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# **Collection Summary**

**Repository:** Archives and Special Collections Library, Vassar College Libraries

**Creator:** Collier, Katharine Brownell

Title: Katharine Brownell Collier Papers

**Inclusive** 

1890-1977 Dates:

**Bulk Dates:** 1904-1934

Quantity: 6.8 cubic feet (8 boxes)

Correspondence, notebooks, manuscripts and drafts, memorabilia, artwork, publications, and

photographs relating to and/or created by Katherine Brownell Collier, covering her turn-of-the-Abstract:

century childhood as well as her time at Vassar and her life post-graduation.

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# **Biographical Note**

Katharine Brownell Collier was born on March, 7 1887, in Lakeview, New Jersey. Her mother, Laura Brownell Collier, was a member of a prominent New England family and her father, John Austin Collier, was a scientist. While she was still a baby, the family moved to Brooklyn, where Laura Collier taught at Packer Collegiate Institute, a private, all-girls academy. Both Katharine and her older sister Elizabeth attended Packer, and then followed in their mother's footsteps and went to Vassar College.

While at Vassar, Katharine seems to have thrown herself into a number of different organizations. The Vassarions from 1905 to 1908 list her as a member of everything from the Wake Robin Club to the Christian Association to the Society of Granddaughters to the Athletic Association. She did well at Vassar and was chosen as a member of Phi Beta Kappa and the honor list for the class of 1908.

After graduating from Vassar College in 1908, Katharine moved to Bay Shore, Long Island, where she taught English and History at Bay Shore High School. In 1911 she moved back to Brooklyn, where she found a job teaching Latin and English at an annex of Bushwick High School.

Once she had returned to Brooklyn, Katharine began taking courses at Columbia University with the intention of receiving her Ph.D. However, having taken only the required history class during her sophomore year at Vassar, plus having a career, she had her work cut out for her. She was awarded her Ph.D. by Columbia in 1933. While at Columbia, her faculty advisor was Lynn Thorndike, a noted medievalist who was interested in the history of scientific thought.

Katharine Collier's Ph.D. dissertation was published by Columbia University in 1934 as part of a series of studies in history, economics, and public law edited by the faculty of the Department of Political Science. It was titled Cosmogonies of Our Fathers: Some Theories of the Seventeenth and Eighteenth Centuries. Critics referred to it as "a very thorough piece of investigation" of the clash between scientific and religious beliefs. It is still used in classrooms today. Katharine donated a copy of her work to the Vassar College Library shortly after its publication, inscribed "To my Alma Mater."

Always an admirer of the New England countryside, during the summer of 1933, Katharine built a home on some family property in Burlington, Vermont. Originally it was used as a summer home, but after her retirement in 1942 she moved there year round. Katharine never married, once referring to her state as "single blessedness." However, it appears that at least two men during her lifetime competed for her affections, Charles Harlow Harris and Raymond L. Lunt. During her final years she lived a "peaceful and unexciting life," surrounded by family and friends. She remained active, volunteering at a local hospital and participating in various organizations, from the Green Mountain Club to the League of Women Voters. She was also instrumental in bringing about the Vermont Vassar Club. In addition, she read 350 books each year, from favorite classics to detective stories. Katharine Brownell Collier died peacefully in her sleep on July 3, 1977, at the age of 90 years.

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# **Scope and Content Note**

The Katharine Brownell Collier Papers range in period from her turn-of-the-century childhood and years at Vassar College through her career as a schoolteacher and her eventual retirement. The collection's strength lies in the amount of personal correspondence she saved over the years, especially correspondence from Packer friends and her mother, Laura Brownell Collier. The section of miscellaneous correspondence to Katherine Collier includes items such as wedding invitations, greeting cards, postcards, and letters. However, any group of two or more letters was separated by the author's last name and placed with the personal correspondence to Katharine Collier. The letters in miscellaneous correspondence are from people who wrote to Collier only once, such as former pupils, colleagues, or friends of the family. The section of miscellaneous programs and pamphlets in the memorabilia series includes programs from concerts and theatrical productions that Collier apparently attended.

Different researchers may be attracted to these papers for different reasons. For example, the advertisements that each Vassar student received from the Poughkeepsie area may give some clue as to how Vassar was perceived by the citizens of Poughkeepsie. The Vassar College material is interesting because it provides a snapshot of Vassar at the turn-of-the-century, during President Taylor's administration and before the modernization program launched by President MacCracken.

The researcher should be warned, however, that these papers are weak on substance in areas, and tend to contain superficial information. The aspect of Katharine Collier's life in which this is most noticeable is her book, Cosmogonies of Our Fathers. Very little information is available concerning her research notes, data, or any preliminary manuscripts. A few notes or papers from her classes at Columbia University are there, but little else. Wherever possible, cross-references have been added to the manuscript register so the researcher is made aware of certain connections between people and organizations.

