
Guide to the Lemon Grove Congregational Church Records

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Lemon Grove Chamber of Commerce Records
Lemon Grove Coordinating Council Records
Lemon Grove Fruit Growers Association Records
Lemon Grove Historical Society Records

Arrangement of Materials:

I. General Administrative Records
II. Correspondence
III. Organizations & Activities
IV. Women's Organizations & Activities
V. Financial Records
VI. Photographs
VII. Oversized Materials

Scope and Contents

The collection includes correspondence, minutes of meetings of Trustees and Deacons, financial records, annual reports, records of the Missionary Society, Sunday School, Ladies Aid, Women's Fellowship, Women's Council, Golden Circle, photographs, and miscellany. The records relate to churches and religious organizations, cultural affairs, economic conditions, education, Lemon Grove, schools, social conditions, social service agencies, and women.

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