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Descriptive Summary

Unit ID

Ms.1990.027

Unit Date

1942-1944

Language

The materials in the collection are in English.

Abstract

Scrapbook compiled by an unidentified person--presumably a military service member, possibly serving in the United Kingdom's Royal Air Force--and comprised of cartoons and clippings from British periodicals, largely relating to the air force.

Extent

0.1 Cubic Feet 1 folder

Repository

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Scope and Content

This collection consists of a small (4 x 6 1/2") scrapbook containing World War II-related clippings from various periodicals. Compiled by an unidentified person, perhaps a member of the United Kingdom's Royal Air Force, the scrapbook contains approximately 260 pages. Most of the clippings relate in some way to the air service, many of them containing cartoons (prominent among these are a number of single panel illustrations issued under the collective title "Oddentification," with accompanying poems, probably clipped from *The Aeroplane*). Also included are a number of clippings relating to individual air force personnel.

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Scrapbook

Unit Date c. 1942-1944

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