

Getting to Prints & Photographs:

- Click on “Digital Collections” and choose “Prints and Photographs” (look for Migrant Mother thumbnail)

What do you want to search today?

- Type keywords into “Search all” in blue-shaded menu box
- Arrive at a list of primary sources, with thumbnail images at left and titles and limited bibliographic information at right (List view)
- Or, try one of three browse options in left-hand menu under “Browse By”

List of primary sources—what do you see?

- Gallery view: enlarged thumbnails of items with titles
- Grid view: reduced thumbnails, no titles—see 100 images at a time
- Slide view: large-scale images—watch as slideshow; click “photo descriptions” for pop-up captions

Select your item—now what?

- Arrive at the bibliographic page, with title, date, notes, collection, rights information, etc.
- Click on jpeg and/or tiff options to enlarge thumbnail and download image (if thumbnail does not enlarge, see “rights and reproductions” information below)

- For related searches, link to cross-referenced subjects or “browse neighboring items by call number” (under image)
- Bookmark/save permanent URL by copying link under “Bookmark This Record”

What about rights and reproductions?

- Click “obtaining copies” tab (under title) for information about reproductions
- Look for “rights advisory” in list of bibliographic information; “No known restrictions on publication” implies the image is public domain. If “publication may be restricted,” click on given link to read rights information for the particular collection to which image belongs
- “Rights assessment is your responsibility”—in red at bottom of every bibliographic page to remind user to check rights information before using
- If image is under uncertain copyright, no jpeg or tiff options will be available (“larger images display at the Library of Congress”)

Need help?

- Click the “help” button at right of search box or in left-hand menu
- “Ask a Prints & Photographs Librarian” (at left)
- Find out more at “About PPOC” in left-hand menu