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### **Access and Use**

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### **Related Material**

#### **Related Materials**

- Researchers interested in more of the personal aspects of Katharine Brownell Collier's life are
  encouraged to examine the Class of 1908 Bulletins, as well as the Alumnae/i Biographical Files in the
  Archives and Special Collections Library:
- Katharine Brownell Collier File, Alumnae/i Biographical Files
- The papers Katharine's sister, Elizabeth Brownell Collier (VC 1906), and mother, Laura (Brownell) Collier (VC 1874), are also available for research:
- Elizabeth Brownell Collier Papers
- Laura Brownell Collier Papers

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# **Subject Headings**

#### Names:

- Atwater, Bertha
- Bourdon, Alice
- Collier, Laura Brownell
- Harris, Charles Harlow
- Lunt, Raymond L.
- Rhame, May
- Stone, Mabel

### **Organizations:**

- Alden Kindred of America
- Blue Pencil Club (Vanderbilt University)
- Packer Collegiate Institute, Brooklyn
- Vassar College--Alumni and alumnae

#### Places:

- New York
- Vassar College

## **Document Types:**

- Clippings (information artifacts)
- Correspondence
- Diaries
- Photographs
- Postcards
- Printed ephemera
- Scrapbooks

## **VCL Categories:**

- Family
- Vassar College

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# **Encoding Information**

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## **Administrative Information**

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Folder 3.64	Correspondence from students re: illness of KBC, 1925 (1 item)
Folder 3.65	Correspondence to students from KBC — open letter to first-year students; advice as grade advisor; info for parents (in 3 languages), 1923 (5 items)

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Folder 8.3 (Oversize)	Election Poster "Miss Collier for Treasurer," undated (2 items)
Folder 3.66	Evaluations of KBC, change in salary, 1913-1942 (4 items)
Folder 3.67	Programs — Graduation exercises, Bushwick High School Dramatic Society, 1918-1927 (5 items)
Folder 8.3 (Oversize)	The 3N-4J News published weekly at Bushwick Annex in PS 75, 1916
Folder 3.68	Bushwick Beacon yearbook, 1914 (TS, 159 p.)
Folder 3.69	Bushwick Beacon, 1916 (TS, 108 p.)
Folder 8.3 (Oversize)	The High School Teachers Association Bulletin, 1934 (TS, 4 p.)
Folder 6.11	KBC's Students in LI: Teacher Reviews, undated
Folder 6.12	KBC's Students in LI: Miscellaneous, undated
	Columbia University
	see also folders 5.55-5.58
Folder 3.70	Syllabus(?) for a history course, some pages missing annotated by KBC, undated (TS, 5 p.)
Folder 3.71	General correspondence to KBC from Columbia University, 1917-1928 (7 items)
Folder 3.72	General correspondence, 1929-1930 (4 items)
Folder 3.73	General correspondence, 1934-1949 (6 items)
Folder 3.74	Correspondence re: publishing KBC's book Cosmogenies of Our Fathers, 1934-1967 (4 items)
Folder 3.75	Correspondence from Lynn Thorndike, KBC's faculty advisor, 1928-1931 (2 items)
Folder 3.76	Correspondence from Lynn Thorndike, including a draft of KBC's reply, 1932 (14 items)
Folder 3.77	Correspondence from Lynn Thorndike, 1933-1934 (6 items)
Folder 3.78	Correspondence to Lynn Thorndike from KBC, 1928, undated (2 items, 1 fragment)
Folder 3.79	Programs — Columbia University Library, Commencement 1934, 1930-1934 (2 items)
Folder 4.77	Columbia University, undated
	Other Educational Institutions
Folder 3.80	Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences: Extension Courses, School of Pedagogy, 1930-1931 (2 items)
Folder 3.81	College of the City of New York letter to KBC re: her thesis in Feminism, 1914 (1 item)
Folder 3.82	Annual Report of the Penn Normal, Industrial, and Agricultural School, SC, 1906-1907 (TS, 48 p.)
Folder 3.83	University of Vermont re: summer session credit for KBC, 1927 (2 items)
	SERIES III. ORGANIZATIONS, circa 1904-1977

### **Alden Kindred of America**

- Folder 3.84 Correspondence: from Edward Alden, Secretary, 1927 (5 items)
- Folder 3.85 Events: programs of events, 1931-1932 (TS, 4 p.)

