

Guide to the

Maggie Mitchell correspondence and other material

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Summary

Creator: Mitchell, Maggie, 1837-1918

Title: Maggie Mitchell correspondence and other material

Date: 1854-1890

Size: .1 linear feet (1 folder)

Source: Donated by George Horter, 1945.

Abstract: Collection consists predominantly of letters written between 1854 and 1890 to American actress Maggie Mitchell and her husband and manager, Henry T. Paddock from family, friends, and fans. Letters discuss a voyage to Hong Kong and Japan; personal and social matters; Mitchell's performances; expenses incurred in travel; and news of the day. Several bills and receipts are also present, as is an undated draft of a speech by Mitchell for an unspecified engagement.

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Creator History

Margaret Julia Mitchell (popularly known as Maggie Mitchell), 1832-1918, was an American actress.

Scope and Content Note

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Key Terms

Occupations

Actresses
Theatrical managers

Subjects

Actresses -- Correspondence Actresses -- United States -- 19th century Voyages and travels -- 19th century

Names

Mitchell, Maggie, 1837-1918 -- Correspondence Paddock, Henry T. -- recipient