

D.H. Drew slides and audiovisual collection, 1930s-1960s

Overview of the Collection

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| Creator | Drew, D. H. (Donald H.) |
| Title | D.H. Drew slides and audiovisual collection |
| Dates | 1930s-1960s (inclusive) 1930 1969 |
| Quantity | 3 boxes (Box 1: 6 film reels: 8mm, 17 film reels: Super8, 3 film reels: 16mm, 1 ea: computer game. Box 2: 24 reels: reel-to-reel audio, 8 sound recordings: vinyl records, 2 Ayres scale model pieces (for model railroad), 1 electric switch machine (for model railroad). Box 3: 28 boxes with 30 slides/box, 2 boxes with 50 stereoslides/box, 1 box with 20 slides/box.) |
| Collection Number | PH2016-085 |
| Summary | Collection of film reels, audio, and slides from Donald H. Drew Sr. |
| Repository | University of Washington Libraries, Special Collections Special Collections University of Washington Libraries Box 352900 Seattle, WA 98195-2900 Telephone: 206-543-1929 Fax: 206-543-1931 speccoll@uw.edu |
| Access Restrictions | Access restricted: For terms of access, contact University of Washington Libraries Special Collections. Records stored off site; advance notice required for use. |
| Languages | English |

Biographical Note

Donald H. Drew Sr. of Edmonds, Washington (1929-2008) was a lifelong model railroad hobbyist. He purchased Pacific Fast Mail (PFM), an importer and distributor of fine brass scale-model locomotives, and ran PFM from 1966 until his death, importing unique train models, manufacturing locomotive sound systems and publishing books related to model railroads.

Content Description

The collection consists of slides, films, audiotapes, records, and scale model railroad artifacts collected by Don H. Drew, the owner of PFM, Inc. a model railroad importer and distributor.

Use of the Collection

Restrictions on Use

Donor's copyrights transferred to the University of Washington Libraries Special Collections. Donor did not own copyright to portions of the collection.

Administrative Information

Preservation Note

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Acquisition Information

Donated by Don Drew, August 31, 2015.

Detailed Description of the Collection

| Container(s) | Description |
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| Box | |
| 1 | Family and Commercial Films 6 film reels: 8mm, 17 film reels: Super8, 3 film reels: 16mm, 1 ea: computer game. Family films related to trains and family trips. Also include film titles: "Beehive", "The Dentist", Dracula-Castle Film, and "Lawrence of Arabia." |
| 2 | Audio Recordings, Records, and Scale Model Railroad Artifacts 24 reels: reel-to-reel audio, 8 sound recordings: vinyl records, 2 Ayres scale model pieces (for model railroad), 1 electric switch machine (for model railroad) The vinyl records include "Finian's Rainbow" and "Music Box." There is also a reel-to-reel audiotape of "Pops Roundup" . |
| 3 | Slides of family activities 28 boxes with 30 slides/box, 2 boxes with 50 stereoslides/box, 1 box with 20 slides/box. Family related slides such as "Christmas at Drew's", "Drew House", and "Drews in Hawaii." Slides also relate to specific sites: Mt. Rainier, Mt. Franklin, Colorado, Sun Valley, Yosemite, Blue Ridge, and Korea. |

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Amateur films--Washington (State)--Edmonds

Family vacations

Railroads--Models

Personal Names :

Drew, D. H. (Donald H.)--Archives

Drew, D. H. (Donald H.)--Family

Drew, D. H. (Donald H.)--Friends and associates

Form or Genre Terms :

Amateur films

Ephemera

Home movies

Photographs

Slides (photographs)

Sound recordings

Video recordings

Names and Subjects

Subject Terms :

Moving Image Collections (University of Washington)

Visual Materials Collections (University of Washington)

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