

Guide to the Postcards Documenting the German Occupation of East Africa

MS 1899



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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: MS 1899

TITLE: Postcards documenting the German occupation of East Africa

DATES: 1917-1918

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 0.25 linear feet (1 box)

LANGUAGE: Postcard captions are in German, French, and Dutch.

SUMMARY: The collection consists of forty-eight black and white postcards from the Belgian Propaganda Ministry following the invasion of German East Africa in 1917. Although German forces in German East Africa were never defeated, the postcards show 'Occupied' German East Africa.

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Key to the container abbreviations used in the PDF finding aid:

b. box
f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition

Transferred from the African Collection Curator, 2007.

Conditions Governing Access

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Postcards

1917-1918

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

Geographic Names

German East Africa

Genres / Formats

Photographic postcards