Conservation Center in 2012.

### Film Surrogates

Four copies of films made by Frank Richard Oastler that record undated trips to Glacier National Park and to Yellowstone National Park, a trip down the Colorado River in 1925, and a trip to Alaska in 1927. The original films were badly deteriorated and the Beinecke Library pursued extensive conservation of these four prior to the transfer of the films to the Library of Congress.

Boxes 241-252: Restricted Fragile Material. For further information consult the appropriate curator.

#### Yellowstone National Park: Beaver (Reel 49)

[\[Aviary\] Yellowstone National Park Beaver Reel 49](#)

b. 241	Yellowstone National Park: Beaver (Reel 49 master) <i>1 Film Reel (16mm)</i>
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b. 242	Reel 49 print
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b. 243	Reel 49 duplicate negative
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#### Glacier National Park, Montana (Reel 80)

[\[Aviary\] Glacier National Park Montana Reel 80](#)

b. 244	Glacier National Park, Montana (Reel 80 master) <i>1 Film Reel (16mm)</i>
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b. 245	Reel 80 print
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b. 246	Reel 80 duplicate negative
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#### Caribou, Bear, Alaska, 1927 (Reel 91)

[\[Aviary\] Caribou Bear Alaska 1927 Reel 91](#)

b. 247	Caribou, Bear, Alaska, 1927 (Reel 91 master) <i>1 Film Reel (16mm)</i>
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b. 248	Reel 91 print
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b. 249	Reel 91 duplicate negative
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#### Colorado River Trip, 1925 (unnumbered reel)

[\[Aviary\] Colorado River Trip 1925 unnumbered reel](#)

b. 250	Colorado River Trip, 1925 (unnumbered reel master) <i>1 Film Reel (16mm)</i>
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b. 251	Unnumbered reel print
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b. 252	Unnumbered reel duplicate negative
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Indices and notes		1938, undated
b. 238, f. 288	"Frank Richard Oastler Memorial Collection. Motion Picture Reels, no. 1-200 as described by Mrs. Oastler in pencil-notes." Bound volume.	1938
b. 238, f. 289	Holograph notes found in cannister with three reels labeled 33: Canadian Rockies, Yellowstone National Park	undated
b. 238, f. 290	Holograph notes found in cannister with two reels labeled 34: Lake Ritchee, Rock Harbor, Isle Royale: Uncle Ned (bull moose)	Undated
b. 238, f. 291	Holograph notes found in cannister of unnumbered reel labeled: Westchester Spring	Undated
b. 238, f. 292	Holograph notes found in cannister of unnumbered reel labeled; Colorado River Trip	Undated

**Oversize, 1915, undated***0.1' (1 box) and 3 broadside folders*Broadside folders 294-295a, *Oversize*, contains material from Series I and II, arranged in box order.

b. bsd, folder 294	Printed maps previously in the "Maps" envelope at the front of the 1914 Mount Robson Trip, Album I (in series I)	
b. bsd, folder 295	Printed map previously stored at back of 1917 New Mexico Album I (in series I)	
b. bsd, folder 295a	Oastler Collection sign (in series II)	undated
b. 240 (Oversize), f. 295b	"Uncle Ned," Bull Moose, Rock Harbor, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan (in series I)	undated
b. 240 (Oversize), f. 295c	"Uncle Ned," Bull Moose, Rock Harbor, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan	
b. 240 (Oversize), f. 295d	Squirrel, probably in Isle Royale National Park, Michigan	
b. 240 (Oversize), f. 295e	White Birches, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan	
b. 240 (Oversize), f. 295f	Frog being fed a dragonfly by Mrs. Oastler at Mud Lake, Isle Royale National Park, Michigan	
b. 240 (Oversize), f. 295g	Two moose, probably in Isle Royale National Park, Michigan	

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## Appendix I: Lantern Slide Card Index Headings

The card index may be found in boxes 70-79. The headings that appear in the card list have been given here as an indication of the access available to the lantern slides.

