Collection Summary

Title: Coolidge-Pollard Families Papers
Span Dates: 1818-2015
Bulk Dates: (bulk 1890-1936)
ID No.: MSS85922
Creator: Coolidge family
Creator: Pollard family
Extent: 8,000 items
Extent: 34 containers plus 8 oversize
Extent: 20 linear feet
Extent: 2,981 digital files (5.2 GB)
Language: Collection material in English
Location: Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.
LC Catalog record: https://lccn.loc.gov/mm2014085922
Summary: Correspondence, diaries, travel journals, photographs, postcards, scrapbooks, legal records, drawings, newspaper clippings, genealogical research notes, poetry and other writings, books, and other printed matter chronicling the lives of the Pollard family of Vermont who were maternal relatives of Calvin Coolidge. The collection includes correspondence between Coolidge and his relatives as well as photographs of the president during visits to Vermont.

Selected Search Terms

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the LC Catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically.

People
Bryant family--Correspondence.
Bryant family.
Coolidge family--Correspondence.
Coolidge family.
Coolidge, Calvin, 1872-1933--Family.
Coolidge, Calvin, 1872-1933.
Coolidge, Grace Goodhue, 1879-1957--Correspondence.
Edison, Thomas A. (Thomas Alva), 1847-1931.
Franklin family.
Gale family--Correspondence.
Gale family.
Gould family.
Howe family.
Moor family--Correspondence.
Moor family.
Pinney family.
Pollard family--Correspondence.
Pollard family.
Pollard, Bryant Frank, 1893-1939.
Pollard, Fred Don, 1892-1932.
Pollard, Isaac, Jr., 1830-1917
Pollard, Isaac, Jr., 1830-1917. Isaac Pollard, Jr., correspondence and diary. 1850-1855.
Pollard, Mary Victoria, 1895-1958.
Pollard, Rowland Parker, 1897-1966.
Pollard, Sarah Jane Moor, 1841-1935--Correspondence.
Proctor family.
Reich, Alfred J., 1890-1963.
Rogers, Will, 1879-1935.
Welch, Linda Margaret Farr. Linda Margaret Farr Welch genealogical research files.
Wilder family--Correspondence.

**Organizations**
Debarkation Hospital No. 1 (Ellis Island (N.J. and N.Y.))
Democratic Party (Vt.)
Madeira School (McLean, Va.)
Standard Oil Company.
White House (Washington, D.C.)

**Subjects**
Americans--Burma.
Americans--India.
Americans--Southeast Asia.
Genealogy.
Gold miners--Correspondence.
Gold mines and mining--California
Mines and mineral resources--California.
Mines and mineral resources--Colorado.
Oil industries--Burma.
Oil industries--India.
Preparatory schools--Virginia--McLean.
Preparatory schools--Washington (D.C.)
Voyages around the world.
World War, 1914-1918--Medical care--United States.
World War, 1914-1918.

**Places**
California--Gold discoveries.
Southeast Asia--Description and travel.
Southeast Asia--Social life and customs.
Vermont--Commerce.
Vermont--Politics and government.
Vermont--Social life and customs.
Washington (D.C.)--Social life and customs.

**Titles**
*Coolidge family papers*
*Pollard family papers*

**Provenance**
The papers of the Coolidge and Pollard families were purchased by the Library of Congress in 2014 and received in 2014-2015.

**Transfers**
Some photographs have been transferred to the Library's Prints and Photographs Division where they are identified as part of these papers.

**Other Repositories**
Other Pollard family papers and business records can be found in the Vermont Historical Society, Barre, Vermont.
Related Material

Related collections in the Manuscript Division include the Calvin Coolidge Papers and a microfilm edition of the Isaac Pollard, Jr., diary typescript, 1850-1861.

Copyright Status

The status of copyright in the unpublished writings of Coolidge and Pollard families is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

Access and Restrictions

The papers of Coolidge and Pollard families are open to research. Researchers are advised to contact the Manuscript Reading Room prior to visiting. Many collections are stored off-site and advance notice is needed to retrieve these items for research use.

Digital Format

Digital files were received as part of the papers of the Coolidge-Pollard families. Reference copies were created from the original digital media. Advance notice is required for access to digital content; consult reference staff in the Manuscript Division for more information.

