

Elise Violette songbooks and Violette family genealogy, circa 1910-1992

MCC-00155

Finding Aid

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Title: Elise Violette songbooks and Violette family genealogy

Creator/Collector: Violette, Elise (Suzanne Elizabeth Marquis)
Dubay, Guy

Collection number: MCC-00155 Shelf list number: UM-155 (folders 1-4)

Dates: circa 1910-1992

Extent: 4 folders (.20 cubic feet)

Provenance: Material was acquired from Guy Dubay, 1992.

Language: French and English

Conservation notes: None.

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Biographical information:

Suzanne Elizabeth (Elise) Violette was born on June 9, 1891, the daughter of Abel and Marcelline Deschenes Violette. She married Fred Marquis on April 21, 1914 in Van Buren, Maine. Elise died in 1922.

Scope and content:

This collection consists of four notebooks of handwritten song lyrics by Elise Violette, as well as a page of Violette family genealogy created by Guy Dubay in 1992. The song lyrics are mostly in French, with some English. None of the songbooks are dated, although one has "Elise Violette, 19 years old" written faintly in pencil on the front cover, dating it circa 1910.

Inventory:

Folder 1: Songbook, circa 1910.

Folder 2: Songbook, undated.

Folder 3: Songbook, undated.

Folder 4: Songbook, undated.

Folder 5: "The siblings of Elise Violette." Guy F. Dubay, Madawaska, Maine, April 7, 1992. 1 p.