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**Donner Pass**  
*John Dominis*  
 ©1949 Time Inc.

The Southern Pacific Engine travels over snow covered tracks in Donner Pass, California. The Southern Pacific tamed the great American deserts and crossed more mountain summits than any other railroad in the United States, but the “King of the Grades” was Donner Pass. Intense winter storms and record snowfalls are commonplace on Donner Pass, Southern Pacific’s route through the Sierra Nevada’s. Since its discovery in 1844, the mountain passageway has claimed its share of victims, including the party of settlers after whom the pass was named. The Donner’s punishing conditions set an enduring standard for mountain railroading.



**Marilyn Relaxing at Home**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
 ©1953 Time Inc.

Marilyn relaxing at home in her den.



**The Photo Journalist**  
*Andreas Feininger*  
 ©1951 Time Inc.

One of Andreas Feininger’s most famous images is the uncharacteristic 1951 shot, “The Photojournalist” featuring prize-winning Magnum photographer Dennis Stock ... looking like some kind of bionic creature ... with a Leica III to his face, one eye hidden by the ancillary viewfinder, the other by the lens.



**Beatles Cover Photo Shot**  
*John Dominis*  
 ©1964 Time Inc.

This shot of the members of singing group the Beatles (R-L): John Lennon, Paul McCartney, George Harrison and Ringo Starr was made the LIFE cover, August 1964.



**Sofia Loren Laughing**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
 ©1961 Time Inc.

Actress Sophia Loren laughing while exchanging jokes during lunch break on “MADAME” movie set.



**Katharine Hepburn**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
 ©1938 Time Inc.

Portrait of actress Katharine Hepburn with cigarette in hand.



**Pair of Trees—Snowscape**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
 ©1947 Time Inc.

SWITZERLAND: Pair of trees rising from a snow covered landscape.



**Babe Ruth’s Final Appearance at Yankee Stadium**  
*Ralph Morse*  
 ©1948 Time Inc.

Baseball great Babe Ruth, in uniform, addressing crowd & press during final appearance at Yankee Stadium (shortly before death). This rare color image shows Babe Ruth addressing the crowd during his final appearance at Yankee Stadium on June 13, 1948. Ruth’s #3 uniform was retired during this appearance, which was also the 25th anniversary of Yankee Stadium, known as “The House That Ruth Built.” Ruth died of throat cancer at age 53, shortly after this photograph was taken. Since LIFE Magazine only published one page of color pictures in 1948, the magazine did not print this photograph. This image was first seen on a 2002 HBO television special about famous sports photos.



**Frank Sinatra and Jackie Gleason**  
*John Dominis*  
 ©1964 Time Inc.

Frank Sinatra (L) sharing a laugh with fellow entertainer Jackie Gleason (R).



**Steve McQueen Sulphur Bath**  
*John Dominis*  
©1963 Time Inc.

Actor Steve McQueen and wife taking sulphur bath at home.



**Steve McQueen and Mike**  
©1963 Time Inc.  
*John Dominis*

Portrait of American actor Steve McQueen (1930–1980) and his Alaskan Malamute named Mike on a camping trip in the Sierra Madre Mountains, California, May 1963.



**Steve McQueen Leather Jacket**  
*John Dominis*  
©1963 Time Inc.

Actor Steve McQueen during motorcycle race across the Mojave Desert Mojave Desert, in both digital and silver gelatin signed limited edition original, on loan from private collection of Robyn and Alan Jensen, \$7600



**Mohandas K. Gandhi Reading by Spinning Wheel**  
*Margaret Bourke-White*  
©1946 Time Inc.

Indian leader Mohandas Gandhi reading as he sits cross-legged on floor next to a spinning wheel in the foreground as symbol of India's struggle for independence, at home.



**Hat Designed by Lilly Dache**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
©1937 Time Inc.

Professional model Janet MacLeod wearing veiled hat designed by Lilly Dache.



**Future Ballerinas**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
©1936 Time Inc.

Ballerinas standing on window sill in rehearsal room at George Balanchine's School of American Ballet.



**VJ Day Celebration—Times Square**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
©1945 Time Inc.

Happy sailor kissing nurse in Times Square during impromptu VJ Day celebration following announcement of the Japanese surrender and the end of WWII.



**Route 66**  
*Andreas Feininger*  
©1947 Time Inc.

Dramatic cumulus clouds floating over a lonely Texaco gas station and hitchhiker along a stretch of US 66.



**Children at a Puppet Theatre**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
©1963 Time Inc.

Children reacting to the story of "Saint George and the Dragon," the moment the dragon is slain, at the Guignol puppet show, Parc de Montsouris in the Tuileries, Paris, France.



**Georgia O'Keeffe**  
*John Loengard*  
©1966 Time Inc.

Artist Georgia O'Keeffe, pioneer of modern American Art, at 80.



**DC-4 over Manhattan**  
*Margaret Bourke-White*  
©1939 Time Inc.

Aerial view of airline passenger plane (DC-4) flying over buildings in midtown Manhattan.



**Three Frames of Children at a Puppet Theatre**  
*Alfred Eisenstaedt*  
©1963 Time Inc.

The enlarged negative strip of Alfred Eisenstaedt's famous image, "Children at a Puppet Theatre". Children reacting to the story of "Saint George and the Dragon," the moment the dragon is slain, at the Guignol puppet show, Parc de Montsouris in the Tuileries, Paris, France.







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