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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
Title:	G. Dwoyid Olmstead Photonegatives
Date:	ca. 1941-1949.
Identifier:	NMAH.AC.0270
Creator:	Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985 (Photographer) Williams, Sydney Olmstead (Donor)
Extent:	0.3 Cubic feet (2 vertical boxes)
Language:	English .

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

This collection was donated by Sydney Olmstead Williams, December 5, 1986.

Other Finding Aids

Inventory available; contact the Archives Center for more information.

Alternate Form Available

Contact prints from negatives made by SI/OPPS. Available in the Archives Center.

Processing Information

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Biographical / Historical

Olmstead was an African-American photographer who worked in the Hill District ghetto area of Pittsburgh, Pa. in the early 1940s. He was born in Steubenville, Ohio, in March 1914 (he did not include the day in his Rosenwald fellowship application). He was self-taught as a photographer, but later, with the support of Roy Stryker, attended the Art Center School. He received a Rosenwald fellowship in 1946. Olmstead was

inspired by Life Magazine photojournalist Gordon Parks. He photographed until the 1960s while working for the Department of Water and Power in Los Angeles. He died August 17, 1985, following a long illness.

Scope and Contents

The collection contains one hundred seventy eight (178) film photonegatives by G. Dwoyid Olmstead in 4 x 5 in. sheet and cut film and 2 1/4 x 2 1/4 in. (#120) rollfilm sizes; the rollfilm negatives are cut apart into either individual frames or double image strips. Most of the photographs were taken in the early 1940s in the Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, and include pictures of the black citizens of the area in scenes of everyday life, children at play, interiors and exteriors of houses, etc. Olmstead told his friends that 'he felt it was important to capture on camera the living conditions of the residents there. There are also pictures of a Labor Day parade by striking members of the Westinghouse U.E.R.M.W.A. union, of the AFL/CIO) and related subjects. Marks on the original envelopes seem to indicate that some pictures in the group were taken in Los Angeles (AL.A.@). Many of the negatives are stained blue, and are identified as "blue" on the Container List. All the negatives seem to be on safety film, with "safety" imprints on the sheet film negatives.

The original negatives are supplemented with a set of "non-vintage" enlargements and contact prints, made primarily by the Smithsonian Office of Printing and Photographic Services.

Arrangement

This collection is arranged by subject.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:

- African American photographers
- Clergy -- Protestant -- 1940-1950
- Labor Day -- 1940-1950 -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh
- Labor and laboring classes -- 1940-1950 -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh
- Strikes and lockouts -- 1940-1950 -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Types of Materials:

- Photographs -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film -- 1940-1950

Places:

- Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
- Los Angeles (Calif.) -- 1940-1950
- Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Container Listing

Series 1: Photonegatives

Subseries 1.1: Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania.: Building Interiors

Interior of house with open doorway, calendar on wall open to February 1944, undated

Box 1, Folder 1

[\[Interior of house with open doorway, Pittsburgh: black-and-white photonegative.\], 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.7")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000001 (AC scan)

American National Fire Insurance Co. calendar on wall open to February 1944. Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Names: American National Fire Insurance Co.

Topic: Calendars

Poverty

Architecture, Domestic

Dwellings -- Pennsylvania

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 2-4

[Kitchen with one-armed man, three views, undated](#)

Box 1, Item images
2-4

[\[Kitchen with one-armed man, Pittsburgh : photonegatives.\], 1944](#)

3 Items (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.8")

[Image\(s\)](#)

[Image\(s\)](#)

[Image\(s\)](#)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Creator: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000002 (AC scan)

AC0270-0000003 (AC scan)

AC0270-0000004 (AC scan)

Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Disabilities
Poverty
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 5 [Interior, children looking out window, 1944 calendar on wall \(blue\), 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image 5 [\[Children looking out window with 1944 North Carolina Life Insurance Co. calendar on wall: black-and-white photonegative.\]](#), 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.8")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000005 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Names: North Carolina Life Insurance Co.

