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Summary Information

Repository: University Archives and Special Collections

Title: Roy V. Boswell Collection for the History of Cartography (Collection)

Identifier: SC-14

Date: 1285-2012

Date: Majority of material found within 1500 - 1900

Physical Description: 3089 Volumes (3089 volumes, 1532 maps, and 46 boxes shelved in 120 map drawers and 555 linear feet.)

Scope and Contents note

The Collection for the History of Cartography was founded in 1971 by Roy V. Boswell and Ernest W. Toy, Jr., to provide a resource for scholarship and education in this emerging field. It contains 1532 maps and 3089 volumes of books, pamphlets and periodicals. The maps range in date from 1285-1900. The books, pamphlets and periodicals form a reference collection for the study of cartography, geography, exploration and navigation from ancient times to 1900. The books, pamphlets, and periodicals are 20th and 21st Century imprints.

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