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Descriptive Inventory

MSS 396 McINTIRE, Tandie Lewis, 1865-1947

3 boxes. 42 folders. 456 items. 1882-1946.
 Originals, photocopies, photographs, and printed material.

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BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE

Tandie Lewis McIntire was born 15 February 1865 in Kentucky. She was the daughter of T.B. and Angeline Winston Gardner McIntire. She became an active member of the Edmonson County teaching profession at the age of 17. During her lifetime she taught at several schools including Silent Grove, Brownsville School, and Brownsville High School in many areas of general education. She considered becoming one of the first high school teachers at Brownsville High School—heading the Ancient and Modern Language Department—a career highlight. She resigned from the high school in 1937 and worked as the secretary to Earl C. Reed, the Edmonson County School Superintendent, until her retirement in 1946. Later she was remembered for her educational contributions when the high school in Brownsville was named for her. Throughout her life she was dedicated to various charities, foreign Baptist church missions, and women’s groups by sending substantial donations within both the United States and China. She is remembered by many family members, friends, and acquaintances as a devoted Christian leader and teacher within the Brownsville Baptist Church.

McIntire died at the home of her cousin Lena Davis, of Houston, Texas on 1 March 1947. She was buried in Smiths Grove Cemetery, Warren County, Kentucky.

COLLECTION NOTE

The Tandie Lewis McIntire Collection consists of 3 boxes, 42 folders, and 456 items. It has two major focuses: school related materials which deal with McIntire’s academic career as a teacher and her active participation in religious activities, which included correspondence with Baptist ministers, foreign missionaries, charities, and women’s groups. Many of the items within the collection are photocopies of older items, yet the collection holds a great deal of original material which belonged to McIntire. Box 1 contains correspondence with family and friends, but also with many acquaintances whom she worked with in religious organizations. Of particular interest are the letters she received from Louise Tucker and B. S. Ding, who were Baptist

missionaries in China. Other materials included in Box 1 relate to education, such as school pamphlets and diplomas, and other miscellaneous items such as receipts, Christmas boxes, and newspaper clippings.

Box 2 contains the majority of the educational material that McIntire collected during her academic career. The folders in this box include her lesson plans, outlines, grade books, tests, class plays, and other miscellaneous items. Folder 8 of Box 2 contains notebooks given to McIntire by former students Carl B. Hill, Randall Hill, and Kellie White.

Box 3 consists of many religious tracts and materials McIntire collected throughout her life as a member of the Brownsville Baptist Church and Woman's Missionary Union. The folders in this box contain tracts which cover a wide array of topics ranging from foreign missions, to supporting missions for minority groups, to stewardship.

SHELF LIST

BOX 1	Correspondence	1882-1945	191 items
Folder 1	Inventory, biographical information, notes on collection	1989	7 items
Folder 2	Correspondence	1882-1884	4 items
Folder 3	Correspondence	1908-1913	33 items
Folder 4	Correspondence	1914-1919	23 items
Folder 5	Correspondence	1920-1936	17 items
Folder 6	Correspondence	1937-1945	28 items
Folder 7	Letters from Chinese Baptist Missionary B.S. Ding and letter concerning him, and letters from Chinese children's home	1937-1938	16 items
Folder 8	Receipts, deposit slips (showing salary), and checkbook	1885-1941	29 items
Folder 9	Account book listing creditors and due dates of payments	1891-1905	1 item
Folder 10	Commencement and alumni invitations, Erin High School credit card, and University of Kentucky Summer 1843 Bulletin	1885-1943	6 items

Folder 11	Program of events for the Edmonson County Teacher's Institute	1913	1 item
Folder 12	Education pamphlets	1931	4 items
Folder 13	Diplomas from Edmonson County Public Schools	1936-1937	6 items
Folder 14	Grade sheets for school exhibits [county fair]	n.d.	3 items
Folder 15	List of books needed, submitted by W.A. Pardue, Superintendent, and Superintendent Gertie Lindsey's letterhead envelope	n.d.	1 item
Folder 16	Decorative Christmas boxes	n.d.	3 items
Folder 17	Newspaper articles (miscellaneous topics)	1908	9 items
BOX 2	Educational materials	1884-1937	75 items
Folder 1	Classroom records	1884	1 item
Folder 2	Classroom records	1903-1904; 1910-12	3 items
Folder 3	School record books	1912-1916;	3 items
Folder 4	Classroom records and lesson plans	1920-1921; 1929-1930; 1933-1934	3 items
Folder 5	Classroom records and lesson plans	1933-1937;	5 items
Folder 6	Classroom records	n.d.	5 items
Folder 7	Notebooks used while at Normal School	1930-1931	5 items
Folder 8	Notebooks of students Carl B. Hill, Randall Hill, and Kellie White	n.d.	3 items
Folder 9	Library accession book	n.d.	2 items

Folder 10	Class plays	1905; 1912; 1921; 1923	4 items
Folder 11	Tests and other classroom materials	n.d.	24 items
Folder 12	Miscellaneous classroom materials	n.d.	5 items
Folder 13	Miscellaneous	n.d.	12 items
BOX 3	Religious pamphlets	1911-1946	190 items
Folder 1	Minutes of Edmonson Association of Missionary Baptists and Glasgow Baptist Church Pamphlet	1918; 1940- 1942	4 items
Folder 2	Sunday school notes and lessons	1920-1941	34 items
Folder 3	Religious pamphlets	n.d.	11 items
Folder 4	Tracts on the Baptist faith	n.d.	55 items
Folder 5	Tracts on Foreign Missions	n.d.	15 items
Folder 6	Tracts on home and state missions	n.d.	17 items
Folder 7	Tracts on missionary work for women and the Women's Missionary Union	1913; 1945-1946	5 items
Folder 8	Tracts on missions to specific groups	1911; 1921	10 items
Folder 9	Tracts about personal testimony	n.d.	13 items
Folder 10	Tracts on the Southern Baptist Convention	n.d.	7 items
Folder 11	Tracts on stewardship	n.d.	8 items
Folder 12	Tracts on tithing	n.d.	11 items

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Correspondence to family, friends, and acquaintances of Tandie Lewis McIntire, Edmonson County, Kentucky. Collection contains educational material related to McIntire's career as a teacher in Edmonson County. Also includes tracts and pamphlets related to McIntire's involvement in religious organizations, particularly Baptist entities.

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