Bliss & Faville architectural drawings 0000382

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Title: Bliss & Faville architectural drawings
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Contributing Institution: Architecture and Design Collection, Art, Design & Architecture Museum
Language of Material: English
Physical Description: 9.0 Linear feetTwo flat file folders, two oversize rolls
Date: 1911
Location note: ADC regular / flat files misc. ADC oversize rolls
creator: Bliss & Faville.
creator: Bliss, Walter Danforth
creator: Faville, William Baker
Custodial History note
Blueprints were Found In Collections (FIC), possibly as part of the David Gebhard private collection, 2019.
Biographical/Historical note
Walter Bliss (1872-1956) and William Faville (1866-1946) were partners in the architecture firm Bliss & Faville from 1898 until 1925, working mainly in northern California and San Francisco in particular. Both Bliss and Faville were educated at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology; after they graduated they worked for the New York based firm McKim, Mead & White. They moved to San Francisco in 1898 and formed their architecture firm. Bliss & Faville were known for residential work, but after the 1906 San Francisco Earthquake and Fire, they received many commercial and civic projects as well.
Conditions Governing Access note
Open for use by qualified researchers
Scope and Contents note
This collection contains blueprints for Bliss & Faville buildings.
Related Archival Materials note
Bliss & Faville architectural drawings, [ca. 1900-1920], Bancroft Library, University of California, Berkeley
Architectural Drawing of Proposed Buildings for the University of Nevada, University Archives, University of Nevada, Reno

Drawer 553  Clunie Theater (Sacramento, Calif.) 1911
Drawer 553  Liverpool & London & Globe Insurance Company building California & Leidesdorff St. (San Francisco, Calif.) 1912
Oversize roll #1  Flood, Maud Lee house Broadway & Webster St. (San Francisco, Calif.) 1912
Scope and Contents note
The oversize blueprints are in poor condition and very fragile.

Oversize roll #2  Masonic Hall building Van Ness & Oak St. (San Francisco, Calif.) 1910