Accession Number: 89-2

Collection Number: 285

Administrative Information

Title: Chris Wiltz Collection, 1973 - 1989
Date of Receipt: Unknown
Source Name: Chris Wiltz
Accession Type: Gift
In Event of Disposal: do not discard
Processing Status: Original accession of two boxes processed; addendum needs further processing
Location: SC, Row 10

Descriptive Information:

Wiltz is a New Orleans born writer of detective stories. Collection includes a draft of an unpublished manuscript entitled “Goodbye is Too Good a word,” which was revised and published under the title The Killing Circle in 1981, of which two drafts, one with editor’s proof marks, are in the collection. Two drafts of A Diamond Before You Die are included. Also included are a fictitious interview with Wiltz’s series character, Neil Rafferty, which was published in The Mystery News, drafts of book reviews by Wiltz which were published in The New Orleans Times-Picayune, and a copy of Wiltz’s vita. The additions include draft manuscripts of The Emerald Lizard.

Provenance: Chris Wiltz
Custodial History: None
Arrangement: 3 Boxes and 1 Half-size box
Conditions of Use: None
Access Restrictions: None