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FRANCES LANDER SPAIN PAPERS

1938-1982

6 Boxes, 20 Folders
The papers of Frances Lander Spain, educator and librarian, were received as a gift by the Archives from Frances Lander Spain on April 15, 1974. An addition was made on December 20, 1979.

Linear feet of shelf space occupied: 1.50
Approximate number of pieces: 3,000

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Scope and Content Note: The collection includes correspondence, publications, newspaper clippings, photographs, and mementos relating to her professional career as a librarian and library science educator.
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BIOGRAPHICAL DATA

1903   Born, Jacksonville, Florida
1925   B.A., Winthrop College
1936   B.L.S., Emory University
1940   M.A., University of Chicago
1944   Ph.D., University of Chicago
1936-1948  Librarian and Library Science Professor, Winthrop College
1949-1953  Assistant Director, School of Library Science, University of Southern California
1951-1952  Fulbright grantee to Thailand
1953-1961  Coordinator of Children’s Services, New York Public Library
1954-1959  Editor, “Books for Young People” section, Saturday Review
1960-1961  President, American Library Association
1964-1965  Rockefeller Foundation grantee to Thailand
1967-1971  Librarian, Central Florida Community College, Ocala, Florida
1981   Received Mary Mildred Sullivan Award
Jan. 20, 1999  Died, Schenectady, New York
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<td>Mainly pertaining to Dr. Spain’s business activities, her involvement with various professional organizations and her work in Thailand as a Rockefeller grantee (1964-1965). Related papers include some unpublished speeches made in the Far East. There is some correspondence with Louis Round Wilson. In chronological order.</td>
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