FAU Libraries Receive Collection of Rare Books, Materials to Promote Interest in British Author Angela Thirkell

Scholars and other readers of Angela Thirkell, a popular British fiction author who chronicled the 1930s, World War II and the post-war years in England, now have more selections of her work available at FAU Libraries. The San Diego-based Angela Thirkell Society of North America has gifted to FAU Libraries a collection of rare books and materials by or about the author. The gift includes original hard-bound books with dust jackets, paperbacks, three books authored by FAU professor Penelope Fritzer, manuscripts, ephemera, society bulletins and pamphlets.

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