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Scope and Content Note: **The Emma Frew London Papers consists of material collected by Winthrop College 1910 alumna, Emma Frew London (1890-1969). The papers consists mostly of scrapbooks and newspaper clippings related to Miss London's family and her interests as well as to some of the organizations she belonged to. Included in the collection are correspondence, family narratives and histories, obituaries, church programs (weddings and funerals), photographs and negatives, diaries, and other records related to the London Family and extended family. There are also several ledgers of minutes and other records related to the Catawba-Ebenezer Township Tuberculosis Association. Of particular interest is a narrative titled "My Story" written by Emma Frew London's mother, Emma Dora Frew London (1852-1937), about the origins of her family arriving in Rock Hill, SC just after General Sherman burned the bride over the Catawba River during the American Civil War.**

II

DESCRIPTION OF SERIES

<u>Box(es)</u>	<u>Folder(s)</u>	<u>Series</u>	<u>Year(s)</u>
--	--	BOUNDED VOLUME: SCRAPBOOK A scrapbook labeled 1956-1963. Filled with newspaper clippings and sheets relating to the London family and those close to them.	1956-1963
1	1	FAMILY HISTORY A sheet labeled "London Family in Rock Hill John Rutherford London," detailing his life. "My Story," by Emma Dora Frew London, a series of paragraphs describing the London family, specifically those Emma knew specifically.	nd
COLLECTION HEREAFTER IN ORIGINAL ORDER			
1	1	YEARBOOK "Keystone Club" yearbook 1939-1940.	1939-1940
1	2	DIARY A diary, undated and unknown author, barely written in, containing: "Furness Bermuda Line" ticket for a cruise on the S. S. "Franconia," 1931, a photo of a house in the snow (now in protective envelope), a very small Christmas Greetings strip, and a torn piece of copied writing.	1931, nd
1	2	PHOTO NEGATIVES A series of photos, the images are barely able to be made out.	nd
1	2	FOR INCIDENTALS SOLD - COMPOSITION BOOK "Prospectus 1905: The Amelia Pride Book Club, Rock Hill, S.C., Organized March 9, 1896, Subject: "Old Testament History." Yearbook 1910-1911, "The Amelia Pride Book Club." Loosely bound notebook paper containing various family-related items and writings. Various newspaper clippings. An essay in a yellow envelope titled "Sacajawea."	1905-1952, nd
1	3	TAPED NOTEBOOK TITLED "1929 – 1940" Various newspaper clippings relating to Winthrop or Emma London, or interests of hers. Photo of Sally Frew-London Wood and Emma Frew London.	1929-1940, nd

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1	4	SCRAPBOOK I A scrapbook chock full of many things relating to the life of Emma Frew London and her family, including newspaper clippings, letters and correspondence between various people, invitations to family gatherings or parties of other kinds, several postcards, and a few photos.	1896-1966, nd
2	5	SCRAPBOOK II A scrapbook titled "The Ideal Scrapbook," with a 1904-1914 label on it, though there are a few later pieces that must have been added afterwards. A great many newspaper clippings, a few photos, many letters and correspondence, a map of Rock Hill, various other things relating to the London's lives.	1904-1949, nd
2	6	SCRAPBOOK III A black scrapbook labeled "1939-1940." Within are mostly newspaper clippings, many of them are labeled with the dates the original papers are from. A lot of the clippings have to do with local happenings, such as engagements and weddings of people the Frews knew or were related to. There are several photo negatives, a sermon, a Christmas card, and a bunch of invitations.	1937-1949, nd
3	7	SCRAPBOOK IV A black scrapbook embossed upon which reads "Scrap Book," with a label below that reading "1949-1955." The vast majority of the contents are newspaper clippings, even more so than previous scrapbooks. Also included is a sermon program, an invitation to a debutante ball, a "Parish Bulletin," "Parish Notes," a brochure for the "Franciscan Monastery Memorial Church of the Holy Land."	1949-1955, nd

