



Doug Drake Collection, 1837-1962

Collection Summary:

Title: Doug Drake Collection

Summary: Political history of the Hollingsworth/Drake family; Documents and photographs of the United States Spanish-American War Veteran Auxiliary under Mary Drake as President.

Physical Description: 7 boxes; 4.17 linear feet

Language: English

Stack Location: Section 3.43

Repository: Metropolitan Government Archives of Nashville-Davidson County, 615 Church St., Nashville, TN 37219

Scope and Contents of the Collection:

This collection begins with Henry Hollingsworth, Mayor of Nashville in 1837-1838. It dives briefly into his family history and their political life. There are family photographs, journals, and writings from the Hollingsworth/Drake family. The collection moves on to include documents, correspondence, photographs, and programs of the United States Spanish-American War Veteran Auxiliary, under Mary Drake as President. She was the wife of Henry Hollingsworth's great-great grandson. This collection consists items of the Auxiliary from 1901 - 1962.

Index Terms:

Subjects:

Drake, Mary E.

Spanish-American War Veteran.

Arrangement:

This collection is organized into five series; the first series is arranged chronologically; the last four series are arranged alphabetically:

Box 1: Family History

Hollingsworth, Henry, Mayor of Nashville, 1837-1838

Drake, Flex Rains Diary

Drake, Flex Rains Account Book of "Well Water Farms"

Drake, Erle

Drake, James Lowell

Tennessee Historical Quarterly 1942-1943; 1948

Drake, Mary

Box 2-3: United States War Veteran Reports

Bank reports

Convention reports

Hospital reports

Legislative Bulletin

Miscellaneous

Receipts and disbursements (1939-1958)

Reports of Auxiliary Chairman

Reports of Auxiliary Historian

Reports of Auxiliary Officers

Reports of Auxiliary Secretary

Reports of Auxiliary Treasure

Reports of Chairman, Blood Donor Service, and Chaplain

Reports of election, installation, and inspection

Reports of Finance Committee

Reports of National Convention

Reports of Officers and Committee, 63rd National Convention

Reports of Patriotic Instructor

Auxiliary Meeting Materials and information

Auxiliary Roster

Box 3: United States War Veteran Correspondence

Correspondence (1938-1948)

Correspondence to Auxiliary Defense Chairman

Correspondence to Auxiliary President

Correspondence to United States War Veteran Members

Drake, Mary personal correspondence

Random correspondence

Box 4: United States War Veteran

Convention programs

Materials (1962-1968)

Newsletters (1957-1978)

"Olivettes" Documents

Box 4-7: United States Spanish-American War Veterans

Newspaper clippings (1956-1974)

Deceased member cards (A-Z)

Live member cards (A-Y)
Suspended member cards
Auxiliary #5 meeting minutes (1934-1962)
Photographs and maps
Tennessee Volunteer State Scrapbook, dedicated to Mary Drake

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