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Collection Summary

Title: Joseph P. Mastrangelo Washington Post map collection

Span Dates: 1967-1979

Call No.: G3200 coll .M22 Mastrangelo

Creator: Mastrangelo, Joseph P.; Washington Post Company

Extent: 206 items

Extent: 203 maps

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Extent: 1 text

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Language: Collection material in English

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Summary: The collection consists of 203 newspaper maps clipped from the Washington Post between 1967 and 1979, two manuscript maps, and one publication from 1967 containing maps of the subway system in Washington, D.C. All of the maps in the collection were drawn by Joseph P. Mastrangelo, a cartographer for the Washington Post.

Provenance

The collection was donated to the Geography and Map Division.

Processing History

The collection was processed by the division in 2008 and described by Ryan Moore in 2021.

Copyright Status

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Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Joseph P. Mastrangelo was born in 1922 and died in 1999. Mastrangelo worked at the Washington Post from the mid-1960s until the early 1980s. He composed maps for the newspaper and wrote stories that appeared in the Metro and Style sections of the Post. He also was a veteran of World War II who served on a submarine in the Pacific.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of 203 newspaper maps clipped from the Washington Post between 1967 and 1979, two manuscript maps, and one publication from 1967 concerning the subway system in Washington, D.C

Arrangement

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Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

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Mastrangelo, Joseph P., cartographer.

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Organizations

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Washington Post Company--Maps.

Subjects

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Places

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Form/Genre

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