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Scope and Contents

The Mary Lucille Peacock collection consists of articles, clippings, scrapbooks, and other items collected or written by Miss Peacock (circa 1901-1985), librarian, historian, and genealogist. For many years she headed the Evans Memorial Library in Aberdeen, Mississippi.

Among the major subjects are the Evans Memorial Library and the history of Aberdeen and Monroe County, Mississippi. Included are numerous articles written by Miss Peacock.

Subject Tracings

Names:

Howell, George W., Jr.
Peacock, Mary Lucille
Rodabaugh, John

Subjects:

Aberdeen (Miss.)
Evans Memorial Library
Libraries
Monroe County (Miss.)
Tombigbee River

Inventory

SCRAPBOOKS

Scrapbook #1 (1965-1975): History of Aberdeen and Monroe County, Mississippi. Primarily clippings of newspaper columns written by George W. Howell, Jr., and John Rodabaugh. Also includes Aberdeen Coloring Book. Contains much information concerning the history of the Tombigbee River. (Oversized)

Scrapbook #2 (1949-1959): Evans Memorial Library, Aberdeen, Mississippi. Clippings concerning the library and its activities. (Oversized)

Peacock, Mary Lucille (1963-1982): Clippings and notes written by and about Miss Peacock. (Oversized)

FOLDERS

Aberdeen Maps (1927, 1974): 2 maps.

Loose items removed from Scrapbook #1 (1965-1973): Clippings concerning history of Aberdeen and Monroe County, Mississippi; "Index, Port of Aberdeen Scrapbook," prepared by Lucille Peacock.

Loose items removed from Scrapbook #2 (1944-1977): History, postcard, gift plates, broadsides, clippings, and other items concerning Evans Memorial Library.

Miscellaneous (1950-1982): Clippings, other, concerning Aberdeen and miscellaneous subjects.

PUBLICATIONS

Antiquarian Bookman, Vol. IX, No. 1 (January 5, 1952), pages 27-28. ["Local Mississippiana" by Lucille Peacock]

Library Journal, Vol. 75, No. 4 (February 15, 1950), p. 256. ["For Student Assistants" by Lucille Peacock]

Mississippi Clubwoman, Vol. XXIX, No. 5 (November - December [1953?]), p. 5. ["Aberdeen Woman's Club Raises Funds"]

Mississippi Library News, Vol. 20, No. 4 (December 1956), pages 147-148. [Book review by Lucille Peacock of "William Augustus Evans, Statesman of Public Health"]

Mississippi Library News, Vol. 23, No. 4 (December 1959). 178. ["Evans Memorial Library Receives Book Donation"]

Mississippi Library News, Vol. 35, No. 4 (December 1971), pages 224-225, 239.
["Forerunners of the Bookmobile: The Traveling Libraries of Monroe County" by Lucille Peacock; news note on "Salmagundi" page]

Mississippi Methodist Advocate, Vol. 10, No. 35 (May 29, 1957), pages, 15. ["Methodism in Aberdeen"]

Wilson Library Bulletin, Vol. 17, No. 9 (May 1943), pages 741-742. ["The Bookies" by Lucille Peacock]

Wilson Library Bulletin, Vol. 24, No. 7 (March 1950), pages 521-522. ["Local History Preservation Day" by Lucille Peacock]

Wilson Library Bulletin, Vol. 26, No. 7 (March 1952), p. 574. ["Group Activities" by Lucille Peacock]

Wilson Library Bulletin, Vol. 31, No. 7 (March 1957) p. 548. ["Let's Tour Our Town" by Lucille Peacock]

The following issues have been clipped and are incomplete:

Wilson Library Bulletin, Vol. 27, No. 7 (March 1953).

Wilson Library Bulletin, Vol. [33?], No. [7?] (March 1958).