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J. R. Mitchell Papers

Collection Summary

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Content Note

J. R. Mitchell's scrapbook contains his original typescript narrative of 86 folio pages, accompanied by 82 original photographs. Mitchell, aboard a 500-passenger cruise ship, gives an intelligent, witty account of his 1921 voyage from New York to Chile via Cuba, the Panama Canal and Peru.

Detailed Description: Box and Folder Listing

Box 1	FF 1	Contains pages 3-6 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a description of the voyage to Panama from New York City, July 3-8, 1921.
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Box 1	FF 2	Contains pages 6-11 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a description of the Republic of Panama, July 8, 1921.
Box 1	FF 3	Contains pages 12-21 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain poems written by J. S. Gilbert regarding Panama, July 8, 1921.
Box 1	FF 4	Contains pages 22-29 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a description and history of the Panama Canal, July 9, 1921.
Box 1	FF 5	Contains pages 29-33 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a poem written by J. S. Gilbert entitled "The Fall of Old Panama," July 9, 1921.
Box 1	FF 6	Contains pages 34-39 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a travel log regarding Mitchell's voyage to Peru, July 10-13, 1921.
Box 1	FF 7	Contains pages 40-47 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a description and history of Inca Civilization, July 13, 1921.
Box 1	FF 8	Contains pages 47-51 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a history of Peru, July 13, 1921.
Box 1	FF 9	Contains pages 51-71 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a travel log of the different sites Mitchell visited while in Peru, July 14-19, 1921.
Box 1	FF 10	Contains pages 71-86 of Mitchell's journal. These pages contain a description of the history and travel log of the different sites Mitchell visited while in Chile, July 19-September 6, 1921.
Box 1	FF 11	Contains 81 black and white photographs of Mitchell's voyage through the Panama Canal as well as his travels through South America.
Box 1	FF 12	Contains the original scrapbook.

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