Preferred Citation

Researchers wishing to cite this collection should include the following information: Container number or digital ID number, Coolidge-Pollard Families Papers, Manuscript Division, Library of Congress, Washington, D.C.

Biographical Note

Calvin Coolidge

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<td>Graduated, Amherst College, Amherst, Mass.</td>
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<td>1905, Oct. 4</td>
<td>Married, Grace Goodhue Coolidge (died 1957)</td>
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<tr>
<td>1907-1908</td>
<td>Member, Massachusetts house of representatives</td>
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<td>1912-1915</td>
<td>Member, Massachusetts state senate</td>
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<td>1916-1918</td>
<td>Lieutenant governor, Massachusetts</td>
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<td>Governor, Massachusetts</td>
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<td>1921-1923</td>
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<td>1923-1929</td>
<td>President of the United States</td>
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Don Carlos Pollard and Sarah Jane Moor Pollard

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<td>1840, Apr. 25</td>
<td>Birth of Don Carlos Pollard, Plymouth, Vt., son of Rowland Parker and Mary Ann Shedd Pollard</td>
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<td>1841, Apr. 8</td>
<td>Birth of Sarah Jane Moor, Plymouth, Vt., daughter of Hiram Dunlap and Abigail Franklin Moor</td>
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<td>1860</td>
<td>General store opened by Don Carlos Pollard, Plymouth Vt.</td>
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1861  Marriage of Don Carlos Pollard and Sarah Jane Moor  
      Birth of son Fred Don Pollard (died 1935)
1863  Moved to Proctorsville, Vt., to open a dry goods and grocery store  
      Birth of daughter Mary Victoria Pollard (died 1892)
1869  Birth of son Park Hiram Pollard (died 1955)
1875  Birth of son Dallas Franklin (died 1973)
1894  Appointment of Don Carlos Pollard as president, National Black River Bank
1912  Election of Don Carlos Pollard to the Vermont state senate; he served until 1915
1921, May 25  Death of Don Carlos Pollard, Proctorsville, Vt.
1935, Nov. 1  Death of Sarah Jane Moor Pollard, Proctorsville, Vt.

Fred Don Pollard (1861-1935) and Lois Bryant Pollard

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<td>Birth of Fred Don Pollard, Plymouth, Vt., son of Don Carlos and Sarah Jane Moor Pollard</td>
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<td>1864, Feb. 20</td>
<td>Birth of Lois Bryant, Weston, Vt., the daughter of John Proctor and Esther Gale Bryant</td>
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<td>1883</td>
<td>Graduation of Lois Bryant, Black River Academy, Ludlow, Vt.</td>
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<td>Teaching by Lois Bryant in schools in Cuttingsville, Windham, Ludlow, and Proctorsville, Vt.</td>
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<td>1884</td>
<td>Purchase of a general store by Fred Don Pollard with Frank C. Moor, Proctorsville, Vt.</td>
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<td>1889</td>
<td>Beginning of a partnership between Fred Don Pollard and his brother Park Hiram Pollard under the name Pollard Brothers</td>
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<td>1890</td>
<td>Marriage of Fred Don Pollard and Lois Bryant</td>
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<td>1892</td>
<td>Birth of son Fred Don Pollard (died 1932)</td>
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<td>1893</td>
<td>Birth of son Bryant Frank Pollard (died 1939)</td>
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<td>1895</td>
<td>Birth of daughter Mary Victoria Pollard (died 1958)</td>
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<td>Birth of son Rowland Parker Pollard (died 1966)</td>
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<td>1899</td>
<td>Birth of son Roy Gale Pollard (died 1947)</td>
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<td>1902</td>
<td>Birth of daughter Erminie Lois Pollard (died 1996)</td>
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<td>1935, June 17</td>
<td>Death of Fred Don Pollard, Boston, Mass.</td>
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<td>1957, Apr. 8</td>
<td>Death of Lois Bryant Pollard, Proctorsville, Vt.</td>
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Fred Don Pollard (1892-1932) and France Ganguet Pollard

