

Charles Oscar Maas map collection
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Collection Summary

Title: Charles Oscar Maas map collection.

Span Dates: 1920-1997

Bulk Dates: (bulk 1920-1929)

Call No.: G3301.P5 coll .M3 Maas

Creator: Maas, Charles Oscar, -1919

Extent: 5 items

Extent: 4 maps

Extent: 1 textual document

Language: Collection material in English

Location: Geography and Map Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

LC Catalog record: <https://lccn.loc.gov/2020589505>

Summary: The collection consists of four maps that depict New York, steamboat lines in North America, Puerto Rico and the Panama Canal. Maas, the compiler, was Lieutenant Commander, USNFR, Assistant Naval Attache to the American Embassy in Paris, France.

Provenance

Originally part of the Charles Oscar Maas papers, 1917-1925. Materials transferred from Manuscript Division July 22, 1997.

Processing History

The collection was processed and arranged by Ryan Moore in 2020.

Materials Cataloged Separately

Charles Oscar Maas papers, 1917-1925

Manuscript Division Shelving Number: MMC-1041

Copyright Status

Materials from the Charles Oscar Maas map collection are governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.) and other applicable international copyright laws.

Access and Restrictions

The Charles Oscar Maas map collection collection is open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the [Geography and Map Reading Room](#) prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number, Charles Oscar Maas map collection, Geography and Map Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Biographical Note

During World War I, Maas served as an assistant naval attache in Paris, France.

Scope and Content Note

Four maps owned by Charles Maas.

Arrangement

The Charles Oscar Maas map collection is organized in a single series:

- Charles Oscar Maas map collection

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

People

Maas, Charles Oscar, -1919

Maas, Charles Oscar, -1919, compiler.

Subjects

Aerial photogrammetry--New York (state)--New York--Maps.

Roads--Puerto Rico--Maps.

Steamboat lines--North America--Maps.

Places

Canal Zone--Maps.

New York (N.Y.)--Maps.

North America--Maps.

Puerto Rico--Maps.

Form/Genre

Maps.

Remote-sensing images.

Remote-sensing maps.

Description of Series

Container

FOLDER 1

Series

Charles Oscar Maas map collection. 1920-1997

Container List

Container	Contents
FOLDER 1	Charles Oscar Maas map collection. 1920-1997
1	The Panama Canal Map of the Canal Zone Aug. 1. 1920 Canal Zone Institute of Panama
2	Porto Rico. C.S. Hammond "Good roads" indicated in red
3	United Fruit Company Steamship Service: Cuba-Jamaica-Panama-Costa Rica-Columbia-Guatemala-Hondurus-Central and South America. 1920 Redfield-Kendrick-Odell Co. Shows shipping lines and wireless stations "Great White Fleet Serves the Americas"
4	Greater New York: Metropolis of Mankind. 1920 National Geographic Society Aerial photomap
5	Letter of transfer. 1997