

**Sturgis Library Archives
Town and Local History Collection**

**Marion L. Hall Photo Albums, circa 1913-1930
MS. 139**

Extent: 3 photo albums in a clamshell box

Scope and Content Note: The collection consists of three photo albums circa 1913-1930, depicting people and places related to Marion L. Hall, including family and friends, and scenes of home and school life. Many of the images were taken in the towns of Chatham, Harwich, and Orleans, as well as Wellfleet on Cape Cod. Additional photos show college life at Bridgewater State Normal School, Plymouth MA, Washington DC, New Hampshire, and other locales. Some of the people named in the photos are from well-known Cape Cod families like Nickerson, Jerauld, Sears, Crowell, Cahoon, Eldredge, and others. Lamont Smith is pictured, and there is now a conservation area in Eastham named for him. Leland Smith, also pictured, was an artist whose paintings come up for auction now and again.

The photos depict family life, friends at leisure, beach scenes, scenes of homes, gardens, and local sites, cars, horse and buggies, and the fashions of the day.

Biographical note: Nothing is known of Marion L. Hall, who is identified in album #2 by a pasted in calling card. From the photos we can ascertain that she attended Bridgewater State Normal School (later Bridgewater State College and Bridgewater State University), and that she would have graduated around 1918. There was a reference in a March 10, 1919 Barnstable Patriot article that Marion L. Hall had gone to Boston to work in an insurance company, but it is not known if this is the same woman. Based on her age indicated on the photos (age 18 circa 1913/14) she would have been in her 20s in 1919, graduated from college and ready to go to work.

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Contents: 3 photo albums

Album 1 – Circa 1913

People Identified

Adeline
Alexander, Mrs.
Aunt Becky
Aunt Emma
Aunt Phen
Bess
Bob
Buster (dog)
Chase, Mrs.
Dick
Doggett, Miss
Dot
Fido
Gersh
Grandma
Helen
Hope
John
Marion
Mary
Mildred
Millard
Min
Muriel
Nol
Normalites
Peg
Pig
Pony
Sib
Sig
Sis
Swanie
Ted
Teddy
Uncle Jim
Uncle Jim and Pony
Uncle Rob
Yours Truly

Places Identified

Bridgewater State Normal School
Flower garden
Harwich High School (HHS)
House
Indian Tents at Plymouth
Mayflower
Pilgrim Monument
Plymouth, MA
The Store
Woodward (Bridgewater State Normal School)

Album 2 **Circa 1914-1920**

People Identified

Abbie
Ann
Annie
Armstrong, Marguerite
Aunt Grace
Aunt Phen
Aunt Rizzie
Bachos (?)
Bassett, Erline
Baxter, Albert
Baxter, Marcus
Beck, Joshua S., Jr.
Berg, Eleanor
Blanche
Brooks, Doris
Brooks, Oren
Brownie
Bruce (dog)
Burke, Alice
Cahoon, Mercie A
Chamberlin, Ethel
Charlie
Chase, Minnie
Christine N.
Clara
Clarke, Warren
Corbett
Corliss, Donna
Cousin John
Crowell, Marion Hollis
Dad
Davis, Mrs.
Dewey (Horse)
Doris
Edwards, General
Eldredge, Marjorie
Ellis, Harold
Flora N.
Gertrude
Gram
Hall, Clarence
Hall, Lillian
Hall, Marian L.
Hannah
Harriman, Marjorie
Helen
Holmes, Anne

Inman, Brownie
Inman, C. T.
Jerauld, Helen
Jerauld, Mrs. E. E.
Johnston, Bobbie
Johnston, Robert
Jones, Madeline M.
Joshua
Kathleen
Kendrick, Bernice
Kendrick, Lucille
Laconte, Elmer J.
Laker, "Jack"
Lawrence
Lebovitz, "Little Joe"
Lillian
Lucille
Marines at Wellfleet Radio
Station
Marjorie
Mary
Metcalf Paul H.
Millard
Minnie
Mit
Morris, Annie
Nichols, Mandie (?)
Nickerson, Fran
Nickerson, Flora
Nickerson, Flora
Nickerson, Gertrude
Nickerson, Gladyce
Nickerson, Mrs. Eugene
Nickerson, Theodore
Nickerson, Vernon
Nickerson, Winifred
Nip
Park, Gussie
Peggy
Phillips, Norwell
Pierce, Clara
Potter, Patia
Reardon (?)
Ryder, Ted
Sarah
Satch
Sis

Smith, Lamont
Sylvia
Three Nuts
Underwood, Eleanor
Weiler, Chas.
Williams, Eleanor
Young, Mary

Places Identified

26th V. D. Parade
A. L. Weekes woodpile
Harwich
Barnstable Fair
Botanical Gardens,
Washington DC
Bureau of Agriculture,
Washington DC
Cedar Island Camp
Chatham
Chatham Naval Air
Station
Chatham Radio Station
Chatham Radio Station
Cranberry pickers
Fenway
Harwich
Harwich High School
Independence Hall,
Philadelphia, PA
Millard Peach Orchard
Noreumbega Park
(Boston)
Orleans
Pleasant Bay
Pleasant Lake Harwich
Potomoc River
Residence of Owen
Brooks, Marlboro
Street in Philadelphia
Swifts Beach
Washington Monument,
Washington DC
Wellfleet Radio Station

Album 3
Circa 1920-1930?

People Identified

Blanche
Davis, Solome Dean
Douglas
Duffy, Don
Fernandes, Bob
Gersh
Hall, Claire
Hall, Irene
Henry
Hope
Inman, Brownie
Jerauld, Dorrance
Junior
Leland
MacDonald, Dot
MacDuff, Walter
May, Peg
May, Syb
Mildred
Millard
Nickerson, Mabel
Nicky
Nolan, Geo
Parr
Peg
Pike, Gladys Rogers
Rae
Reever, Mrs.
Rene
Robinson, Sanford
Sis
Smith, Leland
Snow, Paul
Syb
Teachman, Dot
Temple, George
Trappe, Henry
Trappe, Mrs.
Trapper, Alice
Vicky
Vivian

Places Identified

Bridgewater State Normal School
Chatham Baseball Team 1921
Echo Lake (New Hampshire)
Flume (New Hampshire)
Franconia Notch (New Hampshire)
Gay Head
Lonesome Lake (New Hampshire)
Middleboro, MA
New Hampshire
Old Harbor Inn
Old Man of the Mountain (New Hampshire)
Pleasant Lake
Profile Lake (New Hampshire)
Squantum (Quincy, MA)
Tillinghast (Bridgewater State Normal School)
White Mountains (New Hampshire)
Woodward Dorm (Bridgewater State Normal School)