

Guide to the

In Memoriam: "Fay"

1879

MssCol 981

Summary

Title: In Memoriam: "Fay"

Date: 1879

Size: .02 linear feet (1 volume)

Abstract: One of twenty-five privately published copies of a memorial to the family dog, Fay, who died "of apoplexy" in Brooklyn in 1879. The volume contains a poem on the loss of Fay, and transcriptions of letters written about Fay and his death by his owner, Fred, and by Fred's father. The volume also contains manuscript drafts of the same, as well as two photographs of Fay with Fred

Physical Location: MssCol 981

Preferred citation: In Memoriam: "Fay", Manuscripts and Archives Division, The New York Public

Library

Key Terms

Subjects

Dogs -- Poetry Grief -- Poetry Pet owners -- Psychological aspects Pets -- Death -- Poetry

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Photographs Poems