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MS 1356
Lewis Murphy Family

DESCRIPTION

This collection consists mostly of photographs of Lewis Murphy and his family, including his parents, H. Waldo and Elizabeth (Curtis) Murphy and his wife and children. Included are a number of photographs of the Curtis family and Elizabeth as a young woman. Newspaper clippings, a few pieces of correspondence and an address book are also present.

3 Boxes, 1.25 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Lewis Murphy was mayor of Tucson from 1971-1987. He was born in New York City on November 2, 1933 and moved with his family to Tucson in 1950. He received both his B.S. and law degree at the University of Arizona, where he met his future wife Carol Carney. They married in 1957 and had three children, two sons named Grey and Timothy, and a daughter named Clancy. Lewis Murphy died in December 2005. His mother, Elizabeth Curtis Murphy, came from a wealthy lumber milling family in Clinton, Iowa.

ACQUISITION

Donated by Nancy O'Connor in February 2009.

ACCESS

There are no restrictions on access to this collection.

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PROCESSING

The collection was processed by Nancy Siner in March 2009.

Box and Folder Listing

Series 1

Box 1

- f.1 Newspaper clippings, 1900-1982
- f.2 Correspondence, writings, 1957-1981
- f.3 Address book, ca. 1971
- f.4 Photographs of H. Waldo Murphy
- f.5 Photographs of H. Waldo Murphy's family
- f.6 Photographs of Elizabeth Curtis Murphy
- f.7 Photographs of Elizabeth Curtis Murphy's family
- f.8 Photographs of H. Waldo Murphy and Elizabeth Curtis Murphy
- f.9 Photographs of Lewis Murphy
- f.10 Photographs of Carol Carney Murphy
- f.11 Photographs of Carol Carney Murphy's family
- f.12 Photographs of Lew and Carol Murphy's children
- f.13 Photographs of Lew and Carol Murphy with family
- f.14 Photographs of unidentified individuals

Box 2

- f.15 Photographs of unidentified groups
- f.16 Photographs of places
- f.17 Photographs of unidentified places
- f.18 Murphy family album

Box 3

Photo album plus one folder of loose photographs