Inventory to the San Francisco Earthquake of 1906 collection S.1159

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Descriptive Summary
Title: San Francisco Earthquake of 1906 collection
Collection number: S.1159
Repository: California Academy of Sciences Archives
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Languages: Materials are in English.
Physical Description: 2.0 Cubic feet 2 archives boxes, 1 clamshell box, plus 2 oversize boxes, 1 oversize folder
Date (inclusive): 1906-1991
Language of materials: Materials are in English.
Abstract: This collection was gathered over many years by Academy Library staff. It is comprised of photographs, correspondence, ephemera, and reports and surveys about the 1906 San Francisco earthquake and fire.
Creator: California Academy of Sciences.
Related materials
San Francisco earthquake photos. California Academy of Sciences Archives.
Carrie Higgins O'Neale scrapbook about 1906 San Francisco earthquake and fire. California Academy of Sciences Archives.
Conditions governing access
Access is unrestricted. The newspapers were highly acidic so the front page was photocopied and the originals were disposed of.
Scope and content
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Preferred citation
San Francisco Earthquake of 1906 collection, Special Collections, California Academy of Sciences Library, San Francisco, CA
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Subjects and Indexing Terms
Photographs
San Francisco (Calif.)--History.
Earthquakes--California
San Francisco Earthquake and Fire, Calif., 1906.

Reports and Surveys
Mixed materials 1, Folder 2
Chamber of Commerce Reports 1906 November 13
State Earthquake Investigation Commission Reports 1906-1908
Public Work of San Francisco Reports 1906-1909
News Notes of California Libraries 1906
Report of the Sub-Committee on Statistics to the Chairman and Committee on Reconstruction 1907 April 24
Engineering and Geological Reports 1907 and 1951
The Water Supply of San Francisco, California Reports 1906

Ephemera
Scope and content

Includes various publications including Collier’s, Leslie’s Weekly Sunset, and Scientific Press.

Musical scores 1906 and 1910

Photocopies of photographs circa 1906

Picture collections circa 1906

Postcards circa 1906

Aerial panoramaic views of San Francisco Earthquake. SF Examiner supplements. 1906

Personal correspondence and accounts

Librarian notes undated

Correspondence 1906-1988

Personal Accounts 1906-1974

Photographs circa 1906

Scope and content

Includes negatives, 35 mm slides, prints and stereographs of the aftermath of the San Francisco 1906 earthquake and fire. There is an average of 250 images. Six glass slides have been separated from the collection and housed in the Misc. Separated Items Glass Slides 5”x7” Collection, Box #3.