

The Filson Historical Society
Palmer-Joyes Family
Papers, ca. 1861-1999 (bulk 1908-1999)

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Size of Collection:
2.5 cubic feet

Location Number:
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Scope and Content Note

Papers of Louisville family contain correspondence, journals, genealogy, and a variety of miscellaneous items. Correspondence describes traveling, Dr. Lee Palmer's medical practice, Lee Palmer, Jr.'s education in New Mexico and Texas, and patriotic societies. Also includes love letters from the early twentieth century. Genealogical material relates primarily to the Palmer family and includes family trees, biographies of family members, and a history of Furman, AL, where the Palmer family lived.

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Historical Note

The Palmer-Joyes Family is an old Louisville family. The collection begins with Adele Albrecht and her husband Lee Palmer. During World War I, Palmer served as an artillerist in the United States Army but was stationed in the states. After the war, Palmer attended medical school at the University of Louisville and met Albrecht, whom he married in 1922. They had three children, Caroline, Lee, and Adele. During World War II, Palmer served in the Army Medical Corps and was stationed in El Paso, TX. Palmer continued his medical practice in Louisville after the war and died in 1985. Palmer's daughter Adele married Preston P. Joyes, Jr., and they had two children, Caroline and Adele. Preston P. Joyes, Jr. died in 2000, and Adele Palmer Joyes died in 2003.

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