**Collection Summary**

**Title**
Vera Grandfield Fawbush collection

**Date**
1860s-2000s

**Extent**
2 boxes--1 archival box & 1 oversize archival box

**Name and Location of Repository**
Midwest Genealogy Center, Independence (Mo.)

**Reference code:** MGC 1116-VGFC

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**Name of Creator**
Fawbush, Vera Grandfield

**Biographical History**
Vera A. Grandfield was born in 1901 in Sedgwick County, Kansas to George Thomas Grandfield and America Bramwell. She was one of seven children, five of whom survived. Vera married Don K. Fawbush in 1922. Together they had two daughters, Edythe and Lavona. Don died in May 1972 and was buried in Wichita, KS. Vera died on April 4, 2000 and was also buried in Wichita, KS.

**Scope and Content**
This collection contains the personal papers, genealogy, and photographs of Vera Grandfield Fawbush. Some of the other surnames found within this collection include Adamson, Fowler, Fritze, Hull, Lalonde, Muma, Ott, Rush, and Watson. Also found within this collection are a Grandfield family history, scrapbooks, obituaries, and newspaper clippings. Vera’s daughter, Edythe Fawbush Haywood, also contributed to this collection. There are two oversize items, a photograph and newspaper edition.
Collection Inventory

System of Arrangement
These records are arranged in 5 series.

Series 1, Genealogy
   Folder 1, Grandfield Family History by Myrtle Grandfield Fritz

Series 2, Personal Papers
   Folder 1, Address book
   Folder 2, Miscellaneous papers
   Folder 3, Newspaper clippings, obituaries, and miscellaneous items [scanned pages]
   Folder 4, Newspaper clippings, obituaries, and miscellaneous items [originals]

Series 3, Photographs
   Folder 1, Grandfield
   Folder 2, Fawbush
   Folder 3, Miscellaneous Surnames
   Folder 4, Photo album [scanned pages]
   Folder-5 Photo album [original]

Series 4, Scrapbooks
   Folder 1, 1920-1940s scrapbook [scanned pages]
   Folder 2, 1920-1940s scrapbook [original]
   Folder 3, 1950s scrapbook [scanned pages]
   Folder 4, 1950s scrapbook [original]

Series 5, Oversize
   Folder 1, Photograph of George Thomas Grandfield family, 1923
   Folder 2, Wichita Beacon and Fairbanks Daily News-Miner Newspapers

Rights and Access

Conditions Governing Access
The collection is open for research use by appointment.

Physical Access
Most records within this collection are housed within file folders in an archival box. Oversized items stored next to the collection.

Conditions Governing Reproduction and Use
Permission to publish, quote, or reproduce must be secured from the Midwest Genealogy Center.

Languages and Scripts of the Material
Materials in the collection are entirely in English.

Immediate Source of Acquisition
This collection was donated to the Midwest Genealogy Center.
Accruals
No further accruals are expected for this collection.

Existence and Location of Originals
Originals owned by the Midwest Genealogy Center.

Notes
The following sources were consulted during the preparation of the biographical history:

- Information found within collection