Topic: Calendars
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 6 [Woman seated before fireplace, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image 6 [\[Woman seated before fireplace: black-and-white photonegative.\]](#), 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.8".)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000006 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Fireplaces
Poverty

Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 7

Woman ironing in kitchen while children watch (blue), 1944

Box 1, Item image 7

[[Woman ironing on kitchen table while three small children watch: black-and-white photonegative](#)], 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.8" x 5.2")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000007 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.
Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty
Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
Pressing of garments
Kitchens -- 1940-1960
Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 8

Woman washing dishes (blue), 1944

Box 1, Item image 8

[[Woman washing or drying dishes: black-and-white photonegative.](#)], 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.8" x 5.1")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000008 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.
Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Dishwashing
Poverty
Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
Kitchens -- 1940-1960

Stoves
 Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film
 Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 9-10

Interior: man holding child on lap, undated

Box 1, Item image 9
 or 10

[Man holding child on his lap, black-and-white photonegative.], 1944
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.8".)
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000009 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs
 must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by
 sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building
 Interiors series.
 Topic: Architecture, Domestic
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Poverty
 Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
 Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film
 Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 11

Interior: one legged man drinking, undated

Box 1, Item image
 11

[One-legged man on crutches: black-and-white photonegative.], 1944
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.8".)
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000011 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs
 must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building
 Interiors series.
 Topic: Architecture, Domestic
 Crutches
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Disabilities
 Poverty
 Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
 Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 12-13 [House interior, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
12-13[\[House interior: strip of two black-and-white photonegatives.\], 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 5.2" x 2.6")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000012 (AC scan)

Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Poverty
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- PennsylvaniaPlace: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 14 [Interior, with woman in background, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
14[\[Interior with woman in background: black-and-white photonegative.\], 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 4.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000014 (AC scan); 1987.3004 (Non-accession)

Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
PovertyPlace: Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 15 [Interior: seated group of men and women, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
15[\[Seated group of men and women: photonegative.\], 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000015 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series. Many neckties hanging on wall.

Topic: Neckwear
 Architecture, Domestic
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 16-17 [Interior with four men and a woman, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image 16 or 17 [\[Four men and a woman seated at a table under a bare light bulb: photonegative.\], 1944](#)
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.8")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000016 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 18-19 [Interior: little girl taking bottle from windowsill \(blue\), 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image 19 [\[Little girl taking bottle from windowsill, photonegative.\], 1944](#)
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.9" x 5.0")
[Image\(s\)](#)
[Image\(s\)](#)
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000018 (AC scan)
 AC0270-0000019 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 20 Interior: seated woman and child, undated

Box 1, Folder 21 [Man and woman hanging wallpaper, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image 21 [\[One-armed man and woman hanging wallpaper : photonegative\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.9" x 4.8")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-000021 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Wallpaper
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 22 [Room with stove and bed, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image 22 [\[Interior with stove and bed : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.8" x 4.7")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-000022 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Stoves
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania

Place: Poverty
Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 23-24 [Interior, with toilet, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image 23 [\[Interior with toilet : photonegative\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.7")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000023 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Toilets
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Item image 24 [\[Interior with toilet, photonegative\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.8" x 4.7")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000024 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Toilets
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 25 [Interior with woman and two children, circa 1941-1945](#)

Box 1, Item image 25 [\[Domestic interior with African American woman and two children : black-and-white photonegative.\], 1941-1945](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film; 5" x 4")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000025.tif (AC Scan); 1987.3004 (Nonacc. No.)
 One boy stands in front of stove; the woman is seated.
 Taken from a low angle, so ceiling rafters and plumbing show.

Topic: Poverty
 Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Architecture, Domestic
 Stoves

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 26

[Interior with children and radio, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
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[\[Interior with children and radio : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.8")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000026 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs
 must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by
 sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building
 Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Poverty
 Radio -- Receivers and reception

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 27

[Interior with figures and dog, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
27

[\[Interior with figures and dog : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.7")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000027 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs
 must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by
 sleeves.

