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Summary information

Repository:	University of Miami Special Collections
Title:	Dorothy E. Mills Flight Attendant papers
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Language:	English
Dates of creation, revision and deletion:	

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Dorothy E. Mills was one of the first (1943) class of International Flight Stewardesses in the Latin American Division of the Pan American World Airways, Inc., and later Chief Stewardess of the Atlantic Division from 1945 to 1947.

Scope and content

The Dorothy E. Mills Flight Attendant papers contains materials related to her tenure as a stewardess of the Latin American Division and later chief stewardess of the Atlantic Division for the Pan American World Airways in the 1940s. Held in the collection are the following items:

Four letters by Mills to William Brown, Head of Special Collections in 1997, discussing the materials donated to the collection and her history with the Pan American World Airways.

An acceptance letter, an award letter (written and signed by founder Juan Trippe), and a resignation letter from Pan American World Airways.

23 8" x 10" photographs of Pan American World Airways flight attendants, with accompanying descriptions.

A scrapbook of clippings, photographs, and other materials by Mills about her life as a Pan American World Airways flight attendant

Two issues (including two duplicates) of Clipper Magazine, both containing articles about Mills.

Six newspaper clippings about Pan American World Airways.

Notes

Title notes

Restrictions on access

This collection is open for research.

Conditions governing use

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Related material

Aviation History Collections

A guide prepared by Maria R. Estorino, December 2006

Pan American World Airways, Inc. Records

World Wings International Records

Clipper Pioneers Collection

Ione Wright Papers

Humphrey W. Toomey Papers

William C. House Papers

Donald W. Thomson Papers

George Price Papers

Kimball J. Scribner Collection

Roy Keeler Collection

F. Charles Ruegg Papers

Leonard Albasi/Gill Family Collection

J. H. Brown Collection

Dorothy E. Mills Collection

Port Washington Public Library Oral History Collection

R.A. Seymour Collection

Dorothy Thomas Collection

Randy Liberman Collection

Vincent A. Jablon Collection

James Wendler Collection

Dolores Pla Menocal Photograph Collection

Information about related materials is available at <http://library.miami.edu/specialcollections/aviation-history-bib/>

Other notes

- **Publication status:** Published

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Access points

- Pan American World Airways, Inc.
- Pan American World Airways, Inc. -- Pictorial works
- Pan American World Airways, Inc. Latin American Division
- Clippings (documentary form)
- Letters (documentary form)
- Newspapers (documentary form)
- Photographs (documentary form)
- Scrapbooks (documentary form)
- Aeronautics, Commercial -- History (subject)
- Aviation history (subject)
- Flight attendants (subject)
- Flight attendants -- United States (subject)

Series descriptions

Ref code	Title	Dates	Access status	Container
id1773	File -			1
id1774	File - Letters (4) to William Brown	September 13, 1997 - October 15, 1997		1 1
id1775	File - Pan American World Airways, Inc. letters (3)	November 22, 1943 - March 19, 1947		1 2
id1776	File - 8" x 10" photographs of Pan American World Airways, Inc. flight attendants (23)			1 3
id1777	File - Dorothy E. Mills scrapbook			1 4
id1778	File - Clipper newspapers (4)	May 17, 1945 - November 24, 1947		1 5
id1779	File - Newspaper clippings (6)	July 11, 1945 - November 11, 1991		1 6