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## Milton Smith script collection4079346

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## Summary Information

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<b>Repository:</b>	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
<b>Creator - Collector:</b>	Smith, Milton Myers, 1890-1981
<b>Title:</b>	Milton Smith script collection
<b>ID:</b>	4079346
<b>ID:</b>	Ms Coll\Smith, Milton
<b>Date [inclusive]:</b>	1927-1946
<b>Physical Description:</b>	575 items 21 boxes
<b>Language of the Material:</b>	English .

### Preferred Citation

Identification of specific item; Date (if known); Milton Smith script collection; Box and Folder; Rare Book and Manuscript Library, Columbia University Library.

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## Biographical / Historical

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Milton Smith (1890-) was director of the Brander Matthews Theater at Columbia University and also served as director of Columbia University's School of Dramatic Arts.

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## Summary

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Scripts of plays that were presented during Smith's tenure as Director of the Brander Matthews Theater. Also, ca. 400 loose scrapbook leaves of mounted clippings, programs, and other memorabilia relating to the various theatrical productions with which Smith was associated. Many of these productions were produced by Columbia Theatre Associates.

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### Publication Statement

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### Restrictions on Access

This collection is located off-site. You will need to request this material at least three business days in advance to use the collection in the Rare Book and Manuscript Library reading room.

### Conditions Governing Access

This collection has no restrictions.

### Immediate Source of Acquisition

Source of acquisition--Brander Matthews Dramatic Museum. Method of acquisition--Transfer; Accession number--M-59.

### Processing Information

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## Controlled Access Headings

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- Drama
- College theater
- Theater -- Production and direction
- Performing arts -- New York (State) -- New York
- Scrapbooks
- Scripts (documents)
- Brander Matthews Dramatic Museum
- Columbia University -- Faculty