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Folder 3.86	Genealogy: Tracing the name "Paybodie" or "Peabody," undated (TS, 2 p.)
Folder 3.87	Genealogy: Tracing Alden family, undated (TS, 12 p.)
Folder 3.88	Membership: Election of KBC as an absentee member, 1939 (1 item)
Folder 3.89	Newsletter: Alden Kindred Gossip, 1931 Oct (TS, 7 p.)
Folder 3.90	Newsletter: Alden Kindred Gossip, 1934 May (TS, 6 p.)
Folder 3.91	Newsletter: Alden Kindred Gossip, 1934 Summer (TS, 6 p.)
Folder 3.92	Newsletter: Alden Kindred Gossip, 1934 Nov (TS, 4 p.)
Folder 3.93	Newsletter: Alden Kindred Gossip, 1939 Jan (TS, 6 p.)
Folder 3.94	Newsletter: Alden Kindred Gossip, 1939 Apr (TS, 5 p.)
Folder 3.95	Newsletter: Alden Kindred Gossip, 1939 May (TS, 6 p.)
	American Red Cross
Folder 3.96	Correspondence: from Adrian Van Sinderen, Chairman of Brooklyn Chapter, 1920 (2 items)
Folder 3.97	War Relief Materials includes sweater patterns and small Red Cross logo, circa 1941-1945 (4 items)
	Anti-Saloon League
Folder 3.98	Correspondence: from Ernest Cherrington, Director of Education and Publicity, 1933 (1 item)
Folder 3.99	Pamphlets and brochures: policy statements, undated (2 items)
Folder 5.1	Pamphlets and brochures: "Prohibition Facts," "The Lady or the Serpent?" undated (3 items)
Folder 5.2	Pamphlets and brochures: "It Takes Two To Make A Bootlegger," "If Not Prohibition, What?" by Carrie Chapman Catt, undated (3 items)
Folder 5.3	Publications: The American Issue, 1931 Jun 20 (TS, 16 p.)
Folder 5.4	Publications: The American Issue, 1932 Nov 5 (TS, 16 p.)
Folder 5.5	Publications: Anti-Saloon League Yearbook, 1931 (TS, 220 p.)
	Blue Pencil Club
Folder 5.6	Correspondence: among club members re: club organization, meetings, and various written works, 1925-1944, undated (12 items)
Folder 5.7	Programs: banquet programs, 1929-1932 (2 items)
Folder 5.8	Publications: memorial booklets for Hazel Pratt Adams and Alice Lovett Lewis, VC 1904, 1922, 1927 (TS, 48 p.)
Folder 5.9	Publications: The Brooklynite, official organ of the BPC, 1917-1918 (TS, 12 p.)
Folder 5.10	Publications: The Brooklynite, 1921 (TS, 6 p.)
Folder 5.11	Publications: The Brooklynite, 1923 (TS, 16 p.)
Folder 5.12	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes annotated issue, 1924 (TS, 16 p.)
Folder 5.13	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes annotated issue and 17th anniversary issue, 1925 (TS, 20 p.)
Folder 5.14	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes annotated issue, 1926 (TS, 16 p.)
Folder 5.15	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes annotated issue, 1927 (TS, 20 p.)
Folder 5.16	Publications: The Brooklynite, 1928 (TS, 12 p.)
Folder 5.17	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes 21st anniversary issue, 1929 (TS, 20 p.)

