

Description and Finding Aid
ROSS PARMENTER FONDS
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Dates of creation

1967-1984

Extent

1 file of textual records

Biographical sketch

Ross Parmenter was born in 1912 May 30, Toronto Ontario. He graduated from Trinity College in 1933 briefly working for the Toronto Evening Telegram before moving to New York in 1934 to work for the New York Times. There he worked as an investigative reporter, and later a reviewer and editor for their music department until his retirement in 1964. Mr. Parmenter's career was briefly interrupted by the outbreak of World War II, where he served as a medic for 3 years under conscientious objector status. Aside from his career with the New York Times Mr. Parmenter was also an accomplished author who published 12 books, several of which focused on Mexico, where he owned a residence and had spent a large portion of his life. On October 18, 1999 Ross Parmenter died in Manhattan New York.

Scope and content

Fonds consists of correspondence from Ross Parmenter and two article reviews discussing two of Mr. Parmenter's publications.

Notes

Acquisition history: Materials where received from John Pepall son of Robert Pepall

Arrangement: Materials have been maintained in the original order they where received

Restrictions on access: None

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Provenance access points: Parmenter, Ross 1912-1999

Location / File Listing:

FOLDER/UNIT TITLE	START DATE	END DATE	CONTENTS	BOX/ FILE#
Correspondence and book reviews	1967	1984	-Publicity release by Peter J. White discusses Ross Parmenter's book <i>Lawrence in Oaxaca</i> published in 1984 -A book review discusses Ross Parmenter's book <i>School of a Soldier</i> published in 1980 -Correspondence from Ross Parmenter to Robert Pepall 1983, 1980 (pp 1-3) and 1967. Pepall was a friend and classmate of Parmenter's during his time at Trinity College. Included are discussions around Parmenter's publication of <i>School of a Soldier</i> , early publication of <i>Lawrence of Oaxaca</i> and <i>Week of Yanhuitlan</i>	1-1