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Biographical Information

Nanon Lucile Carr was a descendant of the Carr family of Virginia. She was born in Osborn, Missouri on 8 June 1897, and was the eldest of three daughters of John Christopher Carr (1876-1944) and Elizabeth Agnes Metcalfe (1878-1962).

She graduated from Cameron Missouri High School in 1914, and earned a Bachelor of Science in Education from the University of Missouri in 1918. Ms. Carr worked as a teacher in the Kansas City Public School

System from 1923 until her retirement. In 1945, she was awarded a Master of Arts in the Teaching of English Language and Literature from the University of Kansas City.

She had an active interest in genealogy and spent many years researching the Carr and related families. A few of the many family names she researched are: Ball, Brown, Carr, Chinn, Duncan, Fulkerson, Kerr, Livingston, Metcalfe, Musick, Patton, Perkins, Puller, Ridgeway, Strode, Strode, and Winn. Much of the collection consists of correspondence with distant cousins, pedigree charts, and newspaper clippings on the various branches of her family.

Ms. Carr died in San Diego, California, in March 1978. It is unclear whether she left Kansas City upon her retirement or if she moved to California to be near her younger sister, Mary Margaret (Carr) Pochodowicz (1913-1999) who lived in the San Diego area.

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