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Collection Overview

Repository: Archives Center, National Museum of American History
Title: Phillip Haultcoeur Papers
Identifier: NMAH.AC.1501
Date: 1954-1957
Creator: NBC Television Network
Home (TV Program)
Haultcoeur, Phillip (Hippolyte Arthur), 1908-1967 (Chef)
Extent: 0.2 Cubic feet (1 box)
Language: English.
Summary: Collection documents the NBC television show "Home" (1954-1957) and, particularly, the activities of on-air chef Philip Haultcoeur.

Administrative Information

Acquisition Information
Collection donated by Philip A. Haultcoeur (son of chef Philip Haultcoeur) in 2020.

Processing Information
Collection is unprocessed.

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Biographical / Historical

Hippolyte Arthur Haultcouer, was born on May 3, 1908 in London, England. He came to the United States in 1929 aboard the SS President Roosevelt and opened the kitchen at the Savoy-Plaza Hotel, which operated from 1927-1965. He was familiarly known as "Chef Phillip." He became a United States citizen on July 24, 1940. From March 1942 to November 1945, Haultcouer served as a Tec-5 in the United States Army. In October 1948 he married Margaret M. Mulcahy (1926-1981) in Manhattan and the couple had two children, Phillip (b. 1949) and Douglas (b. 1951).
In 1953 Haultcouver founded the culinary arts program at the State University of New York at the New York City Community College to train chefs. Haultcouver also appeared on the "Home" television program of the National Broadcasting Company with Arlene Francis and Hugh Downs from 1954 to 1957.

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Content Description
Recipes, photographs, news clippings, and program notes relating to the NBC television show "Home" (1954-1957) and, particularly, to the activities of on-air chef Philip Haultcouver.

Arrangement
The collection is arranged into one series.

Names and Subject Terms
This collection is indexed in the online catalog of the Smithsonian Institution under the following terms:

Subjects:
  Photographs
  Recipes

Types of Materials:
  Newsclippings