

JOHN A. SIEGEL COLLECTION

1928 - 1936

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Administrative Information

Extent: 2 oversize flat boxes.

Date Span: 1928-1936.

Provenance: In library.

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Biographical Note

John A. Siegel was at one time an engineer with the City of Newport Beach. He was married to Catherine Siegel. Among his many engineering projects included the development of Linda, Lido and Shark Islands in Newport Beach.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of three photograph albums, some loose photographs, a bound volume containing the construction record of the Lido Isle Bridge, and ephemera. The photographs document the construction of the Balboa Island Bridge, Lido Isle and the Lido Isle bridge, and the improvements to and dredging of Newport Harbor. The two pieces of ephemera in the collection are invitations to the opening of the San Francisco – Oakland Bay Bridge and the Newport Bay and Harbor in 1936.

Container List

<u>Box</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Description</u>	<u>Date(s)</u>
1	1	Photo Album 1: Balboa Island bridge	1928
1	2	Photo Album 2: Building Lido Isle	1930
2	3	Photo Album 3: Newport Harbor improvement construction, dredging, and the grand canal	1929-1935
2	4	Construction record – Lido Isle bridge [bound volume]	1930
2	5	Loose photographs (38)	[1930s?]
2	6	Ephemera: Two invitations	1936

Subjects

Newport Beach – History – 20th century.

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