

Hansen Planetarium Historical Records

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Series: PL – 026. Slides

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Description: This collection of slides represents every slide published by the Hansen Planetarium. The Planetarium became the exclusive distributors of astronomical photography for observatories throughout the world, including Hale Observatories, Kitt Peak Observatory, and Royal Observatory, Edinburgh.

Arrangement: Slides were originally contained in binders, and each binder contained slides from one observatory. During processing, original binder grouping (grouping of slides under each observatory) was maintained by placing dividers with the original binder titles in between groups.

In some cases, multiple copies of slides exist. Some of the slide sets listed under “Hansen Planetarium: Proposed New Slide Sets” and “Single Slides” (pages 41-57 in the index) are duplicated in slide sets throughout the collection.

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Finding Aids:

- **Index:** To locate a specific subject or a specific slide, consult the “Slide Index” (located in Box S-18) created by the Planetarium’s staff. (Note: Not all slides from this collection were included in this index). The name of the observatory or notebook that the slide belongs to is written at the top right of each index page. Note the observatory or notebook name and then locate that name in the Container List, in the column labeled “Title.” The Container List provides direction to the box that the slide is housed in, in the column labeled “Box #.”

Example: A search for a slide titled: “Eagle Return.”

In the Slide Index: This slide is found under the “Slide Description and/or Number” column. At the top of the index page is: “Notebook #1.” This is the group that the slide belongs to. Go to the Container List and locate “Notebook #1” in the “Title” column. Reading across to the “Box #” column, find that “Eagle Return” is located in Boxes S-9 and S-10.

In addition, each page of the Slide Index is numbered in the top right corner. This page number can also be used to find the box that the slide is stored in. Several of the observatories are represented by multiple groups of slides spread throughout the slide collection, and by using the index page number the specific group can be located.

Example: “Eagle Return” is found on page number 1 of the Slide Index. Page number 1 is found in the first column of the Container List (titled “In Index”), and following the row over to the Box # column, the boxes “S-9 and S-10” are found.

- **Box Listing:** To locate slides by observatory, the box listing provides access. This box listing was created during processing. This lists each binder box, the observatories that are contained in each box, and the pages where each slide group can be found in the Planetarium’s index. (Note: some groups of slides begin in one box and continue in the next box so that more than one box may need to be consulted to view a single group).

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