Father Leo Van Dyke collection 1920

[F·Leo Van Dyck] 1922 12 (LeoVANDiyk) 1927

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Irrigation wheel
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River bank
Festival, the route which leads to it [near the] ya-men compound
Private courtyard
Botanical gardens
Donkey backed bridge, outside city [walls]
Festival
Beggars against the wall
Beggars
Blind beggar
Irrigation wheel
Market
Festival
Lan chow after the rain
Donkey back bridge, outside the [city] walls
Shipment of tobacco
Theater
Festival
Landing place
Festival
Festival
Water carriage
Main street, Lan chow
Landing place
Raft
Skin raft on Yellow River
Boat
Theater, the stage
Wall of a mosque
Wood raft
Boat for island service
Botanical garden pavilion [sic]
Bank of the Yellow River
Actor of the Grande Comedie
Actors of the Grande Comedie
Actors of the Grande Comedie
Irrigation wheel
North bank of Yellow River
Actors of the Grande Comedie
Lan Chow after the rain
Little boy leading a yak
River bank
West Gate, Lan chow
West Gate and town
Blind beggar
Festival
Market
Main street of Lan chow
Festival
City of Lan chow [viewed from] across the river
Itinerant food peddler
Main street of Lan chow
Festival
Lan chow after the rain
Pavillion [sic] of the arsenal
Festival
South bank of river
Lan chow after the rain
Lan chow valley
Raft and irrigation wheel [in the background]
City [of Lanzhou]
River bank
Watermelon market
Actors [of the Grande Comedie]
Arrival of grain, outside [Lanzhou]
Boat on Yellow River
Yellow River
River, looking east
Whistler
Wall of a mosque
Side entrance, ya-men compound
Near the river
River bank [and] water carrier
Fifteen kilometers west of Lan chow
North bank [and] skin raft
Bridge [and] water carriers
Bridge [and] water carriers
City gate
Actor of the Grande Comedie
Materials/Techniques: cellulose nitrate film
Dimensions: 11 x 9 cm
General: Title from negative enclosure. "Taken by the Rev. F. Leon Van Dyk[e],
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Historical: Belgian Catholic priest Father Leon Van Dyke served as a missionary at the Scheut Fathers mission in Ningxia, Gansu Province, China, in the 1920s.