Guide to the Fernando Sanford Papers

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Overview
Call Number: SC0940
Creator: Sanford, Fernando.
Title: Fernando Sanford papers
Dates: 1885-1967
Bulk Dates: 1885-1939
Physical Description: 0.5 Linear feet
Summary: Collection includes 6 account books with entries for investments, household expenses, books, cash accounts, and other matters, 1885-1891; undated typescript of several chapters from an unpublished book "Three Centuries of Magic"; correspondence including a letter of introduction for Perry T. Tompkins, 1894, two letters to Will H. Gardner, 1939, in which Sanford recounts his career, and correspondence accompanying gift of above letters, 1967; commencement program for Palo Alto High School, 1902; and unsigned manuscript notes by speaker at Sanford's memorial service, 1948.
Language(s): The materials are in English.
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Biographical/Historical Sketch
Sanford taught physics at Stanford University from its inception in 1891 until his retirement in 1919. He earned his B.S. at Carthage College in 1879; after several years of teaching in Illinois, he went to Germany to study with physicist Von Helmholtz. He was professor at Lake Forest University prior to his arrival at Stanford.

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