

PC 211
Martin Behrman, 1862-1945
Photograph Collection, ca. 1910

DESCRIPTION

Photographs of the Grand Canyon ca. 1910, printed by Martin Behrman. The images are black-and-white and were made from 5-inch x 7-inch glass plate negatives. It was very common for early photographers to purchase copyright and print others' work. Behrman was known to have done this; in fact, on many of the prints attributed to him in other collections, the note "Behrman collection" is written on the negative, indicating that copies were made by Behrman. We do not know if Behrman took the original photographs of these images or if he purchased the right to make prints of them. The prints in this collection are contemporary.

1 box, .25 linear ft.

ACQUISITION

The Martin Behrman collection was donated to the Arizona Historical Society by Bernard W. Simons Jr., M.D. in 2001.

ACCESS

There are no restrictions on access to this collection.

COPYRIGHT

Requests for permission to publish material from this collection should be addressed to the Arizona Historical Society-Tucson, Archives Department.

PROCESSING

Dena McDuffie processed the collection in February 2002.

ARRANGEMENT

The collection is arranged topically.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES

Martin Behrman was born in 1862. His work focused on the San Francisco area. Behrman died in 1945.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The photographs of Martin Behrman (1862-1945), an amateur photographer, were created approximately 1910. The collection chronicles a trip Behrman made to the Grand Canyon.

BOX & FOLDER LIST**Box 1--Grand Canyon**

- F. 1** Six prints taken at and near the Grand Canyon. Four of the prints depict the canyon; one print is a landscape with a century plant; and one print is a landscape with a woman standing in the center.