DESCRIPTION

This collection consists of materials pertaining to Katherine Allen of Yanceyville North Carolina and, later, Cortaro Arizona. Included are various newspaper clippings, personal correspondence, family photographs, financial receipts, banking papers, ledgers, and various miscellaneous family items. Additional materials relate to Katherine's cruise to the Pacific and S.E. Asia, to the funeral of Katherine Allen's Mother (Nannie Malloy), and to Katherine and Woodson Allen's marriage, constitute a small yet important portion of the collection. Further, the collection contains a number of brochures and other materials produced by organizations to which Katherine Allen held membership, such as United Daughters of the Confederacy, The Studebaker Drivers' Club, The Horseless Carriage Club of America, the Garden Club of Danville, and others. Materials related to the Malloy, Allen, and Pritchett families generally and, more specifically, to the individuals Stephen Malloy, Nannie Malloy, James Pritchett III, Woodson Allen, Mary Kerr Spencer, Mary Kerr Motz, and Lionel D Hargis are also included, although largely only insofar as they pertain to Katherine Allen.

8 Boxes, 6 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Katherine Yancey Malloy was born May 20, 1915 in Yanceyville, North Carolina, to Dr Stephen A Malloy and Nannie Kerr Malloy. Her mother was a member of the prominent Yancey family for which Yanceyville was named. Katherine attended Meredith college and in 1940 married James Ira Pritchett III, a Danville Virginia business man who co-ran his family's firm, James I Pritchett and Son. In 1950 or 1951 James Pritchett died of heart failure at the age of 42. Katherine married Woodson H Allen in 1954 and moved to his home in Cortaro Arizona where Woodson ran the Black Arrow Lodge. Before 1954 correspondence with Woodson was addressed to the Mother Lode Lodge, which may or may not have been the same lodge under a different name. Throughout her life Katherine was a member of a variety of organizations, including the Garden Club of Danville, the Studebaker Drivers Club, the Veteran Motor Car Club of Arizona, the United Daughters of the Confederacy, and the American Red Cross. Katherine and Woodson Allen had the shared avocation of purchasing and renovating Studebaker cars. Katherine died December 30, 1999 and Woodson died February 21, 2008.

ACQUISITION - Donated by Lynn Toburen in 2009.

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PROCESSING - The collection was processed by Leta Davis in August 2009.
Box and Folder Listing

Series 1

Box 1

Series 1: Family History and Records

Folder 1 Katherine Malloy 1915-1940
   Newspaper clippings, birth certificate, and other identification cards
f.2 Katherine Malloy Address Books 1945/1965/ND
f.3 Katherine Malloy - School Papers
f.4 Nannie and Stephen Malloy
   Including newspaper clippings and identification cards
f.5 Nannie Malloy - Flower Notes
f.6 Nannie Malloy - Funeral 1978
   Including funeral guestbook
f.7-9 Nannie Malloy - Funeral - Cards and Messages 1978
f.10 Pritchett Family Materials
   Newspaper clippings, identification cards

Box 2

f.11 Pritchett Family Member History
   History of Pritchett family, pgs 109-122
   Marriage listings, pg 167
   Death listings, pg 171
f.12 Katherine and Woodson Marriage 1954
   Correspondence and notes
f.13 Allen Family Materials
f.14-17 Personal Family Correspondence 1908-1969

Box 3

f.18-19 Personal Family Correspondence 1970-2002
f.20 Allen Trip to Pacific and S.E. Asia 1959
   travel brochures, cruise menus, itineraries
f.21 Allen Trip to Europe 1972
   travel brochures, itineraries
f.22 Travel Guides for U.S. Lodgings 1951/1954/ND
f.23 Katherine Malloy - Research Notes
f.24 Speech on Civil War - Author Unknown
f.25 United Daughters of the Confederacy
f.26 Virginia Society Colonial Dames of America
f.27 American Red Cross

Box 4

f.28 Garden club of Danville 1940-1948
f.29 Woodson's homemade Auto Image Scrapbook
f.30 Packard Automobile Classics 1965
f.31 Horseless Carriage Club of America 1962/1970/ND
f.32 Carolina Motor Club
f.33 The Studebaker Drivers’ Club 1986-1990/2003
f.34 The Veteran Motor Car Club of Arizona 1963-1965
f.35 Deposits and Disbursements 1948-1949
f.36 Ledger of Expenses and Income 1950-1952
f.37 Ledger of Expenses and Income (Loose Items) 1950-1952
f.38 Expense Ledger 1951-1952
f.39 Miscellaneous Expense Listings 1949/ND
f.40 Banking Papers - Arizona Savings and Loan Association 1953

Box 5

f.43 Banking Papers - Miscellaneous Tucson Banks 1964-1984
f.44 Banking Papers - the First Bank of Danville 1943/1952-1978
f.45 Accounting Book – Bank of Yanceyville 1944-1980

Series 2: Photographs

f.47 Photo Album 1 – Pritchett trip to Arizona 1950
f.48 Photo Album 2 – Allen home in Arizona 1957/1958
f.49 Photo Album 3 – Pritchett trip to Arizona 1950s
f.50 Photo Album 4 – Katherine trip to Arizona 1952
f.51 Photo Album 5 - Miscellaneous family photographs, 1950-1952
   (Many in Arizona)
f.52 Photographs - Katherine Allen
f.53 Photographs - James Pritchett
f.54 Photographs - Woodson Allen
f.55 Photographs - Nannie and Stephen Malloy
f.56 Photographs - Unidentified People
f.57 Photographs – Allen home in Cortaro, Arizona
f.58 Photographs – People and Activities
   including images of Zenaida, a cemetery, and Christmas

Box 6

f.59 Photographs – Arizona Images
   including images of Hoover Dam, Rainbow Bridge, and San Xavier Mission
f.60 Photographs – Trip North, Montana/Alaska
f.61 Photographs – Trip North, Montana/Alaska
f.62 Photographs – Allen Trip to Pacific and S.E. Asia
f.63 Photographs – Miscellaneous
   postcards photographs and an unidentified boy with US flag
f.64 Photographs – Loose Photo Album Sheets
   images of young James Pritchett, family and friends
Series 3: Oversized Items

Box 7 – Oversize Drawings and Photograph
- Drawings of home of James I Pritchett III in Danville, Virginia
- Land survey for John H Kerr III
- Photograph of Katherine and numerous unidentified women at meeting/luncheon

Box 8 – Katherine Allen Scrapbook
- Photographs and newsletters related to USS Wilson cruise to Pacific and N.E. Asia
- Newspaper clippings primarily from Katherine Allen's college years
- Loose photographs including wedding image