DESCRIPTION

Letters, reports, diaries, invitations, newslippings, photographs, and a cookbook belonging to Natalie Beaumont Forsyth, her father Col. Eugene Beaumont, and her husband, Gen. George A. Forsyth, and other family members and mainly relating to army life and social activities of officers and their families in the 1870s and 1880s; the late 1880s were spent in southern Arizona. The collection contains an original report from Col. Beaumont on conditions at Ft. Bowie in 1884 and letters to Gen. George Forsyth including one in which Capt. Emmett Crawford reports on a scouting expedition in southern Arizona in 1883.

1 box, .5 linear ft.

ACQUISITION

The collection was donated by Charlotte Lance, a niece of Natalie Forsyth, in 1971. Some materials were received in 1960 from Jean Hughes who received them from Charlotte Lance. These earlier materials were originally MS 420, Mrs. William L. Lance Collection but have now been added to MS 1030.

ACCESS

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