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1929-1972

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Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Creator

Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Creator

Du Pont, Alfred I. (Alfred Irénée), 1864-1935

Creator

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Creator

Wright, Thomas Ball

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Thompson, Tad

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Biographical / Historical

Elsie Ball Wright Bowley was the wife of General Albert J. Bowley, and the sister of Jessie Ball du Pont, a benefactor and Trustee of Washington and Lee.

Scope and Contents

Includes correspondence (4 folders) by and about Elsie Bowley's sister, Jessie Ball du Pont, and her brother-in-law, A. I. du Pont, as well as letters and correspondence from Elsie's son, Thomas Ball Wright, Ball family members of the Northern Neck of Virginia and other members of the du Pont family. Also contains papers of General Albert J. Bowley, along with Elsie Bowley's business papers regarding her benefactions. Includes ca. 175 photographs (mainly family photos), most of which are not identified.

Keywords

Correspondence

Photographs

Ball family

Du Pont Family

Thompson, Tad

Description of Subordinate Components

Letters and Cards When Elsie was at Union Memorial Hospital, 1929

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/3971

Text [0000004353] 1 (box)

Container 2 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ball, Edward

Creator Doty, William K.

Creator Butzner, William W.

Creator Norris, Robert Opie, Jr.

Creator Saunders, John R.

Creator Lee, Marguerite du Pont

Creator Edwards, Minnie

Creator Du Pont, Maurice (1866-1941)

Creator Hall, Basil Wise

Creator Haile, Ella Gresham

Creator Yerby, Emma S.

Creator Wright, Thomas Ball

Creator Jesse, Eoline Ball

Creator Lewis, James M.

Creator Huidekoper, Bessie

Creator Wilson, F. B., Mrs.

Creator Lewis, Ellen

Creator Gresham, Nannie

Extent 38 Item

Scope and Contents

Letters from Edward Ball, April 24, 1929 William K. Doty, April 21, 1929 William W. Butzner, April 23, 1929 John R. Saunders, May 9, 1929 Marguerite du Pont Lee Minnie Edwards, April 29, 1929 Maurice DuPont Basil Wise Hall Ella G. Haile Emma S. Yerby, April 19, 1929 Thomas 'Tom' Ball Wright, April 25, 1929 Eoline Ball Jesse (2 letters) James M. Lewis, May 4, 1929 'Bessie' most likely Bessie Huidekoper Mrs. F. B. Wilson, April 24, 1929 Ellen Lewis, May 9, 1929 J. Dew Bland (most likely), April 20, 1929 Nannie Gresham Clift (2 letters), May 18, 1929

Keywords

Dew, J. Bland

Letters and Cards When Elsie was at Union Memorial Hospital, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4004

Text [0000004354] 1 (box)

Container 3 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lee, Marguerite du Pont

Creator Wright, Thomas Ball

Creator Cralle, A. A.

Creator Adams, Edna

Creator Doty, Margaret

Creator Baker, Isabel Ball

Creator Sadler, Mary

Creator Gresham, William D.

Creator Dew, Sarah Ford

Creator Tucker, Elsie B.

Creator Dickey, Sadie Crane

Creator Lauer, Nellie

Creator Lewis, James M.

Creator Yerby, Emma S.

Creator Barron, Sallie H.

Creator Ware, Catherine E.

Creator Reid, Mina

Scope and Contents

Letters from: Marguerite du Pont Lee, May 8, 1929 Thomas Ball Wright ('Mother's Day Greeting', 4 cards, 4 letters. Many signed 'Tucker') A. A. Calle, May 4, 1929 Edna Adams Margaret Doty, April 25, 1929 Isabelle Baker (telegraph), April 29, 1929 Mary Sadler, April 23, 1929 William D. Gresham, April 24, 1929 Sarah Ford Dew, April 26, 1929 Elsie B. Tucker Sadie Crane Dickey, May 4, 1929 Nellie Lauer James M. Lewis, April 24, 1929 Emma S. Yerby, May 8, 1929 Sallie H. Baron Catherine E. Ware, May 21, 1929 Mina Reid, June 19, 1929 'Sue' (4 letters) 'Alice,' April 26, 1929 'Hazel,' May 16, 1929 'Anne,' May 11, 1929 'Elsie'

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Miscellaneous Letters

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4040

Unit Date 1928-1957

Text [0000004355] 1 (box)

Container 4 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Wharton, Henry M.