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Folder 5.18	Publications: The Brooklynite, 1930 (TS, 8 p.)
Folder 5.19	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes annotated issue, 1931-1932 (TS, 12 p.)
Folder 5.20	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes 25th anniversary issue, 1933 (TS, 34 p.)
Folder 5.21	Publications: The Brooklynite, 1935-1936 (TS, 16 p.)
Folder 5.22	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes annotated issue, 1937-1939 (TS, 16 p.)
Folder 5.23	Publications: The Brooklynite, includes annotated issue, 1940-1944 (TS, 12 p.)
Folder 5.24	Publications: The Brooklynite, undated (TS, 2 p., fragments)
Folder 4.80	Blue Pencil Club, undated
	Congregational Church and Related Organizations
Folder 5.25	Clinton Avenue (Brooklyn) Congregational Church: church bulletins, 1914-1932 (4 items)
Folder 5.26	Clinton Avenue Congregational Church: booklet "My Church and Its National Work," circa 1927 (TS, 23 p.)
Folder 3.100	Clinton Avenue Congregational Church: correspondence from pastors, 1925-1929 (2 items)
Folder 3.101	Clinton Avenue Congregational Church: Business and Professional Women's Club, KBC, Chairman correspondence, programs, 1926-1928 (5 items)
Folder 3.102	Clinton Avenue Congregational Church: Women's League for World Service, undated (2 items)
Folder 3.103	First Congregational Church Bay Shore, NY: programs, bulletins, 1910-1911 (6 items)
Folder 3.104	Miscellaneous Churches First Congregational Church, Washington D.C.; First Presbyterian Church, Brooklyn; First Reformed Church: bulletins, undated (6 items)
Folder 5.27	Religious Union for World Peace, 1938 (5 items)
Folder 6.22	Congregational Church and Related Organizations, undated
Folder 6.23	Congregational Church and Related Organizations, undated
Folder 6.24	Congregational Church and Related Organizations, undated
	Fatherless Children of France
Folder 3.105	Correspondence to KBC re: Alice Bourdon and Roger Vinçon, 1919-1921 (6 items)
Folder 3.106	Receipts for sending money to France, 1921-1930 (14 items)
Folder 4.81	Fatherless Children of France, undated
	Green Mountain Club, Burlington (VT) Section
Folder 3.107	Program from annual meeting, 1948 Jan 14 (1 item)
	League of Nations Non-Partisan Association
Folder 3.108	Letter from George Wickersham, President, to KBC, 1928 (3 items)
	League of Women Voters
Folder 3 100	Events, 1930 (2 items)
Folder 5.28	Publications: "Weekly News" New York LWV, 1930-1933 (TS, 6 p.)
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Folder 5.29	Publications: "Green Mountain Citizen," Vermont LWV including Dumbarton Oaks United Nations proposal information, 1945 (TS, 10 p.)
Folder 5.30	Publications: "Let Freedom Ring," 1945-1946 (TS, 11 p.)
	National Amateur Press
Folder 5.31	Dues and membership info, 1930 (1 item)
	National League of Women Voters
Folder 5.32	Publications: "The Working Women's Club, What It Is;" "The Club-Worker," 1906, undated (TS, 31 p.)
	Phi Beta Kappa
Folder 5.33	Membership and dues, 1908 (4 items)
Folder 5.34	Events, advertisements, 1930-1941 (4 items)
	Student Volunteer Movement
Folder 5.35	Correspondence from SVM leadership, including brochures, etc., 1907-1908 (10 items)
Folder 5.36	Correspondence from SVM leadership, including brochures, etc., 1915-1917 (3 items)
	Williston (VT) Historical Society
Folder 5.37	Membership card, 1977 (1 item)
Folder 6.26	Williston [VT] Historical Society, undated
	Women's University Club
Folder 5.38	Membership card, circa 1904-1908 (1 item)
Folder 4.79	Women's University Club, undated
Folder 6.25	Women's University Club, undated
	Young Women's Christian Association
Folder 5.39	Correspondence, 1906-1907 (3 items)
Folder 5.40	Events and programs, 1906-1932 (24 items)
Folder 5.41	Memoranda, 1908 (TS, 2 p.)
Folder 5.42	Publications: State Executive Committee Report, 1905-1906 (TS, 33 p.)
Folder 5.43	Publications: "Bible Study Courses" and "This Year's Books," 1906 (TS, 17 p.)
Folder 5.44	Publications: Annual Report of Territorial Committee of the National Board of YWCA, 1906-1907 (TS, 17 p.)