Air plant  
Alaska - Animals  
Alaska - Birds  
Alaska - Fish  
Alaska - Flowers  
Alaska - Miscellaneous  
Alaska - Scenic  
Alaska - Trees  
Alder  
Alligator  
Anhinga  
Anemone  
Antelope  
Antiquities  
Apache Indians  
Apple  
Arch Canyon - Scenic  
Arches National Monument - Animals  
Arches National Monument - Scenic  
Arum, Water  
Ash  
Ash, Mountain  
Aspen  
Aspen, Quaking  
Aster  
Avocet  
Azalea  
Badger  
Balsam Root  
Baneberry  
Bayberry



Bear  
Bear, Black  
Bear, Brown  
Bear, Cinnamon  
Bear, Grizzly  
Bear, Kodiak  
Bear River - Birds  
Bear River - Scenic  
Beardtongue  
Beaver  
Bee Flower  
Bee Plant  
Beech  
Bellwort  
Bergamot  
Berries  
Betony, Wood  
Birch  
Birch, Gray  
Birch, Paper  
Birch, White  
Bittern  
Bittersweet  
Blackberry  
Blackbird  
Black-eyed Susan  
Blackfoot Indians  
Bladder Campion  
Bleeding Heart  
Bloodroot  
Blue bell  
Bluebird  
Bob cat  
Bouncing Bet

British Columbia - Animals  
British Columbia - Flowers  
British Columbia - Miscellaneous  
British Columbia - Scenic  
Bryce Canyon - Flowers  
Bryce Canyon - Scenic  
Bryce Canyon - Trees  
Buck brush  
Buckthorn  
Buffalo  
Buffalo berry  
Buffalo bird  
Bunch berry  
Bunting  
Burning Bush  
Burro  
Butter and Eggs  
Buttercup  
Butterfly  
Butterfly Weed  
Button-ball  
Buzzard  
Cactus  
Calapagon  
California - Birds  
California - Flowers  
California - Scenic  
California - Trees  
Camass  
Canada  
Canadian Rocky Mts. - Animals  
Canadian Rocky Mts. - Birds  
Canadian Rocky Mts. - Fish  
Canadian Rocky Mts. - Flowers

Canadian Rocky Mts. - Miscellaneous  
Canadian Rocky Mts. - Scenic  
Canadian Rocky Mountains - Trees  
Canterbury bells  
Caribou  
Cascade Mountain Region - Birds  
Cascade Mountain Region - Flowers  
Cascade Mountain Region - Miscellaneous  
Cascade Mountain Region - Scenic  
Cascade Mountain Region - Trees  
Cassiope  
Cat  
Cat-tail  
Cattle  
Cauliferae  
Cedar  
Century plant  
Cherry  
Chestnut  
Chipmunk  
Chokecherry  
Chrysopsis  
Cinque foil  
Civet Cat  
Clintonia  
Clover  
Colorado River region - Animals  
Colorado River region - Birds  
Colorado River region - Flowers  
Colorado River region - Miscellaneous  
Colorado River region - Scenic  
Colorado River region - Trees  
Colored glass  
Columbine

Coney  
Cone, Pine  
Connecticut - Bird  
Connecticut - Scenic  
Coot  
Coral root  
Cormorant  
Corn  
Corn flower  
Corn, Prehistoric  
Cottonwood  
Coyote  
Crab  
Crane, Sandhill  
Crassulaceae  
Crater Lake National Park - Animals  
Crater Lake National Park - Scenic  
Crater Lake National Park - Trees  
Cricket  
Crossbeak  
Crossbill  
Crow  
Cuicopin  
Curlew  
Currant  
Cypress  
Daisy  
Dandelion  
Darning needle  
Deer  
Deer, Black-tailed  
Deer, Mule  
Deer, Virginia  
Deer, White-tailed Arizona

