



Collection: Alwin Nikolais and Murray Louis Papers Mss 181
Series 10: Supplement
Sub series 10.1 **Helen Priest Rogers**
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Programs, Playbills, Press

Summary: The Helen Priest Rogers subseries is part of the Supplement Series. The materials were donated in December, 2004 and include programs and playbills from the performances of the Alwin Nikolais Dance companies and the Murray Louis Dance companies.

Folder 1 Alwin Nikolais

Date: 1939, Jan. 19-20
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Avery Memorial Auditorium
Choreographic Work: EIGHT COLUMN LINE

Date: 1951, Jan.3 - Mar.21
Material Type: Event Calendar
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Entertainment Series/Live Theatre for Children

Date: 1952, Oct.11,12,13
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: THE BEWITCHED

Date: 1952, May 16,17,18
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: MIRRORS

Date: 1953, Oct.11,18,25, Nov.1,8,15,22,29, Dec.6,13,20,27, Jan.3,10,17,24,31
Material Type: Event Calendar
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Entertainment Series/Live Theatre for Children

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Date: 1957, Feb.12,17,22
Material Type: Press
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Jack and the Beanstalk, Land above the Clouds

Date: 1955, Mar. 20, 27
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: PERSPHONE

Date: 1955, Dec. 17
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: IIIATI - Three Art Theatre One

Date: 1956, Feb.16-Mar.12
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: IMAGO

Date: 1956-July, Aug, Sept, 1957-Jan
Material Type: Press
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: KALEIDESCOPE (critic reviews/articles)

Date: 1956, Dec.27,28,29
Material Type: Program
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: PRISM; Glymistry, Lythic, Viagrin, Primyar, Tridem, Pradomen, Paratint, Glaasch

Date: 1956/57
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Courses Offered, Class Schedule, Enrollment info
(2 copies)

Date: 1957, Feb.12,17,22
Material Type: Press
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Jack and the Beanstalk, Land above the Clouds

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Date: 1957, Mar.2
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Phyllis Lamhut dance Concert

Date: 1957, Dec.27,28,29
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Runic Canto & premier of NEW DANCES

Date: 1957/58
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Courses Offered, Class Schedule, Enrollment info, Faculty List (3copies)

Date: 1958, Apr.18,19,20
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: KALEIDOSCOPE

Date: 1958, Feb.14,15,16
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ODEUM

Date: 1958, Sun. Mar. 9
Material Type: Press
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: The Lobster Quadrille (from Alice-In-Wonderland), Merry-Go-Elsewhere, & The Indian Sun
Performed By: The Playhouse Dance Repertory Group

Date: 1958, Feb.1,8,15,22 Mar.1,8,15,22,29 Apr.5,12,19,26 May3,10,17, Feb.2,9,12
Material Type: Event Calendar
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Caribbean Indian Lore and Dances, The Mirror, The Carpet and the Lemon, Treasure Island, Leroy the Magician, The Dutch Mill, Clown, Adventure of Everychild, Peter Rabbit, Today we Improvise, Tap Dance Musical Revue, Hansel and Gretel, Merry-Go-Elsewhere, The Lobster Quadrille, The Indian Sun, Joint Concert, New Work, Kaleidoscope, Village of Whispers

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Date: 1958/59
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Courses Offered, Class Schedule, Enrollment info, Faculty List

Date: 1959, Jan.30,31 & Feb.1
Material Type: Playbill/Program
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ALLEGORY; Cataclysm, Alphabet, fixation I, Finals, Labyrinth, Fixation II, Mechanism, Phoenix, Fixation III, Jackstraws, Refraction, Tendrils (2copies)

Date: Jan.30, 1959
Material Type: Press
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ALLEGORY; (scenes ->) Earth Phineals, Yellow Alphabet, Labyrinth of the Lyre, Ravaged Shield, Erratic Tendrils, Diabolical Mechanism, Phoenix, Jack Straws, Minor Cataclysm