## SERIES IV. NOTES AND NOTEBOOKS 1895-1977

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Folder 5.45	The Indian school composition, 1895 (MS, 8 p. 2 drafts)
Folder 5.46	List of girls in 2nd Prep. B "I like, passable, I dislike," 1899 (MS, 1 p.)
Folder 5.47	A Girl I Know school composition, 1899 Dec 13 (MS, 3 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.48	History, test or quiz, 1900 Nov 15 (MS, 2 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.49	The Italian Fruit Vendor school composition, 1902 Feb 21 (MS, 2 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.50	A Little Journey school composition, 1903 Apr 27 (MS, 5 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.51	Paragraph beginning "Orpheus cuma Manibus timeretur," circa 1904-1908 (MS, 1 p.)
Folder 5.52	Sketch of turkey, 1907 Nov 28 (pen sketch, undated1 p.)
Folder 5.53	Notes and a draft of a letter by KBC to principal of Bay Shore High School, including annotations by Laura Collier, circa 1908 (MS, 3 p.)
Folder 5.54	Story beginning: "St. Peter stood guard at the golden gate," circa 1910 (MS, 4 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.55	European History [Columbia(?)], 1926 Jul 28 (MS, 5 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.56	European History [Columbia(?)], 1926 Aug 12 (MS, 7 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.57	Columbia University Department of History, Foreign Language – French, 1927 May-Aug (TS, 4 p., 4 drafts)
Folder 5.58	Columbia University Department of History, Foreign Language – Latin, circa 1927 (TS, 4 p., 3 drafts)
Folder 5.59	List of Christmas cards received, 1930 (TS/MS, 2 p.)
Folder 5.60	Those were the days poem, circa 1937 (MS, 2 p., 1 draft, 1 fragment)
Folder 5.61	Oh That I Were a Bird poem, 1938 May 21 (TS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.62	There's a housing shortage in my garden poem, circa 1946 (MS, 1 p., 2 drafts)
Folder 5.63	American Nation series booklist, undated (MS, 3 p.)
Folder 5.64	anstatt or statt German vocabulary list, undated (MS, 8 p.)
Folder 5.65	Are you some god or mortal? excerpts from the Odyssey (?) some in Greek, undated (MS, 2 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.66	Beautiful eyes are those verses, undated (MS, 9 p.)
Folder 5.67	Canoeing Time short essay, undated (TS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.68	Class-meeting after luncheon verses, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.69	Classic Slang, undated (MS, 2 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.70	Coming from NY by car, undated (MS, 3 fragments)
Folder 5.71	Echoes from Birdland, undated (TS, 2 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.72	Famous Pairs, undated (TS, 9 p., 2 drafts)
Folder 5.73	Famous Pairs, undated (TS/MS, 8 p., 1 draft, 2 fragments)
Folder 5.74	Famous Pairs: answer key, undated (MS/TS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.75	For Mary G verses relating to various friends, undated (MS, 9 p.)
Folder 5.76	The foregoing generations beheld God short essay, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.77	Half our knowledge list of quotes from various authors, undated (MS, 25 p.)
Folder 5.78	Il y a plusieurs various notes in French, undated (MS, 22 p.)
Folder 5.79	It's easy enough to be pleasant poem, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 draft)

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Folder 5.80	Lakeview 1887 list of KBC's summer destinations, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.81	The last traces of snow, undated (MS, 4 p., 3 drafts)
Folder 5.82	Latin, undated (MS, 3 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.83	My first wears my second riddles and key, undated (MS/TS, 3 p.)
Folder 5.84	No one thinks of essay about minimum wage, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 fragment)
Folder 5.85	Old Sayings, undated (TS, 8 p., 8 drafts)
Folder 5.86	Peter Heylyn notes regarding books, undated (MS, 2 p.)
Folder 5.87	Power of Emperor notes and outline, undated (MS, 4 p.)
Folder 5.88	Scene 2 excerpts from a play, undated (TS, 12 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.89	She determined to change verses, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.90	The sun drops down poem, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.91	Thorns and Roses verses, undated (MS, 2 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.92	Topics for Discussion, undated (TS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.93	Until recent times essay about gold mining, undated (MS, 1 p., 1 draft)
Folder 5.94	When that April verses, possibly removed from notebook, undated (MS, 13 p.)
Folder 5.95	Women, undated (TS with MS notes, 8 p., incomplete draft)
Folder 4.82	Marches sitting room. Play. undated
Folder 4.83	Plays undated
Folder 4.84	The Septemvirate undated
Folder 4.85	Academic Papers undated
Folder 4.86	Short Stories undated
Folder 4.87	Short Stories undated
Folder 4.88	Verse, 1935 Apr 3 (1 item, photocopy)
Folder 4.89	Notebooks: Biology, circa 1908
Folder 4.90	Notes by KBC: Biology, 1935 Aug 9 (1 item, photocopy)
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Folder 6.27	Famous Pairs, undated
Folder 6.28	Girl's Names, undated
Folder 6.29	Riddles, undated
Folder 6.30	Miscellaneous, undated
Folder 6.31	Miscellaneous, undated
Folder 6.32	Miscellaneous, undated
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Folder 5.96	Sketch of turkey by R. Batas, 1907 (sketch, 1 p.)
	Notes from a meeting of the NYC Association of High School Teachers of English, 1913 (TS, 2)
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Folder 5.98	If I Were a Boy and "A Christmas Spirit;" written by a pupil, 1932 (MS, 4 p., 2 drafts)
Folder 5.99	Verses and quotations written by others, undated (MS, 4 p.)
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	Notehooks Relanging to Katharine Brownell Collier

#### Notebooks Belonging to Katharine Brownell Collier

Folder 3.110 Katharine Brownell Collier: PCI school notebook from Packer, 1899 (MS, 24 p.)