Creator Black, Elizabeth H.

Creator Pollard, Grace

Creator Tucker, Beverley R. (Beverley Randolph)

Creator Orbison, Thomas J. (Thomas James)

Creator Bumgardner, Eleanor

Creator Pollard, Violet Elizabeth McDougall

Creator Marter, Beatrice

Creator Pollard, John Garland

Creator Ball, Edward

Creator Lee, Dorothy Vandegrift

Creator McPherson, Martha E.

Creator Butzner, William W.

Creator Nice, Edna V.

Creator Marshall, Katherine

Creator Mordin, Florence

Creator Patterson, Charles H.

Creator Greble, Edwin St. John, Mrs.

Creator Young, Gordon R.

Creator Graig, Malin

Extent 47 Item

Scope and Contents

Letters from: Henry M. Wharton, April 21, 1928 'Sadie,' August 19, 1931 Elizabeth H. Black, December 10, 1931 Grace Pollard, May 6, 1930 and December 26, 1931 Beverley R. Tucker, August 22, 1931 'Cousin Gillie' (2 letters- August 27 & December 10, 1931 Thos. J. Orbison, May 25, 1933 Eleanor Bumgardner, October 4, 1933 Margaret Teahaw, October 8, 1933 Violet 'Mac' McDougall Pollard, December 5, 1933 Mrs. Dern (invitation), December 6, 1933 Beatrice Marter (7 letters), October 10, 1933, March 2, April 19, 1934, December 24, 1936, February 4, 1937, November 22, 1937 John Garland Pollard, August 23, 1934 Edward Ball, September 20, 1934 Dorothy Vandegrift Lee (2 letters, 1 card), September 3, 1931, November 3, 1936 Clyde Garrett (telegraph about symphony concert), January 14, 1953 Martha E. McPherson, March 26, 1937 Wm. W. Butzner, July 13, 1939 Edna V. Nice, November 4, 1937 Governor John Garland Pollard (Christmas Card most likely when Elsie was in the hospital in 1929) Katherine Marshall Florence Mordin Hattie Belle Gresham Charles H. Patterson 'Mary' Mrs. E. St. John Greble Gordon R. Young, December 4, 1947 Malin Craig, December 28, 1942

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Miscellaneous Letters, 1950s-1960s**Unit ID** /repositories/5/archival_objects/4041**Unit Date** 1950-1970**Text [0000004356]** 1 (box)**Container** 5 (folder)**Language** English.**Creator** Rhodes, Fred Burnett, Jr.**Creator** Rhodes, Winona Henderson**Creator** Johnston, Elizabeth Nash**Creator** Whitman, Ann C.**Creator** Battle, John Stewart**Creator** England, G. A.**Creator** Palmer, Williston B.**Creator** Heflin, Charles W.**Creator** Palmer, Bruce, Jr.**Creator** Mathe, Robert E.**Creator** Shannon, John T.**Creator** Glenn, Thelma H.**Creator** McAuliffe, Anthony C., General**Creator** McAuliffe, Helen Whitman**Creator** Gresham, Louis B.**Creator** Hart, Charles Edward, Lieutenant General**Creator** Hart, Charles Edward, Mrs.**Creator** Heath, W. D.**Creator** Bertram, Laura**Creator** Petersen, Jargine**Creator** May, Marjorie**Creator** Huidekoper, Bessie**Creator** Matlack, J. M.**Creator** Dudley, Albert H., Jr., Dr.**Creator** Anderson, Mary Morris**Extent** 43 Item**Scope and Contents**