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dogs -- Pennsylvania
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 28

[Room with stove, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
28

[\[Room with stove : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.7".)
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000028 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty
Stoves

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 29

[Interior showing doorways, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
29

[\[Interior showing doorways : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.7".)
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000029 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 30 [Kitchen with woman holding child, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
30[\[Kitchen with woman holding child : photonegative.\], 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.7")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000030 (AC scan)

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Kitchens -- 1940-1960
PovertyPlace: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 31 [Woman feeding cat, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
31[\[Woman feeding cat : photonegative.\], 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.7" x 4.8")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000031 (AC scan)

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Cats
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
PovertyPlace: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 32 [Four children, three sitting on bed, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
32[\[Four children, three sitting on bed : photonegative.\], 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.6" x 4.8")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000032 (AC scan)

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic

Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty
beds
Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 33 [Interior with two figures, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
33

[\[Shabby interior with two figures: girl on right, young boy in another room seen through doorway, photonegative\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.6" x 3.7".)
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000033 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.
Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
Poverty
Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 34 [Interior with woman playing cards, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
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[\[Woman playing cards, man reading newspaper in bedroom : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.7" x 4.7".)
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000034 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.
Topic: Bedrooms -- 20th century
Newspapers
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Card games
Poverty
Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 35 [Interior with woman looking out window, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
35

[\[Woman looking out window : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.7")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000035 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.
Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty
Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 36 [Toilet, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
36

[\[Toilet : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.7")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000036 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.
Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Poverty
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Toilets
Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 37 [Interior with telephone and radio, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
37

[\[Man in kitchen, cooking at building fire, seen through doorway of a room with telephone and radio : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.7" x 4.7")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000037 (AC scan)

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 38-39 [Woman in kitchen, Corn Flakes on table, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
38, 39

[Girl brushing her teeth in kitchen : photonegatives.], 1944
2 Items (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.7" x 4.7")
[Image\(s\)](#)
[Image\(s\)](#)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000038 (AC scan)
AC0270-0000039 (AC scan)
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Teeth
Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Kitchens -- 1940-1960
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 40 [Kitchen, 1944](#)

Box 1, Item image
40

[\[Women and children working and sitting in kitchen, with woman ironing, seen through doorway in background : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
2 Items (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.7" x 4.7".)
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000040 (AC scan)
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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
Pressing of garments

Poverty
 Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film
 Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 41

[Interior with laundry, 1944](#)Box 1, Item image
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[\[Sink and laundry : photonegative.\], 1944](#)
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.7")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000041 (AC scan)
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building
 Interiors series.
 Topic: Architecture, Domestic
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
 Poverty
 Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film
 Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 42

Interior with laughing woman, undated

Box 1, Folder 43-44

[Portraits of a man, 1944](#)Box 1, Item images
43, 44

[\[Smiling man wearing a suit and vest, photonegatives.\], 1944](#)
 2 Items (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.7".)
[Image\(s\)](#)
[Image\(s\)](#)
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000043 (AC scan)
 AC0270-0000044 (AC scan)
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building
 Interiors series.
 Topic: Architecture, Domestic
 Dwellings -- Pennsylvania
 Interiors -- Pittsburgh (Pa.)
 Poverty
 Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
 Acetate film
 Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 45 [Five children sitting on couch, undated](#)Box 1, Item images
45, 46[\[Children sitting on sofa : photonegative.\]](#), 1944

2 Items (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.7".)

[Image\(s\)](#)[Image\(s\)](#)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000045 (AC scan)

AC0270-0000046 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: African American children -- 1940-1950

Architecture, Domestic

Dwellings -- Pennsylvania

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Pittsburgh (Pa.)9990701190236.0 -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 46 [Four children sitting on couch, undated](#)Box 1, Folder 47 [Uniformed soldier and woman, undated](#)Box 1, Item image
47[\[Uniformed soldier and woman standing in front of fireplace : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.8" x 3.8")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000047 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Fireplaces

Architecture, Domestic

Dwellings -- Pennsylvania

Military uniforms

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Pittsburgh (Pa.)9990701190236.0 -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 48 [Couple at table, with cat on man's shoulder, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image
48[\[Couple talking at kitchen table with cat on man's shoulder : black-and-white photonegative\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.8" x 4.7".)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000048 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic

Cats

Poverty

Dwellings -- Pennsylvania

Place: Pennsylvania -- 1940-1950

Pittsburgh (Pa.)

