Guide to the Henry John May Papers

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Overview

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CALL NUMBER: MS 1640

CREATOR: May, Henry John

TITLE: Henry John May papers

DATES: 1985

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 0.25 linear feet

LANGUAGE(S): The materials are in English.

SUMMARY: The papers consist of an unpublished autobiography by former South African lawyer Henry John May. The memoir describes May's personal life as well as his professional career.

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Administrative Information

Provenance


Information about Access

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Cite As

Henry John May Papers. Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

Biographical / Historical

Henry John May began the practice of law in Johannesburg in 1925 and was considered an authority on native law and customs. He wrote and lectured on apartheid, constitutional law, and South African history.

Description of the Collection

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Access Terms

Lawyers -- South Africa.
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May, Henry John