Date:1960, Jan.29,30,31
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: TOTEM

Date: 1962, Jan 7
Material Type: Press (NY TIMES Magazine) (critic review)
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: SHADOW TOTEM, BANSHEE, FINALE TOTEM, CLOWNS, DUET, PRELUDE

Date: Summer School 1965, June17-July2
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: The University of Utah
Choreographic Work: Modern Dance Workshop Info

Date: 1967, Nov.30-Dec.24 (Thurs-Sundays)
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Settlement Playhouse
Choreographic Work: SOMNILOQUY (2 copies)

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Date: 1967, April 3
Material Type: Press
Location: Henry Street Settlement Playhouse
Choreographic Work: IMAGO; "The Curious City"
(2 copies)

Date: 1968, Feb.9,10
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Concert of dance: GLADYS BAILIN

Date: 1969/70
Material Type: Press
Location: The Alwin Nikolais Dance Theatre North American Tour
Choreographic Work:

Date: 1971, March Issue III
Material Type: Program
Location: City Center
Choreographic Work: SOMNILOQUY, SCENARIO, STRUCTURES,
DIVERTISSEMENT II, ECHO, TENT, DIVERTISSEMENT II,

Date: 1973/74
Material Type: Press
Location: Nikolais Dance Theatre
Choreographic Work: _____

Date: 1975, June18-30
Material Type: Event Calendar/Brochure
Location: N.Y.U. Auditorium Theatre & Chimera Foundation For Dance
Choreographic Work: TEMPLE, SANCTUM, SCENARIO, THE TRIBE, ALLEGORY,
SOMNILOQUY, VAUDEVILLE, MASKS, PROPS & MOBILES, FOREPLAY
(3 copies)

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Date: 1950, Nov.24,25
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: SIGNAL, JOURNAL

Date: 1952, Feb.21,22
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ORPHEUS and EURYDICE

Date: 1952, Dec.29,30,31
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: D is for Dance w/ Mr. Stringfellow

Date: 1952, Mar. 9
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Merry-Go-Elsewhere, The Indian Sun, The Lobster Quadrille

Date: 1952, Mar. 21, 22, 23
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: JOURNAL, INCREDIBLE GARDEN, QUARTET

Date: 1955, Dec.10,27,29, Dec.4,11,18,27,28, Dec.29,30, Jan.8,15,22
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Masks, Props and Mobiles, Legend of the Winds, Saint George and the Dragon

Date: 1955, Feb.2,9,12
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: HANSEL & GRETEL

Date: 1955, Jan.18-30
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Brooklyn Academy
Choreographic Work: -----

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Date: 1956, Nov.17,18
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Murray Louis Dance Concert

Date: 1956, Feb.19 & 22
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work:

Date: 1957, Nov.8,9,10
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: JOURNAL, CORRIDA

Date: 1957, Feb.12,17,22
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Jack & the Beanstalk

Date: 1957/58
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: THE BEWITCHED, JOURNAL & CORRIDA, NEW WORK(Nikolais), PRISM, JOINT CONCERT, NEW WORK (Louis), KALEIDOSCOPE, VILLAGE of WHISPERS

Date: 1959, Mar.20,21,22
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ENTRE-ACTE

Date: 1959, Nov.28,29
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ENTRE-ACTE

Date: 1959, Apr.17,18,19
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: A Concert of Music and Modern Dance
(2 copies)

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Date: 1959, Jan30,31 & Feb.1
Material Type: Program
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ALLEGORY
(3 copies)

Date: 1959/60
Material Type: Press
Location: Musical Artists
Choreographic Work: JOURNAL, CORRIDA
(2 copies)

Date: 1960, Jan.29,30,31 Feb.5,6,7
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: TOTEM

Date: 1960/61
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Courses Offered, Class Schedule, Enrollment info, Faculty List

Date: 1962/63
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Courses Offered, Class Schedule, Enrollment info, Faculty List

