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95/67 #1

[Chief Jim Boss's potlatch]
[Group of seventeen First Nations people gathered around a coffin in front of a log cabin in winter. George Dawson is kneeling front right. Two young ladies in front middle are Irene Smith and Irene Adamson (nee Slim). Added caption information provided by Gerald Boss in 2010: Chief Jim Boss's potlatch (notice cross in photo) on Lake Laberge.] [Unknown patron or donor has identified the three men in the front row as L-R: Fred Boss, George Dawson, and Ned Boss. Additional information from First Nations Photo Identification Project 2019: First row standing, L to R: Billy Smith?, ?, Charlie Smith, Jenny Shackoon, Irene Adamson, Irene Smith, Annie Ned, Cecilia (Celia?) Jim, Jessie Allen, Chuppy Harry. Location: Lake Lebarge.] [Same photograph as 2008/68 #16.] - ca. Jan 1950.

95/67 #2

Portrait of (l-r) George P. Mackenzie, Chief Jim Boss, Skookum Jim Mason and Reverend W.G. Blackwell [Studio portrait of two First Nations men and two white men all wearing suits. 95/67 #2 and 2002/118 #174 are the same image. They are similar to 91/38 #2 and 2002/118 #731, which is a different pose.] [In 2018 the Mackenzie family compared their own family photographs of George P. Mackenzie to this portrait by E. J. Hamacher. They told researcher Kathy Jones-Gates that they do not believe the man on the left is George P. Mackenzie.] - [ca. 1910-1916].

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YA# Description:
95/67 #3 [Two young men, one standing, one sitting] [Unknown patron or donor has identified this photo as L-R: Ned Boss and George Dawson.]

95/67 #4 (l-r) Reg Dawson, Harold Dawson, Kathleen Dawson, Gerald Dawson, Hilda Dawson
[Five children standing outdoors. Snow is on the ground.]

95/67 #5 Howard Boss in Vancouver.

95/67 #6 [Thirteen women, one man standing in front of a lake and mountain] [Unknown patron or donor has identified this photo as Alice (Boss) Vahauas and family, taken in Juneau, Alaska in 1991. Alice is sixth from right. Additional information from First Nations Photo Identification Project 2019: Third woman from left is Lula Boss.]

95/67 #7 1952, Feb. 14 [Two men and two women. Wedding photo?] [Unknown patron or donor has identified this photo as Ned Boss's wedding in 1951 or 1952. L-R: Fred Boss, Ned Boss, Stella Boss, and Lydia (Mason) Boss.]