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### Item Description

<b>Title</b>	[Dr. Alexander Hamilton Rice's 'Miramar' Estate, Newport, RI]
<b>Creator</b>	<a href="#">Richie, Robert Yarnall, 1908-1984</a>
<b>Date</b>	ca. 1932-1934
<b>Date (EDTF)</b>	1932~/1934~
<b>Decade</b>	<a href="#">1930-1939</a>
<b>Part Of</b>	<a href="#">Robert Yarnall Richie photograph collection</a>
<b>Series</b>	<a href="#">Series 3: Color slides, color transparencies, and 8 x 10 inch negatives</a> <a href="#">Negative Series: 0604 RI</a>
<b>Place</b>	Newport, Newport County, Rhode Island
<b>Description</b>	Miramar (646 Bellevue Avenue) was designed by architect Horace Trumbauer and was commissioned by Pennsylvania businessman George Dunton Widener, Sr., who along with his son Harry perished in the sinking of the RMS Titanic. His widow, Eleanor, continued the project, and Miramar was officially opened on August 20, 1915. Mrs. Widener married Dr. Alexander Hamilton Rice, Jr., on October 14, 1915, and the couple continued to use Miramar as a summer home. After the death of his wife, Dr. Rice enjoyed the use of Miramar until his death in 1956, at which time ownership reverted to Mrs. Rice's children, who sold the estate to a private school. In 1971, Miramar was purchased by a real estate developer who maintained the mansion until its sale in 2006. Source: Encyclopedia Titanica, David Whitmire Source: The Wideners: An American Family, <a href="http://www.encyclopedia-titanica.org/widener_family.html">http://www.encyclopedia-titanica.org/widener_family.html</a> Source: Phillip Gowan, Mrs. Eleanor Widener (nee Elkins), <a href="http://www.encyclopedia-titanica.org/titanic-survivor/eleanor-widener.html">http://www.encyclopedia-titanica.org/titanic-survivor/eleanor-widener.html</a>
<b>Notes</b>	[Handwritten on negative sleeve] 604; Estate of Dr. Alexander H. Rice - Newport, Aerial View
<b>Related Resources</b>	Finding aid part 1: <a href="https://legacy.lib.utexas.edu/taro/smu/00166/smu-00166.html">https://legacy.lib.utexas.edu/taro/smu/00166/smu-00166.html</a> Finding aid part 2: <a href="http://legacy.lib.utexas.edu/taro/smu/00168/smu-00168.html">http://legacy.lib.utexas.edu/taro/smu/00168/smu-00168.html</a>
<b>Authorized Subject Terms</b>	<a href="#">Mansions</a> <a href="#">Manors</a> <a href="#">Aerial views</a>
<b>Keywords</b>	aerials; estates; Miramar
<b>Physical Description</b>	1 negative: film, black and white; 19.7 x 24.4 cm
<b>Form/Genre</b>	<a href="#">Film negatives</a> <a href="#">Aerial photographs</a>
<b>Digital Resource Type</b>	Image
<b>Digitization Date</b>	Digitized: 2011
<b>Digital Format</b>	Displayed as .jp2; uploaded as .jpg
<b>Archival File Resolution</b>	Archival scan: 11489 w x 9308 h pixels, 48-bit RGB
<b>Digitization Process</b>	Digitization process: Scanned using an Epson 750 as 1200 ppi, 48-bit, RGB, .tif; service master changed to black and white, hues, exposure and contrast adjusted, and cropped; derivative resampled to 3000 pixels on the long edge, 24-bit .jpg
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