Guide to the Daughters of the American Revolution, Saranac Chapter (Plattsburgh, N. Y.) Scrapbooks and Other Materials, 1913-1973

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Biographical Note

The National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution was organized in 1890 “to perpetuate the memory and spirit of the men and women who achieved American independence.” Its aim was the promotion of education, appreciation of historical culture and patriotic service.¹

The Saranac Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution was formed by Mrs. Pauline Cady Stoddard, its first regent on February 12, 1895 with 23 members. According to a February 2, 1985 article in the Press-Republican those 23 members grew to a high of 195 in 1932.²

Scope of the Collection

The collection consists of seven scrapbooks dated 1913-1973. The scrapbooks contain newspaper clippings, flyers, and pamphlets dealing with the activities of the Saranac Chapter.

Container List

Box 1

1/1  Scrapbook, 1913-1933
1/2  Scrapbook, 1925-1933

Box 2

2/1  Scrapbook, 1935-1940
2/2  Scrapbook, 1943-1944

Box 3

3/1  Scrapbook, 1946-1947
3/2  Scrapbook, 1950-1955

Box 4

4/1  Scrapbook, 1962-1973