Letters from: Winona and Fred Rhodes, December, 15, 1959; Lizzie Nash Johnston, December 3, 1959; Ann C. Whitman, January 31, 1953; John S. Battle (telegram), January 14, 1953; G. A. England, August 13, 1959; Gordan R. Young (2 letters), May 16, 1950, November 24, 1950; Williston B. Palmer (6 letters), December 31, 1959, March 24, 1961, November 21, 1961, May 16, 1963, February 19, 1968, April 28, 1968; Charles W. Heflin (3 letters), February 9, 1961, February 23, 1962, February 18, 1963; Bruce Palmer, Jr., February 15, 1966; Robert E. Mathe, June 1, 1967; John T. Shannon, October 17, 1960; General and Mrs. Anthony McAuliffe, December 8, 1949; Louis B. Gresham, May 4, 1967; Lieutenant General and Mrs. Charles Edward Hart, September 10, 1967; W. D. Heath, April 10, 1968; Secretary of Lord Richard Percy, September 29, 1965; Jargine Peterson, July 8, 1968; 'Gladys,' December 14, 1962; Marjorie May (telegram), April 25, 1962; Laura Bertram (4 letters), September 17, 1967; 'Marge,' July 22, 1968; 'Bessie,' most likely Bessie Huidekoper; J. M. Matlack, Jr., July 12, 1968; Dr. Albert H. Dudley, Jr., July 15, 1968; Mary Morris Anderson, January 5, 1968

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Percy, Richard, Lord

Miscellaneous Letters, 1970s

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4042

Unit Date 1970-1980

Text [0000004357] 1 (box)

Container 6 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Bertram, Laura

Creator Huidekoper, Bessie

Extent 42 Item

Scope and Contents

Many cards letters from friends and family, including Laura Bertram, Bessie, and 'Pit,' to Elsie. Also included are sympathy notes when Jessie died.

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Miscellaneous Letters, 1970s, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4043

Unit Date 1970-1980

Text [0000004341] 1 (box)

Container 7 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 45 Item

Scope and Contents

Several letters and cards written to Mrs. Bowley by friends and family, many from neices and nephews. Some of the letters are notes of sympathy after Jessie's death.

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Ball Letters

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4044

Text [0000004345] 2 (box)

Container 8 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ball, Edward

Creator Ball, Ruth

Extent 54 Item

Scope and Contents

Several letters to Elsie, Thomas, and General Bowley from different members of the Ball Family. There are many letters from Edward Ball and his wife Ruth.

Letters from Elsie's Son, Thomas Ball Wight

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4045

Unit Date 1931-1955

Text [0000004344] 2 (box)

Container 9 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Wright, Thomas Ball

Extent 24 Item

Scope and Contents

This file contains many letters from Thomas Ball Wright to his mother, Elsie. Several of the letters are written during his times at Woodberry Forrest School and at the University of Virginia. Also included in the

file are letters to Pit and Jessie.

Letters from Cousins

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4046

Text [0000004346] 2 (box)

Container 10 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Edwards, Minnie

Creator Dew, J. Bland

Creator Gresham, Katherine

Extent 14 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of letters to Elsie and Thomas Ball Wright from members of the Ball family, including Minnie, 'Cousin Bland,' and Katherine Gresham.

Letters from Elsie's Nieces and Nephews

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4047

Text [0000004347] 2 (box)

Container 11 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 23 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of letters from Elsie's nieces and nephews, identified as such. Many of the letters are from 'Shirley' and 'Marge and John.'

Letters from the Wrights

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4048

Text [0000004348] 2 (box)

Container 12 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Palmer, Williston B.

Creator Wright, Edgar

Creator Wright, Rhonda M.

Extent 6 Item

Scope and Contents

This file contains letters from Williston B. Palmer (subject: Edgar Wright), Edgar Wright, 'George,' and Rhonda M. Wright.

Letters from Family

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4049

Text [0000004349] 2 (box)

Container 13 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Anderson, Mary Morris

Creator Haile, Ella Gresham

Creator Bowley, Bobbie

Creator Yerby, Emma S.

