

## “Photo Brut”



Eugene Von Bruenchenhein (1910, Marinette, WI–1983, Milwaukee, WI); untitled; c. 1940s; © 2019 Lewis B. Greenblatt; John Michael Kohler Arts Center, Sheboygan, WI. Photo courtesy of Lewis B. Greenblatt.

Photographs that range from the amusingly pedestrian to the frankly bizarre fill the gallery with what looks like outsider art. (The vintage snapshots, commercial photographs, and press images, most of them anonymous or uncredited, come from the collection of David Winter.) Interspersed amid groups of photographs organized by theme (prisoners, suicide attempts, newlyweds, hairdos, candies, car wrecks) are wonderful oddities, flashes of erotica, and a number of mysteries. In one puzzling picture, printer’s crop marks draw attention to a straw boater hat floating above a landscape like a flying saucer. Through Aug. 23.

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