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Collection Overview

Repository:	Eliot Elisofon Photographic Archives, National Museum of African Art
Title:	Senegal photographs
Date:	between 1880-1913
Identifier:	EEPA.1989-003
Source:	National Museum of African Art (U.S.) (Collector)
Extent:	14 Photographic prints (Cartes-de-Vista (1 box); black & white) 46 Photographic prints (dupe prints; black & white; 8 x 10 in. or smaller) 8 Photographic prints ((1 box); black & white; 18.5 x 40 cm. or smaller) 32 Photographic prints (cabinet cards (1 box); black & white; 4 x 5.5 in.)
Language:	English .
Summary:	Photographs and cabinet cards from Senegal collected by the staff of the National Museum of African Art, Smithsonian Institution, during the 1980s. Popular from the mid-1860s through the 1900s, cabinet cards were commercially produced 4" x 5 1/2" photoprints mounted on card stock measuring 4 1/4" x 6 1/2", often with an embossed studio name in the corner. Frequently sold as collectors' items, these cards often contained images of attractive women or royalty of various nationalities. Images include cabinet cards from the Bonnevide Photographic Studio and from J. Barbier.
Container:	Volume 1

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information

NMAfA: National Museum of African Art., Smithsonian Institution, Eliot Elisofon Photographic Archives, 950 Independence Ave, S.W. Washington, DC 20560-0708;, Transfer;, 1989;, 1989-0003

Restrictions

Use of original records requires an appointment. Contact Archives staff for more details.

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Arrangement

Images indexed by negative number.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Types of Materials:

- Cabinet photographs
- Photographic prints

Names:

- National Museum of African Art (U.S.)

Places:

- Africa
- Senegal