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Summary Information

Repository	Arkansas State Archives
Title	Hazel Retherford papers
Date [inclusive]	1942-1945
Extent	0.45 Cubic feet 1 box
Language	English
Language of Materials	Materials are in English and Japanese.

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Biographical/Historical Note

Hazel Linam Retherford was born on January 27, 1906, to James Wiley and Ida Cloud Linam. James Wiley worked as a trackman, inspecting and maintaining the track for the railroads in Arkansas. Hazel married Evander Retherford in Garland County, Arkansas, on November 29, 1930. Evander enlisted for military service in May 1942 and was released in June 1943. He later worked as a fireman in Hot Springs, Arkansas, after the World War II. Hazel became a teacher and worked in Arkansas schools for twenty years. During that time, she taught at both the Jerome and Rohwer Japanese relocation centers in Arkansas, eventually helping to close both centers. She later went to Washington, D.C., to complete War Relocation Authority records on the camps. She passed away on July 28, 1982, in Collier, Florida, but she was buried in Magnet Cove Cemetery in Magnet Cove, Arkansas.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains correspondence, drawings, photos, a scrapbook, and other material.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Related Materials

Separated Materials

Photograph of Alma's Beauty Salon, Fresno, California, transferred to PH.Rether.001

Collection Inventory

Correspondence

Grades

Japanese Relocation Camp information

Newsletters

Printed ephemera

Religious materials

Education materials

Students' artwork

Scrapbook of students' artwork