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MB Mission work in Ecuador

An Inventory of Records

OVERVIEW OF THE COLLECTION

Creator: MB Mission

Title: Records of mission work in Ecuador

Inclusive dates: 1950-1987

Quantity: 2 linear ft. 15 sound tape cassettes

Record Group No.: A250-16

HISTORICAL BACKGROUND

The work of MB Mission in Ecuador was entirely linked to short-wave radio station HCJB in Quito, established in 1931 by the World Radio Missionary Fellowship (WRMF). The Board of Foreign Missions (as it was then known) approached WRMF in 1950 about the possibility of supplying missionaries to work in the German Department at HCJB. This offer was accepted by WRMF and in 1953 David and Anne Nightingale became the first Mennonite Brethren workers at HCJB.

SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE COLLECTION

This subgroup includes minutes of the HCJB German Department, HCJB correspondence reports, and other minutes and reports relating to MB Mission work in Ecuador; correspondence with radio station HCJB and the World Radio Missionary Fellowship; individual files of missionaries serving in Ecuador; other correspondence relating to MB Mission work in Ecuador; news releases, leaflets, broadcast schedules, calendars, clippings and samples of broadcast recordings.

LANGUAGES APPEARING IN THE COLLECTION

Most German Department minutes are in German. Some correspondence and other material also is in German.

DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE COLLECTION

Box 1

Series 1: Minutes and reports

- German Department Minutes 1957-1983
- Minutes and Reports 1958-1976
- Finance Report and Correspondence
- Finances
- Field Reports 1979-1987
- Field Trips
- Annual Workers Progress Reports
- Ecuador 1985-1987
- Ecuador
- HCJB Correspondence
- Correspondence HCJB/ WRMF 1950-1971
- HCJB 1984
- HCJB Reports 1973-1977
- HCIB 1980
- HCIB (2 folders)
- Ecuador
- HCJB Material

Series 2: Individual files

- Arndt, Victor and Helena 1964-1965
- Bolzer, Cornelius and Elfrieda 1970-1981
- Born, Henry C. and Ester 1969-1971
- Huebert, Peter and Maria 1964-1989
- Jantz, Hugo and Katherine 1956-1960
- Kornelsen, Anne 1966-1975
- Nightingale, David and Anne 1953-1964
- Orr, Tim and Lorrie 2000
- Schroeder, Sally 1957-1987
- Wiens, Mary 1964-1970

Box 2

Series 3: Subject files

- Clippings 1955-1969
- Leaflets 1961-184
- News Release 1972-1974
- Prayer Letters
- HCJB Radio Ministry (3 folders)
- HCJB German Language and Programming
- Miscellaneous

Box 2 Continued

Series 4: Photographs

Baptism
Buildings
Evangelism – Billy Graham Crusade
Board Meetings
Broadcasting
HCJB- Facilities
HCJB- Listeners
HCJB- Office Work
Missionaries- Huebert, Peter and Marie
Missionaries- Schroeder, Sally
Missionary Children
People
Travel
Worship Services
15 Cassette Tapes