

Hayes Collection 2012-19

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Summary

Title: Hayes Collection

Accession Number: 2012-19

Creator: Fred Willis Hayes (1894-1969)

Extent: 20 File Folders (2606 pages)

Language: English

Abstract: The Hayes Collection contains notes and correspondence related to the research of Fred Willis Hayes. The most common surnames are Hayes, Hill, Russell, and Jewett. The families are traced from England, through the upper Midwest, and finally to Oregon, where many of them settled. The files are first organized alphabetically by surname, followed by files with notes and correspondence. The GFO library holds two other titles by Mr. Hayes, both based on the descendants of George Hayes of Westfield, Massachusetts.

Administrative Information

Provenance: The genealogical collection of Fred Willis Hayes was acquired by the Genealogical Forum of Oregon before 2012.

Processing History: Processing and description of the Hayes Collection began in late 2012 and was completed in 2021.

Retention and Access: Scanned images of the collection are currently retained by the GFO Manuscripts Committee in three separate digital storage locations and can be accessed at the GFO library or by contacting manuscripts@gfo.org.

Copyright Status: The status of copyright in the unpublished writings and research papers of Fred Willis Hayes is governed by the Copyright Law of the United States (Title 17, U.S.C.).

Biographical Note

Fred Willis Hayes was born 18 May 1894 in Halsey, Linn County, Oregon. His parents were Ebenezer Hayes and Laura Ellen Hill. Fred was the chief baggage clerk at Union Station in Portland for 43 years before he retired in 1961. He was a veteran of World War I. He was married to Katherine M. Herrin in 1922. She died in 1937. He next married Patricia Merle Hotchkiss in 1941. Fred joined the Genealogical Forum of Oregon in 1960 and was an active participant in classes and other events. He died on 12 January 1969.

Finding Aid

File	Description	Prominent Surnames	Locations	Pages
1	Research notes on British and Colonial families, notes on family lines, biographical sketch, Bible notes, descendant reports	Adams, Allen, Alvord, Russell, Squires, Barrows, Bassett, Bliss, Bond, Brackett, Burton	England, Massachusetts, Ohio, Illinois, Oregon	153
2	Research notes, descendant reports	Carpenter, Chapin, Converse, Hayes, Webb, Davis, Dibble, Emery, Finley, Foote, Ford, Gibbons	England, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Colorado, Oregon	175
3	Research notes, descendant reports, biographical sketches	Haile, Herrick, Hill, Holmes, Hough, Jewitt	Rhode Island, Connecticut, Ohio, Illinois, Oregon	145
4	Research notes, descendant reports, biographical sketches	Kendall, Kimball, Lyman, Matson, Merrill, Montague	England, Massachusetts, Oregon	122
5	Research notes, descendant reports, biographical sketches	Newell, Nurse, Owen, Parsons, Pearl, Rogers, Russell	Connecticut, Massachusetts, Oregon	82
6	Research notes, descendant reports, biographical sketches	Samson, Sheldon, Sies, Slade, Spalding, Squire	England, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut	82
7	Family group sheets, research notes, descendant reports, biographical sketches	Stevenson, Stewart, Strickland	Massachusetts, Missouri, Oregon	119
8	Research notes, descendant reports, biographical sketches	Whipple, Williams, Winship, Woodward	Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Missouri, Oregon	101
9	"Ancestors of Fred Willis Hayes"	Hayes, Hill		52
10	Correspondence, notes	Hill, Hayes, Dame, Squire, Russell, Bassett		99
11	Correspondence, notes	Hayes, Hays, Windom, Hough, Hill, Russell, Jewett		189
12	Correspondence, notes about Bible donations	Bond, Jewett, Hayes, Hill, Warren, Whipple, Merrill		120

13	Research notes, biographical sketches	Barrows, Bassette, Hill, Hayes, Russell, Schooling, Mitchell, Jewett, Stillwell, Bend	Oregon, Missouri, Ohio, Iowa, Massachusetts	82
14	Correspondence	Osmond, Hayes, Bjork, Carpenter, Squire	Pennsylvania, Oregon, Kansas	190
15	Pedigree charts, notes, descendant reports	Hayes, Jewett, Fenton, Russell, Emery, Alvord, Burton, Finley, Hill, Rogers, Russell, Smith		137
16	Family summaries, name index	Stewart, Warriner		57
17	Family summaries, name index, correspondence			257
18	Correspondence			73
19	Correspondence			217
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