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**League of American Writers records**

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## Summary

**Creator:** League of American Writers

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**Size:** .2 linear feet (1 v.)

**Source:** Gift, Wells, Gabriel, 1939

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## Key Terms

### Subjects

Authors, American -- Political activity

Authors, American -- Societies, etc

Fascism -- Spain

### Geographic Names

Spain -- History -- Civil War, 1936-1939 -- Foreign public opinion  
Spain -- Politics and government -- 1931-1939

**Titles**

Writers take sides

**Names**

League of American Writers

Franco, Francisco, 1892-1975

Stewart, Donald Ogden, 1894-1980