Postcards, 1931, 1956, and undated

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Collection Overview

Repository: Smithsonian Institution Archives, Washington, D.C., osiaref@si.edu

Creator: Smithsonian Institution, Press

Title: Postcards

Dates: 1931, 1956, and undated

Quantity: 0.25 cu. ft. (1 half document box)

Administrative Information

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Descriptive Entry
This accession consists of images of Smithsonian Institution buildings, such as the Natural History Building, the National Gallery of Art (West Building), the Arts and Industries Building, and the Smithsonian Institution Building ("The Castle"). Images also include Smithsonian objects on display, depicting interior views of Smithsonian buildings. Materials mostly consist of postcards, and a small volume of photographs, 35mm color slides, color illustrations, and a souvenir picture book. This collection was created by the Smithsonian Press as a project to design postcards with Smithsonian images.

Names and Subject Terms

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

Subjects:
Museum buildings
Postcards

Types of Materials:
Black-and-white photographs
Brochures
Color transparencies
Drawings
Names:
Arts and Industries Building (Washington, D.C.)
Natural History Building (Washington, D.C.)
Smithsonian Institution Building (Washington, D.C.)
West Building of the National Gallery of Art (Washington, D.C.)
Container Listing

Box 1

Folder 1 Correspondence, 1931 and undated

Folder 2 Selected Smithsonian Buildings and Exhibits: undated

Folder 3 Selected Smithsonian Buildings and Exhibits: color illustrations, photographs, 35mm color slides, and other images, undated

Folder 4 Smithsonian Buildings: Arts and Industries Building, undated

Folder 5 Smithsonian Buildings: National Gallery of Art (West Building), undated

Folder 6 Smithsonian Buildings: Natural History Building, undated

Folder 7 Smithsonian Buildings: Smithsonian Institution Building ("The Castle"), 1956 and undated