Holiday Postcard Collection

Various holidays are represented in this small postcard collection.

Descriptive Summary

Creator: Artificial collection **Title**: Holiday postcard collection

Dates: circa 1900-1950

Size: 2 boxes Location: SC13-2

Administrative Information

Restrictions on access: Unrestricted access.

Acquisition information: Unknown.

Custodial history: Formerly located in the library's Art and Music Department

before being transferred to the Missouri Valley Room.

Citation note: Holiday postcard collection (SC13-2), Missouri Valley Special

Collections, Kansas City Public Library, Kansas City, Missouri.

Collection Description

Scope and content note

This collection contains approximately 400 postcards of several different holidays, including: New Year's Day, Saint Valentine's Day, Saint Patrick's Day, Easter, Halloween, Christmas, and birthdays. The majority of the cards are for the Christmas holiday. Originally the cards were housed in three-ring binders, but in an effort to conserve shelf space they were transferred to boxes. The cards are arranged chronologically by holiday, with birthday cards at the end of the collection. Oversized cards have been placed in a separate box.

Collection Inventory

Valentine's Day
Washington's Birthday
Leap Year
St. Patrick's Day
Easter
Mother's Day
Independence Day
Halloween
Thanksgiving
Christmas
New Years
Birthdays

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