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Abstract:	The Dean Dixon Papers reflect Dixon's career as a conductor of philharmonic orchestras, and his interest in music is particularly strong for the years he worked in Europe (1950's-1960's) and his American tour in the early 1970's. The collection consists of personal papers including biographical articles, resumes, his college diplomas, certificates and awards, medical records, date books and passports. Of special interest are a series of interviews conducted by journalist Kaj Kristoffersen for an article he wrote in 1967. There is also documentation of Dixon's general impression of Japan written during a tour in which he guest conducted the NHK Orchestra in Tokyo. The correspondence files (both from friends and general) discuss primarily music related topics with such individuals as Kaj Kristoffersen, friends and associates from the United States and Europe. Correspondence also concerns Dixon's recordings, and invitations to guest conduct at university and other orchestras, and honorary awards (1960s-1970s). There are no correspondence files for the 1940s and 1950s.
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