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Guide to the

Mary de Camp Banks Moore papers

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Summary

Creator: Moore, Mary de Camp Banks

Title: Mary de Camp Banks Moore papers

Date: 1857-1950; n.d

Size: 1.67 linear feet (4 boxes)

Abstract: Mary de Camp Banks Moore (b.1878) was the daughter of Gen. Robert Lenox Banks, Secretary and Assistant Treasurer of the New York Central Railroad, and Mary de Camp Corning, widow of Edwin Weld Corning, who was the nephew of Erastus Corning, President of the New York Central Railroad. She was born and raised in Albany, N.Y. In 1901 she married Maurice Moore; they resided in Lynchburg, Va. The Mary de Camp Banks Moore papers consist of her personal papers and her genealogical research on the De Camp, Carmer, Lenox, Banks, and allied families. Personal papers, 1896-1949 and undated, consist of her writings, including a notebook of personal reminiscences written 1913 recording her early life in Albany prior to her marriage in 1901, and notes on the early life of her mother, Mary de Camp Banks (b. 1843); personal correspondence, with some Banks family notes; and ephemera, including certificates and invitations. Also present are photographs, including cabinet cards, cartes-de-visite, and tintypes, of Mary de Camp Banks Moore, family members and friends, and residences. Genealogical research materials, 1857-1950 and undated, compiled by Mary de Camp Banks Moore circa 1910-1950, contain correspondence regarding her research on the De Camp, Carmer, Lenox, Banks, and allied families, as well as late 19th century De Camp family correspondence; genealogical research scrapbooks on her maternal grandfather, U.S. Navy Rear Admiral John de Camp, and her maternal great-grandfather, Samuel G. J. De Camp, a U.S. Army surgeon during the Civil War; as well as notes and clippings.

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Related Materials:

Related collections include the Banks Family Papers, Albany Institute of History and Art, Albany, N.Y

Creator History

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Arrangement: In two series: I. Personal papers, 1896-1949, undated ; II. Genealogical research materials, 1857-1950, undated

Key Terms

Geographic Names

Albany (N.Y.) -- Social life and customs -- 19th century

Genre/Physical Characteristic

Ephemera

Memoirs

Photographs

Titles

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Names

Moore, Mary de Camp Banks

Banks, Mary De Camp Corning

Banks, Robert Lenox

De Camp, John, 1812-1875

De Camp, Samuel G. J

Banks family

De Camp family

Kammer family

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