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<td>1898, Aug. 12</td>
<td>Birth of France Ganguet, Paris, France, daughter of Frederick Ganguet</td>
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<td>1911</td>
<td>Graduation of Fred Don Pollard, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N.H.</td>
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<td>1917-1918</td>
<td>Military service of Fred Don Pollard, United States Army, aviation corps</td>
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<td>1918</td>
<td>Marriage of Fred Don Pollard and France Ganguet</td>
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<td>1919</td>
<td>Receipt of law degree by Fred Don Pollard, Northeastern University, Boston, Mass.</td>
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<td>1919</td>
<td>Start of Fred Don Pollard's work with the Boston, Mass., law firm Dallinger and Stearns (later Dallinger, Pollard, and Richardson), specializing in title work</td>
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Mary Victoria Pollard

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<td>1918-1919</td>
<td>Worked as a dietician, Debarkation Hospital No. 1, Ellis Island, N.Y. and N.J.</td>
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1958, Nov. 9  Died, Proctorsville, Vt.

**Rowland Parker Pollard**

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<td>1919</td>
<td>Graduated, Dartmouth College, Hanover, N.H.</td>
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<td>1920</td>
<td>Began work for Standard Oil Co. in India</td>
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<td>1929</td>
<td>Transferred by Standard Oil Co. to Rangoon, Burma</td>
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<td>1931</td>
<td>Married Evelyn Daly</td>
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<td>1942</td>
<td>Relocated to India after Japan invaded Burma</td>
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<td>1951</td>
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<td>1966</td>
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**Scope and Content Note**

The papers of the Coolidge-Pollard families span the years 1818-2015, with the bulk of material dating from 1890 to 1936. The collection documents the relationship between Calvin Coolidge and his maternal relatives, the Pollards of Vermont. Correspondence between them provides insight into Coolidge's personal life, attachment to Vermont, and life in the White House during his presidency. The larger part of the collection concerns the lives, work, and travels of the Pollards who included businessmen, lawyers, politicians, and teachers. The papers contain correspondence, diaries, travel journals, photographs, scrapbooks, legal records, newspaper clippings, and other printed matter that present insights into the everyday lives of the Pollard family. Also available in the collection are genealogical research files created or compiled by genealogist and historian Linda Margaret Farr Welch and members of the Pollard family. The collection is arranged in six series: Calvin Coolidge Papers, Family Correspondence, Other Family Papers, Genealogical Research, Digital Files, and Oversize.

The Calvin Coolidge Papers series showcases the president's relationship with the Pollard family, providing glimpses into his personal and professional life. The series contains correspondence between Coolidge and his extended family during his gubernatorial, presidential, and post presidential careers. Many of his outgoing letters are addressed to his aunt Sarah Jane Moor Pollard, who played an important role in his upbringing following the death of his mother in 1885. The general file of Coolidge's correspondence consists of letters written by him that were retained by individual family members. The Presidential Personal File was maintained by White House staff and contains incoming letters from the Pollards and carbon copies of Coolidge's replies. The file was sent to the Pollards at Coolidge's request after he left office. Subjects in the correspondence include the president's anecdotes on growing up in Vermont, personal requests to and from the Pollards regarding White House visits, and acknowledgment of condolences over the death of the president's son Calvin in 1924. The series also contains correspondence from the president's wife Grace Goodhue Coolidge and other members of his immediate family to the Pollards. Prominent within the series are photographs and what are commonly referred to as "real photo" postcards. These depict members of the Coolidge family, places associated with Coolidge, visits by Calvin and Grace Goodhue Coolidge to Vermont, as well as visits to the Coolidge farm by Thomas A. Edison, Henry Ford, and Will Rogers.

The Family Correspondence series consists of letters to and from members of the Pollard family and other close relatives, including the Bryant, Gale, Moor, and Wilder families. The correspondence is arranged chronologically, with some undated letters filed according to approximate dates provided by Linda Welch. The letters exchange news surrounding the births, graduations, careers, business dealings, weddings, anniversaries, deaths, and travels of the Pollard family. Topics include the World War I military service of brothers Bryant Frank Pollard, Fred Don Pollard (1892-1932), and Rowland Parker Pollard, as well as their sister Mary Victoria Pollard's work as a dietician at the Debarkation Hospital No. 1 on Ellis Island during the war. Although some personal correspondence with non family members may be found in the series, the bulk of it is filed in the Other Family Papers series under the names of the family members to whom it is addressed.

