

Collection	HCHS Manuscript Collection	Status	Processed
Object Id	3.001.307	Accessn/Loan	2017.011
Object Name	Manuscript	Source	Found in Collection
Other Name		Catalog Date	10/19/2026
Other No		Cataloged by	Cornelius, Donald
Old No		Date	
Title	J.E. Mattison Collection	Year Range	1865-1973
Location	Archives Building: A: 24		
Description	This collection consists of papers and ephemera of John E. Mattison of Three Bridges, his daughter Margaret Mattison Herder, and her daughter Viola Herder Kline. The collection includes documents from the John Mattison's carriage business, school and other family records, a photograph, and ephemera, mostly from the 1860's through the 1930's. It would be of interest to persons researching the Mattison family or those interested in life in the late 19th and early 20th centuries.		



Identity Statement & Context

Name of Creator	Reference Code	NjFIHi5380
Other Creators		
Creator Added Entry		
Dates of Creation	Administrative Biographical History	John E. Mattison (1841-1922) was a wheelwright and carriage maker. His daughter Margaret Mattison Herder (1872-1959) married Howell Herder (1873-1955), and they had a daughter, Viola Herder Kline (1892-1979).
Dates of Accumulation	Archival History	
Extent and Medium of The Unit of Description	Event	
Site		
Additional Sites		

Structure & Conditions of Access

Appraisal Destruction & Scheduling Information	System of Arrangement	Subject
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Language

English

Finding Aids

In vertical file

Allied Materials & Description Control

Existence and Location of Originals

Archives Building

Existence and Location of Copies

Archivist's Name

Riedeburg, Karen

Archivist's Notes

Related Units of Description in this Repository

Associated Materials in other Repositories

Rules or Conventions

Date(s) of Descriptions

Fall 2026

Container List

Location	Container	Folder	Title	Description	Date
A	01	001	Insurance policy for John E. Mattison wheelwright shop	Policy issued by The Hillsborough Mutual Fire Insurance Association for \$300.	1865
A	01	004	Viola Herder handwritten book of poetry	Bound journal with Viola Herder's name on flyleaf, containing copied handwritten poems, including "The Ride of Jennie McNeal" and "The New Church Organ," by Will Carleton, and "Prayer and Potatoes."	n.d.
A	01	007	Hopewell Valley Central HS play program	Program for "Meet Uncle Sally," a comedy in three acts by Jay Tobias, performed by the 1930 Senior Class of Hopewell Valley Central High School.	1930
A	01	008	Program from Hopewell Valley Central High School 1932 senior play		1932
A	01	009	Trenton-Lambertville bus line timetable		ca. 1935
A	01	010	Lambertville Centennial Celebration souvenir program	Program from celebration August 24-28, 1949	1949
A	01	011	History of Three Bridges Reformed Church 1873-1973	Publication printed by the Hunterdon County Democrat, dedicated to the Reverend Peter Marinus Boelhouwer.	1973
AMC 7.4			Warranty to J.E. Mattison from Muncie Wheel Co., Muncie, Indiana		1900

Location	Container	Folder	Title	Description	Date
AMC 7.4			Viola Herder grade school certificate		1907
AMC 7.4			Photograph of young woman	11 x 14 photograph of a simply dressed young woman, probably Viola Herder.	1918
AMC 7.4			Margaret Kline grade school certificate		1926

Lexicon

	Object Name	Object Name 2	Object Name 3
Object Name	Manuscript		
Category	08: Communication Objects		
Classification	Documentary Objects		
Sub-Classification	Other Documents		
Primary	Manuscript		
Secondary			
Tertiary			
Other Names			Nomenclature 2 Legacy Information
		Category	
		Subcategory	

Location

Last Inventoried by

Home Location

Building

Room

Wall

Cabinet

Archives Building

A

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Last Inventoried

Shelf

Drawer

Container

Other

Azimuth

Dataset

Location History

Type	Date	From	Until	Location	By
Home	10/19/2026 7:35 PM			Archives Building: A: 24	Karen Riedeburg
Home	11/05/2023 7:48 AM			A7.3	Unknown

People, Subjects, Classification, Search Terms

» Data

People	Mattison, John	Classification	
Subjects	Carriages & coaches; High school students; Poetry; Insurance certificates; Centennial celebrations	Search Terms	Three Bridges, NJ; Lambertville, NJ

Source			
Source	Found in Collection	Received Date	
In Memory Of		Received As	Found in Collection
Credit Line		Accession Date	01/16/2017

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