Guide to the Hirstel Family Collection

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Title: Hirstel Family Collection
Creator: Hirstel family
Identifier/Call Number: SC.HFV
Extent: 0.20 linear feet
Date (inclusive): 1920-1935

Abstract: The Hirstel Family Collection consists of a photo album which contains snapshots taken while the Hirstel family was on vacation, primarily of camp grounds and other outdoor locations in California, Washington, and Oregon; correspondence exchanged between Harold Hirstel and his parents; and loose photographs. It includes photographs of various locations including Lagunitas; Bear Valley; Phoenix Lake; a YMCA camp; Strawberry Lake; numerous spots in Yosemite including Half Dome, Bridal Veil Falls, Glacier Point, Mirror Lake, Hetch Hetchy Lake, El Capitan, and the "Wawona Tree"; several Boy Scout camps, Muir Woods, Multnomah Falls, Mount St. Helens, and others. Additionally, the album contains snapshots taken of the Tamalpais Conservation Club, as well as a few postcards, ticket stubs, and other pieces of ephemera.

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Scope and Contents
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Subjects and Indexing Terms
Albums (Books)
Documents
Photographs

Box 1, Folder 1: Correspondence, 1935
Box 1, Folder 2: Loose photographs
Box 1, Folder 3: Vacation photograph album, 1920-1933