

Frances Mary Potter Photograph Album Collection MS-923

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Summary Information

Repository	Michigan Technological University Archives and Copper Country Historical Collections
Creator	Potter, Frances Mary
Title	Frances Mary Potter Photograph Album Collection
Date	1946
Extent	0.18 cubic feet; 1 manuscript box (1/2 letter size)
Language	English
Language of Material	English
Mixed materials [Box]	1
Abstract	Photograph albums, 1946, compiled by Frances Mary Potter during extended summer travel in Michigan's Upper Peninsula, with brief stops in northern Wisconsin and Ontario, Canada.

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Biographical note

Frances Mary Potter was born Frances Mary Zoric on April 19, 1910 in Chicago, Illinois. She was the daughter of Croatian immigrants. After a period of courtship, she married into the Potter name on April 8, 1931. Early in her marriage she lived briefly with her in-laws in Michigan, but soon moved back to Chicago with her husband. She earned a two-year bookkeeping certificate while living in Chicago and was employed as a bookkeeper by the Galien Clinic (formerly known as the O'Malley Clinic). In addition to bookkeeping duties she also served as a secretary for Dr. John O'Malley and his successors. She was the proud mother of three daughters and one son. Mrs. Potter retired with the clinic doctors and staff at it's final closing at the age of 84. She passed away on April 25, 2004.

Collection Scope

Photograph albums, 1946, compiled by Frances Mary Potter during extended summer travel in Michigan's Upper Peninsula, with brief stops in northern Wisconsin and Ontario, Canada. Includes two photograph albums.

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Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Photograph albums
- Photographs

Geographic Name(s)

- Ontario
- Sault Sainte Marie (Mich.)
- Sault Sainte Marie Canal (Mich.)
- Superior, Lake
- Upper Peninsula (Mich.)
- Wisconsin

Subject(s)

- Travel photography--Michigan--Upper Peninsula

Collection Inventory

Album 1 1946

Album 2 1946