
1916-1948
Descriptive Summary
Dates: 1916-1948  
Collection Number: P-057  
Creator/Collector:  
Extent: 2 linear feet (Boxes: ½ letter, 6 ov)  
Repository: Seaver Center for Western History Research, Natural History Museum of Los Angeles County  
Abstract: 218 photographs made by Los Angeles photographer Viroque Baker.  
Language of Material: English  
Access  
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Publication Rights  
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Preferred Citation  
Biography/Administrative History  
Baker attended the Clarence White Photographic School in New York, 1916. Baker's mother Maude was a professional photographer in Montana and Los Angeles.  
Scope and Content of Collection  
218 photographs made by Los Angeles photographer Viroque Baker. Baker had a photographic studio on Olvera Street in Los Angeles from 1930 to 1937, and some of her photos are of the early days on the revitalized Olvera Street. Other subjects include views of Europe and Mexico, construction of Hoover Dam, and displays at Bullock's Wilshire and I. Magnin stores. Also included are photographs of Agnes de Mille, Douglas Fairbanks, Jr., and of movie sets for Mary Pickford.  
Indexing Terms  
Department stores--California--History.  
Olvera Street (Los Angeles, Calif.)--History.