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Tucson Rimers
Poems, ca. 1890s-1930s (bulk 1928-1930)

DESCRIPTION

Consists of newspaper columns from "With the Verse Makers of Arizona," consisting of poetry contributed by members of the Tucson Rimers and others, ca. 1928 to 1930, and a smaller amount of collected poetry, typed and from newspaper articles, 1890s-1930s. Poems concern many topics. Of special interest may be poems in folder 6 about Arizona hermit William Reavis, fumigation practices at the Arizona/California border for foot-and-mouth disease, Mexican border military service, and Tucson's Meyer Street. Authors include Eulalia Bourne, Phoebe Bogan, Ida Flood Dodge, Frances Gillmor, and Sharlot Hall.

1 box, .5 linear ft.

HISTORICAL NOTE

The Tucson Rimers was founded by Jennie G. Fowler, ca. 1928. Its purpose was to create a general interest in poetry and promote the Arizona Poetry Society. The group awarded monetary prizes to university students and contributed to a column in the Tucson Citizen newspaper entitled "With the Verse Makers of Arizona."

RELATED MATERIAL

Ephemera file : Places-Tucson-Organizations-Tucson Rimers

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