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Wilhelm Busch diaries

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Summary

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Abstract: Wilhelm Busch (b. 1874) was a librarian at the New York Public Library from 1923 to 1939. Busch's diaries, largely in German, date both before and after his emigration to the United States from Germany. Entries record his daily life and career in the book trade in Germany, Vienna and New York.

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Key Terms

Subjects

Booksellers and bookselling

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Genre/Physical Characteristic

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Occupations

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Names

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