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Summary Information

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Biographical/Historical Note

James M. Loughborough was born in Kentucky in 1832, and married Mary Webster in 1859 in St. Louis, Missouri. They had six children: Julia, Jean, Mary, Hope, James Fairfax, and St. James Noble.

James Loughborough was a lawyer. His father, John, served as Surveyor General of the United States for the District of Illinois and Missouri. Mary Webster Loughborough wrote "My Cave Life in Vicksburg," an account of her experiences during the siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi during the Civil War.

James Fairfax Loughborough was born in Little Rock on February 17, 1873. He practiced law in Little Rock and married Louise Watkins Wright in 1902. Louise Loughborough served as the first chairperson of the Arkansas Territorial Restoration in Little Rock.

Scope and Contents

This collection includes correspondence, newsclippings, leaflets, certificates, and financial papers.

Administrative Information

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Arkansas Territorial Restoration, Little Rock, Arkansas, 1965.

Related Materials

Separated Materials

- 1) Publication: "Arkansas Looks to the Future," 1955 (OV files in map case)

Correspondence

Collection Inventory

Correspondence

1. 1838 May 5: "Cousin Elizabeth," Reading, Pennsylvania, to Julia (Mrs. A.N.) Webster, Ontario County, New York

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2. 1840 February 26: "Cousin Harriet," Reading, Pennsylvania, to Julia (Mrs. A.N.) Webster, Columbus, Ohio

3. 1856 June 3: "Mary," Oxford, (?) to "Cousin Madge"

4. 1857 March 27: Sterling Price, Brunswick, Missouri, to United States Secretary of the Interior

5. 1858 April 9: Fannie E. Everett, Grand Gulf, Mississippi, to Jane W. Plaxton, Woodville, Mississippi

6. 1861 September 20: "Your husband," Memphis, Tennessee, to "My dearest wife"

7. 1861 September 31: "Your husband," Decatur, Alabama, to Mary W. Loughborough, Water Valley, Mississippi

8. 1861 October 7: Earl Van Dorn, Tupelo, Mississippi, to Mr. Herndon

9. 1861 December 1: "Hattie," Carondelet, Missouri, to "my dearest brother"

10. 1861 December 12: "Your husband," Osceola, Missouri, to "my dearest wife"

1. 1838 May 5: "Cousin Elizabeth," Reading, Pennsylvania, to Julia (Mrs. A...

11. 1862 January 21: "Cousin Lou" to "my dearest darling"

12. 1862 March 18: "Your husband," Van Buren, Arkansas, to Mary W. Loughborough, Water Valley, Missouri

13. 1862 March 25: "Your husband," Headquarters 1st Division, Army of the West, Camp Ben McCulloch, to "my dearest wife"

14. 1862 May 2: "Husband," Corinth, Mississippi, to "my dearest wife"

15. 1862 June 8: H. Strong, Fayetteville, Arkansas, to "My dear cousin Julia

16. 1862 June 21: (?), to "my dearest wife"

17. 1862 July 6: "Your husband" to "my dearest wife"

18. 1862 August 4: J.M. Loughborough, Tupelo Township, Mississippi, to Mary W. Loughborough, Water Valley, Mississippi

19. 1862 September 15: "Your husband," Iuka, [Mississippi], to Mary W. Loughborough, Water Valley, Mississippi

20. 1862 October 2: "Husband," Camp New Pocahontas, Tennessee, to "my dearest wife"

21. 1863 December 28: D. Appleton and Company Publishers, New York, New York, to Loughborough, Carondelet, St. Louis County, Missouri

1. 1838 May 5: "Cousin Elizabeth," Reading, Pennsylvania, to Julia (Mrs. A...

22. 1864 February 1: D. Appleton and Company, New York, New York, to Mary W. Loughborough, Carondelet, Missouri

23. 1864 July 23: Captain John G. Kelly, Fort Delaware, to Mary Loughborough, Carondelet, St. Louis County Missouri

24. 1864 August 15: "Your husband," near Atlanta, Georgia, to "my dearest wife"

25. 1865 May 27: "Your husband," Panola, to "my dearest wife"

26. 1865 June 19: "Your brother Moore, Senatobia, Mississippi, to "Dear sister Hattie"

27. 1865 September 4: (?), New York, New York, to Mary W. Loughborough, Carondelet, St. Louis County, Missouri

28. 1870 December 22: "Your cousin, L.E. Cooley," Corning, Arkansas, to "my very dear cousin"

29. 1872 July 9: J.M. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Mary (Mrs. J.M.) Loughborough, Arcadia, Missouri

30. 1873 August 25: "Your husband," Little Rock, Arkansas, to Mary (Mrs. J.M.) Loughborough, Carondelet, St. Louis County, Missouri

31. 1875 January 11: (?) to J.M. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

32. 1875 February 1: Lou Caldwell, Greenwood, Arkansas, to Mary (Mrs. J.M.) Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

34. 1875 December 12: "Your husband," St. Louis, Missouri, to Mary (Mrs. J...

