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ANNIE JETER CARMOUCHE PAPERS

Mss. 2878

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SUMMARY

Size.	0.3 linear feet
Geographic locations.	New Orleans, La.; St. Landry Parish, La.; Bossier Parish, La.; Virginia
Inclusive dates.	1853-1962, undated
Language.	English.
Summary.	Annie Jeter Carmouche spent her childhood in Virginia and New Orleans and lived in St. Landry and Bossier Parishes, Louisiana, during and after the Civil War. Collection includes family letters, papers, and tablets containing Carmouche's memoirs. Materials relate to social life, her childhood, family events, and the Civil War and postwar period.
Restrictions on access.	None.
Related collections.	None.
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Stack locations.	W:18; H:24; VAULT:6
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BIOGRAPHICAL/HISTORICAL NOTE

Annie Jeter Carmouche spent her childhood in Virginia and New Orleans and lived in St. Landry and Bossier parishes in Louisiana during and after the Civil War. She married Emile A. Carmouche.

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

The collection includes family letters, papers, and tablets containing Carmouche's memoirs. The letters and papers (1853-1898, 1951), which have been bound into a manuscript volume, pertain to social life, Confederate military involvement of family members, and family events. The memoirs (1913) recall Carmouche's childhood in Virginia and New Orleans, the Civil War, and life in St. Landry and Bossier parishes after the war. A bound copy of a transcription of the memoirs (1962) is also found in the collection. Also included is a scrapbook (1909-1936) which contains correspondence and minutes of the Shreveport Progressive League (1909) and newspaper clippings pertaining to Bossier Parish.

Loose items include typescript copies of letters (originals dated 1857-1864), two articles by J. T. Manry (1931-1932), and a photograph of Orchard Place, the home of James Blair Gilmer. Captain Emile A. Carmouche's palmetto hat is also contained in the collection.

CROSS REFERENCES

Subject	Date	Description of relevant documents
Bossier Parish (La.)--History.	1931-1932	Typed copies of newspaper articles discussing the settlement of the James Blair Gilmer family in Bossier Parish, and the establishment of the town of Plain Dealing – Folder 13, scrapbook: architecture, politics and social life.
Confederate States of America--Social life and customs.	1861-1864	Letters from Confederate civilians mention wartime experiences; memoir recalls life during the Civil War.
Gilmer, James Blair.	1931-1932	Typed copies of newspaper articles discussing the settlement of the Gilmer family in Bossier Parish, and the establishment of the town of Plain Dealing – Folder 13, scrapbook.
Louisiana--History--Civil War, 1861-1865--Personal narratives, Confederate.	1862-1864	Letters about camp life; experience of a prisoner of war in New Orleans; a trip of a federal prisoner of war from Louisiana to Virginia, escape and return to Confederate lines (March 22, 1864) – Folder 1, and 2, transcribed memoir.
Shreveport Progressive League.	1909	Correspondence and minutes of Shreveport Progressive League.
Yellow fever--Louisiana.	1878	Letter describing symptoms of the disease and efforts to treat it.

CONTAINER LIST

<u>Stack</u> <u>Location</u>	<u>Box</u>	<u>Folders</u>	<u>Contents</u>
W:18	1	1	Letters and other papers [bound], 1853-1898, 1951, undated
		2	Letters (typescript copies), 1857-1864
		3-12	Memoirs of Annie Jeter Carmouche, 1913; tablets 1-9
		13	Articles by J. T. Manry, 1931-1932
		14	Photograph, undated
	--		Printed volume: "The Life of Annie Jeter Carmouche," 1962
H:24	--	--	Vol. 1: Scrapbook, 1909-1936, undated
VAULT:6	2	--	Captain Emile A. Carmouche's palmetto hat
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