- Folder 3.111 Spelling book from Packer, circa 1900 (TS with MS notes, 178 p.)
- Folder 3.112 Daybook, 1901 (MS, 32 p.)
- Folder 4.1 History class notes, probably from VC, circa 1904-1908 (MS, 136 p.)
- Folder 4.2 Account book, 1905-1908 (MS, 72 p.)
- Folder 4.3 Daybook, 1909 (MS, 16 p.)
- Folder 4.4 3-ring notebook, circa 1941 (MS, 109 p.)
- Folder 4.5 Daybook, 1971 (MS, 108 p.)
- Folder 4.6 Articles about KBC, Miscellaneous, undated
- Folder 4.7 Articles about KBC, Miscellaneous, undated
- Folder 4.8 Articles about KBC, Miscellaneous, undated
- Folder 4.9 Articles about KBC, Miscellaneous, undated
- Folder 4.10 Articles about KBC, Miscellaneous, undated
- Folder 4.11 Articles about KBC, Miscellaneous, undated
- Folder 8.4
- One of Vermont's Great Ladies source: The Burlington Free Press, 1977 Mar 2 (2 items)
- Folder 4.12 Obituary for Katharine Collier source: The Burlington Free Press, 1977 Jul 5 (1 item,
- photocopy)
- Folder 6.33 Notebooks Belonging to KBC, Block Pads, undated
- Folder 6.34 Notebooks Belonging to KBC, Block Pads, undated
- Folder 6.35 Notebooks Belonging to KBC, Religious Convictions, undated

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- Folder 4.14 Articles about art, sources: The New York Times, unknown, undated (3 items)
- Folder 4.15 Cartoons and jokes, sources unknown, undated (3 items)
- Folder 4.16 Miscellaneous articles, sources unknown, undated (4 items)
- Folder 4.17 Articles about or of poetry and prose, sources: The Burlington Free Press, The New York Times,
- The [NY] Evening Sun, 1903-1962 (3 items)
- Folder 8.4
- (Oversize) Article about or of poetry and prose, undated (1 item)
- Folder 4.18 Article about or of poetry and prose, sources unknown, undated (12 items)
- Folder 4.19 Articles about politics: WWI, sources: The New York Times, the Chicago Tribune, unknown, 1914-1918 (18 items)
- Folder 4.20 Articles about politics, sources unknown, 1932, undated (5 items)
- Folder 4.21 Articles about Vassar College, sources: The New York Times, unknown, 1905, undated (2
- items)
- Folder 4.22 Articles about philosophical and religious matters undated
- Folder 4.23 International Conciliation, 1912
- Folder 4.24 Hints, 1915
- Folder 4.25 The Family, 1927
- Folder 4.26 Journal of the AAUW, 1945

- Folder 4.27 Leisure Hours, 1929
- Folder 4.28 The Social Hygiene Bulletin, 1920
- Folder 4.29 The Meliorist, 1929-1930
- Folder 3.114 Articles Collected by KBC, undated
- Folder 6.36 Periodicals Collected by KBC, Vassar, undated
- Folder 6.37 Articles Collected by KBC, undated
- Folder 6.38 Articles Collected by KBC. "To the Women Students of America", undated

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### Katharine Brownell Collier, Family, and Friends

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Folder 4.31	Senior portrait from Vassar College head and shoulders, wearing a white blouse, photographer: E.L. Wolven, 1908 (2 items)
Folder 4.32	Snapshot of KBC, outside, wearing black dress coat and hat, ref. number 3.557, 1931 (1 item)
Folder 4.33	Undated snapshots of KBC: next to a boat, seated on the steps of a building, canoeing, next to a tree, including ref. numbers 6.557 and 6.558, undated (8 items)
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Folder 4.34	KBC with other Bay Shore teachers, circa 1908-1911 (2 items)
Folder 4.35	KBC with class groups, Bay Shore High School(?), circa 1908-1911 (2 items)
Folder 7.1 (Oversize)	KBC with class groups, Bushwick High School, circa 1911-1942 (3 items)
Folder 4.36	KBC with 6 unidentified women, standing on steps of a building, holding trays, undated (1 item)
Folder 3.115	Photographs, Miscellaneous, undated
Folder 4.37	Dr. Peter Collier, elder brother of John A. Collier, portrait, circa 1920s (1 item)
Folder 4.38	Billy Wheeler, son of Loraine Wheeler, cousin of KBC, snapshots, 1931 (2 items)
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Folder 4.39	Jameson Collier Brownell snapshots, 1973 (2 items)
Folder 4.40	Bay Shore High School teachers and principal, snapshots, circa 1908-1911 (2 items)
Folder 4.41	Bell, Cora N. with Jessica Kennedy Pullis, snapshots, circa 1908-1911 (2 items)
Folder 4.42	King, Annie G., VC 1909 head and shoulders portrait, photographer: Gustave Lorey, undated (1 item)
Folder 4.43	Lunt, Raymond L. full length portrait, photographer: Finley, Chicago, circa 1906-1910 (1 item)
Folder 4.44	MacMahon, Ada "Latin VI," 1906-1907 (1 item)
Folder 4.45	Martin, Marjorie, senior portrait, Packer photographer: Butler, NY, 1906 (1 item)
Folder 4.46	Rhame, Eleanora "May" Davis, full length portrait, photographer: Scherer, NY, circa 1909 (1 item)
Folder 4.47	Rhame, William sitting on steps of building, circa 1931 (1 item)
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Folder 4.48	West, Ethel, full length portrait, photographer: Butler, NY, 1900 (1 item)
Folder 4.49	Two unidentified women, snapshot, undated (1 item)

