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Descriptive Summary
Title: Thomas Kimmwood Peters Papers,
Date (inclusive): 1935-1964
Collection number: 1009
Creator: Peters, Thomas Kimmwood, 1879-1973
Extent: 2 boxes (1.0 linear ft.)
Repository: University of California, Los Angeles. Library. Department of Special Collections.
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Abstract: Thomas Kimmwood Peters (1879-1973) was a pioneer newsreel cameraman who filmed the 1906 San Francisco earthquake and fire, the construction of the Panama Canal, and other events. He was also a motion picture producer, cameraman, and inventor. The collection consists of correspondence, brochures and miscellaneous materials relating to Peters' activities in building his own and Oglethorpe University's historical photographic collections.

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Biography
Peters was born in 1884; he became a pioneer newsreel cameraman who filmed the 1906 San Francisco earthquake and fire, the construction of the Panama Canal, and other events; was also a motion picture producer, cameraman, and inventor; he died on December 1, 1973.

Scope and Content
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Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
News photographers--United States--Archival resources.

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