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Guide to Arne Nordskog Collection

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Collection Overview

Repository:	Archives Center, National Museum of American History
Title:	Arne Nordskog Collection
Date:	1915-1924
Identifier:	NMAH.AC.0539
Creator:	Nordskog, Arne, 1885-1962 (Creator)
Extent:	0.3 Cubic feet (1 box, 1 map-folder)
Language:	English .
Digital Content:	Image(s): Arne Nordskog Collection

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Gift.

Processing Information

Collection processed by NMAH Staff, undated.

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Biographical / Historical

Los Angeles music promoter, he also owned a recording studio and record label, Nordskog Records.

Scope and Contents

Papers relating to the early musical history of Los Angeles, California, and Nordskog's work in promoting it. Includes letters, drawings, writings, photographs, business records, and printed material. The names listed below are represented in the collection by letters or photographs.

Arrangement

Divided into 6 series.

Names and Subject Terms

This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:

- Music -- California -- Los Angeles
- Music -- Performance -- California -- Los Angeles
- Music trade
- Promoters

Types of Materials:

- Business records -- 1910-1930
- Correspondence -- 1900-1950
- Drawings -- 20th century
- Photographs -- 1900-1950
- Programs -- Concerts

Names:

- Behymer, Lynden Ellsworth, 1862-1947
- Cadman, Charles Wakefield, 1881-1946
- Cohen, Sol B., 1891-
- Gentle, Alice
- Hayes, Roland, 1887-1977
- Noack, Sylvain
- Oberhoffer, Emil, 1867-1933
- Ory, Edward "Kid", 1886-1973
- Sarli, Antonio
- Schumann-Heink, Ernestine, 1861-1936
- Tanguay, Eva, 1878-1947
- Tsianina, Princess

Container Listing

Map-folder 1	Newspaper clipping, Nordskog Phonograph Recording Company, 1922-03-29
Map-folder 1	Newspaper clipping, Splendid Voice Tenor Much in Demand in Southern California (Arne Nordskog), 1919-04-21
Map-folder 1	Nordskog Phonograph Recording Company, capital stock certificate, 1922
Box 1, Folder 8	Photograph, Arne Nordskog, undated
Map-folder 1	Sketch, Nordskog Recording Studio, undated
Map-folder 1	Banner, Nordskog Records, Made in California, undated
Box 1, Folder 1	Correspondence, 1920-1922
Box 1, Folder 2	Nordskog personal song book pages, undated
Box 1, Folder 3	Performance programs and announcements, 1921
Box 1, Folder 4	Charles Wakefield Cadum, 1919
Box 1, Folder 4	Princess Tsianina, 1919
Box 1, Folder 5	Alice Gentile, undated
Box 1, Folder 6	Margaret Messer Morris, undated
Box 1, Folder 7	Arne Nordskog, Seattle Opera Company, 1915
Box 1, Folder 7	Orchestra Ensemble, Hollywood Bowl, 1921
Box 1, Folder 8	Arne Nordskog, undated
Box 1, Folder 9	Nordskog Records, store front, undated
Box 1, Folder 9	Nordskog Records, hydraulic press, 1923
Box 1, Folder 10	Antonio Sarli, 1921
Box 1, Folder 10	Sol Cohen, undated
Box 1, Folder 10	Sylvain Noack, undated
Box 1, Folder 10	Emil Oberhoffer, undated

Box 1, Folder 11 Sketch, Edward Kid ory, undated

Box 1, Folder 11 Sketch, Roland Hayes, undated