The Other Family Papers series is arranged in three subseries: By Individual, Miscellany, and Photographs. The first subseries contains the personal papers of individual family members and makes up the bulk of the series. It includes the
papers of Don Carlos Pollard who operated several general stores over the years, chiefly in Proctorsville, Vermont. His business correspondence and legal records detail the diversity of his entrepreneurial activities within Vermont and beyond. Included is correspondence with J. E. Freeman, a dealer in mines who helped Pollard secure partial mine ownership and operating rights in Colorado in the 1890s. Pollard's political correspondence records his involvement in Democratic Party politics in Vermont and his public service as a state senator and local selectman.

The papers of Pollard's granddaughter Mary Victoria Pollard include a binder of original letters and ephemera documenting her service as a dietician during World War I. The binder was compiled by Linda Welch and contains material related to Pollard's appointment, notes made by her, and letters from her brothers and other soldiers she knew. The rest of Mary Victoria Pollard's wartime correspondence can be found in her general correspondence in this subseries and in the Family Correspondence series. Her postwar correspondence concerns her work at Madeira School which was located first in the Washington, D.C., and later in McLean, Virginia. Also found among her papers is correspondence with Alfred J. Reich, a heavyweight boxer with whom Pollard had a romantic relationship, and travel journals and photographs from an around the world trip Pollard took with four other women in 1929-1930. Mary Victoria Pollard's brother Rowland Parker Pollard worked for Standard Oil Company in India beginning in 1920 and in Burma after 1929. He remained abroad until 1951. Rowland Pollard's overseas letters to his family, some of which are accompanied by photographs, have been consolidated in this subseries. The correspondence chronicles his work, travels, and family life in Southeast Asia. Also of note is a transcript of a diary written by Isaac Pollard, Jr., in 1850-1855 describing his experiences as a prospector during the California Gold Rush.

There are two other subseries within the Other Family Papers series. The Miscellany subseries contains financial and business records, poetry and other writings, scrapbooks, postcards, greeting cards, political buttons, a handkerchief depicting World War I soldiers, news clippings, and printed matter not attributed to any one family member. The Photographs subseries includes individual portraits and group photographs of the Pollards, as well as members of the Bryant, Gale, Howe, Moor, and Wilder families. The photographs date largely from the late nineteenth century. Photographs of Mary Victoria Pollard purportedly taken by Grace Goodhue Coolidge at the White House can be found here, as well as two photographs of Orson Bean, a film, television, and stage actor. Born Dallas Frederick Burrows, Bean was the son of Marion Pollard Burrows.

The Genealogical Research series contains research notes, family trees, charts, correspondence, transcribed and photocopied historical documents, and published genealogies created or compiled by Linda Welch and various Pollard family members, principally Erminie Lois Pollard. The series traces the connections between the Bryant, Coolidge, Franklin, Gale, Gould, Moor, Pinney, Pollard, and Proctor families and is useful in navigating the familial relationships of the individuals represented in the collection.

The Digital Files were created by Linda Welch and consist of scanned photographs, correspondence, postcards, greeting cards, news clippings, and other documents relating to the Pollard family and their extended relations. Many of the scans are accompanied by transcriptions, captions, and supplemental notes. Most but possibly not all of the originals of the scanned items are available in the physical collection. Printed copies of many of the scans, transcriptions, and notes are filed with the original material in the papers.

**Arrangement of the Papers**

This collection is arranged in six series:
- Calvin Coolidge Papers, 1877-1986
- Family Correspondence, 1881-1957
- Other Family Papers, 1818-1995
- Genealogical Research, 1911-2008
- Digital Files, 2008-2015
- Oversize, 1912-1920s
## Description of Series

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Silhouette portrait of Coolidge, undated

**BOX 3-14**  
**Family Correspondence, 1881-1957**  
Correspondence between the Pollards and their extended family.  
Arranged chronologically.

