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Creator: Harold Lenoir Davis (1896-1960)
Donor: Thayer Hobson (former Mrs. H. L. Davis), donor number: 1970.2
Extent: 29 items
Inclusive Dates: 1936-1960
Language: English
Formats: Books, clippings, photographs, personal documents, original art
Finding Aids: List of items in donor file
Alternative Forms: none
Restrictions: none
Location: Book Classification 812 on R5G; R13A box 1
Flat Storage for original art
Range 14 for personal documents
Chain of Custody: Received from collector's estate; see donor file for letter of May 8, 1970;
Donor number: 1970.2
Description: Autographed first edition of *Honey in the Horn* (New York 1935), news clippings, 2 photographs and some personal documents, 7 sketches or water colors made during his time in Mexico, as well as first editions of *The Distant Music* (London 1958), *Kettle of Fire* (New York 1959), and *Winds of Morning* (New York 1952)
Biographical Note: Harold Lenoir Davis (1896-1960) was a Texas resident and novelist. His novel *Honey in the Horn*, about life in the Southwest, won the Pulitzer Prize in 1936.
Subject Headings: Texas; Literature
Items in Collection:
1 *The Distant Music* (1st English edition)
2 *Kettle of Fire* (1st edition)
3 *Winds of Morning* (1st edition)
4 Color photograph of Davis
5 Color photograph of Davis
6 Social Security Card
7 Screen Writers' Guild Membership Card
8 New York Times Review
9 to 11 unfinished pencil sketches
12 to 15 unfinished water colors
16 to 28 various (see donor file)
29 *Honey in the Horn* (autographed copy)

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