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Dick Brothers Photograph Collection
2002.FIA.04

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Collection Information

Abstract : Photographs taken of woodworking done by Dick Brothers of Worcester, MA. Dick

Brothers were wood workers and collection consists of mostly work done in churches.

Finding Aid : Finding Aid in print form is available in the Repository.

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Provenance : Found in archives. Some previously accessioned.

MARC Access : Collection is cataloged in MARC under the following subject headings (lcsh, at, tgm, gmgcp)

Historical/Biographical Notes

Brothers August and Richard Dick opened their woodworking factory in 1921. The factory was the first of its kind in Central Massachusetts to have its machinery powered directly by electric motors. The brothers designed the interiors of churches and other buildings throughout the United States for 50 years. Work that is credited to them include; the Worcester Historical Museum Library, the original main altar and sanctuary of St. Stephen's Church and the main chapel and rector's office at Holy Cross College.

Scope and Content

Photographs taken of work done by Dick Brothers of Worcester, MA. Dick Brothers were wood workers and photograph collection consists of mostly work done by them in various churches. Including; pews, altars, tabernacles, shrines, shields, candelsticks. Photographs are organized according to topics

Series Descriptions

Series 1: Photographs of woodworking done by Dick Brothers of Worcester, Mass.

Series 2: Slides

Series 3: Negatives

Series 1, Photographs

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Series 2, Slides

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Dick Brothers Photograph Collection
2002.FIA.04.3
Series 3, Negatives

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Various negatives