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NELLIE BURLINGAME TRAVEL DIARY AND EPHEMERA 1912

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HISTORY

Nellie Burlingame lived in Algona, Iowa. In 1911, she traveled by train to visit (her brother?) Herbert in Lewistown, Montana, and then they both travelled on to tour Yellowstone National Park.

DESCRIPTION

The collection consists of a travel diary, letter, photograph, and ephemera of Nellie Burlingame's trip to Yellowstone National Park in 1911. The diary begins with the Milwaukee Road train trip to Lewistown, Montana, and then to the north entrance of the park in Gardiner, Montana. The diary continues with descriptions of Fort Yellowstone and Mammoth Hot Springs and then Swan Lake Camp and Apollinaris Springs before ending abruptly. The photo is a group image of the tourists, and the letter is one written home to Nellie's parents from the park. The ephemera includes a Wylie Camping Company brochure and booklet "Truthful Lies". There is also a packet of commercial photographer F. J. Hiscock's "Yellowstone Views."

PROVENANCE

Gift of great niece Judith Schrader, 2013.

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