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Guide to the

Tamara Daykarhanova photographs

1897-1975

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Summary

Creator: Daykarhanova, Tamara, 1889-1980

Title: Tamara Daykarhanova photographs

Date: 1897-1975

Size: .42 linear feet (1 box)

Source: Unknown.

Abstract: Tamara Daykarhanova (1889-1980) was a Russian-born actress and acting teacher. She debuted with the Moscow Art Theatre (Moskovski_ khudozhestvenny_ akademicheski_ teatr) at age 18 and, following the Russian Revolution, went on to tour with the Chauve-Souris company (Teatr "Letuchai_a_ mysh'") throughout Europe. She settled in New York in 1923 where she founded the Tamara Daykarhanova School of the Stage. The Tamara Daykarhanova photographs date from 1897 to 1975 and document personal and professional activities throughout her life. Photographs include family portraits and informal family photographs in Russia, France, and the United States; headshots and production stills from her early career with Moscow Art Theatre and the Chauve-Souris company; and portraits of Russian and American actors contemporary to Daykarhanova. Some photographs are captioned in Russian with English translations. Also included is a calendar listing birthdays, anniversaries, and deaths of Daykarhanova's family members and friends. Some materials in this collection were previously cataloged under the classmarks MWEZ + n.c. 25,797 and 8-MWEZ + n.c. 25,034.

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Key Terms

Subjects

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Theater -- Russia -- Moscow

Theater, Russian

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Photographs

Names

Moskovski_ khudozhestvenny_ akademicheski_ teatr

Teatr "Letuchai_a_ mysh_"