Robert Withy Interiors Inc. records
1 linear foot; 1 manuscript box
1950-2006, bulk 1950-1982

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Creator: Robert and Trudy Withey
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Administrative History: In 1953, C. Robert Withey began Robert Withey Interiors, Inc., an interior design firm in Salisbury, Maryland. Withey operated the business until 1979 when his son, Robert Withey, Jr. took over the business until it closed in 2003. In the early 1980s the Maryland Historical Trust with the help of Robert Withey, restored the Teackle Mansion located in Princess Anne, Maryland. Today, Robert Withey, Jr., works as a consultant, appraiser and antique dealer in Florida.

Scope and Content Note: Robert Withey Interiors Inc. records documents the interior design business once located in Salisbury, Maryland as well as associated projects with the Maryland Historical Trust, 1950-2006. Materials include handwritten ledgers, receipts and invoices documenting the financial progression of the design firm. In addition to these materials are documents from the Maryland Historical Trust Teackle Mansion restoration project and include correspondence and other assorted ephemera. Also, there is an issue of Benjaminews, a local women’s store from April 1947.

Arrangement Statement: The Robert Withey Interiors Inc. records have been arranged into two series, ADMINISTRATIVE RECORDS and RESTORATION PROJECTS. Administrative Records documents the financial and contractual aspects of the interior design. The Restoration Projects series documents the involvement of Robert Withey Interiors Inc., and in various Maryland Historic Trust projects.

Folders are listed by their location in each box; any given subject may be dispersed throughout the entirety of the collection.
Subject Terms:

**General Terms**
- Allen, Md.
- Architecture, Wicomico County, Md.
- Bounds Lott
- Buildings – Maryland
- Historic building – Conservation and restoration
- Historic Preservation
- Business records Maryland
- Genealogy
- Princess Anne, Md., History
- Teackle Mansion

**Corporate Names**
- Maryland Historical Trust
- Robery Withey Interiors
- Teackle Mansion

**Personal Names**
- Martindale, Dr. T.E.
- Withey, Robert, Jr.
- Withey, Robert, Sr.
Series I: Administrative Records

Box 1

4-8. Ledger, 1967-1979
9-10. Ledger Account, 1964-1974
12. Contracts, Insurance Policy, undated
13. Benjaminews, 1947 April

Series II: Restoration Projects

14. Brochure, Paca House Preservation, undated
15. Certificate of Appreciation, Olde Princess Anne Days, 1974 October 20
16. Preservation Easements, 1977
17. Pamphlet, History of the University of Maryland, 1966 December
20. Project Documents, Maryland Historical, 2006
21. Blueprint, George, Miles and, Buhr, 1981 August 18
23. Photographs and Negatives, Bounds Lott and Adams House, undated
25. Sermon, Semi-Centennial of Dr. T.E. Martaindale, undated