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(Redlands Photograph) Over Redlands, from Cañon Crest Park

Stock#: 93198
Map Maker: Maude
Date: 1915 circa
Place: [Los Angeles?]
Color: Uncolored
Condition: VG+
Size: 8 x 5 inches
Price: \$ 295.00



Description:

Redlands in the Early 20th Century

A nice photographic view overlooking Cañon Crest Park in Redlands. The park was founded in 1890 by Alfred and Albert Smiley on a site now called Smiley Heights. In the early days of Redlands the park drew tourists to the area, helping put Redlands on the map. The park was lost due to residential development in the mid-20th-century.

The view shows several large homes separated by expansive orchards, with some eucalyptus trees in the foreground.

English-born photographer Frederic Hamer Maude first came to California in the 1880s. By 1895 he had removed to Los Angeles where he acquired the photography business of C. B. Waite, including that photographer's large inventory of negatives which included extensive views of Southern California. Waite is also known for his prolific photographic work in Mexico. In addition to California scenes Maude focused on the southwestern desert and mountains, making images during expeditions to the Grand Canyon and to various Native American pueblos. While he largely retired from the photography business by the late 1920s, he continued to photograph scenes in the Southwest, and lived to age 100.

Detailed Condition:

Original photograph print, on grey board mount. Caption and photographer's name in negative: "1710. Over Redlands, from Cañon Crest Park, Maude Photo." A fine sharp image in excellent condition.