Date: 1964, Nov.20
Material Type: Press
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: ----

Date: 1964/65
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Courses Offered, Class Schedule, Enrollment info, Faculty List
(2 copies)

Date: 1965
Material Type: Company Publication - book
Location: Murray Louis Dance Company - Henry Street Playhouse

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Date: 1966, Feb.25 - Mar.13

Material Type: Playbill

Location: Henry Street Playhouse

Choreographic Work: Interims, Junk Dances, Journal, Transcendencies, Facets,
Landscapes

(3 copies)

Date: 1967/68

Material Type: Company Brochure

Location: Henry Street Playhouse

Choreographic Work: Courses Offered, Class Schedule, Enrollment info, Faculty List
(2 copies)

Date: 1968, June & July

Material Type: Company Brochure

Location: University of South Florida's Division of Fine Arts

Choreographic Work: dance workshop

Date: 1968-70

Material Type: Press - National Press, New York Press, & International Press

Location: ----

Choreographic Work: ----

Date: 1968-1970

Material Type: Press

Location: Tour of North American, Tour of India

Choreographic Work: ----

Date: 1970, June 11

Material Type: Press

Location: The New York Times

Choreographic Work: ----

Date: 1970, Nov. 8

Material Type: Press - The New Haven Register

Location: ----

Choreographic Work: ----

Date: 1971, Feb.

Material Type: Press - DANCE MAGAZINE

Location: ----

Choreographic Work: ----

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Folder 2 Murray Louis

Date: 1972, February
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Chimera Foundation for Dance, Inc.
Choreographic Work: New Film Series - Dance As An Art Form; TIME & MOTION

Date: 1974-75
Material Type: Event Calendar/Brochure
Location: N.Y.U Auditorium Theatre & Chimera Foundation For Dance
Choreographic Work: Scheherezade...a dream, Geometrics, Porcelain Dialogues, Personnae, Calligraph for Martyrs, Continuum, Index, Chimera, Hoopla

Date: no date
Material Type: Press - Murray Louis' DANCE AS AN ART FORM
Location: ----
Choreographic Work: ----

Date: no date
Material Type: Press - New York Press, National Press, International Press
Location: Chimera Foundation for Dance Inc.
Choreographic Work: ----

Date: no date, Sun. Jan.22
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Henry Street Playhouse
Choreographic Work: Beverly Schmidt Dance Concert

Date: no date, Sept. 28
Material Type: Press
Location: temporary headquarters, Louis-Nikolais Dance Theatre Lab
Choreographic Work: workshop classes

Folder 3 Alwin Nikolais & Murray Louis

Date: 1971, Oct. 4
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Louis-Nikolais Dance Theatre Lab
Choreographic Work: workshops / classes

Date: 1973, June 11-29
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Louis-Nikolais Dance Theatre Lab
Choreographic Work: Technique-Theory-Composition; workshop

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Date: 1974, Feb.5-17
Material Type: Playbill
Location: Lyceum Theatre
Choreographic Work: Sanctum Suite/Fixation/Tower, Divertissement/Scrolls/Tent,
Somniloquy/Foreplay/Scenario, Porcelain Dialogues/Interims/Hoopla,
Personnae/Scheherezade, Proximities/Continuum/Index

Date: 1986-87
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Louis-Nikolais Dance Theatre Lab
Choreographic Work: summer calendar and course fees - professional training program

Date: 1992-93
Material Type: Event Calendar
Location: Rutgers - The State University of New Jersey
Choreographic Work: Imago "The City Curious", Crucible, Pond, Tensile Involvement,
Four Brubeck Pieces, Tower "Vaudeville of the Elements", Index, Kaleidoscope, Bach
Suite, Calligraph for Martyrs, Gallery, Journal, Interims, Scenario, Plus All Earlier
Reconstructions,

Date: Feb.13-25
Material Type: Company Brochure
Location: Murray Louis Dance Company - Nikolais Dance Theatre
Choreographic Work: ----