Brinkmann family collection of Mexican postcards

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Descriptive Summary
Title: Brinkmann family collection of Mexican postcards
Date (inclusive): 1905-1920
Date (bulk): 1906-1907
Collection Number: MS 416
Creator: Brinkmann family
Extent: 1.08 linear feet (1 box)
Repository: Rivera Library. Special Collections Department.
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Abstract: The collection consists of approximately 125 photographic postcards mostly from Mexico, sent to various members of the Brinkmann family from 1905-1920. The postcards depict landscapes, buildings, and people from multiple parts of the country, most notably Veracruz, Yucatán, and the State of Mexico.
Languages: The content of the postcards is mostly written in German, with postcard captions in Spanish, French, and English.
Access
The collection is open for research.
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Collection Scope and Contents
The collection consists of approximately 125 photographic postcards, mainly from Mexico, sent to various members of the Brinkmann family from 1905-1920, most notably Else and Edith Brinkmann. Postcards were sent to Hanover (Germany), Mexico City, and Riverside, California, and are written in German.
The postcards are in both color and black and white and color, and depict landscapes, buildings, and people from multiple parts of the country, most notably Veracruz, Yucatán, and the State of Mexico. There are also a small number of postcards from other countries, including France, Spain, and Cuba.
Collection Arrangement
Postcards in the collection are arranged chronologically.
Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Subjects
Mexico
Mexico -- History -- 20th century
Genres and Forms of Materials
Photographic postcards
Postcards