Guide to the African Postcard Collection

MS 1575

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Collection Overview

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CALL NUMBER: MS 1575

TITLE: African postcard collection

DATES: 1900–2004

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 13.75 linear feet (28 boxes)

LANGUAGE: English

SUMMARY: The collection consists of postcards depicting scenes from various countries on the African continent.

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f. folder

Administrative Information

Immediate Source of Acquisition
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African Postcard Collection (MS 1575). Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

Associated Materials
African Collections for individual African countries. Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

Scope and Contents
The collection consists of postcards depicting scenes from various countries on the African continent.

Arrangement
Arranged alphabetically by country.
## Collection Contents

### Original accession

9 linear feet (18 boxes)

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- **b. 1, f. 1** General
- **b. 1, f. 2** Cards other than postcards
- **b. 1, f. 3** East Africa
- **b. 1, f. 4-5** Postcards and accompanying material
- **b. 1, f. 6** Swahili Coast
- **b. 1, f. 7** North Africa
- **b. 1, f. 8** West Africa
- **b. 1, f. 9-11** Postcards and accompanying material

### Algeria

- **b. 1, f. 12** General
- **b. 1, f. 13** Postcards and accompanying material
- **b. 1, f. 14** Book of postcards
- **b. 1, f. 15** Algiers
- **b. 1, f. 16** Biskrah

### Angola

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- **b. 1, f. 18** Alto-Dande
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