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 49

["Mrs. Robinson": well dressed woman and plain background \(fashion photograph?\), undated](#)Box 1, Item image
49[\[Mrs. Robinson: well-dressed woman before plain background, photonegative\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.7")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000049 (AC scan)

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Woman wears suit with very wide lapels. Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Interiors series.

Topic: Fashion -- 20th century

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Subseries 1.2: Hill District: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views

Box 1, Folder 50

[Group standing outside rustic "Church of God in Christ" \(with hand lettered sign\), undated](#)Box 1, Item image
50[\[Group of African American people standing outside small rustic "Church of God in Christ" : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.6" x 4.7")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000050 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Church
 Church buildings
 Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 51

[Booth with sign, "Pick Up a Service Man." Original envelope was labeled "Remember signs of the times" and "1943" \(blue\), undated](#)

Box 1, Item image
51

[\[Snow covered "Pick Up a Service Man" booth : photonegative.\], Circa 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.3" x 3.7")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000051 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Snow
 World War, 1939-1945

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Box 1, Folder 52

[Man with sledgehammer, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image
52

[\[Smiling African American man with sledgehammer : photonegative.\], Circa 1944](#)

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.1" x 2.1")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000052 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Workmen
 Sledgehammers

Place: Blue collar workers
Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- 1900-1950
African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 53

[Dog and rubbish behind building \(blue\), undated](#)Box 1, Item image
53

[\[Dog and rubbish behind building : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.2" x 2.3".)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000053 (AC scan)
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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Poverty
Refuse and refuse disposal
Dogs

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 54

[Children playing on curb in alley behind houses, undated](#)Box 1, Item image
54

[\[Children playing on curb in alley : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.2" x 2.2".)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000054 (AC scan)
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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: African American children -- 1940-1950
Alleys
Architecture, Domestic
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.)9990701190236.0 -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 55-56 [Woman hanging wash on line behind houses, undated](#)Box 1, Item image
55[\[Two women with laundry hanging on clothesline behind houses : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.2" x 2.2")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000055 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Clotheslines
Laundry
PovertyPlace: Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Item image
56[\[Woman hanging wash on line behind houses : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.2" x 2.1")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000056 (AC scan)

Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.

Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Clotheslines
Laundry
Poverty

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 57 [Three children, one with doll, undated](#)Box 1, Folder 58-59 [Large group of children behind house \(blue\), undated](#)Box 1, Folder 60 [Girl under house steps \(blue\), undated](#)

Box 1, Item image
60[\[Girl under house steps : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 5.2" x 4.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000060 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic

Poverty

Place: Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 61

[Makeshift structure behind house \(blue\)](#), undatedBox 1, Item image
61[\[Makeshift structure behind house : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 5.0" x 4.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000061 (AC scan)

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With laundry hanging on clothesline. Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic

Clotheslines

Laundry

Poverty

Place: Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 62

[Rubble in back yard behind houses \(blue\)](#), undated

Box 1, Folder 63-64

[Woman hanging wash in back yard \(blue\)](#), undated

Box 1, Folder 65-66

[Wash hanging in back yard, with rubbish \(blue\)](#), undated

Box 1, Folder 67-68

[Woman outside men's room](#), undated

Box 1, Folder 69

[Figure looking out over balcony](#), undated

Box 1, Folder 70-71 Three children looking out over balcony (blue), undated

Box 1, Folder 72 [Clothesline and child running on balcony \(blue\), undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 72 [\[Clothesline, and child running on balcony : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.5" x 2.5".)
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000072 (AC scan)
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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.
Topic: African American children -- 1940-1950
Architecture, Domestic
Balconies
Clotheslines
Laundry
Poverty
Place: Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 73 Children playing on balcony, undated

