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## **Scope and Contents**

Papers of William Henry DeBell, teacher in Staunton, Va. and Fairfax County, Va.; and deputy superintendent of schools in San Francisco, Calif., 1914-1931. Includes congratulatory letters and testimonials upon his retirement in 1931. Also includes correspondence, 1928-1930, of Mrs. William H. DeBell [Lucy Brockenborough Daingerfield DeBell] concerning the Colonial Dames of America; genealogical material on the Daingerfield family; and a newspaper clipping concerning the diary of John Harrower.

## **Related Materials:**

Related collection; Daingerfield Papers (Mss. 39.2 D14), Special Collections Research Center, Swem Library, College of William and Mary.

## **Keywords**

Correspondence

Education--California--History

Genealogy

Daingerfield family

DeBell, Lucy Brockenborough Daingerfield

## **Description of Subordinate Components**

### **Correspondence and Miscellaneous Papers**

**Unit ID** id120733

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/174843

**Unit Date** 1886-1931

**Mixed Materials** Manuscripts Group 2 Box 9 (Box)

**Container** 1 (folder)

### **Scope and Contents**

Contains: Correspondence and miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, 1886-1931, 13 pieces  
Correspondence and miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, 1886-1931, 23 items  
Miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, including a certificate from the State Textbook Committee and a birthday card and envelope, 1886-1931, 3 pieces.  
Correspondence and miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, 1886-1931, 24 items  
Miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, including cards and envelopes, 1886-1931

## **Correspondence, Miscellaneous papers, and Photographs**

**Unit ID** id120736

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/174844

**Unit Date** 1821-1931

**Mixed Materials** Manuscripts Group 2 Box 9 (Box)

**Container** 2 (folder)

### **Scope and Contents**

Contains: Miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, 1881-1931, 2 items Correspondence and miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, 10 items Photographs of Abigail Adams Smith Mansion, 2 pieces Other papers, 7 pieces Photographs of William H. DeBell, 3 pieces Miscellaneous papers of William H. DeBell, 17 items Correspondence of Mrs. William H. DeBell concerning the Colonial Dames of America, 1928-1930, 16 pieces Obituary of William Allen Daingerfield by George Washington Parke Custis in The Alexandria Gazette, November, 1821, Typewritten copy, 1 piece Genealogical data on Daingerfield family. 1 piece Diary of John Harrower, tutor, by Mary Elizabeth Tayer in The Baltimore Sun, August 19, 1928. 1 piece

### **Diplomas**

**Unit ID** /repositories/2/archival\_objects/286390

**Unit Date** 1886, 1900

**Mixed Materials** 1 (Oversize Folder)

**Language** English