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Summary

Title: Jacob Collection

Accession Number: 2013-07

Creator: Lois Winifred "Win" (Gray) Jacob (1919-2008)

Extent: 2 boxes, consisting of 30 file folders (3117 pages)

Language: English

Abstract

The Jacob Collection contains family history research compiled by Lois Winifred "Win" Jacob. The greatest strength of this collection is the correspondence, which not only trades family history and documents, but also reveals discrepancies and resolutions in lineage arguments. The collection also includes pedigree charts, family group sheets, copies of vital records, copies of Bible records, and research reports. Prominent surnames include Gray, Jackson, Hayes, Hill, Thomas, Berrian, Oldham, and Williams. There are groups of families from Massachusetts and Connecticut, and other groups from Virginia, Tennessee, and Kentucky. More than one line ended up in Oregon.

Administrative Information

Provenance: The genealogical collection of Winifred Jacob was acquired by the Genealogical Forum of Oregon before 2013.

Processing History: Processing and description of the Jacob Collection was completed in 2021.

Retention and Access: Scanned images of the collection are currently retained by the GFO Manuscripts Committee in three separate digital storage locations and can be accessed at the GFO library or by contacting manuscripts@gfo.org.

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Biographical Note

Lois Winifred "Win" Gray was born 14 June 1919 in Portland, Multnomah County, Oregon. Her parents were both born in The Dalles, Wasco County, Oregon, and the family had strong ties to that area. After graduating from Washington High School in Portland, Win married Alexander Jacob in 1940, and together they raised one son. Win was a member of the Genealogical Forum of Oregon. Her interest in genealogy spanned several decades and her work was frequently cited by other researchers. Win died on 16 January 2008 in Portland.

Finding Aid

Box #	File #	Description	Surnames	Locations	Pages
1	1	Correspondence, research notes, pedigree chart, family group sheets	Hill, Hart, Oldham, Stevens, Williams, Cate, Halbert, Thomas, Tofflemier, Berrian, Lane	Kentucky, Virginia, Oregon, Washington	62
1	2	Correspondence, pedigree charts	Williams, Berrian, Wendell, Lane, Oldham, Rice	South Carolina, Washington, New York	35
1	3	Correspondence, research notes, family group sheets, descendant report, copies of vital records, pedigree chart for Win Jacob	Hill, Fine, Berrian, Jacob, Thomas, Gray, Cate, Harris	Virginia, North Carolina, Tennessee, Oregon, Massachusetts, Indiana	140
1	4	Family group sheets, descendant report, correspondence, abstracts, and copies of source documents	Oldham	England, Massachusetts, Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky	106
1	5	Family group sheets, transcripts of wills	Eggleston, Payne, Beven, Stancliff	Connecticut	22
1	6	Research notes, transcripts of wills	Gaskins, Basye, Kincheloe	Virginia	23
1	7	Correspondence, family group sheets, copy of Bible records	Hayes, Wellborn	Arkansas, North Carolina, Georgia	16
1	8	Transcripts of wills, deeds, Bible records	Hill, Lane	North Carolina, Tennessee	23
1	9	Correspondence, some pertaining to DNA, family group sheets, transcripts of wills, research notes, DAR records, pedigree charts	Hill, Royalty, Halbert, Robinson, Hayes, Wilhite, Cate	Tennessee, Missouri, North Carolina, Georgia	98
1	10	List of individuals with the surname Hancock, including birth/death dates and parents	Hancock	Massachusetts, Kentucky, Tennessee, Virginia	147

1	11	Correspondence containing various proof arguments, newsletters "Kates Kin" and "The Bean Stalk," research notes, "Early Settlers of Fort Boonsboro," Will transcript, family group sheets	Cates, Williams, Jouett, Thomas, Hill	Tennessee, South Carolina, Virginia, Kentucky	166
1	12	Correspondence, descendant reports for Thomas S. Royalty and William Oldham, research reports, family group sheets, "The Cate Family of North Carolina and Tennessee" by Sandra Cole	Royalty, Oldham, Hill, Williams, Cate	Kentucky, England, Massachusetts, North Carolina, Virginia, Tennessee	150
1	13	"A History of One Man's Family" by Swepson O'Neil Hutcheson III; excerpts; excerpts from "The Hutcheson Family of Mecklenburg County Virginia" by Herbert F. Hutcheson, Jr.	Hutcheson		52
1	14	DAR records, correspondence	Wendell, Gould, Fox, Berrian, Funk, Hatch, Edmonds, Gray	New York, Oregon	141
1	15	Research reports, pedigree chart, descendant reports, land records	Brattin, Bratton, Meador, Gaskins, Taylor, Basye, Kincheloe, Oldham, Burton, Simpson, Reid	Missouri, Oklahoma, Virginia, North Carolina, Kentucky	193
1	16	Research reports	Gaskins, Gascoigne, Oldham, Basye	Virginia	43
1	17	Family group sheets, research notes, correspondence, "Hart Family"	Hayes, Hill, Thomas, Green, Chapman, Hart	Georgia, Virginia, Oklahoma	79
1	18	Pedigree charts, family group sheets, correspondence	Hayes, Robinson, Hutcheson, Gray, Hill, Jackson, Thomas	Virginia, Georgia, Missouri, Oregon, Kentucky, Washington	65
1	19	Research notes, correspondence	Thomas, Berrian, Berrien, Clark	Oregon, Washington, New York, Illinois	81
1	20	Family group records, research reports, correspondence, copies of death records, pedigree charts, excerpts from local and family history books	Hill, Glenn, Halbert, Tofflemire, Gray, Jackson, Simpson, Lane	North Carolina, Virginia, Illinois, Oregon	103

1	21	Correspondence	Berrian, Berrien, Huntley	New York, New Jersey	96
1	22	Research reports, pedigree charts, correspondence, DAR records	Lane, Bradford, Hill, Hancock, Thomas, Wendell, Tofflemier, Williams, Kinnear, Simpson, Lane, Oldham, Bates	North Carolina, New York, Virginia, Indiana, Kentucky	139
1	23	Correspondence (bulk of folder) with family, researchers and repositories re Berrian, research reports	Berrian, Baggs, Clark, Jacob, Williams	Washington, Illinois, Kansas, New York, Virginia	255
2	1	Correspondence, research notes, excerpts from local history books	Robinson, Hayes, Hill	Virginia, Georgia, Alabama, Massachusetts	158
2	2	Research reports, family group sheets, pedigree charts, transcribed records, correspondence, DAR records	Hill, Berrian, Gray, Cates, Woody, Nix, Hill	Oregon, Tennessee, Arkansas, Iowa, Virginia	185
2	3	Research reports, pedigree charts, correspondence, "Solving the Identities of Gilbert Simpson"	Oldham, Thomas, Gray, Hayes, Robinson, Hill, Williams, Halbert, Jackson, Simpson	Virginia, Pennsylvania, Tennessee, Oregon, Kentucky	181
2	4	"1980 Hancock Family Listing"	Hancock		39
2	5	Family group sheets, correspondence, research reports	Hill, Stanard, Cates, Jackson, Hancock, VanDenBergh	Iowa, Oregon, Virginia, New York	76
2	6	Research reports, correspondence, transcripts of records	Oldham, Hill, Simpson, Kincheloe, Williams, Thomas	Virginia, Tennessee, Kentucky, North Carolina	134
2	7	Pedigree charts, correspondence, transcripts of records (deeds, wills, etc.), research reports, photos, family group sheets	Sprague, Williams, Hill, Farrar, Keeling, Fleming, Taylor	Connecticut, Virginia, Missouri	109
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