

Barnett Collection 2012-12

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Summary

Title: Barnett Collection
Accession Number: 2012-12
Creator: James D. Barnett
(1870-1957) **Extent:** 16 files
Language: English

Abstract: The files in the collection are comprised of correspondence and research notes compiled by James D. Barnett. They include biographical sketches, newspaper clippings, notes from a diary, copies of vital records, and some church records.

The most prominent surname is Barnett. The most common locations are Ohio and Pennsylvania.

Administrative Information

Provenance: The genealogical collection of James D. Barnett was acquired by the Genealogical Forum of Oregon before 2012.

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.

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

Copyright Status: The status of copyright in the unpublished writings and genealogical research papers of James D. Barnett is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States {Title 17, U.S.C.}

Biographical Note

James D. Barnett, the son of missionaries, was born in Cairo, Egypt, in 1870. The family returned to the United States and settled in Kansas. After earning a doctorate in political science from the University of Wisconsin, James embarked on an academic career that led to the University of Oregon, where he taught for almost 50 years. He died on 25 July 1957 in Eugene, Lane County, Oregon.

Finding Aid

FILE #	Description	Prominent Surnames	Locations	Pages
1	Correspondence, court records, biographical note, pedigree	Barnett, Jacobs, Broaddus, Ewers, Groves, Rugg, Tevis, Pollock	Kentucky, Pennsylvania	37
2	Biographical, family history, correspondence	Laird	Pennsylvania	10
3	Correspondence, misc. family notes	Mitchell	Pennsylvania	14
4	Correspondence, biographical sketches	Barnett, Mills, Todd, Montgomery, Johnson	Ohio, Kentucky, New York, Pennsylvania	49
5	Family notes, correspondence, news clippings	Hume	India, Pennsylvania, Oregon	19
6	Research notes, correspondence, descendant reports	Barnett, Powers, Cook, Shields, Patterson	England, Ireland, Illinois, Virginia, Delaware, Pennsylvania	54
7	Notes from diary, family groups, biographical, correspondence	Finney, Stewart	Pennsylvania	30
8	Family pedigree groups, correspondence	Munson, Miller, Hapwood, Moorhead, Craig, Plummer, Culbertson, Harbison	Pennsylvania, Ohio	63
9	Family pedigree groups, correspondence	Stewart, Patterson, Finney	Pennsylvania, Ohio	19
10	Christian Church, Pleasant Hill records	Membership list	Oregon	26
11	Family research notes, pedigrees, vital records	Shelley, Mitchell, Bowman, Williams, Russell, Gabbert, Bristow	Oregon, Kentucky, Virginia	41
12	Misc. notes from newspapers, Research notes, pedigrees, correspondence	Burchfield, Craig, Elder, McClure, Allen, Rogers, Carr, Hummel	Pennsylvania	118
13	Correspondence, research notes	Patterson, Morrison, Swan, Barnett, McElhenny, Johnston, Rutherford, Moorhead	Pennsylvania, Georgia, Ohio	122
14	Biographical notes, pedigrees, correspondence	Wolverton, Morton, Doe, Tabor, Pierce, McCourt, Stewart, Miller, Quick	Pennsylvania, Ohio, Wisconsin, Illinois	57

15	Correspondence, hand-drawn maps, some deed records, misc. research	Barnett, Stewart, Rogers, Hammaker, Sturgeon	Pennsylvania	89
16	Newspaper clippings, photos, correspondence	Deatherage, Hortman	Ohio, Kentucky	45