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Descriptive Summary

Title: Bookplate Collection,

Date (inclusive): 1770-1953

Collection number: 144

Extent: 25 boxes (12.5 linear ft.)

Repository: University of California, Los Angeles. Library Special Collections.

Los Angeles, California 90095-1575

Physical location: Stored off-site at SRLF. Advance notice is required for access to the collection. Please contact the UCLA Library Special Collections Reference Desk for paging information.

Language: English.

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Provenance/Source of Acquisition

Gift of Maurice Thorneer, 1953.

Collection donated by Thorneer originally assembled by Olive Percival. Later additions were made by the UCLA Library Special Collections.

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Scope and Content

Collection consists of thousands of bookplates from the United States, Europe, Japan, New Zealand, Iran, Russia, and South Africa. Includes several hundred children's bookplates, some highlighted by Kate Greenaway and engravings of Gordon Craig, G.H. Shurtleff, Pixie Harris, and wood block prints of Sheldon Cheney. Also includes works of Thomas Bewick (originator of wood engraving), Maxfield Parrish, Samuel Hollyer, W.W. Garret, Stanley Harrod, Rob Wagner, and W.F. Hopson. Many of the items are mounted, and include proof copies, inscribed copies, original drawings, wood block prints, wood engravings, steel engravings, etchings, and photolithographs.

Organization and Arrangement

Collection is arranged alphabetically.

Indexing Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog. Bookplates.

Percival, Olive, 1869-1945.

Box 1	California. Physical Description: 400 Count.
Box 2	Austria. Physical Description: 350 Count.
Box 3	Belgium. Physical Description: 250 Count.
Box 3 Box 6	Canada. England. Physical Description: 200 Count.
Box 6 Box 6 Box 6 Box 4	France. Finland. Germany. Czechoslovakia. Physical Description: 450 Count.
Box 5	Czechoslovakia. Physical Description: 200 Count.
Box 7	France. Physical Description: 150 Count.

Box 7	Hungary.
Box 8	Italy. Physical Description: 300 Count.
Box 9	Italy. Physical Description: 250 Count.
Box 10	Japan. Physical Description: 200 Count.
Box 10	Yugoslavia.
Box 10	Latvia.
Box 11	Lithuania. Physical Description: 450 Count.
Box 11	Netherlands.
Box 12	New Zealand. Physical Description: 300 Count.
Box 12	Persia.
Box 13	Portugal. Physical Description: 250 Count.
Box 13	Rumania.
Box 14	South Africa. Physical Description: 500 Count.
Box 14	Sweden.
Box 14	Switzerland.
Box 14	Russia.
Box 15	U.S. Physical Description: 500 Count.
Box 16	U.S. Physical Description: 300 Count.
Box 17	U.S. Physical Description: 150 Count.
Box 18	U.S. Physical Description: 200 Count.
Box 19	U.S. Physical Description: 250 Count. Note Total 5650.
Box 20	Unprocessed bookplates, catalogs, reprints and leaflets.
Box 21	Several hundred unprocessed bookplates.
Box 22	Unprocessed bookplates, catalogs, reprints and leaflets.
Box 23	Approximately 100 miscellaneous, mounted bookplates.
Boxes 24-25	Unprocessed.