



The New York Public Library Music Division

Guide to the

Correspondence received

1931-1961

JPB 90-86

Summary

Creator: Ostroff, Esther

Title: Correspondence received

Date: 1931-1961

Size: .4 linear feet

Source: Gift, Ostroff, Esther, 1990

Abstract: Esther Ostroff, an American pianist, studied with Isidore Philipp. 71 ALS and 12 postcards from Isidore Philipp dated 1931-1957; 2 ALS and 1 postcard from James Friskin; 1 ALS and 1 postcard from Jacob Weinberg, 1 ALS from John Corigliano; 1 postcard each from Pablo Casals and Mischa Mischakoff; and 1 calling card from Margarete Dessoff. The Casals item begins "Dear Mr. Dubensky"; all the rest are addressed to Esther Ostroff. 4 signed portraits were separated from the collection and can be found in the Music Division's Rare Photographs file: Frank Damrosch (Ph C 2330), James Friskin (Ph C 2331), Josef Lhevinne (Ph D 2068), and Isidore Philipp (Ph D 2067).

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Language of the Material: Chiefly in English ; 17 items by Philipp are in French

Creator History

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Scope and Content Note

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Key Terms

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Calling cards
Correspondence
Letters
Postcards

Occupations

Pianists

Names

Ostroff, Esther
Casals, Pablo, 1876-1973
Corigliano, John, 1938-
Damrosch, Frank, 1859-1937
Friskin, James, 1886-1967
Lhe_vinne, Josef, 1874-1944
Mischakoff, Mischa, 1895-1981
Philipp, Isidore, 1863-1958
Weinberg, Jacob, 1879-1956
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