Creator Hoffman, Jane

Creator Lee, Marguerite du Pont

Extent 38 Item

Scope and Contents

This file contains letters and telegrams from an array of people. There are several letters from Mary Morris

Anderson, Ella Haile, and Emma Yerby. There is also a letter from 'Bro. Barney' and letters from members of the Hoffman Family. Elsie often had folders marked 'family.'

Letters Written by A.I. du Pont, 1921-1935

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4050

Unit Date 1921-1935

Text [0000004350] 3 (box)

Container 14 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Du Pont, Alfred I. (Alfred Irénée), 1864-1935

Extent 23 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of letters from A.I. Du Pont. to Elsie, Thomas Ball, A.J. Bowley, and Henry DeShields. There is also a 'suggested annual budget' for Alfred V. Du Pont.

Keywords

Ball, Thomas

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

DeShields, Henry C.

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Letters from Jessie Ball du Pont

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4051

Unit Date 1917-1970

Text [0000004360] 3 (box)

Container 15 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Creator Williams, Hazel

Extent 68 Item

Scope and Contents

The letters are mostly written to Elsie, but there are letters to Edward, Thomas Ball, Belle Baker and General Bowley as well. Many of the later letters to Elsie were written by Hazel Williams on behalf of Jessie.

Keywords

Ball, Edward

Ball, Thomas

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Letters to or about Jessie Ball du Pont

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4053

Text [0000004359] 3 (box)

Container 16 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Gouldin, Bessie

Creator Dew, J. Bland

Extent 20 Item

Scope and Contents

This files consists of letters to or about Jessie Ball du Pont. Many of the letters are from the Alred I. du Pont Institute to Elsie. The file also consists of sympathy letters from family and friends to Elsie about Jessie's death.

Keywords

Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Letters from du Pont Relatives

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4052

Text [0000004352] 3 (box)

Container 17 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lee, Marguerite du Pont

Creator Zapffe, Carl A.

Creator Zapffe, Denise

Creator Huidekoper, Bessie

Creator Ruoff, Madeline du Pont

Creator Ruoff, Hermann

Creator du Pont, Henry C.

Extent 42 Item

Scope and Contents

The letters are from members of the du Pont Family to Elsie.

Benefactions and Requests, 1930s

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4054

Unit Date 1930-1940

Text [0000004361] 4 (box)

Container 18 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Jesse, James D.

Extent 3 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of two letters from James D. Jesse of Nuttsville, Va. and of a thank-you letter from the Woman's Club of Essex County.

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Benefactions - James Monroe Memorial Foundation, 1950s

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4055

Unit Date 1950-1960

Text [0000004363] 4 (box)

Container 19 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 23 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of letters from the James Monroe Memorial Foundation thanking Elsie for gifts. Elsie later joined her sister Isabel in becoming a trustee of the foundation. Several meeting minutes and reports are included in the file.

Keywords

Baker, Isabel Ball

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Benefactions, 1950s

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4056

Unit Date 1950-1960

Text [0000004364] 4 (box)

Container 20 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 26 Item

Scope and Contents

This file includes letters and benefactions by several different societies and associations, including The Society of the Lees of Virginia, The National Mary Washington Memorial Association, The Eisenhower-Nixon Club, and The Northern Neck of Virginia Historical Society.

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Benefactions, 1960s

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4057

Unit Date 1960-1970

Text [0000004365] 4 (box)

Container 21 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Randolph-Macon Woman's College

Creator Palmer, Williston B.

Creator United States Military Academy

Creator St. Margaret's School (Tappahannock, Va.)

Creator Alfred I. Du Pont Institute

Extent 47 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of benefactions and several programs from events such as the Dedication of the Victorine duPont Dent Memorial Clinic and the Dedication Ceremony of the Jessie Ball duPont Library at Sewanee. There are many letters from the St. Margaret's School in Tappahannock, Virginia and the United States Military Academy.

Keywords

University of the South. Jessie Ball duPont Library

Benefactions, 1960s, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4058

Unit Date 1960-1970

Text [0000004368] 4 (box)

Container 22 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Randolph-Macon Woman's College

Creator Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia

Creator Society of the Cincinnati in the State of Virginia

Extent 56 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of benefactions and letters from the United States Military Academy, Mary Washington College, Randolph-Macon Woman's College, and the Society of the Cincinnati in the State of Virginia.