#### Trips taken by Katharine Brownell Collier

- Snapshots of a trip to Mt. Mansfield, VT: lake, mountain, lodge, 2 unidentified women "friends Folder 4.50 of Mabel [Stone(?)]," circa 1910s (4 items) Folder 4.51 Snapshots of a trip to Maine Sebago Lake, Portland, Kennebunkport, circa 1920s (9 items) Folder 4.52 Snapshots of a trip to Wiscasset, Maine: Bemis-Hobson house, 1930 (2 items) Trip to Florida taken by KBC and Laura Brownell Collier "Uncle Ervin's winter home," circa Folder 4.53 1930s (4 items) Folder 4.54 Trip to Mediterranean region Rome, Italy: ruins, tour group at final dinner, etc., 1967 (5 items) Folder 4.55 Trip to Mediterranean region Jerusalem, Gethsemane, Jordan, etc., 1967 (8 items) Folder 6.39 Miscellaneous trips, undated Landscapes Folder 4.56 Bay Shore High School, NY exterior view, circa 1908-1911 (1 item) Folder 4.57 Bay Shore, NY: "the cliff," harbor, wooded area, circa 1908-1911 (6 items) Camel's Hump showing 'couching [sic] lion' shape photographer: T.S. Dean, 1925 Aug 28 (1 Folder 4.58 item) Folder 4.59 Lake Champlain, snapshot, undated (1 item) Middlebury (?) VT: "outer creek," undated (1 item) Folder 4.60 Vassar College: Main Building, Sunset Lake, Ely Hall, photographer: Wolven mounted on Folder 4.61 Saltford Florist ad, circa 1904-1908 (3 items) SERIES VII. ADVERTISEMENTS SENT TO KATHARINE BROWNELL COLLIER, 1896-1969 Connecticut: New London, The Brainerd and Armstrong Co., 1908 (5 items) Folder 5.100 Folder 5.101 Illinois: Chicago, The Albert Teachers Agency, 1908 (4 items) Massachusetts: Boston and Holyoke, Emerson Shoes, American Stenophile School, White and Folder 5.102 Wyckoff Mfg. Co., 1905-1908 (5 items) Folder 5.103 Michigan: Detroit, Pathfinders of America, circa 1930 (3 items) New Jersey: East Orange, Anna Elizabeth Wade, Specialist in Fund-raising Plans, undated (5 Folder 5.104 items)
- Folder 5.105 New York: Adirondack region, Lake Placid Club, resorts, camps, 1934, undated (4 items)
- New York: Albany, Albany Teachers' Agency, Gustave Lorey, photographer includes application Folder 5.106 partially completed by KBC, 1907-1908 (9 items)
- Folder 5.107 New York: Bay Shore ladies' tailor, circa 1908-1911 (1 item)
- New York: Brooklyn, "morning musicales," Frederick Loeser and Co., waitress/maid, Standard Folder 5.108 Tour and Travel Bureau, 1907-1929 (8 items)
- New York: Brooklyn, apt. building, dentist, Lincoln Savings Bank of Brooklyn, Botanical Folder 5.109 Garden, 1930-1934 (9 items)
- New York: Brooklyn, National City Bank, Edison Electric Co., Brooklyn Engineering Inst., Folder 5.110 Martin's Department Store, undated (4 items)
- Folder 8.5 New York: Brooklyn, advertisement, undated (1 item) (Oversize)