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3-4	8-12	<p>CATAWBA-EBENERZER TUBERCULOSIS ASSOCIATION BOARD</p> <p>Three journals of minutes of the Catawba-Ebenezer Tuberculosis Association Board of Directors meetings, primarily written in the journal. Also includes other things, some out of place but kept together as they were received that way. Also a folder titled "Tuberculosis Association Reports."</p> <p>Journal 3: Minutes of the board beginning in 1938. Various other papers related to the board and the association</p> <p>Journal 2: A prescription for thioridazine for one Mrs. R.E. Barron, November 12 1980. "Annual Report, Catawba-Ebenezer Township Tuberculosis Association, April 1st 1953 to March 31st 1954. A final report and resignation as president, Agnes London. Copy of 1949 "Balance in bank." Other such financial records. "Workshop Day Program." A few meeting records outside the journal itself. A letter concerning the 46th annual "Christmas Seal Sale." A few copies of different versions of the constitution. Written in the journal itself, minutes of board meetings beginning in January, 1943.</p> <p>Journal 3: typed up minutes of 3/21/56, a copy of the 6/21/56, 6/29/56, 1/24/57, 8/21/58, 11/4/58, 8/18/60, 3/22/62, minutes, handwritten minutes for 11/19/64. "Report as of 1/24/57," copy of committees 1956-1957, 1963-1964, 1961-1962.</p> <p>Scrapbook: A scrapbook titled "Publicity, Catawba-Ebenezer Tuberculosis Association," filled primarily with newspaper clippings concerning tuberculosis or the association.</p>	1931-1980, nd
5	13	<p>LONDON FAMILY AND NORTH CAROLINA</p> <p>A small, horizontally bounded journal. "North Carolina Literature," an essay. A very short, handwritten essay on the first churches built in South Carolina. A very short essay on John Miller Turpin Finney's family history. Presentation notecards on for a presentation on Confederate Colonel Adam Coward. "An Informal History" of "Saint Bartholomew's Episcopal Church, Pittsboro, North Carolina," by Reverend Charles R. Greene, Rector. It's a brochure welcoming people to the Church. A large amount of newspaper clippings. Letters from children to their Aunt Sally. A photo of Emma F. London, Sally F. London, and John R. London. A photo of Salena Mills London, taken Dec. 1919, when she was 3 years 9 months old. Also contains a "recordio-gram" dated 1944 sent to Miss Emma London from Fred London titled "To Emmie." Contents of record not yet known, we currently have no means of playing it.</p>	1919-1964, nd

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5	14	LONDON FAMILY NEWSPAPERS AND CORRESPONDENCE I Lots of newspaper clippings, many of them relating to the London family or those close to them. Also found within is a dance recital program from 1957 titled "Louise Van Tassel." A 1958 letter from Will D. Anderson to the Register of Deeds of York County about one Rev. J. D. McCollough. A poem by Mary Ethel Walton, titled Backward Flight.	1956-1965, nd
5	15	SCRAPBOOK V A scrapbook titled "The Ideal Scrapbook," separate from the other one titled this way. Containing: A newspaper clipping of a 1963 Evening Herald article titled "New \$500,000 City Center proposed," by Charles Walter, the Managing Editor of the paper. A small 1941 yearbook from Clemson Agricultural and Mechanical College. Program of the "Fall Meeting of the Woman's Auxiliary Eastern District Diocese of Upper South Carolina, St. John's Church." Assorted other newspaper clippings. Program titled "Parish Prayers Offered In [sic] St. Paul's Church, Baltimore, Maryland," by The Rev. Frederick Ward Kates, M. A., B. D., Rector. A sheet labeled "Itinerary."	1941-1963
5	16	LONDON FAMILY NEWSPAPERS AND CORRESPONDENCE II Newspaper clippings and whole sheets from several papers. A short, 1939 letter card addressed to Emma London in Baltimore, Maryland. A postcard to Emma London, sent from Paris. Double-sided 1949 letters from the Evening Herald to one Miss London and her response. Accompanying the letter is a handwritten note about the London Home. Small, typed information on the London Family and on Rock Hill. Information of John Rutherford London. "Pictures and Sketches of my son Isaac Spencer London Jr. who died January 20, 1947 of Acute Hepatitis at the Veterans Hospital, Fayetteville, And a Bit of Genealogical Data." It was written in 1947. More letters to and from Emma London and her family, on genealogical matters.	1934-1964

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5	17	SCRAPBOOK VI A green scrapbook with no title upon the cover. On the inside cover are pasted two poems, "Trees," by Joyce Kilmer, and "If-," by Rudyard Kipling. Contains: "Famous Spots in Old New Orleans," which is an envelope containing drawings of New Orleans. Various newspaper clippings dealing with the London Family or those close to them. Program for the "Church of Our Savior, Rock Hill, South Carolina." "The Dew Drop," Vol. XXII, Boone, N.C., February, 1924 No. 1, "Appalachian Training School." Also, a photo of Salena London.	1924-1966