33. 1875 February 6: A.W. Webster, St. Louis, Missouri, to James

34. 1875 December 12: "Your husband," St. Louis, Missouri, to Mary (Mrs. J.M.) Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

35. 1879 September 30: Mary Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to "My beloved father"

36. 1880 May 13: (?), Little Rock, Arkansas, to Jean Loughborough, Fulton, Callaway County, Missouri

37. 1882 July 16: (?), Arcadia Valley, Missouri, to Jean Loughborough, Long Island, New York

38. 1882 September 21: (?), Trenton, Missouri, to "My beloved mother"

39. 1884 January 5: Mary Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to "My beloved father and mother"

40. 1884 September 19: Crouse Porter, Spring Hill College, to "My dear cousin"

41. 1887 March 13: Mary Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Julia S. Webster, St. Louis, Missouri

42. 1887 April 10: Mary Loughborough, Des Arc, Arkansas, to "My beloved mother"

43. 1887 June 29: Mary Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Julia Webster, St. Louis, Missouri

44. 1887 August 11: "Copy of the last letter to Jenny from her mother"

45. 1887 August 26: Lily and Pansy, Little Rock, Arkansas, to "Grandmother"

34. 1875 December 12: "Your husband," St. Louis, Missouri, to Mary (Mrs. J...

46. 1887 August 31: Lily W. Dobyms, Jackson, Mississippi, to "mother"

47. 1891 April 18: Jean, Palmer House, Chicago, Illinois, to Julia (Mrs. J.S.) Webster, Jackson, Mississippi

48. 1902 June 2: Jamie, Chicago, Illinois, to "my dearest Jean"

49. 1906 September 2: "Auntie", Mineral Point, Missouri, to Pansy, Little Rock, Arkansas

50. 1914 June 2: The Hereditary Order of the Descendants of Colonial Governors to Hope Fairfax Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

51. 1914 August 14: Lalla Reynolds, Greenville, South Carolina, to Hope Loughborough, University of Chicago, Chicago, Illinois

52. 1915 January 18: Blanche W. Freeman, New York, New York, to Hope F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

53. 1915 January 28: The University of Chicago to Hope F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

54. 1923 September 21: R.E. Wilson, Young Men's Christian Association, to J. F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

55. 1923 October 1: A.J. Reap and J. Blaine Withee, Young Men's Christian Association, Little Rock, Arkansas, to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock

56. 1923 October 10: J. Blaine Withee, Little Rock, Arkansas, to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock

34. 1875 December 12: "Your husband," St. Louis, Missouri, to Mary (Mrs. J...

57. 1925 April 1: J.V. Walker, Fayetteville, Arkansas, to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

58. 1925 April 2: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to J.V. Walker, Fayetteville, Arkansas

59. 1925 April 4: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to J.V. Walker, Fayetteville, Arkansas

60. 1925 April 6: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to J.V. Walker, Fayetteville, Arkansas

61. 1925 April 7: Sid B. Redding, National Surety Company, Little Rock, Arkansas, to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock

62. 1925 April 11: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Winthrop C. Neilson, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania

63. 1925 April 14: Lewis H. Corris, National Committee for the Prevention of Blindness, New York, New York, to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

64. 1925 April 25: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Old Town Canoe Company, Old Town, Maine

65. 1925 May 1: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to W.J. Nevins, Tulsa, Oklahoma

66. 1925 June 5: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Moorhead Wright, Little Rock

67. 1925 June 10: Invitation to the formal opening of Mississippi County, Arkansas, Hard Road

68. 1925 June 11: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Charles Wright, Ithaca, New York

34. 1875 December 12: "Your husband," St. Louis, Missouri, to Mary (Mrs. J...

69. 1925 June 11: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Moorhead Wright, Union Trust Company, Little Rock

70. 1925 June 16: Grover Owens to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas

71. 1925 June 17: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, Arkansas, to Grover Owens, Little Rock

72. 1925 June 17: J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock, to E.N. Weigel, Little Rock

73. 1925 June 22: Moorhead Wright, Union Trust Company, Little Rock, Arkansas, to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock

74. 1925 June 24: R.E. Wilson, Camp Little Rock, YMCA, to J.F. Loughborough, Little Rock

75. 1943 January 28: Harry Sutterlee Bill, Colombia, Missouri, to Louis Loughborough

76. 1952 W.S. Campbell, University of Oklahoma, Norman, Oklahoma, to Mrs. M.Z. Bair, Executive Secretary, Arkansas Territorial Restoration, Little Rock

77. 1954 October 5: Internal Revenue Service to Louise W. Loughborough, Little Rock

78. 1955 June 21: Chauncey D. Leake, University of Texas-Medical Branch, Austin, Texas, to Governor Orval Faubus, Little Rock

79. 1956 November 26: Arkansas Louisiana Gas Company, to Louise (Mrs. J.F.) Loughborough, Little Rock

80. Undated: Enclosure card of Lord and Taylor to Mrs. Loughborough

34. 1875 December 12: "Your husband," St. Louis, Missouri, to Mary (Mrs. J...

