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Accession # 82 M 4

Location 3-j-1

Title ALBERT ROSWELL LAMB Papers

Approximate inclusive dates 1917-1928

Date of receipt Sept. 22, 1947

Received from Lord, Day and Lord

Volume on arrival 5 boxes

Number of boxes (after reboxing) 2 AB, 1 RC

Condition fair - - many news clippings are deteriorating

Restrictions none

Description

Albert R. Lamb (dates unknown) served as a member of the Washington, D. C. police force, 1909-1916. In 1917, at the instigation of the United States government, Lamb was appointed head of the National Police in the Republic of Panama. He served in that post until 1928.

The collection contains correspondence and reports (most are in Spanish) during Lamb's tenure with the Panama police, some personal papers, a draft of an autobiography concerning his work in Panama, and other writings. One-half of the collection consists of clippings about Panama. In addition, there are papers and correspondence (1923-1927) of Jacqueline Lewis MacNish (ca. 1879-?) regarding her divorce from Ronald MacNish (?-1925), a citizen of Panama.

Box 1: Personal and professional papers.

Box 2: Correspondence, writings, and MacNish papers.

Box 3: Clippings

Special Formats ☐ Photographs ☐ Maps ☐ Audio Tapes ☐ Films ☐ Graphics
☐ Artifacts ☐ Machine-readable records
☐ Other (list) _____

Temporary catalog card added entries

MacNish, Jacqueline L., ca. 1879-?;
Panama; Police; 1901-25, 1926-1950

Accessioned by Robert Sink

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