



Ruth Barnes McClintock Collection

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Summary Information

Repository:	University Archives and Historical Collections
Creator:	McClintock, Ruth Barnes
Creator:	Michigan State Chamber of Commerce
Title:	Ruth Barnes McClintock collection
ID:	UA.28.34
Date [inclusive]:	1904-1924, 1947, 1955, 1968-1969
Physical Description:	0.25 Cubic Feet
Language of the Material:	English .

Preferred Citation

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Biographical Note

Ruth Barnes McClintock was born on April 19, 1899. She taught at the Lansing Public Schools. In February 1926, she married Freeman Hart "Mac" McClintock (June 21, 1892 - May 20, 1983). Some time prior to 1930, she left teaching to focus on homemaking. The McClintocks had two children, William J., and Mary Jane. Freeman McClintock was the owner of McClintock Cadillac (later Capitol Cadillac) in Lansing. In addition to their home in Lansing, the family owned a summer home near Lake Charlevoix. Ruth played golf, and was a member of the Lansing Country Club, and later the Walnut Hills Country Club. She was also a member of the Friends of the Kresge Art Center at Michigan State University, and helped raise funds to purchase art for the Kresge's permanent collections. Ruth McClintock died January 3, 1997, and is buried in Evergreen Cemetery (Lansing, Michigan), alongside her husband.

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Scope and Contents

The Ruth Barnes McClintock collection includes materials related to Michigan Agricultural College (M.A.C., now Michigan State University) events she attended. McClintock was not a M.A.C. student but a local resident. Materials include dance programs, an athletic schedule card and program, a photograph of McClintock at Ae-Thon party, and a pageant program.

Also included is a M.A.C. ROTC horseshow program (1924), Theta Beta Phi dance program (1918), Peace Day M.A.C. Union party program, JHop dance card (1947), Lansing Skating Club, Stars on Ice program (circa 1955), and newspaper clipping about University of Michigan football from the 1920s.

There is also a 1968 MSU Volunteer Program report and newsletter from 1969 that belonged to Mary Jane Wilson, McClintock's daughter.

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-M. Badgley-Malone, June 2022.

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Controlled Access Headings

- Student activities -- Michigan -- East Lansing
- Volunteers -- Michigan
- Dance cards
- Newsletters
- Photographs
- Programs (Publications)
- Reports
- Michigan Agricultural College. Columbian Literary Society
- Phi Delta Theta Fraternity. Michigan Beta Chapter (Michigan State University)

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
AE-Thon Party Photo, March 6, 1920	box LFD 7	folder 1
"Big Day at M.A.C" Program , March 11, 1922	box LFD 7	folder 2
Directory. Volunteer Programs of the Colleges and Universities of the State of Michigan, 1969	box LFD 7	folder 3

Horse Show program, May 30-31, 1924	box LFD 7	folder 9
JHop Dance Program, 1947	box LFD 7	folder 9
Michigan Challenge, November 1969	box LFD 7	folder 4
The MSU Volunteer, 1969	box LFD 7	folder 5
Newspaper clipping about University of Michigan football, circa 1920s	box LFD 7	folder 9
"A Pageant of Michigan" Program, June 14 and 15, 1921	box LFD 7	folder 6
Party Invitations, Programs and Dance Cards, 1920	box LFD 7	folder 7
Peace Day, M.A.C. Union Party, Dance Card, November 11, 1919	box LFD 7	folder 9
"Stars on Ice," MSU Ice Arena, August 18-20, circa 1955	box LFD 7	folder 9
Theta Beta Phi House Dance Card, November 7, 1918	box LFD 7	folder 9
The Volunteer Action Effort at Michigan State University, 1968	box LFD 7	folder 8