



MG 83 - Walter L. Mills fonds

Dates: 1974-1984 (inclusive); 1980-1984 (predominant).

Extent: 12.7 cm of textual records

Biography: Walter Lord Lynbrook Mills was born on 29 May 1924 in Moose Jaw, Saskatchewan. He received his BA from the University of Saskatchewan in 1957 and continued with postgraduate work at the University of Minnesota, receiving an MA in Theatre Arts in 1963. He joined the faculty of the U of S in 1964. In addition to his work as an actor, director, and playwright, Professor Mills has run for the Saskatoon Collegiate Board, and has been elected as Saskatchewan's representative on the national Board of Directors for the Association of Canadian Television and Radio Artists (ACTRA). He passed away on November 1, 2014.

Scope and content: This fonds contains several drafts of the play "Chokecherry Wine (or the Hafford Wedding Caper)" including the version edited for high schools; material concerning the arrangements and expenses for the 1974 Strolling Players tour, as well as a diary of their 1975 tour.

Restrictions: There are no restrictions on access.

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A. "Chokecherry Wine" (or Hafford Wedding Caper)

1. Draft (yellow paper)
2. Draft (white paper)
3. Draft (printed)
4. Correspondence re manuscript
5. Manuscript with editing notes
6. Version edited for high schools
7. Production charts, revisions, memos, 1984

B. "Strolling Players"

1. Arrangements and expenses for 1974 tour.
2. Diary of 1975 tour.