

John Courtenay Trewin:

Literary File Photography Collection at the Harry Ransom Center

Descriptive Summary

Creator:	Trewin, J. C. (John Courtenay), 1908-1990
Title:	John Courtenay Trewin Literary File Photography Collection
Dates:	20th century
Extent:	20 items
Abstract:	Twenty photographs associated with the drama critic and journalist J. C. Trewin (British, 1908-1990) that include portraits of Frank Benson, his wife Constance, and members of his acting company.
Call Number:	Photography Collection PH-02968
Language:	English
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Administrative Information

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Scope and Contents

The collection consists of 20 photographs associated with the drama critic and journalist J. C. (John Courtenay) Trewin (British, 1908-1990). Included are portraits of Frank Benson, his wife Constance, and members of his acting company. A number of the items in the collection are photographic postcards.

Further descriptions of some items may be available in a card catalog in the repository.

This collection forms a part of the Literary File Photography Collection that is comprised of photographs and albums withdrawn from the libraries and/or papers of literary figures, and generally includes portraits and images collected by or of those figures.

Related Material

Associated and related materials by and about Trewin are located in the Center's John Courtenay Trewin Collection (MS-04276).

Location

Accession Number: 981:0060:0001 Photograph of a carving of a night watchman on the end of a 15th century bench, 20th century. Trewin, J., Lit File

Accession Number: 981:0060:0002-0003 Views of the Grand Western Canal, Devon, England, 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0004 Photograph of a ceremonial cup engraved: "The Frank Benson Memorial Cup," 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0005 Portrait of Joan Miller, 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0006 Portrait of Wilfred Granvile, 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0007 Photographic postcard depicting a group of well-dressed guests at an outdoor function, circa 1900, 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0008-0013 6 different photographic postcards depicting Frank Benson, his wife, Constance, and members of his acting company in costume, 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0014-0015 2 copies of a profile portrait of a man (Frank Benson?) in costume, 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0016 Photographic postcard depicting Frank Benson and his wife standing in the street outside the Golden Lion Hotel (same image as 981:0060:0020), 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0017-0019 Photographic postcards with three variant images of Frank Benson surrounded by fans in a street, 20th century.

Accession Number: 981:0060:0020 Photographic postcard (same image as 981:0060:0016), 20th century.

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- Ellis & Walery--981:0060:0013
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- Jerrome, J.--981:0060:0020
- Lazell, S. K.--981:0060:0004
- Spencer (Stratford-upon-Avon, England)--981:0060:0009, 0012
- Tyler, E. Anthony--981:0060:0007
- Winstone, Reece, 1909-1991--981:0060:0001