



Collection Summary

Title

William Wallace (Milliron) Johnson Collection

Date

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Extent

1 archival box

Name and Location of Repository

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Kathryn Elizabeth Hayes-Johnson

Biographical History

Boswell Family: The Boswell family immigrated to Virginia in the 1700s. The family migrated to Kentucky and eventually Missouri where they settled in Johnson and Cass counties.

Johnson Family: William Wallace (Milliron) Johnson was born in Kansas City, Kansas in 1923. He married Kathryn Elizabeth Hayes. Their ancestors are the Hayes and Henry families of Cass and Johnson counties in Missouri, which are related to the Boswell family.

Sass Family: John Frederick Sass was the foster father of William Wallace Johnson. The Sass family was originally from Germany and settled in Leavenworth and Wyandotte counties in Kansas.

Buckner family: Velma Nellie Buckner was married to George Johnson, the adopted father of William Wallace (Milliron) Johnson. When George Johnson died, Velma married John Frederick Sass who became the foster father of William Wallace (Milliron) Johnson.

Scope and Content

This collection includes the genealogy of four families: Boswell family, Johnson family, Sass family, and Buckner family. The families in the collection are connected to William Wallace (Milliron) Johnson. Each family collection contains family group sheets, and pedigree charts. Accompanying documentation such as military service files, certificates, photographs, and correspondence add details to the charts and forms. The Midwest Genealogy Center received the donation from another library through the Mid-America Library Alliance.



Collection Inventory

System of Arrangement

These records are arranged in 5 series.

Box 1

Series 1, Boswell family

- Folder 1, Table of Contents, Immigrant Boswell
- Folder 2, George Boswell—Judith Fauntleroy
- Folder 3, William Elliott II—Katherine Smith
- Folder 4, William Elliott Boswell II—Mary Ann Moore
- Folder 5, Sarah Jane Boswell—George W Henry
- Folder 6, Ida Mae Henry—William Daniel Hayes
- Folder 7, William Ernest Hayes—Irene Theresa Gudde
- Folder 8, Kathryn Elizabeth Hayes—William Wallace Johnson
- Folder 9, Dane Wallace Johnson—Allie Victoria Corbitt
- Folder 10, Shawn Wallace Johnson
- Folder 11, Misc. photos and correspondence

Series 2, William (Milliron) Johnson family

- Folder 1, George Johnson military service
- Folder 2, Tash family
- Folder 3, Shope family
- Folder 4, William Wallace Johnson
- Folder 5, Misc. photos and correspondence

Series 3, Sass family

- Folder 1, Sass family
- Folder 2, Sass family, cont.
- Folder 3, Sass family photos, certificates, wills, etc.
- Folder 4, Sass Misc. photos, deeds, etc.

Series 4, Buckner family

- Folder 1, Buckner family
- Folder 2, Phillips family
- Folder 3, Watkins family
- Folder 4, Misc.

Series 5, Family History

- Folder 1, Brief family history written by Kathryn Elizabeth Hayes-Johnson



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Immediate Source of Acquisition

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Accruals

No further accruals are expected for this collection.

Existence and Location of Originals

Originals owned by the Midwest Genealogy Center.