

Keen, Dollie P. F. Letter

Dollie P. F. Keen Letter,
c. 1861-1865



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Descriptive Summary

Unit ID

Ms.2012.023

Unit Date

c. 1861-1865

Language

English .

Abstract

The collection consists of a letter written by Dollie P. F. Keen to her unnamed brother sometime during the Civil War.

Creator

Keen, Dollie P. F.

Extent

0.1 Cubic Feet 1 folder

Repository

Special Collections and University Archives, Virginia Tech

Administrative Information

Access Restrictions

Collection is open for research.

Use Restrictions

Permission to publish material from Dollie P. F. Keen Letter must be obtained from Special Collections, Virginia Tech.

Acquisition Information

The collection was purchased by Special Collections in December 2011.

Processing Information

The processing, arrangement, and description of the Dollie P. F. Keen Letter was completed in June 2012.

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Scope and Content

The collection consists of a letter written by Dollie P. F. Keen to her unnamed brother sometime during the Civil War. In the letter Keen gives a description of life on the homefront. Keen describes the conditions of trading cotton in the area, family financial concerns, attempts by the men in her neighborhood to avoid military service, and an outbreak of the measles. On the back of the letter a poem is written in different handwriting from the letter.

Keywords

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Civil War

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Description of Subordinate Components

Letter

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