Title: Ione P. and Loran W. Glaser Collection
Date: 1926
Collection number: P 109
Collector: Glaser, Ione P.Glaser, Loren W.
Extent: 2 file folders
Repository: Roseville Public Library History Collection
Roseville, California
Abstract: Ione Parker Glaser was born on January 21, 1921 in San Jose, California to James Dayley Parker and Hazel Hannah Francis Parker. Loren W. Glaser was born on May 7, 1919 in Elburz, Elko County, Nevada to Walter A. Glaser and Kathryn L. Glaser. The Ione P. and Loran W. Glaser Collection is arranged in one series: 1. Publications. Items are dated 1926 and circa 1926.
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Acquisition Information
Ione P. and Loran W. Glaser donated this collection in 1980.
Processing History
Lola Aguilar processed this collection and created its finding aid in 2008.
Biographical History
Ione Parker Glaser was born on January 21, 1921 in San Jose, California to James Dayley Parker and Hazel Hannah Francis Parker. James was born in Twin Falls, Idaho on October 8, 1888 and Hazel was born in Elko, Nevada on October 23, 1898. The couple married on October 16, 1919 in San Jose, where James worked as a laborer in a cannery. Ione's brother Delbert F. was born on June 2, 1922. The Parker family moved back to Nevada when Ione was in second grade. Back in Elko, James worked as a mechanic in a garage.
Along with many other young adventurers, Loran W. Glaser's grandfather, Mathias Glaser, emigrated from Germany to America in 1850 at the age of thirty-seven years. After traveling around the country, Mathias finally settled in Elburz, Elko County, Nevada where he bought a large ranch. Loran's father, Walter A. Glaser, was born on the ranch on October 30, 1892 and his mother, Kathryn L. Glaser, was born on October 9, 1899 in Buffalo, New York. The couple married on August 22, 1917 at the ranch in Elburz. Loran was born on May 7, 1919 and his brother Darlow was born in 1921. Three generations of Glaser's worked raising cattle and horses on the ranch in Elburz.
Loran and Ione married on July 30, 1938 in Eureka, Nevada. The couple had a son Richard, born on February 16, 1940 and a daughter Sheryl, born on June 22, 1943. Both children were born in Elko, Nevada. While serving in the military in San Antonio, Texas in 1963, Richard met Jane Russey, whose father also was in the military. The couple married in San Antonio on April 9, 1964 and returned to the ranch in Elburz after Richard completed his military service.
By 1971, Loran and Ione had decided to sell the ranch and move to California. Richard and Jane moved first to Roseville in May of 1971. After the ranch in Elburz sold, Loran and Ione left in October of 1971 to join their son and daughter-in-law and bought acreage in Roseville. The property in West Roseville was off of what is now Cook Riolo Rd., between PFE and Baseline Rd. on 2830 Glaser Lane. The Glaser's had always raised horses, but after the move to Roseville they concentrated on quarter horses and cutting horses, horses trained to separate individual animals from a cattle herd. Loran and Ione spent much of their time traveling to horse shows, primarily in Colorado. Ione also maintained a flower garden at her home and soon joined the Sacramento Arrangers Guild, a flower arranging organization. As a charter member, she helped organize the Roseville Arrangers Guild in October 1976 and served as president from 1994 to 1999.
Arrangers Guild held a memorial for Ione at the Roseville Moose Lodge. The family sent the couple’s ashes to Nevada to be
interred.

**Scope and Content**
The Ione P. and Loren W. Glaser Collection is arranged in one series: 1. Publications. Items are dated 1926 and circa 1926.
The series, Publications, consists of two file folders and is arranged chronologically. Items include two books about
California and travel published by the Union Pacific Railroad.

**Indexing Terms**
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library’s online public access catalog.
Glaser, Ione P.
Glaser, Loren W.
California History

Box 1 : 001-002

Series 1. **Publications 1926**

Physical Description: 2 file folders

Series Scope and Content Summary

This series contains two books about California and travel, titled California and Wonderful
California, published by the Union Pacific Railroad.