

## **Collection Name:**

Carl Søyland papers, 1916-1976

### **Collection Number:**

P0845

#### **Extent:**

1.6 cubic feet (4 archives boxes) and 1 scrapbook

#### Abstract:

Articles, clippings, correspondence, manuscripts, unpublished research notes, lectures, and a scrapbook of a Norwegian-born journalist and author, who came to the United States about 1920 to study music, but who found the life of a "tramp-journalist" more interesting. He traveled all over the world writing for newspapers, sometimes using the pseudonym Viggo Vey. He edited "California Vikingen" (1924-1925) in Los Angeles. In 1926 he began his association with the Brooklyn, New York, newspaper "Nordisk Tidende," of which he became chief editor (1941-1962). He is the author of two books, both published in Norway: "Langs landeveien" (1929) and "Skrift i sand" (1954).

Вох	Folders	Description	Date	Range
1	1	"That Man Soyland," by Bishop Fridtjov Birkeli. (5 pgs, n.d.)	0	0
1	2	"California Vikingen" scattered issues.	1924	1925
		"Ny Tid," Norwegian-Danish edition, New York, scattered issues		
1	3	(1921, 1924)	1921	1924
1	4	"Nordisk Tidende" scattered issues (1921, 1924)	1921	1924
1	5	"Nordisk Tidende" questionnaire, notes, and summary.	1929	1930
1	6	Greetings and clippings re: birthdays.	1954	1969
1	7	Greetings and clippings re: 80th birthday	1974	1974
1	8	Greetings and clippings from Boy Scout Group 10, Oslo. Includes some photos.	1973	1973
1	9	clippings by and about Søyland.	1944	1983
1	10	"Nordisk Tidende" clippings, correspondence, etc.	1946	1974
1	11	Clippings from the C.G.O. Hansen clipping collection.	1922	1955
2	1	Knight Hoover research material on Norwegians in Brooklyn	1968	1973
2	2	"Fylking" (1942) and (1945), incl. Planning for 1942	1942	1945



2 3 Norwegian-American Press, Norway Tour. 1947 2 4 Norway-Iceland Tour, clippings. 1958 2 5 "Intime Forum," lecture club, ten year jubilee. 1944 2 6 "Facts About Norwegians," no. 2-11, publ. by "Nordisk Tidende" 1930 2 7 Miscellaneous programs of Norwegian-American interest. 1940 2 8 "Syttende Mai" celebrations. 1967 2 9 Bondeungdomslaget, history (New York) 1925 4 1 Karsten Roedder, clipping and correspondence 1947 4 2 Erling Olson, correspondence 1968 4 3 Correspondence 1936 4 4 Clipping and correspondence 1936 4 5 Arne Kildahl, correspondence 1925 4 7 Nils Collett Vogt, manuscript sent to A.N. Rygg 1925 4 8 Clippings, Sverre Norborg article 1950 4 9 Ole Windingstad, clippings, correspondence, photos. 1943 4 10 Second collection of "Valuable letters" and certificates. Among the valuable letters selected by Mr. Søyland are an Ole Bull autograph; Herman Wildenvey manuscript; Roald Amundson greeting; and communications from the Søyland family in Norway during World War II via the Red Cross. Other letters from prominent people who came to New York or whom Søyland met on his travels. Letters 4 11 from Pres. Harry Truman and K. Flagstad. 1873 3 1 Articles for sports and scouting magazines in Norway. 1918 4 Material omitted from "Skrift i Sand" (169 pages) with note by Mr. 2 Søyland. 1918 3 3 "Stormen - og Gutten Som Var Raed" (11 pgs. Typescript, n.d.) 0 "Segelfoss Tidende" (Issues containing material about Knut Hamsun)	
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