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**MS 855
WENCK, HAROLD EDGAR, 1896-
WENCK PAPERS, 1937**

DESCRIPTION

Three original cartoons by Wenck depicting Indian fighting and buffalo hunting. All the ink drawings are done on the front of what was used as a greeting card to Jeff Milton and his wife. There is a brief note inside each one, such as "Wish you folks a Merry X-Mas." They were all done in 1937.

1 Box, .25 linear feet

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

H. E. Wenck (also known as Joe) was born in Fort Assinboine, Montana in 1896. According to an article in *Arizona Kitty Kat* (Vol. XII, No. 6), he had a variety of careers in the West. In 1951, he published a book of poems and drawings entitled *Phantoms of Old Tombstone* and he is identified as an "engineer, scholar, adventurer."

ACQUISITION

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