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Summary Information

Repository: Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections Department
Creator: Clifford, Milton Sherburne
Title: Milton S. and Angela Clifford Papers
ID: SpC MS 0101
Date [inclusive]: 1860-1950
Physical Description: 1 box
Physical Location:
Language of the Material: English
Abstract: The manuscripts of poems by Milton S. Clifford. Also transcriptions of the diaries of Alice Clifford, George F. Godfrey, the letters of John Franklin Godfrey, the Journal of H.E. Prentiss' trip to Europe (1866) and family photographs.

Preferred Citation

Milton S. and Angela Clifford Papers, SpC MS 0101, [Folder No.], Raymond H. Fogler Library Special Collections Department, University of Maine, Orono, Maine

Biographical Note

Milton Sherburne Clifford was a Bangor lawyer who worked closely with members of the Prentiss and Lord families. Born in 1871, he graduated from Bowdoin College in 1893, read law in the office of H. L. Mitchell of Bangor, and was admitted to the bar in 1896. He married Angela Godfrey in 1895.

Two volumes of Milton S. Clifford’s poetry were published following his death in 1925, including Pearls in 1928 and Nebula in 1931. Both volumes were locally published by Dillinghams in Bangor, printed by the Burr Printing Company.

Angela Godfrey Clifford was the daughter of Abbie Prentiss and George Frederick "Fred" Godfrey. Abbie's father was Henry E. Prentiss. Fred's father was John Edwards Godfrey.
Scope and Contents

The collection includes manuscripts of poems by Milton S. Clifford. It also includes a few items related to the career of his son, Dr. Milton H. Clifford, and a number of items related to several generations of the family’s history. Documents include a memory book prepared by Milton’s older sister Alice, transcriptions of a diary of Fred Godfrey, the letters of John Franklin “Frank” Godfrey, a journal of Henry E. Prentiss' trip to Europe in 1866, and many family photographs.

Administrative Information

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Controlled Access Headings

- Lincoln (Me.) -- History
- Brazil -- Description and travel
- Europe -- Description and travel
- Bangor (Me.) -- History
- Poets, American -- Maine
- Telecommunication
- Family -- History
- Poetry
- Manuscripts
- Photography
- Diaries
- Clifford, Milton Sherburne
- Godfrey, John Franklin, 1839-1885
- Godfrey, John Edwards, 1809-1884
- Prentiss, Henry E., 1809-1873
- Godfrey, George Frederick
- Clifford, Alice
- Clifford, Angela

Collection Inventory

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Clifford, Alice. Glimpses of the past. A copy of the diary of Alice Clifford. A typescript copy. Family photographs include the four children of Elisha and Garaphelia (Garrie) Clifford--Alice, Milton, Grace and Fred. Scenes also include family homes in Bangor and Lincoln, a photograph of the Penobscot Valley Golf Club, Pushaw Lake picnics, boating, and camps, including those of Hal Prentiss, the Clifford, Jewell, and Webber families. Deposited by Milton H. Clifford

Godfrey, John Franklin. Letters to his son John Harold Godfrey. 209p. Deposited by Milton G. Clifford, August 2, 1873 - December 26, 1876


Teleconsultation: a new health information exchange system. The 03 annual report. Milton Henry Clifford, Project Co-Director. 88p., July 1, 1970 to April 30, 1971


Prentiss family items: photographs, letters, programs