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Summary information

Repository: University of Miami Cuban Heritage Collection

Title: Juana de Arcos Babun Collection

ID: CHC5361

Date: circa 1960s-1980s (date of creation)

Physical description: Items

Language: Spanish

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**Dates of creation,
revision and deletion:**

Administrative history / Biographical sketch

Note

Juana de Arcos Babun was a member of the Cuban Babun family. Immigrants from Palestine in the early 1900s, they became a prominent family of businessmen in Cuba. Teofilo Babun Sr. owned a logging business near Santiago, Cuba, and became an early financier of the Cuban Revolution. Later, he was declared a traitor by Fidel Castro due to his wealth, and was forced to flee to Miami with his sons. Juana's nephews Lincoln, Santiago, and Teofilo Babun Franco participated in the Bay of Pigs invasion as members of Brigade 2506.

Scope and content

The Juana de Arcos Babun Collection contains several scrapbooks with newspaper clippings and photographs that Juana de Arcos Babun kept relating to the Babun family. Much of the collection focuses on Lincoln, Santiago, and Teofilo Babun Franco, Juana's nephews who served in Brigade 2506.

Notes

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Immediate source of acquisition

Gift of Belen Babun Presas, March 2014.

Restrictions on access

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- **Publication status:** Published
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Access points

- Brigada de Asalto 2506
- Exiles' writings, Cuban (subject)