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Katherine McDowell Douglas

Grace Douglas James

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DOUGLAS AND JAMES COLLECTION

1880's-1920's

1 Box, 4 Folders

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DOUGLAS AND JAMES COLLECTION

I

The Douglas and James Collection, graduates of Winthrop, were received as a gift by the Archives from Mr. Robert L. Douglas Jr. on June 1st 2004.

Linear feet of shelf space occupied: .25 linear feet
Approximate number of pieces: 25 pieces

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Scope and content Note: **The Douglas and James Collection consists of diplomas, yearbooks, photographs, correspondence, and programs relating to the Winthrop College experience of Catherine McDowell Douglas (Class of 1891) and her daughter Grace Douglas James (Class of 1923). The photograph file provides a visual record of S.C. college life in the late nineteenth century and the early twentieth century. The correspondence relates to Grace Douglas James' graduation ceremony invitations of 1923 and 1924 and a personal letter and to Katherine McDowell Douglas' travels with the women's club to Davidson, NC. Photos relate to the various points in Katherine and Grace's life in South Carolina and their graduation from Winthrop College. Both the diplomas of Katherine McDowell Douglas and Grace Douglas James are enclosed in the diploma folder. The Miscellaneous relates to a program from April 22, 1922 of a high school girls track meet, the program of Mabel Garrison of the Metropolitan Opera Company performing at the Winthrop Auditorium, the Baccalaureate Sermon given by Reverend Collins Denny on June 3, 1923, and the Class Day Exercises of Winthrop College on June 4, 1923. Four volumes of Winthrop's yearbook the *Tatler* are included from 1920-1923 documenting the experiences of Grace Douglas James' while she attended Winthrop College Volume 17 is dated for 1920, 1921 has no volume given, 1922 is volume 19, and 1923 is volume 23.**

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DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
1	1	DIPLOMA FILE Includes the diplomas from Winthrop earned by Katherine McDowell Douglas and Grace Douglas James (Note Katherine attended Winthrop University while it was named Winthrop Training School and Grace attended Winthrop University while named Winthrop College). In chronological order.	1891, 1923, nd
1	2	PHOTOGRAPH FILE Includes photographs from Katherine and Grace's life in South Carolina and life while attending Winthrop. Includes graduation photos, class photos and miscellaneous photos. Most photos do not have dates chronological order cannot be determined.	1880s-1920s, nd
1	3	CORRESPONDENCE Includes personal letters, Winthrop graduation invitations, and letters related to club meetings. Topics include Winthrop graduations, education, a letter to Grace from a friend living Columbia making plans to visit each other, and travels to Davidson on women's club business. In chronological order.	1923-1927, nd
1	4	MISCELLANEOUS Includes programs relating to Winthrop College events. The first program is from the First Annual Track Meet of the high school girls held at Winthrop College on April 22, 1922. A program from Mabel Garrison's performance at Winthrop Auditorium on February 5 no year is given. A sermon from Reverend Collins Denny's Baccalaureate Sermon held at the Winthrop Auditorium on June 3, 1923. The Class Day Exercises of Winthrop College on June 4, 1923. In chronological order.	1922-1923, nd
--	--	TATLERS Includes four volumes of the <i>Tatler</i> the Winthrop College yearbook while Grace Douglas James attended Winthrop College. The <i>Tatlers</i> include many photographs relating to the college experience at Winthrop in the 1920's. Photographs depict classroom and social functions in the college, graduation photos, clubs and other organizations held on campus. In chronological order.	1920-1924, nd