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Abstract

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Creator

George Mason University. School of Theater

Physical Characteristics

1 linear feet (2 boxes)

Repository

George Mason University. Special Collections and Archives.

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

There are no access restrictions.

Use Restrictions

There are no restrictions on personal use. Permission to publish material from the Theatre recordings collection must be obtained from Special Collections Research Center, George Mason University Libraries.

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Donated by the George Mason University Theatre Department in 2009.

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Unprocessed.

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Related Material

Special Collections and Archives also holds many other theatre collections.

Historical Information

Theatre recordings became popular in the 1950s with the introduction of Long Playing (LP) records. This format allowed for longer musical compositions such as classical music and Broadway recordings. Columbia was one of the first record companies to sell LPs that featured the original cast recordings.

Scope and Content

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Index Terms

Subjects:

Theater--New York (State)--New York.

Document Types:

Live sound recordings.

Arrangement

Organized by title.

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