

Clifford Taney Family Collection

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Summary Information

Repository	James K. Hosmer Special Collections Library
Creator - Author	Taney, Clifford A., Jr., 1899-1961
Creator - Author	Taney, Mirriam McHugh, 1900-1971
Title	Clifford Taney Family Collection
Date	n.d., ca.1915-1950
Extent	4.0 boxes
Language	English

Biography

Clifford A. Taney, Jr.(1899-1961) attended the U.S. Military Academy in 1920, but his military career ended following a leg injury shortly after his graduation. He received a law degree from the University of Minnesota Law School in 1924 and joined the Minneapolis law firm of Fowler, Carlson, Farber & Johnson (later Fowler, Youngquist, Farber, Taney, & Johnson), remaining there until his retirement in the mid-1950s.

In 1926, he married Miriam McHugh Taney (1900-1971), a graduate of Smith College. A prolific art lecturer, she was active with the friends organization of the Minneapolis Institute of Art (MIA) and offered her voice to local radio program hosted by the MIA. With her husband, she traveled around the world and took photographs of Europe, Africa, Asia, South America, and numerous islands that primarily date before the outbreak of World War II.

Collection Description

Clifford Taney Family Collection consists of miscellaneous clippings, his law degree and other certificates, Christmas cards, Miriam Taney's wedding announcement, identifications, a travel itinerary, and a Christmas story "A Cheerful Giver" written by Miriam when she was eleven. Also included are 8 photo albums and two additional boxes of photographs. One album has been disbound and boxed. The photos are mostly from travels around the world and family photos.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Lawyers -- Minnesota -- Biography.

Photographs

Collection Inventory

	Box	Folder
Christmas Cards n.d.	1	1
"A Cheerful Giver" by Miriam McHugh ca. 1915	1	2
Law Degree, certificates, and USMA class photograph 1920-1947	1	3
Miscellaneous clippings 1923-1950	1	4
Passport and Drivers Permit identification ca. 1925-1930	1	5
St Mark's Outlook and Itinerary for England trip n.d., 1926	1	6
Wedding Announcement 1926	1	7

Photographs**Scope and Contents note**

Contains 32 photographs.

Controlled Access Headings**Personal Name(s)**

Photographs

- Taney, Clifford A., Jr., 1899-1961
- Taney, Mirriam McHugh, 1900-1971

Box

Taney, Clifford A., Jr., 1899-1961 Family Photographs: Large Format c.1880s-1935

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Scope and Contents note

Contains 32 photographs

Controlled Access Headings**Subject(s)**

- Photography of families -- Minnesota

Taney, Clifford A., Jr., 1899-1961 Album: Trip to Austria, Italy, France, Hungary, n.d.

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Scope and Contents note

Contains 24 pockets, each with miscellaneous photographs that number from one to several dozen, three pockets with negatives, and one loose photograph.

Controlled Access Headings**Subject(s)**

- Abbaye de Jumieges -- Pictorial works
- Budapest (Hungary) -- Pictorial works
- Cairo (Egypt) -- Pictorial Works
- Colorado -- Pictorial works

Photographs

- Curacao -- Pictorial works
- Jamaica -- Pictorial works
- Ouled Naïl -- Pictorial works
- Photography of families -- Minnesota
- Rome (Italy) -- Pictorial works
- Sahara -- Pictorial works
- Superior, Lake -- Pictorial works
- Venice (Italy) -- Pictorial works

Volume

1

Album: Trip to France, Spain, Austria, Germany c.1930s

Scope and Contents note

Contains 246 photographs.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Austria -- Pictorial works
- Chartres (France) -- Pictorial works
- France -- Pictorial works
- Heidelberg (Germany) -- Pictorial works
- Huelva (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Madrid (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Nuremberg (Germany) -- Pictorial works
- Paris (France) -- Pictorial works
- Rothenburg ob der Tauber (Germany) -- Pictorial works
- San Lorenzo del Escorial (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Segovia (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Seville (Spain) -- Pictorial works

Photographs

- Strasburg (Germany) -- Pictorial works
- Toledo (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Versailles (France) -- Pictorial works

2

Album: Trip to Madeira, Greece, Africa, South America, Jamaica, Cuba 1/18/1935 - 4/24/1935

Scope and Contents note

Contains 250 photographs.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Acropolis (Athens, Greece) -- Pictorial works
- Amalfi Coast (Italy) -- Pictorial works
- Barcelona (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Buenos Aires (Argentina) -- Pictorial works
- Bulawayo (Zimbabwe) -- Pictorial works
- Cairo (Egypt) -- Pictorial Works
- Cape Town (South Africa) -- Pictorial works
- Dar es Salaam (Tanzania) -- Pictorial works
- Durban (South Africa) -- Pictorial works
- Empress of Australia (Steamship : 1922-1939) -- Pictorial works
- France -- Pictorial works
- Greece -- Pictorial works
- Havana (Cuba) -- Pictorial works
- Khartoum (Sudan) -- Pictorial works
- Kingston (Jamaica) -- Pictorial works
- Luxor (Egypt) -- Pictorial works
- Madagascar -- Pictorial works
- Madeira (Madeira Islands) -- Description and travel