Benefactions - James Monroe Memorial Foundation, 1960s

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4059

Unit Date 1960-1971

Text [0000004367] 4 (box)

Container 23 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 17 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of benefactions and documents from the James Monroe Memorial Foundation.

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Benefactions, 1970s and no date

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4060

Unit Date 1960-1970

Text [0000004369] 4 (box)

Container 24 (folder)

Language English.

Creator National Society of the Colonial Dames of America in the Commonwealth of Virginia

Creator Pollard, John Garland

Creator Mary Washington College of the University of Virginia

Extent 43 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of benefactions from several organizations, including the British Commonwealth Nurses War Memorial Fund, Mary Washington College, and personal letters from students receiving scholarships in memory of General Bowley.

Financial Records

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4061

Unit Date 1929-1940

Text [0000004370] 4 (box)

Container 25 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 47 Item

Financial Records

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4062

Unit Date 1934-1968

Text [0000004371] 1 (box)

Container 26 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 30 Item

Financial Records

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4063

Unit Date 1942-1972

Text [0000004372] 4 (box)

Container 27 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 19 Item

Biography of General A. J. Bowley

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4064

Text [0000004376] 5 (box)

Container 28 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

General Bowley's Will

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4065

Unit Date 1933

Text [0000004377] 5 (box)

Container 29 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Cards to General Bowley from Elsie and Jessie, no date

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4066

Text [0000004375] 5 (box)

Container 30 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Creator Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Extent 8 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Letters from General Bowley

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4067

Unit Date 1943-1945

Text [0000004378] 5 (box)

Container 31 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 7 Item

Letters to or About General Bowley

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4068

Unit Date 1923-1945

Text [0000004379] 5 (box)

Container 32 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Haile, Ella Gresham

Creator Wright, Thomas Ball

Creator Huidekoper, Bessie

Extent 56 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of letters written to General Bowley and letters to Elsie about General Bowley. Most of the letters are from family and friends. General Bowley and Elsie's engagement announcement and General Bowley's death certificate are included in this file.

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Sympathy Letters to Elsie When A.J. Bowley died

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4069

Unit Date 1945-05

Text [0000004380] 5 (box)

Container 33 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Anderson, Mary Morris

Creator Palmer, Williston B.

Creator Ralston, Betty

Creator Read, Mary B.

Creator Rhodes, Charles D.

Creator Rehe, A. J., Major

Creator Riely, Jean Roy

Creator Lundgren, Ralph O.

Extent 25 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Sympathy Letters to Elsie When A.J. Bowley died, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4070

Text [0000004381] 5 (box)

Container 34 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Parker, Katherine L.

Creator McKnew, Thomas W.

Creator Pratt, Sadie

Creator Kenned, John T., Brigadier General

Creator Kent, Alicia

Creator Lincoln, Bertie

Creator Lee, Mary Middleton Wilkerson

Creator Lawrence, Shirley

Creator Martin, Charles

Extent 87 Item

Scope and Contents

Sympathy notes from friends of Elsie and General Bowley. There are also many cards from flower arrangements sent to Elsie.

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Sympathy Letters, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4071

Unit Date 1945-05-1945-06

Text [0000004387] 5 (box)

Container 35 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Ball, Emma A.

Creator Brown, Thomas R., Dr.

Creator Bowley, Virginia

Creator Lee, Dorothy Vandegrift

Creator Bowley, Bobbie

Creator Bland, Minnie

Creator Campbell, Alice R.

Extent 58 Item

Scope and Contents

More sympathy letters and cards from friends and family

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Sympathy Letters, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4072

Unit Date 1945-05-1945-06

Text [0000004383] 5 (box)

Container 36 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lee, Dorothy Vandegrift

Creator Ball, Helen

Creator Bowley, Virginia

Creator Bowley, Bobbie

Creator Ball, Betrand R.