Box 1, Folder 74 ["Mr. Carry Diggs": soldier and woman watching children play checkers, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 74 [\[Mr. Carry Diggs: soldier and woman watching children play checkers, photonegative\]](#), Circa 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000074 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.
Names: Diggs, Carry
Topic: Games
checkers
African American soldiers -- 1940-2000.
Architecture, Domestic
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 75	Children and steps, undated
Box 1, Folder 76	Two men in Atkinson Brick Co. brickyard (blue), undated
Box 1, Item image 76	<p>[Two men in Atkinson Brick Co. brickyard, inspecting bricks : photonegative.], Circa 1944 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.1") Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead Language: English. Notes: AC0270-0000076 (AC scan)</p> <p>Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves. Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.</p> <p>Names: Atkinson Brick Co. Topic: Bricks Brickyards Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film</p>
Box 1, Folder 77-78	Back yard (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 79	House exterior, undated
Box 1, Folder 80-81	Rubble in alley (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 82	Children climbing steps (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 83	Backyards from high vantage point, undated
Box 1, Item image 83	<p>[Backyards from high vantage point : photonegative.], Circa 1944 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.5" x 2.4") Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead Language: English. Notes: AC0270-0000083 (AC scan)</p> <p>Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves. Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.</p> <p>Topic: Architecture, Domestic Poverty Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh</p>

Box 1, Folder 84	Three children in back yard (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 85-87	Rear of row houses, undated
Box 1, Folder 88	Back yard, undated
Box 1, Folder 89	Man and children, between buildings, undated
Box 1, Folder 90	Dog and rubbish in back yard (blue), undated
Box 1, Item image 90	<p>[Two children, dog, and rubbish in back yard, photonegative], Circa 1944 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.4" x 2.6") Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead Language: English. Notes: AC0270-0000090 (AC scan) Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves. Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.</p> <p>Topic: Poverty Architecture, Domestic Dogs -- Pennsylvania Refuse and refuse disposal</p> <p>Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950</p> <p>Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film</p> <p>Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh</p>
Box 1, Folder 91	Three children on balcony (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 92	Back yard with laundry on clothesline (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 93	Rear of row houses, undated
Box 1, Folder 94-95	Close up portraits of young boy, undated
Box 1, Folder 96	Row house fronts, undated
Box 1, Folder 97	House exterior, undated
Box 1, Folder 98	Exterior: two figures looking out window (blue), undated
Box 1, Item image 98	<p>[Two children looking out window, photonegative], Circa 1944 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.4" x 2.4".) Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead Language: English.</p>

Notes: AC0270-0000098 (AC scan)
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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 99

[Seated woman and two children before fireplace, undated](#)Box 1, Item image
99[\[Seated woman and two children before fireplace : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000099 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
PovertyPlace: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 100

Exterior, child looking out window, undated

Box 1, Folder 101

View of outhouse (privy) with open door, undated

Box 1, Folder 102

[Girls playing skip rope on sidewalk, undated](#)Box 1, Item image
102[\[Girls playing jump rope on sidewalk : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000102 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series. Image includes white and black children.

Topic: Games -- Children
Jump ropes
Architecture, Domestic
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 103	Distant view of houses and hill, undated
Box 1, Folder 104	Another distant view of hill, same vantage point (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 105	Alley between houses with rubbish, undated
Box 1, Folder 106	House with standing lumber (under repair?), undated
Box 1, Folder 107	Damaged house with lumber, undated
Box 1, Folder 108	Three children, one holding doll, playing in rubbish (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 109	Woman and two children looking out door of house (from back) (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 110	Man and stairs, entitled on original envelope, "[Descending Dissenter]", undated
Box 1, Folder 111	Woman descending front steps, also entitled "Descending Dissenter", undated

Box 1, Item image
111

[\[Woman descending steps to corridor -- "Descending Dissenter" : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 5.0" x 4.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000111 (AC scan)

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Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series?

