Guide to the Charles H. Peterson Pocket Diary Collection, 1863-1865

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Overview of the Collection
Collection Title: Charles H. Peterson Pocket Diary Collection
Dates: 1863-1865
Identification: SC/CHP
Creator: Peterson, Charles Henry
Physical Description: 0.21 linear feet
Language of Materials: English
Repository: Special Collections
Abstract: During the US Civil War, Charles H. Peterson participated in the Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, Wilderness, and Petersburg campaigns. He kept these diaries from 1863 to 1865. He tucked notes, correspondence, currency, and newspaper clippings between the pages.
Biographical Information:
Charles Henry Peterson was a Union volunteer from Salem, New Jersey who fought in the US Civil War. He participated in the Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, Wilderness, and Petersburg campaigns.
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Scope and Contents
The Charles H. Peterson Pocket Diary Collection documents his participation in the Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, Wilderness, and Petersburg campaigns during the US Civil War. He tucked notes, correspondence, currency, and newspaper clippings between the pages. The collection includes notes, correspondence, currency, and newspaper clippings that were tucked between the pages of the three diaries.

Box 1, Folder 1
Diaries, 1863-1864
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Box 1, Folder 2
Diary, 1865
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Box 1, Folder 3
Clippings and Ephemera
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