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Summary:

Title: Peaco Family Scrapbook Span Dates: 1880 – 1946 Creator: Peaco Family Repository: Marshall University Special Collections, Morrow Library (Huntington, WV) Processed by: Elizabeth James, 2019 Accession Number: 1981/08.0343 Date Completed: October, 2019 Access to Collection: Open Extent: 1 volume Donor: Dr. Sam Clagg

Search Terms:

Scrapbook Peaco Family Huntington Fire Department Firemen and Firewomen Huntington, WV

Biographical Notes:

The Peaco family lived in Huntington, WV.

Individuals mentioned, outside of clippings, include:

Lyle B. Peaco (1889-1951) was a Huntington fire fighter. He was married to Bessie Reese Peaco (1894-1973).

John F. Peaco (1847-1907) lived in Huntington later in life and was a farmer. He was married to Florence Josephine (Goodall) Peaco (1861-1930). He was the father of Lyle Peaco.

Scope and Content:

This collection includes one scrapbook that is mostly composed of newspaper clippings about firemen, firefighting, other local events and local history in Huntington, WV. Less represented in the scrapbook are postcards of fire stations and state capitols from around the United States, a cloth reading "U.S. Registered June 5th, 1917" to signify that Lyle Peaco registered for the draft, two unidentified tintypes, photographs of members of the fire department, other photographs of unidentified people, ephemera such as licenses related to Lyle Peaco, business cards, a court document requesting Peaco to attend, a Barnum Club ribbon, a warrant for the arrest of Charles Rose, pasted in typewritten documents related to fire fighting, a county fair ticket stub, a letter from the wife of WV House of Delegates member George W. Sheets in 1891, and ephemera from local Huntington events.

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