

## FINDING AID

# CHARLOTTE LOVEJOY WESCOTT COLLECTION 1923-1927

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#### HISTORY

Charlotte Lovejoy Wescott's father, Channing J. Lovejoy was the manager of the Volcano House from late 1923 until July 1927.

Channing Jameson Lovejoy was born in Ann Arbor, Michigan in 1877. Meta Carolyn Fiebig (Lovejoy) was born in Grand Rapids, Michigan in 1881. The couple moved to Victoria, British Columbia in 1910. Charlotte and her brothers were all born in Victoria, British Columbia where her father was employed at the Empress Hotel. Charlotte was born on January 10, 1916 and is the youngest of the three children.

In 1917 the family moved to Honolulu where he managed the Commercial Club. They sailed to Honolulu on the Steamship Niagara in June of 1917. Channing Lovejoy was the manager of the Volcano House from late 1923 until July 1927. Channing moved to Hawaii Island first, then Charlotte, her mother Meta "Pete" Lovejoy, and her two brothers Dick and Jack moved over in 1924 after school was out. Charlotte was eight years old. July of 1927, the family moved back to Honolulu for a year, then to San Diego, CA.

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#### SCOPE AND CONTENT

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VOLUME 153 EA

DESCRIPTION 153 black and white photographic prints and colored

postcards. Subjects include: Volcano House, KMC,

Kilauea, hula dancers.

ORGANIZATION The collection is arranged by subject into seven folders. See

the Container List for folder titles.

PROVENANCE Charlotte Lovejoy Wescott created the collection and

donated it to HAVO in 1988.

RESTRICTIONS Tai Tsing Loo prints are not in the public domain.

ASSOCIATED MATERIALS

LANGUAGE All Hawaiian language words in this finding aid are written

without the okina and macron diacritical marks. This is to help ensure the finding aid text is searchable in pdf format for all users. Two resources for the proper spelling of Hawaiian words-- including the placement of the okina and macrons-are the Hawaiian Electronic Library (<a href="http://wehewehe.org/">http://wehewehe.org/</a>) and, for official place names, the United States Board on

Geographic Names <a href="http://geonames.usgs.gov/">http://geonames.usgs.gov/</a>.

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## **CONTAINER LIST**

Title, Date	Box	Folder
Buildings, 1923-1927	1	1
1924 Eruption at Halemaumau Crater, 1924	1	2
Hawaii Volcanoes National Park Landscape and Events, 1923-1927	1	3
Kilauea and Halemaumau, 1923-1927	1	4
Lovejoy Family and Visitors to the Park, 1923-1927	1	5
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