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Current Free Exhibit: Photographs From the National Archives: New York People and Places

WHAT: New York's People and Places brings together a diverse sampling of images that are just a part of the National Archives' vast holdings of more than 8 million photographs.

This exhibit chronicles the changing views of the city's landscape and industry, from the 1850s to the late twentieth century. From children playing a game of leapfrog to the hardships of immigrant life to a bread line in the Great Depression, the scenes represented here are candid and intimate. Notable figures such as Al Smith, Babe Ruth, Franklin and Eleanor Roosevelt, and Fiorello LaGuardia pose dutifully at war bond rallies, reminding us how they, like New York itself, helped shape the twentieth century.

This exhibit is open to the public free of charge.

WHEN: Ongoing through 2006.

WHERE: 12th Floor Exhibit Room
201 Varick Street, New York, NY 10014

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