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MS 1158 Drachman, Oliver C., 1903-1996 Papers, 1930-1946

DESCRIPTION

Correspondence, newspaper clippings, photographs, and "Letter from Home" newsletters mostly relating to a 1938 strike by laundry workers and the "Letter from Home" newsletters created by Oliver Drachman during World War II. The material on the laundry strike includes photographs and newspaper clippings. The "Letter from Home" material includes correspondence from soldiers, newsletters, articles about the project, and a few photographs.

1 box, .5 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Prominent Tucson businessman Oliver Drachman owned Tucson Laundry & Dry Cleaners, Oliver's Cleaners, Drachman Formal Wear Inc. and other businesses. He was a City Councilman and served on the T.U.S.D. School Board. During World War II, He started a newsletter for servicemen from Tucson, called "Letter from Home", about Tucson happenings with photographs of Tucson.

RELATED MATERIAL

Related material: Mose Drachman papers, MS 0226

ACQUISITION

Roy P. Drachman donated the material in March 2000.

ACCESS

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PROCESSING

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