Guide to the Mauritius Collection

MS 1531



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CALL NUMBER: MS 1531

TITLE: Mauritius collection

DATES: 1831-2001

BULK DATES: 1950-1996

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 0.77 linear feet (3 boxes)

LANGUAGE: The materials are in French, English, and French Creole.

SUMMARY: The collection consists of manuscripts and printed material relating to the

history of Mauritius and current political, economic, and social conditions in

Mauritius.

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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.

Conditions Governing Access

The materials are open for research.

Conditions Governing Use

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Preferred Citation

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Associated Materials

African Collection, MS 605; Pamphlet Collection, MS 1351; African Postcard Collection, MS 1575. Manuscripts and Archives, Yale University Library.

Scope and Contents

The collection consists of manuscripts and printed material relating to the history of Mauritius and current political, economic, and social conditions in Mauritius.

Arrangement

The material in the original accession is arranged by category and chronologically therein. Additions to the collection may vary in arrangement.

Collection Contents Original accession

b. 1, f. 1	Journals: cultural and educational	1950, 1976-1990
b. 1, f. 2	The Mauritius Police Magazine	1980
b. 1, f. 3	Periodicals: magazines; newspapers; popular journals	1981-1993
b. 1, f. 4	General information pamphlets; brochures; booklets	1950, 1981-1982, 1993, undated
b. 1, f. 5	Women's movement/organizations: journals; newsletters; printed material	1989
b. 1, f. 6	Photograph	1982

Accession 1995-M-194: Additional Material, 1831-1996

Materials are arranged by type and chronologically therein.

b. 1, f. 1	General information brochures	1981, 1993, undated
	Government documents	
	The government documents presented at the various courts include appeals, ratifications and/or amendments of ordinances and orders, and the makeup of the Constitution of the government council.	
b. 1, f. 2	At the Court of Saint James's	1831 August 10
b. 1, f. 2	At the Court at Windsor	1842 January 15, 1877 July 11, 1879 June 26, 1880 March 18, 1890 November 22, 1894 December 12
b. 1, f. 3	At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight	1879 February 4, 1885 August 12
b. 1, f. 4	At the Court at Buckingham Palace	1905 February 27, 1909 February 15
	Government memoranda and reports	
	Government memoranda and reports relate to one specific topic, unlike the documents presented at the various courts which cover a multitude of topics.	
b. 1, f. 5	"Report of the Currency Notes Commission, 1935-1936"	1936
b. 1, f. 5	"Memorandum on Mauritius Development and Welfare: Ten Year Plan"	1946
b. 1, f. 5	"Memorandum on Social Welfare"	1948
b. 1, f. 5	"Social Insurance Schemes in Mauritius"	1948
b. 1, f. 5	"Report on Secondary Education in Mauritius, October 1947"	1949
b. 1, f. 5	"The Production of Vegetable Seeds in Mauritius (1943-1946)"	1949
b. 1, f. 5	"Report on the Housing of Sugar Estate Workers"	1949
b. 1, f. 6	"Harbour Guide, 1940"	1950
b. 1, f. 6	"Memorandum on Long Term Policy, Food Production Board"	1950
b. 1, f. 7	"Report of a Committee appointed for the purpose of investigating the Question of relieving the Police Department of Revenue and Liquor Control and of the collection of Direct Taxes and Licences, Sessional Paper No. 1 of 1951, Legislative Council"	1951
b. 1, f. 7	"Report of the Committee on the Future of the Sack Factory, Sessional Paper No. 5 of 1951, Legislative Council"	1951

$Government\ memoranda\ and\ reports\ (continued)$

b. 1, f. 7	"Report of the Committee appointed to consider the possibility of establishing a Planters" Mechanical Equipment Fund, Sessional Paper No. 6 of 1951, Legislative Council"	1951
b. 1, f. 7	"Salaries Commission, Second Interim Report, Cost of Living Allowances, Sessional Paper No. 8 of 1951"	1951
b. 1, f. 7	"Cost of Living Allowance, Governor's despatch of 30th May and views of the Secretary of State contained in his telegram of 8th June, Sessional Paper No. 9 of 1951, Legislative Council"	1951
b. 1, f. 8	"Report of the Committee appointed to review the conditions governing the payment of Outdoor Relief, Sessional Paper No. 2 of 1952, Legislative Council"	1952
b. 1, f. 8	"Liquor Policy of the Mauritius Government, Sessional Paper No. 7 of 1952, Legislative Council"	1952
b. 1, f. 8	"Education Officers' Conference 1951: The Road Ahead"	1952
b. 1, f. 8	"The Historical Monuments of Mauritius"	1958
b. 1, f. 8	"Report on Setting Up a Port Authority, October 1972"	1973
b. 1, f. 8	"Mauritius-Resettlement of Persons Transferred From Chagos Archipelago: Visit to Mauritius From 24 January to 2 February"	1976
b. 1, f. 8	"Industrial Dispute Between Tyre Retreading Factories Workers' Union and Retreaders Ltd."	1984
b. 1, f. 9	Indian Cultural Review	1980
b. 1, f. 10	Le Nouveau Militant	1982 February 20
	Two Visits to Rodrigues, 1948 and 1949, with H.E. Sir Hilary Blood, by Alfred North-Coombes	1996
	<i>Voice of Mauritians</i> (official magazine of the Association for the Promotion of the Welfare of Mauritians in the U.K.)	1983

Accession 2015-M-001: Additional material, 1975-2001

b. 1, f. 1 Printed material 1975-2001

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.

Subjects

Women -- Mauritius

Geographic Names

Mauritius -- Description and travel Mauritius -- Economic conditions Mauritius -- Politics and government