

## COLLECTIONS OF CORRESPONDENCE AND MANUSCRIPT DOCUMENTS

NAME OF COLLECTION: John Alden JAMIESON Papers on the Editions for the Armed Services.SOURCE: Transferred from the School of Library Service, 1981SUBJECT: Editions for the Armed Services [in World War II]DATES COVERED: 1940 - 1952 NUMBER OF ITEMS: ca. 6500

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## DESCRIPTION:

Correspondence, reports, lists, memoranda, photographs, and printed materials on the history of the wartime activities of the Army Library Service were compiled by John Alden Jamieson, an officer in the Library Section of the War Department Special Services Division, for his books: Editions for the Armed Services, Inc.; a history together with the complete list of 1324 books published for American armed forces overseas. (New York, 1948), and Books for the Army; the Army library service in the second world war. (New York, Columbia University Press, 1950). This study was sponsored by the American Library Association under a grant from The Carnegie Corporation. Among the correspondents are: Robert Cutler, Melvyn Douglas, Lewis Galantière, Dashiell Hammett, and Harry Scherman.

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