Photographs

- Maderia (Maderia Islands) -- Pictorial works
- Maputo Bay (Mozambique)
- Mombasa (Kenya) -- Pictorial works
- Montevideo (Uruguay) -- Pictorial workds
- Palestine -- Pictorial works
- Pretoria (South Africa) -- Pictorial works
- Rio de Janeiro (Brazil) -- Pictorial works
- Sao Paulo (Brazil) -- Pictorial works
- Trinidad and Tobago -- Pictorial works
- Tristan da Cunha -- Pictorial works
- Victoria Falls (Zambia and Zimbabwe) -- Pictorial works
- Zanzibar -- Pictorial works

Album: Family Photos 1880 - 1920s

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Scope and Contents note

Contains 141 photographs. Most identified family members are not listed with the surname.

Includes historic photographs of the following addresses:

2301 Colfave Avenue South 428 Groveland Avenue 139 Lyndale Avenue North, with interior photographs [may not be in Minneapolis] 2401 Park Avenue

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Fulton, James Montgomery, 1812-1858
- Fulton, Jane Clements, 1813-1897

Subject(s)

Photographs

- Photography of families -- Minnesota

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Album: Trip to India, Spain, Thailand c.1930s

Scope and Contents note

Contains 306 photographs.

Some of the photographs appear to be copies of those in volume 4.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Acropolis (Athens, Greece) -- Pictorial works
- Agra Fort (Agra, India) -- Pictorial works
- Bangkok (Thailand) -- Pictorial works
- Beijing (China) -- Pictorial works
- Cairo (Egypt) -- Pictorial Works
- Empress of Britain (Steamship) -- Pictorial works
- France -- Pictorial works
- Gibraltar, Bay of (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Hawaii -- Pictorial works
- Hula dancers -- Pictorial works
- Kandy (Sri Lanka) -- Pictorial works
- Kyoto (Japan) -- Pictorial works
- Luxor (Egypt) -- Pictorial works
- New York (N.Y.) -- Pictorial works
- Nikkoshi (Japan) -- Pictorial works
- Sanchi (India) -- Pictorial works
- Taj Mahal (Agra, India)--Pictorial works
- Tian Tan (Beijing, China) -- Pictorial works
- Tokyo (Japan) -- Pictorial works

Photographs

- Varanasi (Uttar Pradesh, India) -- Pictorial works

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Album: Trip to Cuba, Mexico, Texas, and Louisiana c.1930

Scope and Contents note

Contains 215 photographs.

Controlled Access Headings**Subject(s)**

- Atizapan (Mexico, Mexico)
- Azcapotzalco (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Chichen Itza Site (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Cuernavaca (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Guadalupe Bravos (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Havana (Cuba) -- Pictorial works
- Mexico City (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- New Orleans (La.) -- Pictorial works
- Puebla de Zaragoza (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Quetzalcoatl, Temple of -- Pictorial works
- San Antonio (Tex.) -- Pictorial works
- San Juan Teotihuacan (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- San Miguel Regla (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Taxco de Alarcon (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Toluca de Lerdo (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Uxmal Site (Mexico) -- Pictorial works
- Xochimilco (Distrito Federal, Mexico) -- Pictorial works

Photographs

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Album: Trip to Madeira, Egypt, Greece, India, Thailand, Hawai'i c.1930s Some photographs have come loose from their adhesive; they are tucked into the fold on the page where they had been pasted.

Scope and Contents note

Contains 124 photographs.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- Acropolis (Athens, Greece) -- Pictorial works
- Agra Fort (Agra, India) -- Pictorial works
- Bangkok (Thailand) -- Pictorial works
- Beijing (China) -- Pictorial works
- Cairo (Egypt) -- Pictorial Works
- Cannes (France) -- Pictorial works
- Delhi (India) -- Pictorial works
- Empress of Britain (Steamship) -- Pictorial works
- France -- Pictorial works
- Gibraltar, Bay of (Spain) -- Pictorial works
- Hawaii -- Pictorial works
- Hula dancers -- Pictorial works
- Kandy (Sri Lanka) -- Pictorial works
- Kyoto (Japan) -- Pictorial works
- Luxor (Egypt) -- Pictorial works
- Maderia (Maderia Islands) -- Pictorial works
- Mumbai (India) -- Pictorial works
- Nikkoshi (Japan) -- Pictorial works
- Pompeii (Extinct city)--Pictorial works
- Sanchi (India) -- Pictorial works

Photographs

- Taj Mahal (Agra, India)--Pictorial works
- Tian Tan (Beijing, China) -- Pictorial works
- Tokyo (Japan) -- Pictorial works
- Varanasi (Uttar Pradesh, India) -- Pictorial works

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Album and Memory Book from U.S. Military Academy 1918-1920

Scope and Contents note

Contains 189 photographs, as well as clippings, certificates, and assorted realia from Taney's experience in the U.S. Military Academy.

Controlled Access Headings

Subject(s)

- United States Military Academy.

Box

Small photos

4

Scope and Contents note

Prints, negatives and stereo slides of Taney family and trips abroad.