DESCRIPTION

This collection consists of scrapbooks associated with native people’s myths, legends, and stories of North America. Scattered throughout are topics referencing the Southwest and the Arizona area. Most of the entries deal with the far western United States and the Pacific Northwest especially. The first folder of the collection has a short autobiographical manuscript written by Wood in 1931.

8 Boxes, 13 linear ft.

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Elizabeth Lambert Wood was born in 1871 in Oregon. She married Dr. William Lee Wood and moved to Oracle, Arizona in 1902 to start mining and ranching. Mrs. Wood wrote about her arrival in Tucson in a book titled *Arizona Hoof Trails*. Despite the death of their two children, Mrs. Wood became an accomplished writer and poet. She donated Camp O Wood in Peppersauce Canyon to the Salvation Army for a local district camp that later became the Arizona Boys Ranch. In 1949 she donated another 400 acres that became the Triangle Y Ranch Camp. Elizabeth Lambert Wood died February 14, 1962.

ACQUISITION

Donated by Elizabeth L. Wood in 1954.

ACCESS

There are no restrictions on access to this collection.

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PROCESSING

The collection was previously processed and reviewed by Dave Tackenberg in April 2010.
Box 1

Folder 1 Sketch of the Life of Elizabeth Lambert Wood 1931
f.2  Notecards on Wood Research f.3
f.3  Publication: “Pictorial Oregon: The Wonderland” 1915
f.3  Index Listing for Scrapbook Topics

Box 2

Scrapbooks 1 & 2

Box 3

Scrapbooks 3 & 4

Box 4

Scrapbooks 5 & 6

Box 5

Scrapbooks 7 & 8

Box 6

Scrapbooks 9 & 10

Box 7

Scrapbook 11 & 12

Box 8

Scrapbook 13