Delphinium  
Devil's club  
Devil's Garden region - Scenic  
Dog  
Dogwood  
Donkey  
Dove  
Dryas  
Duck  
Duck, Baldpate  
Duck, Black  
Duck, Canvasback  
Duck, Mallard  
Duck, Mud  
Duck, Pintail  
Duck, Redheaded  
Duck, Ring-necked  
Duck, Ruddy  
Duck, Scaup  
Duck, Wood  
Duck, Yellow-eyed  
Dutchman's breeches  
Eagle  
Eggs  
Egret  
Egret, American  
Egret, Brewster's  
Egret, Reddish  
Egret, Snowy  
Elderberry  
Elk  
Elk, Spike-horned  
Elkslip  
Elm

Everlasting  
Erigeron  
False Snapdragon  
Farming  
Ferns  
Finch  
Fir  
Fire-cracker plant  
Fireweed  
Flag, Blue  
Flax  
Flea-bane  
Fleur-de-lis  
Flicker  
Flies  
Florida - Birds  
Florida - Flowers  
Florida - Scenic  
Florida - Trees  
Flowers  
Flycatcher  
Forget-me-not  
Fossils  
Four o'clocks  
Fox, Blue  
Fox, Silver  
Frog  
Frog, Tree  
Fungi  
Gadwell  
Gaillardia  
Gallinule  
Gentian  
Geranium

Gilia  
Glacier National Park - Animals  
Glacier National Park - Birds  
Glacier National Park - Flowers  
Glacier National Park - Miscellaneous  
Glacier National Park - Scenic  
Glacier National Park - Trees  
Goat  
Goat, Rocky Mountain  
Goldenrod  
Goose  
Gopher  
Goshawk  
Grand Canyon - Animals  
Grand Canyon - Flowers  
Grand Canyon - Miscellaneous  
Grand Canyon - Scenic  
Grand Canyon - Trees  
Grand Teton National Park - Scenic  
Grass  
Grasshopper  
Grebe  
Greenbriar  
Grouse  
Gulf of Mexico - Birds  
Gull  
Gull, California  
Gull, Franklin's  
Gull, Glaucous  
Gull, Herring  
Gull, Laughing  
Gull, Ring-billed  
Gull, Ring-necked  
Harebell

Havasupai Indians  
Hawk, Cooper  
Hawk, Fish  
Hawk, Marsh  
Hawk, Night  
Hawkweed  
Hawthorn  
Heather  
Heliotrope  
Hemlock  
Heron  
Heron, Black-crowned Night  
Heron, Blue  
Heron, Great Blue  
Heron, Green  
Heron, Little Blue  
Heron, Little Green  
Heron, Louisiana  
Heron, Snowy  
Heron, Treganza  
Heron, Ward's  
Heron, White  
Heron, Yellow-crowned Night  
High Sierra Region - Animals  
High Sierra Region - Birds  
High Sierra Region - Flowers  
High Sierra Region - Miscellaneous  
High Sierra Region - Scenic  
High Sierra Region - Trees  
Holly  
Hollyhock  
Hopi Indians  
Hornet's Nest  
Horse



Huckleberry  
Hummingbird  
Hybiscus  
Hyacinth  
Ibis, White  
Ibis, White-faced Glossy  
Ibis, Wood  
Idaho - Animals  
Idaho - Birds  
Idaho - Flowers  
Idaho - Fish  
Idaho - Miscellaneous  
Idaho - Scenic  
Idaho - Trees  
Indian pipes (flower)  
Indians  
Iris  
Ironwood  
Isle Royale - Animals  
Isle Royale - Birds  
Isle Royale - Flowers  
Isle Royale - Miscellaneous  
Isle Royale - Scenic  
Isle Royale - Trees  
Ivy, Poison  
Jack-in-the-Pulpit  
Jay  
Jimson weed  
Joe Pye weed  
Joshua tree  
Junco  
Juniper  
Kaibab Region - Animals  
Kaibab Region - Scenic