- New York: Manhattan, Pond's Extract, Colgate, Oliver typewriter, dressmaker, Kellogg's
- Folder 5.111 Teachers' Agency, Fisk Teachers' Agency, The Tribune, scientific astrologer, 1896-1909 (14 items)
- Folder 5.112 New York: Manhattan, Life Extension Inst., Malkin Conservatory of Music, Girls Vacation Fund, 1919-1945 (10 items)
- Folder 5.113 New York: Manhattan, antique dealer, glassworker, interior decorator, undated (12 items)
- Folder 5.114 New York: Poughkeepsie, Consolidated Dry Goods, Luckey Platt, Saltford Florist, 1904-1906 (9 items)
- Folder 5.115 New York: Poughkeepsie, tailors, dressmakers, sporting goods, 1907 (12 items)
- Folder 5.116 New York: Poughkeepsie, dentist, Luckey Platt, Collingwood Opera House, 1908 (14 items)
- Folder 5.117 New York: Poughkeepsie, Luckey Platt, Collingwood Opera House, Peter Adriance and Sons, circa 1904-1908 (8 items)
- Folder 5.118 Pennsylvania: Philadelphia, Penn Publishing Co., undated (1 item)
- Folder 5.119 South Carolina: Charleston, Chamber of Commerce, undated (1 item)
- Folder 5.120 Vermont: Burlington and Williston Green Mountain Camp, VT Association for the Crippled, 1931-1969, undated (8 items)
- Folder 5.121 Washington, D.C. Hills Publishing Co., National Resources Planning Board, 1907-1941, undated (9 items)
- Folder 5.122 Wyoming: Cheyenne, The Handicraft, 1907 (2 items)
- Folder 6.40 Advertisements sent to KBC, Miscellaneous, undated

#### SERIES VIII. POSTCARDS, circa 1904-1909

### Postcards of Europe

- Folder 5.123 Olympia Museum, Athens; French soldiers; The Cathedral, Berlin, undated (3 items)
  Postcards of the Midwest undated
- Folder 5.124 High School, Joplin, MO; Grand River, Grand Rapids, MI, 1908-1909 (2 items)

#### **Postcards of the Northeast**

- Folder 5.125 New York: Poughkeepsie area, Mohonk, Lake Minnewaska, The College Inn, Slabsides (home of John Burroughs), Gov. Clinton's house, circa 1904-1908 (4 items)
- Folder 5.126 New York: Vassar College Class Day, Class Tree, 1908 (4 items)
- Folder 5.127 New York: Vassar College, The Lake, The Circle, The Pines, VC colors, circa 1904-1908 (7 items)
- Folder 5.128 New York: Vassar College, Main, Avery, Library, Chapel, Strong, Main Gate, circa 1904-1908 (11 items)
- Folder 5.129 New York: Minnehaha Falls, undated (1 item)
- Folder 5.130 Pennsylvania: Muddy Creek Forks, Horseshoe Curve, 1908, undated (2 items)

### Postcards of the Southwest

Folder 5.131 Fort Worth, TX, 1909 (1 item)

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#### **Locations Unknown**

Folder 5.132	Breakwater; cliffs. Coastal village, village street, undated (4 items)
Folder 5.133	River scene, Boscastle Harbor, Carnarvon Castle, undated (3 items)
Folder 3.116	Postcards, Miscellaneous, undated

Postcards, Miscellaneous, undated

#### SERIES IX. MEMORABILIA, 1903-1972

#### Honorarium

Folder 5.134 Junior Teacher's License and Assistant Teacher's License, Dept. of Education, City of New York, 1911, 1913 (2 items)

#### **Non-Print Material**

- Folder 5.135 The Fool's Alphabet, illustrated wall hanging; print of village with mountains in the background, undated (2 items)
- Folder 5.136 1913 small wall hanging; small tag with illustration of 3 children and a tree; small illustrated calendar, 1913, undated (3 items)

#### **Personal Business**

- Folder 5.137 Bills: photographers, piano company, home maintenance, 1908-1970 (8 items)

  Folder 4.62 Itinerary for trip to Japan taken by Mr. and Mrs. Lincoln Brownell and KBC, 1972 Apr (TS, 3 p.)

  Folder 4.63 Address cards kept by KBC, some including biographical information of friends and family, arranged alphabetically, undated (33 notecards)

  Folder 4.64 Return address labels of others saved by KBC, undated (24 items)
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- Folder 4.65 Name cards of others saved by KBC, undated (7 items) Folder 4.66 KBC's stationary with letterhead, undated (2 p.)

#### Political Material

- Folder 4.67 Women Watcher's Certificates, instructions for women watchers at the polls, 1915-1917 (3 items)
- Folder 4.68 Program from 20th Annual Entertainment and Reception, 10th Assembly District Republican Club, 1918 Jan (1 item)
- Map Case World War I poster, fragile condition, circa 1914-1918 (1 item; MISSING as of June 2025)
- Folder 4.69 Program from Capitol Theatre Grand Gala in honor of Maréchal Foch, 1921 Nov (1 item)
- Folder 4.70 Sample ballot, 10th Assembly District (Brooklyn), 1931 Nov (1 item)
- Folder 4.71 War ration books, WWII, circa 1941-1945 (2 items)

## **Programs and Pamphlets**

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### Scrapbook

Scrapbook belonging to KBC, including newspaper clippings, postcards, and programs from Box 7 trips to England, Norway, Germany, and France. Note: pages are loose, cover and strings were removed, and extra, blank pages discarded, circa 1952, undated (63 p.)

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