Guide to the Jacob Peter Mayer Collection

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Descriptive Summary
Title: Jacob Peter Mayer Collection
Dates: 1910-1985
Bulk Dates: 1940s-1960s
Collection number: Mss 215
Creator: Mayer, J. P. (Jacob Peter), 1903-
Collection Size: 0.2 linear feet (1 half-size document box)
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Abstract: The collection contains correspondence, photographs, and related materials, most of which accompanied the 14,500 volume library of Jacob Peter Mayer, political scientist and Alexis de Tocqueville scholar.

Physical location: Del Sur.

Languages: English

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None.

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Acquisition Information
Purchase from Jacob Peter Mayer, 1962-1963.

Scope and Content of Collection
The collection contains correspondence, photographs, and related materials, most of which accompanied the 14,500 volume library of Jacob Peter Mayer, political scientist and Alexis de Tocqueville scholar. Rarer volumes from the library are housed in Special Collections and have been cataloged separately.

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.
Mayer, J. P. (Jacob Peter), 1903-
Tocqueville, Alexis de, 1805-1859.
| Box 1: 1 | Copies of University of Colorado press release, 1961 |
| Box 1: 1 | Donald C. Davidson (UCSB University Librarian) biographical sketch, 1962 |
| Box 1: 2 | Correspondence |
| Box 1: 2 | General - mainly correspondence to Mayer re Tocqueville and publishing matters, 1910-1960s |
| Box 1: 2 | Includes letter from G. Sterling to Idwal [Jones?] on Bohemian Club, San Francisco, stationery, 1920 |
| Box 1: 3 | Letters laid in volumes from Mayer's library |
| Box 1: 5 | Photographs - three black and white 8x10 prints of Mayer, n.d. |