Kangaroo rat  
Killdeer  
Kingbird  
Kingfisher  
Knot  
Labrador tea  
Ladies Tresses  
Lady Slipper  
Larch  
Laurel  
Leucosticte  
Lenum  
Lilac Lily  
Limpkin  
Lion  
Lizard  
Locust (tree)  
Loon  
Loose strife  
Louisiana - Birds  
Louisiana - Miscellaneous  
Louisiana - Scenic  
Lousewort  
Lunch  
Lupine  
Mallow  
Mangrove  
Manzanita  
Map  
Maple  
Maple, Red  
Maple, Red (Swamp)  
Maple, Vine  
Maple, Yellow

Marigold  
Marmot  
Marmot, Hoary  
Marten  
Massachusetts - Animals  
Massachusetts - Scenic  
Mayflower  
Meadow Rue  
Mesa Verde National Park - Flowers  
Mesa Verde National Park - Miscellaneous  
Mesa Verde National Park - Scenic  
Mesquite tree  
Mexico - Animals  
Mexico - Scenic  
Mexico - Trees  
Milkweed  
Mimulus  
Mint  
Miscellaneous  
Mississippi - Birds  
Mistletoe  
Mitrewort  
Mocking bird  
Moneses  
Monkey flower  
Monkshood  
Montana - Animals  
Montana - Birds  
Montana - Flowers  
Montana - Miscellaneous  
Montana - Scenic  
Moonflower  
Moose  
Morning-glory

Moss  
Moth mullin  
Mt. Hood Region - Animals  
Mt. Hood Region - Scenic  
Mt. Rainier National Park - Animals  
Mt. Rainier National Park - Birds  
Mt. Rainier National Park - Flowers  
Mt. Rainier National Park - Miscellaneous  
Mt. Rainier National Park - Scenic  
Mt. Rainier National Park - Trees  
Muir, John  
Mule  
Mullen  
Muskrat  
Natural Bridges National Monument - Scenic  
Natural Bridges Region - Scenic  
Navajo Indians  
New Brunswick - Animals  
New Brunswick - Birds  
New Brunswick - Flowers  
New Brunswick - Miscellaneous  
New Brunswick - Scenic  
New Jersey - Birds  
New Mexico - Animals  
New Mexico - Birds  
New Mexico - Flowers  
New Mexico - Miscellaneous  
New Mexico - Scenic  
New Mexico - Trees  
New York - Animals  
New York - Birds  
New York - Flowers  
New York - Miscellaneous  
New York - Scenic

New York - Trees  
Nine-bark flower  
North Carolina - Animals  
Nutcracker, Clark's  
Nuthatch  
Oak  
Oak, Black  
Oastler, F.R.  
Oastler Castle  
Ocatilla  
Olympic Region - Animals  
Olympic Region - Birds  
Olympic Region - Flowers  
Olympic Region - Miscellaneous  
Olympic Region - Scenic  
Olympic Region - Trees  
Orchid  
Osprey  
Ouray Region - Scenic  
Ouzel  
Owl  
Oyster Catcher  
Paintbrush  
Palm  
PaloVerde tree  
Pantella  
Papago Indian  
Parnassus  
Pasque flower  
Passion Flower  
Peach  
Pear  
Pelican  
Pelican, Brown

Pelican, White  
Pennsylvania - Scenic  
Pentstemon  
Petrified Forest  
Petrified Wood  
Phacelia  
Phaenopepla  
Phalarope  
Phlox  
Phoebe, Say  
Pig  
Pine  
Pine, Fox-tail  
Pine, Jeffrey  
Pine, Sugar  
Pine, White  
Pine, Yellow  
Pine cones  
Pinesap  
Pipsisewa  
Pitcher Plant  
Piute Indians  
Plover  
Pokeberry  
Poplar  
Poppy  
Porcupine  
Potentilla  
Primrose  
Ptarmigan  
Pumpkin  
Pussy Paw flower  
Pussy willow  
Pyrola

