

Jack London Papers (SC156)

Introduction

The Jack London Papers collection consists of a facsimile letter London wrote to Houghton Mifflin Publishing Company in 1900. The letter describes London's childhood, education, and early travels.

Descriptive Summary

Title: Jack London Papers
Date: 1900
Size: 0.01 linear feet, 1 folder
Collection Number: SC156

Donor Information

Gift, Josephine C. McLaughlin. For other items donated by Josephine C. McLaughlin, see SC153 and SC155.

Citation Note

Jack London papers (SC156), Missouri Valley Special Collections, Kansas City Public Library, Kansas City, Missouri.

Biographical/Historical Sketch

Jack London (1876-1916) is an American author and journalist. He is perhaps best known for his novels *The Call of the Wild* and *White Fang*, as well as several short stories.

Scope and Content Note

This collection contains a facsimile copy of a letter written by Jack London to Houghton Mifflin on January 31, 1900 providing the company with biographical information. He discusses his childhood, education, and early travels. The letter is stamped with his signature.

Collection Inventory

f. 1 Letter, 1900

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