

Guide to the

# **First American Congress of Theatre Records**

1974

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### **Summary**

Creator: First American Congress of Theatre

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# **Key Terms**

### **Subjects**

Theater -- Congresses -- United States

#### Names

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