Creator Bowley, D. Gould

Extent 70 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Sympathy Letters, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4073

Unit Date 1945-05-1945-08

Text [0000004385] 5 (box)

Container 37 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Tucker, Beverley R. (Beverley Randolph)

Creator Hoffman, Flora Bowley

Creator Mason, Alice

Creator Wright, Sadie

Creator Wright, Marjorie

Creator Gresham, Philip

Creator Norris, Robert Opie, Jr.

Creator Tucker, Elsie B.

Extent 87 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Sympathy Letters, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4074

Unit Date 1945-05-1945-09

Text [0000004386] 5 (box)

Container 38 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Dew, J. Bland

Creator du Pont, Alfred Victor

Creator Edwards, Minnie

Creator Gresham, Sadie

Creator Gresham, Nellie

Creator Gresham, Eva

Creator Hoffman, Flora Bowley

Extent 84 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Sympathy Letters, cont.

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4075

Unit Date 1945-05-1945

Text [0000004388] 5 (box)

Container 39 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Cauthorne, William

Creator Dew, J. Bland

Creator Dew, Sarah Ford

Creator Doty, William K.

Creator Gresham, Mary

Creator du Pont, Margery

Creator du Pont, Nesta

Creator Du Pont, Marianna

Extent 58 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Invitations to Truman and Eisenhower Inaugurals

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4076

Unit Date 1949-01-20

Unit Date 1953-01-20

Realia [0000004391] 6 (box)

Container 40 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David)

Truman, Harry S.

Invitations and Programs

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4077

Realia [0000004390] 6 (box)

Container 41 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Palmer, Williston B.

Creator United States Military Academy

Creator Hoffman, Flora Bowley

Extent 24 Item

Scope and Contents

Marriage announcements, cards, church programs, graduation invitations, Valentine cards, Christmas cards,

Keywords

Tucker, Beverley R. (Beverley Randolph)

United Confederate Veterans

Cards, Mementos, Clippings, and Fragments

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4078

Unit Date 1935-1970

Realia [0000004392] 6 (box)

Container 42 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 54 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of newspaper and magazine clippings, programs, documents, invitations, and other miscellaneous realia.

Poems

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4079

Text [0000004394] 6 (box)

Container 43 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Lee, Marguerite du Pont

Creator Tucker, Beverley R. (Beverley Randolph)

Extent 76 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of mostly poetry cut out from newspapers. There are also typed and hand written copies of poems. There is one poem written for 'My little friend Elsie Ball.'

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Thomas Ball Estate

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4080

Unit Date 1960

Text [0000004395] 6 (box)

Container 44 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 1 Item

Keywords

Ball, Thomas

Sympathy Letters to Elsie When Brother Thomas Died

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4081

Unit Date 1960

Text [0000004396] 6 (box)

Container 45 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Cauthorne, William

Creator Lee, Maurice Du Pont

Creator Anderson, Mary Morris

Creator Huidekoper, Bessie

Extent 18 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of letters written to Elsie when her brother, Thomas Ball, died.

Keywords

Ball, Thomas

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Miscellany

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4082

Text [0000004397] 6 (box)

Container 46 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Wright, Edgar

Extent 9 Item

Scope and Contents

Miscellaneous documents, a few letters, and a few newspaper clippings

Ledger - Congratulatory Wires for Wedding

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4083

Unit Date 1931

Realia [0000004398] 6 (box)

Language English.

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Ledger - Wedding Guests

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4084

Unit Date 1931-09-12

Realia [0000004399] 6 (box)

Language English.

Extent 1 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Certificates from Commonwealth of Virginia for Membership of the Board of Regents of the James Monroe Law Office

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4085

Unit Date 1970-1972

Realia [0000004436] 7 (box)

Container 47 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Photograph of A. I. du Pont

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4086

Graphic Materials [0000004435] 7 (box)

Container 48 (folder)

Language English.

Keywords

Du Pont, Alfred I. (Alfred Irénée), 1864-1935

Photographs of Places

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4087

Graphic Materials [0000004434] 7 (box)

Container 49 (folder)

Language English.