Topic: Architecture, Domestic
Poverty

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 112	Alley with cars and rubbish, undated
Box 1, Folder 113	Street with rubbish, undated
Box 1, Folder 114	Large group of children, undated
Box 1, Folder 115	Large group of children, seated outdoors, undated
Box 1, Folder 116	Exterior, two story house, undated
Box 1, Folder 117	Street scene with cars and snow, undated
Box 1, Item image 117	<p>[Snowy evening street scene with car on the road; probably Pittsburgh : photonegative.], Circa 1944</p> <p>1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.5" x 4.7".)</p> <p>Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985</p> <p>Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>Notes: AC0270-0000117 (AC scan)</p> <p>Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.</p> <p>Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series. Includes laundry sign.</p> <p>Topic: Laundries Automobiles -- 1930-1940 Snow Streets -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh</p> <p>Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950</p> <p>Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film</p>
Box 1, Folder 118	Street scene with rubbish, undated
Box 1, Folder 119	Boy and older girl standing in doorway, "The Courting Game"(?), undated
Box 1, Folder 120	"The Candy Store": two boys looking in door, undated
Box 1, Item image 120	<p>The Candy Store [two boys looking in the door: photonegative], Circa 1944</p> <p>1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")</p> <p>Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985</p> <p>Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>Notes: AC0270-0000120 (AC scan)</p> <p>Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.</p>

	Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.
Topic:	Stores, Retail
Place:	Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Genre/Form:	Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
Culture:	African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh
Box 1, Folder 121-123	Man sitting on steps, undated
Box 1, Folder 124	Brick wall with three faces, looking out window (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 125	Bedroom with figure lying in bed, undated
Box 1, Folder 126-127	Row houses, undated
Box 1, Folder 128-129	Row houses, one of same scene as above, but second frame is of another house, undated
Box 1, Folder 130-131	Houses and alley, undated
Box 1, Folder 132-133	Row houses, undated
Box 1, Folder 134-136	Row houses, undated
Box 1, Folder 137	Row houses, with children in alley, undated
Box 1, Folder 138-139	Three children looking over railing (blue), undated
Box 1, Item image 138	<p>[Three children looking over railing: photonegative.], Circa 1944 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.4" x 2.3".) Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead Language: English. Notes: AC0270-0000138 (AC scan)</p> <p>Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves. Part of Hill District, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: Building Exteriors, Street Scenes, Outdoor Views series.</p> <p>Topic: Poverty Architecture, Domestic Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950 Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950</p>

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 140 Three children, undated

Box 1, Folder 141 Still life: vase with silver tray, undated

Subseries 1.3: Views of "Switchboard School, 6th L & F Bldg.", 1945 January 16

Box 1, Folder 142-143 Four seated women holding telephones, five women standing behind them (blue), undated

Box 1, Folder 144 Large group of men and women seated for lunch (blue), undated

Box 1, Folder 145 Two women at telephone switchboard with teacher (blue), undated

Subseries 1.4: "Silver Star Hero's Welcome"

Box 1, Folder 146 Interior with doorway, undated

Box 1, Folder 147-148 [Funeral in church with open casket, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 147 [\[Open casket funeral : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.6" x 4.7")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000147 (AC scan)
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Part of Silver Star Hero's Welcome series.
Topic: Church Interiors
Funeral rites and ceremonies
Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives --
Acetate film
Place: Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 149 Group of people, two of whom shaking hands, undated

Subseries 1.5: "Jackson Temple / Penn Township / The Visiting Preacher in Action"

Box 1, Folder 150 [Men standing before pictorial panel, "A Revelation of the Ages", undated](#)

Box 1, Item image
150[\[Two men standing before "A Revelation of the Ages" panel : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.7" x 3.7".)

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000150 (AC scan)

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Part of Jackson Temple / Penn Township / The Visiting Preacher in Action series.

Names: Jackson Temple

Topic: Church

Place: Hill District (Pittsburgh, Pa.) -- 1940-1950
Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder
151-152

Preacher, undated

Box 1, Folder 153

[View of congregation in church, undated](#)Box 1, Item image
153[\[African American congregation in church : photonegative.\]](#), Circa 1944

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 3.5" x 4.7")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000153 (AC scan)

Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.

Part of "Jackson Temple/Penn Township/The Visiting Preacher in Action" series.