Quail  
Queen's Cup  
Rabbit  
Raccoon  
Rail, Clapper  
Rail, Sora  
Rainbow Bridge Region - Scenic  
Rattlesnake  
Raven  
Redstart  
Redwood  
Rhododendron  
Robin  
Rochambeau house  
Rocky Mountain National Park - Animals  
Rocky Mountain National Park - Flowers  
Rocky Mountain National Park - Scenic  
Rose, Rambler  
Rose, Rock  
Rose, Wild  
Rudbeckia  
Sage hen  
Salmon  
Salmon berry  
Sandpiper  
Sarsaparilla  
Saxifrage  
Scoter  
Seal  
Sequoia  
Service berry  
Shad bush  
Sheep  
Sheep, Dall

Sheep, Rocky Mountain  
Shin leaf  
Shooting Star Flower  
Shoveller  
Shrike  
Skimmer, Black  
Skunk Cabbage  
Sky Pilot  
Smoke Bush  
Smoky Mountain National Park - Scenic  
Snake  
Snake root  
Snipe  
Snow plant  
Soapweed  
Solomon Seal  
South Carolina - Birds  
South Carolina - Flowers  
South Carolina - Miscellaneous  
South Carolina - Scenic  
South Carolina - Trees  
Spanish Moss  
Sparrow  
Spice bush  
Spider Web  
Spirea  
Spoonbill  
Spring Beauty  
Spruce  
Squirrel  
Star Flower  
Starling  
Stilt, Black-necked  
Starling



Stonecrop  
Stork  
Strawberry  
Sumach  
Sun, Eclipse  
Sunflower  
Swallow  
Swan, Trumpeter  
Sweet pea  
Switzerland - Scenic  
Taos Indians  
Tarantula  
Tattler  
Teal  
Tern  
Tern, Black  
Tern, Cabot's  
Tern, Caspian  
Tern, Forster  
Tern, Gullbilled  
Tern, Least  
Tern, Royal  
Texas - Birds  
Texas - Flowers  
Texas - Miscellaneous  
Texas - Scenic  
Thistle  
Titlark  
Title-slide  
Toad  
Toothwort  
Total eclipse  
Tradescantia  
Trees

Trillium  
Trout  
Turnstone  
Tulip tree  
Turtle  
Twin Flowers  
Uncompahgre Region - Scenic  
Valerian  
Veneophilia  
Vetch  
Viburnum  
Violet  
Virginia - Birds  
Virginia creeper  
Virginia - Miscellaneous  
Virginia - Scenic  
Warbler  
Water Willow Herb  
Waxwing, Cedar  
Weasel  
Welcome Stranger  
White Canyon Region - Flowers  
White Canyon Region - Scenic  
Willet  
Willow  
Window Castles Region - Scenic  
Wintergreen  
Woodpecker  
Wren  
Wyoming National Forest - Scenic  
Yaeger  
Yellowstone National Park - Animals  
Yellowstone Region - Animals  
Yellowstone National Park - Birds

Yellowstone Region - Birds  
Yellowstone National Park - Flowers  
Yellowstone Region - Flowers  
Yellowstone region - Miscellaneous  
Yellowstone National Park - Petrified wood  
Yellowstone National Park - Scenic  
Yellowstone Region - Scenic  
Yellowstone Region - Trees  
Yosemite National Park - Animals  
Yosemite National Park - Birds  
Yosemite National Park - Flowers  
Yosemite National Park - Scenic  
Yosemite National Park - Trees  
Yucca  
Zion National Park - Animals  
Zion National Park Region - Flowers  
Zion National Park - Miscellaneous  
Zion National Park - Scenic  
Zion National Park Region - Scenic  
Zuni Indians  
Zygadena

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