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MS 1364 Frank Gerten Scrapbook, 1870 - 1941

DESCRIPTION

This scrapbook consists of newspaper clippings collected from several western cities from the 1870s to the 1890s and a few items from the 1930s. There is a newspaper article that appears to be by Pauline O'Neill about her husband, Buckey O'Neill, but has no date or publication information. Other than the title page announcing the presentation of the scrapbook to the Pioneer Home, the O'Neill article, and a few references to Alfred Graham living in Phoenix these are the only references to Arizona.

1 Box, .25 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

There is no information on Frank Gerten other than the title page that he presented this scrapbook to S. M. Harris at the Arizona Pioneers Home in Prescott, AZ on October 25, 1941. Clippings appear to follow the Graham family (William, Thomas, and Alfred) in various mining towns including Denver, CO, Leads, S.D. Central City, S.D. the Black Hills, S. D., and Lead City, S.D. Additional references are to Mercer, PA where the original family may have been from. Alfred Graham lived in Phoenix, AZ. There are no references in the scrapbook to any of the Grahams being in residence at the Pioneer Home in Prescott.

ACQUISITION

Scrapbook was found with travel scrapbooks of Edythe Young of Tucson, AZ.

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