Topic: Churches -- 1940-1950

Church Interiors

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Subseries 1.6: Labor Day series: involving strike by UE CIO

Box 1, Folder 154

[Two men at restaurant counter, one wearing "picket" sign in hat, undated](#)Box 1, Item image
154[\[Two men at restaurant counter, one wearing "picket" sign in hat, photonegative\]](#), March 1946

1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")

Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985

Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead

Language: English.

Notes: AC0270-0000154 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Labor Day series.

Topic: Picketing
Labor Day
Strikes and lockouts
Labor unions

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 155-160 [Labor Day parade, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 155 [\[Labor Day parade or strike, photonegative\], Circa 1946](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000155 (AC scan)
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Part of Labor Day series.

Topic: Labor Day
Strikes and lockouts
Labor unions

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 161-162 [Group of men and two soldiers, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 161 [\[Group of men and two policemen on street : photonegative.\], Circa 1946](#)
1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")
Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
Language: English.
Notes: AC0270-0000161 (AC scan)
Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
Part of Labor Day series.

Topic: Police
Labor Day
Strikes and lockouts
Labor unions

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film

Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 163-164 [Large crowd scene, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 163 [\[Large crowd in street, Pittsburgh : photonegative.\], Circa 1946](#)
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.0" x 5.0")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000163 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Labor Day series.

Topic: Crowds -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh
 Labor Day
 Strikes and lockouts
 Labor unions

Place: Pittsburgh (Pa.) -- 1940-1950
 Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
 Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 165 [Aerial view of parade, undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 165 [\[Aerial view of parade, photonegative.\], Circa 1946](#)
 1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 4.9" x 4.0")
 Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985
 Language: English.
 Notes: AC0270-0000165 (AC scan)
 Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.
 Part of Labor Day series.

Topic: Labor Day
 Strikes and lockouts
 Labor unions

Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film
 Culture: African Americans -- Pennsylvania -- Pittsburgh

Box 1, Folder 166 Storefront headquarters, Westinghouse salary workers, Local 601, U.E.R.M.W.A., undated

Subseries 1.7: [Los Angeles?]

Box 1, Folder 167 ["L. A. Housing \(Mrs. Cheetum\) / Hewitt St. Location" \(blue\), undated](#)

Box 1, Item image 167	<p>L. A. Housing (Mrs. Cheetum) / Hewitt St. Location [photonegative], Circa 1946</p> <p>1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.4" x 2.6")</p> <p>Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985</p> <p>Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>Notes: AC0270-0000167 (AC scan)</p> <p>Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with cotton gloves unless protected by sleeves.</p> <p>Part of Los Ageles? series. Trash in alley.</p> <p>Topic: Dwellings -- California Refuse and refuse disposal Poverty</p> <p>Place: California -- 1940-1950 Los Angeles (Calif.) -- 1940-1950</p> <p>Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film</p> <p>Culture: African Americans -- California</p>
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Box 1, Folder 171	Man in alley (blue), undated
Box 1, Folder 172	Woman and laundry in alley, undated
Box 1, Item image 172	<p>[Woman and laundry in alley : photonegative.], Circa 1946</p> <p>1 Item (Silver gelatin on film.; 2.4" x 2.5")</p> <p>Photographer: Olmstead, G. Dwoyid (Gilbert Dwoyid), 1914-1985</p> <p>Donor: Williams, Sydney Olmstead</p> <p>Language: English.</p> <p>Notes: AC0270-0000172 (AC scan)</p> <p>Unrestricted research use by appointment. Photographs must be handled with gloves unless protected by sleeves.</p> <p>Part of Los Ageles series?</p> <p>Topic: Alleys Laundry Poverty</p> <p>Place: California -- 1940-1950 Los Angeles (Calif.) -- 1940-1950</p> <p>Genre/Form: Photographs -- 1940-1950 -- Black-and-white negatives -- Acetate film</p> <p>Culture: African Americans -- California</p>
Box 1, Folder 173	Alley between row houses (blue), undated
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Box 1, Folder 175 Row houses and lumber (blue), undated

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