Moritt, Fred G.; Papers

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Summary Information

Repository: M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections & Archives
Title: Fred G. Moritt Papers
ID: apap334
Date [inclusive]: 1959-1994
Physical Description: 27 cubic ft.
Physical Location: The materials are located onsite in the department.
Language of the Material: English
Mixed Materials [Collection]: X
Abstract: This collection contains the papers of Fred G. Moritt.

Preferred Citation

Preferred citation for this material is as follows:

Identification of specific item, series, box, folder, Fred G. Moritt Papers, 1959-1994. M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections and Archives, University Libraries, University at Albany, State University of New York (hereafter referred to as the Moritt Papers).

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Historical Note

The Fred G. Moritt Papers document the post-legislative career of the New York State Assemblyman and Senator (1905-1995). After representing Brooklyn for two decades in the state legislature from 1938-1957, Moritt served as a judge in the New York Civil Court until 1975. He also was an author and composer. A member of the American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers, Moritt wrote the score for The Third Kiss (the basis of the London musical Robert and Elizabeth) and the songs Cansado, I Wrote a Love Song, Oh Willie Im Waiting, Song of December and more.

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Scope and Contents

The collection includes files related to both his legal career and his musical compositions.

Arrangement of the Collection

The collection is unprocessed and is likely disorganized. Individual items may be difficult to find.

Administrative Information

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Revision Description
Encoded in EAD by Brian Keough 2016 December 26

Processing Information
Processed in 2016 by unprocessed.

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**Acquisition Information**

All items in this collection were transferred to the University Libraries, M.E. Grenander Department of Special Collections and Archives in 2012 by Rabbi Leanna Morritt, Fred G. Morritt's daughter.

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