



Collection Summary

Title

Gee Family Photos

Date

Mid 1800s to early 1900s

Extent

1 archival box, 1 oversized archival box

Name and Location of Repository

Midwest Genealogy Center, Independence (Mo.)

Reference code: MGC 1130-GFP

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Name of Creator

Gee family

Biographical History

John A. Gee was born in May 1855 in Illinois. He married Carrie A McKee who was born in December 1866. After Carrie's death, John married Rose. Carrie and John lived in Nebraska. They had several children together but only Marion Louisa Gee (born 1893) and George Stephen Gee (born 1904) lived to be adults. George Stephen Gee married Mary Jane Chapple and they had one son named Robert Marion Gee. The family moved to Independence, Missouri in the 1920s.

Scope and Content

The collection comprises family photos from the Gee family from the late 1800s through the mid-1900s. Many of the family photos are from portrait studios in Nebraska, Ohio, and Illinois. Other photos may be from families related to the Gee family by marriage. Many photos include handwritten identification with first names and relationships such as aunt, or great grandfather. The collection contains other related family items such as postcards, letters, newspaper clippings, a poem, and a Cradle Roll Certificate from the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.



Collection Inventory

System of Arrangement

These records are arranged in 1 series.

Box 1,

- Folder 1, Postcards and miscellaneous items
- Folder 2, Photos [001-012]
- Folder 3, Photos [013-044]
- Folder 4, Photos [045-075]
- Folder 5, Photos [076-182], negatives [accrual, 2019]

Box 2, [oversized]

- Folder 6, Cradle Roll Certificate [oversized]
- Folder 7, Photos [183-185] [oversized]

Rights and Access

Conditions Governing Access

The collection is open for research use by appointment.

Physical Access

Most records within this collection are housed in file folders.

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 anonymously by someone unrelated to the family.

Accruals

Accruals 2019.

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:

- Ancestry.com. *United States Federal Census*.
- Gee Family Photos: Family documents
- FamilySearch.org. *Child blessing certificates card files through 1931*. FHL film #2030391.