
Guy Spencer Collection

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Descriptive Summary

Title: Guy Spencer Collection

Dates: 1950-1956

Collection Number: 1987.30

Creator/Collector:

Extent: 1 scrapbook

Repository: Contra Costa County Historical Society
Martinez, California 94553

Abstract: The scrapbook includes a wide variety of items including typewritten reports on local history written by PTA members; pamphlets about Mt. Diablo State Park and California history; a report on CCCHS's dedication in 1954 of a bronze plaque marking the Moraga Adobe; a newspaper photo published in the Oakland Tribune in 1954 showing John Swett and John Muir sitting on the porch of Swett's adobe; a transcript of a tape-recorded interview with William Lynch in 1952 in which he describes his family's covered-wagon migration from Kansas to Contra Costa County; and a letter from Henry Wiedeman to his niece Roxanne Wiedemann describing his migration from Germany to California in 1850.

Language of Material: English

Access

Collection is open for research.

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Scope and Content of Collection

Materials are in the scrapbook.

Indexing Terms

daily life

family life

migration

Muir, John

Swett, John

Lynch, William

Wiedeman, Henry

Wiedeman, Roxanne

newspaper clippings

scrapbook

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