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1881-1906  
(15 folders)  
1907  
Jan.  
(2 folders)  

**BOX 4**  
Feb.-Nov.  
(6 folders)  
1910-1920  
(6 folders)  

**BOX 5**  
1921-1922  
(7 folders)  

**BOX 6**  
1923  
(12 folders)  
1924  
Jan.-Feb.  
(2 folders)  

**BOX 7**  
Mar.-Dec.  
(10 folders)  
1925  
Jan.-Aug.  
(4 folders)  

**BOX 8**  
Sept.-Dec.  
(4 folders)  
1926  
Jan.-Oct.  
(9 folders)  

**BOX 9**  
Nov.-Dec.  
(2 folders)  
1927  
(8 folders)  
1928  
Jan.-Mar.  
(2 folders)  

**BOX 10**  
Apr.-Dec.  
(5 folders)  
1929-1931  
(10 folders)  

**BOX 11**  
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(7 folders)  
1933  
Jan.-Sept.  
(7 folders)
Family Correspondence, 1881-1957

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BOX 14-33 Other Family Papers, 1818-1995

BOX 14-29 By Individual, 1850-1995

- Bean, Orson, 1953-1960, 1980, undated
- Bryant, John Proctor, Civil War letter, 1864, 1995
- Bryant, W. N., clippings of jokes and amusing stories, undated
- Burrows, Marion Pollard, 1924-1926
- Edson, Nell Bryant, letters to her daughter Suzane Edson, 1915-1916
- Pollard, Bryant Frank, 1918-1919, 1939
- Pollard, Dallas Franklin, 1969
- Pollard, Don Carlos
  - Business, community, and personal correspondence
    - Freeman, J. E., 1890-1897 (3 folders)
    - General
      - 1862, 1870-1878, 1893 (3 folders)
- BOX 15
  - 1894-1911, undated (8 folders)
    - White, Elliott G., 1893-1896 (2 folders)
    - Certificate of intent to marry, 1860
    - Diary, 1865

BOX 16

- Drawings in pencil of houses, undated
- Ephemera, 1872-1917
- Financial records, 1887-1895, undated
- Invitations, 1877-1917, undated
- Laws of Vermont, with pressed autumn leaves and flowers, 1857
- Legal records, 1864-1909, undated (4 folders)
- Obituary, 1921
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1898, 1912  
Ephemera, 1885-1917 *See also Oversize*  
Pollard, Fred Don (1861-1935), 1882-1928  
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Certificates of appointments signed by Calvin Coolidge, 1919-1920 *See Oversize*  
General correspondence, 1898-1917  
(4 folders)  
Miscellany, 1906-1932, 1964, undated  
Pollard, George Nelson, 1925, 1941-1947  
Pollard, Isaac, Jr., transcripts  
Correspondence, 1851-1854  
Diary, 1850-1855 |
| BOX 18    | Pollard, Lois Bryant  
Diaries, 1900, 1936  
General correspondence, 1889-1900, 1923-1936, undated  
(6 folders)  
Miscellany, 1883, 1927, undated  
Postcards and greeting cards, 1908, 1923-1935, 1945, 1955, undated  
(2 folders)  
Pollard, Mary Orenda, 1947-1962  
Pollard, Mary Victoria (1863-1892), autograph book, 1878-1888 |
| BOX 19    | Pollard, Mary Victoria (1895-1958)  
Binder of World War I-era material  
Correspondence  
Family, 1918-1922  
(2 folders)  
General, 1918-1919  
Powell, Bryan B., 1918-1919  
Smith, Ralph K., 1917  
Debarkation Hospital No. 1, Ellis Island, N.Y. and N.J., appointment and related material, 1918-1919  
Printed matter  
Booklets, 1916-1918, undated  
Menus, postcards, and program, 1918, undated  
Black River Academy, Ludlow, Vt., 1912, 1934  
Diaries, 1906, 1919  
Ephemera, 1909, 1949  
General correspondence  
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(3 folders)  
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May-Dec. |
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1925
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(2 folders)
BOX 21
May-Dec.
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(12 folders)
Miscellany, 1942-1946
BOX 22
Poetry by others, 1920s, undated
Postcards, invitations, and greeting cards, 1900-1935, 1955, undated
(2 folders)
Reich, Alfred J.
Correspondence
1919-1921
(11 folders)
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(2 folders)
Photograph, undated
Scrapbook, 1917-1927
Travel
Around-the-world trip, 1929-1930
Ephemera
Journals
News clippings
Passport and partial itinerary
Photograph album
BOX 24
Sierra Club hikes and other travel, photograph album, 1923-1927
Various travels, photograph album, 1935-1939
Pollard, Minnie, 1918
Pollard, Pamela, 1948-1951
Pollard, Park Hiram, 1923, 1932, 1945
BOX 25
Pollard, Rowland Parker and Evelyn Daly
Letters from abroad, with some photographs attached
1920-1921
(11 folders)
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(14 folders)
BOX 27
1938-1940, 1946-1950, undated
(2 folders)
Miscellany, 1918-1945, 1966-1967
Postcards from family in Vermont, 1926, 1931, undated
Pollard, Roy Gale, 1909, 1927, 1947
Pollard, Sarah Jane Moor
Ephemera, 1905, 1911
Fiftieth wedding anniversary, 1911
General correspondence, 1898-1938, undated
Greeting cards and postcards
General, 1870s-1930s
(2 folders)
(1 folder)
Vermont scenes, 1907-1911, 1923
Longfellow Birthday-Book, with record of birthdays, 1881-1935
Scrapbook, 1904-1930, undated
Smith, Mary Ellen Bryant, account book and teaching notes, 1859-1869, 1969
Wilson, Vicki Pollard, undated