81. Undated: [?] Ballantine to Louise Loughborough, Little Rock, Territorial Restoration Committee

82. Undated: "Your husband" to Mary W. Loughborough, Oxford, Mississippi

83. Undated: Mr. Muldrow to Madge Webster, invitation

84. Undated: J.N. Loughborough to "My dear sister"

85. Undated: P.R. Yoirtehiteh, Rougemont, Switzerland, to H.F. Loughborough

86. Undated: J.F. Cooley to "My dear cousin"

87. Undated: "Copy of last letter of my precious daughter"

88. Undated: H. [?], Bordeaux, France, to Hope Fairfax Loughborough, Little Rock

89. Undated: Envelopes addressed to H.T. Black, St. Paul Dispatch. St. Paul, Minnesota

90. Undated: Fragments

91. Undated: Valentines

92. Undated: "Mama" to "Jean"

93. Undated: Nannie Allen, Monticello, to "my dear Hollie"

94. Undated: [?] to Hope Fairfax Loughborough, Pulaski Heights, Little Rock, Arkansas

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95. Undated: Mary W. Loughborough, St. Louis, Missouri, to James M. Loughborough

96. Undated: [?] to Mary W. Loughborough, Oxford, Mississippi

97. [?] October 9: Abbie B. Gaston, Pittston, to "My very dear cousin Julia"

98. Undated: Envelope addressed to Julia Webster, Carondelet, Missouri

99. Undated: Mary S., Little Rock, Arkansas, to Julie S. Webster, St. Louis, Missouri

100. Undated: Mary Loughborough to "My beloved mother"

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101. 1854 May 1: Commission, Appointment of John Loughborough, Surveyor General of the United States, District of Illinois and Missouri, signed by President Franklin Pierce

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102. 1877-1904: Tax receipts, checks, and deed

103. 1902 January 14: Certificate, Jean Loughborough Douglass, member, The Connecticut Society of Colonial Dames

104. 1945 July 16: "An Arkansas and Little Rock Newsletter from Foster Vineyard, Campbell and Vineyard, General Agents, Aetna Life Insurance Company"

105. 1950 March 16: Typescript of article, " Louise Loughborough, Who Has Recreated an Arkansas Era," Arkansas Gazette

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106. 1951-1957: Arkansas Territorial Restoration miscellany

107. 1952-1954: Arkansas Territorial Restoration financial statement

108. 1952 April 16: News release, "Arkansas Territorial Restoration," by Arch W. Ford, State Board of Education

109. 1953 May 1: "An Analysis of the Tourist Industry in Selected Counties of the Ozark Area..."

110. 1953 August: "AAA Service for Club Publication Editors" (mentions Arkansas Territorial Restoration)

111. 1954 September: "Southern Building" magazine, Arkansas Territorial Restoration on cover

112. 1954 November: "Arkansas' Historic Shrine" by Sharon Neal in "American Motorist"

113. 1956 April 16-30: Ticket, "Jail Will Move Versus Jail Will Not Move Game"

114. 1989 March 28: Biographical material on Loughborough family

115. Undated: Leaflet, "A Glimpse into Yesteryear," The Arkansas Territorial Restoration

116. Undated: Poem, "A Veritable History of a Visit of the Nobility of the Fair City of Carondelet with a Maiden Fair"

117. Undated: Cards, Mrs. Robert Raymond Brown

118. Undated: Cards, Hope Fairfax Loughborough

Newsclippings

119. Undated: Pulaski County Probate Court petition, J.F. Loughborough estate

120. Undated: Daughters of the American Revolution Award of Merit, Louise (Mrs. J.F.) Loughborough

121. Undated: Lists/Inventory

Newsclippings

Box

122. 1948-1957

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123. 1954: Arkansas Territorial Restoration

124. 1954 October 31: "The Sunday Star," Washington, District of Columbia

125. 1957 April 28: "Arkansas Gazette"

126. 1957 May 5: "Arkansas Democrat Magazine"

127. 1957 June 2: "Arkansas Gazette"

128. 1957 June 30: "Arkansas Democrat Magazine"

129. 1957 June 30: "Arkansas Gazette Parade Magazine"

130. 1957 August 25: "Arkansas Gazette"

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131. 1957 September 15: "Arkansas Gazette"

132. 1957 September 30: "Arkansas Gazette"

133. 1957 October 13: "Arkansas Democrat Magazine"

134. 1957 October 27: "Arkansas Democrat Magazine"