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**TITLE:** CIHS Bowman Collection

**COLLECTION NUMBER:** B1962.007

**OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION**

Dates: 1915

Extent: 3 items

Language and Scripts: The collection is in English.

Name of creator(s): Robert Dempsey, Maude Dempsey

**Administrative/Biographical History:**

According to donor correspondence, the photographs were taken by Alaska Steamship Company mail clerk Robert Dempsey, and made into postcards by his wife Maude.

**Scope and Content Description:**

The collection contains three photographic postcards of tent city Anchorage in 1915. For more information, see Detailed Description of Collection.

Arrangement: Not applicable

**CONDITIONS GOVERNING ACCESS AND USE**

Restrictions on Access: The collection is open for research use.

Physical Access: Original items in good condition.

Technical Access: No special equipment is needed to access the materials.

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### **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

#### Acquisition and Appraisal Information

Donated by Rachael Bowman to the Cook Inlet Historical Society in January 1962.

#### Processing Note

Guide created from card catalog data and accession file inventory; photographs not physically consulted at time of writing.

### **SUBJECTS**

Dempsey, Maude

Frontier and pioneer life—Alaska—Anchorage

Anchorage (Alaska)

Alaska Engineering Commission

Alaska Railroad

#### Detailed Description of the Collection

.1 – Government lighter at Anchorage, Alaska, May 20, 1915. Maude Dempsey 2313 – N. 39 – St. Seattle, U.S.A. [people on docks with freight and supplies]

.2 – Anchorage, Alaska, July 15, 1915. 59-D. Maude Dempsey 2313 – N. 39 – St. Seattle, U.S.A. [view of log buildings and tents at Ship Creek with railroad equipment at right center, Anchorage, Alaska]

.3 – Anchorage, Alaska. 187. Maude Dempsey 2313 – N. 39 – St. Seattle, U.S.A. [two houses at center and buildings to the left, Anchorage, Alaska. Fourth Avenue, west end between K & L Streets (Inlet Hotel at left)]

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