Creator Baker, Isabel Ball

Extent 7 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of photographs of places as identified on the back including early photographs of Miami Florida at the Everglades Hotel, likely taken by Isabel Ball Baker. It includes a photograph of Mary Ball Washington's grave and Ella Gresham Haile's grave. There are photographs dated 1931-1934 of the Bowley's home in Oahu, Hawaii, at the Schofield Barracks, and a photograph of Unity Church in Santa Ana, California.

Keywords

Florida -- Miami

Haile, Ella Gresham

Four Photographs of Objects

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4088

Graphic Materials [0000004414] 7 (box)

Container 50 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 4 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of four photographs. Three photographs are of pocket watches and the other is of a chandelier. One of the pocket watches is inscribed with 'to George Washington from John Wentworth Stark.'

Unidentified Photographs (most likely of Elsie and her family and friends)

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4089

Unit Date 1930-1970

Graphic Materials [0000004433] 7 (box)

Container 51 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 51 Item

Scope and Contents

This file contains photographs ranging from 1923-1970. It includes portraits of Elsie and Thomas Ball Wright and a photograph from Palm Beach. Some of the square photographs are labeled as Mrs. Du Pont's seventieth birthday in 1968.

Keywords

Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Haile, Ella Gresham

Wright, Thomas Ball

Photographs of People (as identified on back)

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4090

Unit Date 1929-1961

Graphic Materials [0000004432] 7 (box)

Container 52 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 12 Item

Keywords

Du Pont, Alfred I. (Alfred Irénée), 1864-1935

Du Pont, Maurice (1866-1941)

Haile, Ella Gresham

Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

Baker, N. Addison

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Wedding Photographs of A. J. Bowley and Elsie Ball Wright

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4091

Unit Date 1931

Graphic Materials [0000004406] 7 (box)

Container 53 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 10 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Photographs of Places

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4092

Graphic Materials [0000004428] 7 (box)

Container 54 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 35 Item

Scope and Contents

There are eleven c. late 1920s-early 1930s era photographs of Alameda, California buildings, churches, neighborhoods, parks, etc. There are 8 inch x 10 inch interior views of an unidentified mansion and five photographic images of Sequoya Park, Eureka, California by the Freeman Art Company.

Keywords

California -- Alameda

Photographs Pertaining to General Bowley

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4093

Graphic Materials [0000004429] 7 (box)

Container 55 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 23 Item

Scope and Contents

Many of the photographs are taken in Asia

Keywords

Bowley, Albert J. (Albert Jesse)

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Haile, Ella Gresham

Eisenhower, Dwight D. (Dwight David)

Photographs of Thomas Ball Wright

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4094

Graphic Materials [0000004431] 7 (box)

Container 56 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 3 Item

Keywords

Postcards

Wright, Thomas Ball

Photographs of Elsie and Family

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4095

Unit Date 1919-1970

Graphic Materials [0000004426] 7 (box)

Container 57 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 33 Item

Keywords

Bowley, Elsie Ball Wright, 1886-1972

Du Pont, Alfred I. (Alfred Irénée), 1864-1935

Du Pont, Jessie Ball, 1884-1970

1940s-1950s Era Chinese Wedding Photograph

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4096

Graphic Materials [0000004430] 7 (box)

Container 58 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 2 Item

Scope and Contents

One photograph was a gift to Mr. and Mrs. Bowley from Alfred and Molly Psai.

Photographs of President Ramon Magsaysay

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4100

Unit Date 1959

Graphic Materials [0000004412] 7 (box)

Container 59 (folder)

Language English.

Extent 3 Item

Scope and Contents

This file consists of a photograph of President Magsaysay and Pedro Paguio given to Isabel Baker on June 23, 1959. There is also a print of President Magsaysay indicated that it was acquired during Mrs. Baker's visit to Manila, Philippines in 1959, and there is an itinerary of the trip.

Keywords

Philippines -- Manila

Magsaysay, Ramon

Baker, Isabel Ball

Soft Leather Decorative (Bi-fold) Photo/Document Frames

Unit ID /repositories/5/archival_objects/4101

Realia [0000004424] 7 (box)

Language English.

Extent 3 Item