BOX 30-31 Miscellany, 1818-1991
Financial and business records, poetry and other writings, scrapbooks, postcards, greeting cards, political buttons, a handkerchief, news clippings, and printed matter not attributed to any one family member.
Arranged alphabetically by type of material or topic.

BOX 30 Daughters of the American Revolution and Sons of the American Revolution, 1892-1901, 1911, 1977, 1990
Financial and business records, 1908-1909, 1924, 1941-1942, 1949, undated
Handkerchief depicting World War I soldiers and the words "Forget me not," circa 1918 See Oversize
Johnson, Samuel, Rasselas: A Tale (Philadelphia: Benjamin C. Buzby), 1818
News clippings, 1862, 1924, 1931, 1945-1951, undated
Poetry, prayers, and a play, undated
Political buttons for Allen Miller Fletcher and Woodrow Wilson, World War I liberty loan and other buttons, and a masonic button, 1912-1919
Postcards and greeting cards, 1923-1930, undated
Printed ephemera, 1884-1932, undated
(2 folders)

BOX 31 Scrapbooks
Decorative, with postcards, greeting cards, stickers, and clippings, undated
News clippings, largely obituaries, mounted in an account ledger (1867-1870), 1898-1936
Wedding invitations, collectively addressed, 1884-1899, 1902-1929, 1956
(2 folders)
Unidentified letter, undated

BOX 32-33 Photographs, 1860s-1950s
Photographs and photograph albums.
Arranged alphabetically by name of person or subject. Photograph albums are at the end of the series.

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Bean, Orson, 1920s
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Genealogical Research, 1911-2008
Correspondence, notes, published genealogies, biographies, family trees, charts, applications, photocopied and transcribed historical documents, computer printouts, and news clippings. Arranged alphabetically by name of family or topic.

Families
Bryant, 1911-1990
(2 folders)
Franklin, 1925-1982

Gale, 1911-1928, 2008, undated
Moor, 1937-1989
(2 folders)
Other, 1919-1987
Pinney, 1932-1987
Pollard, 1930-1995
(2 folders)
Proctor and Gould, 1952, undated
Vermont history, 1976, 1985

Digital Files, 2008-2015
Largely color scans of photographs, correspondence, postcards, greeting cards, news clippings, and other documents with transcriptions, captioning, and supplemental information produced by Linda Welch. Most but possibly not all of the originals of the scanned items are available in the physical collection. The series comprises 2,981 files in JPEG and Word formats and 5.2 GB of data.
Arranged principally in two folders: Pollard letters and Pollard pictures.

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Pollard letters (1881-1990), color scans of documents with some transcriptions and supplemental information (JPEG and Word formats)
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Miscellaneous files
Pollard for the Coolidge Papers (Word format)
Pollard genealogy (Word format)
Willis exploring history at Linda's (JPEG format)

Oversize, 1912-1920s
Certificates, photographs, and a handkerchief.
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