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Summary Information

Repository:	Rare Book and Manuscript Library
Creator:	Tarkington, Booth, 1869-1946
Title:	Booth Tarkington papers
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Biographical / Historical

American novelist and dramatist.

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Summary

Correspondence regarding the production of the plays INTIMATE STRANGERS and MAGNOLIA by Tarkington. There are twelve holograph letters, one detail sketch for a costume, and one page of manuscript and one page of typescript notes by Tarkington as well as thirteen telegrams sent by him. The letters and telegrams are all addressed to Mr. Ira A. Hards, director of the plays. In addition, there are copies of seven telegrams by Hards and one by

the producer, A.L. Erlanger, all but one of which are addressed to Tarkington. Also, carbon copies of four letters from Hards and Erlanger to Tarkington, two items concerned with book production and dramatic rights of THE INTIMATE STRANGERS and one theatre program.

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Arrangement

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- Costume design
- Drama
- Theater
- Copyright -- Drama
- Theatrical producers and directors
- Literature
- Drawings (visual works)
- Dramatists, American
- Authors, American
- Hards, Ira, 1872-1938
- Erlanger, Abraham L., 1859-1930