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Title: DeForest Family. Genealogy

Collection #: Ms B105

Dates:

Size of Collection: 4 binders, 5 folders

Accession Number: L1999 Apr 21

Donor: Edith M. DeForest

Restrictions: None

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Biographical/ historical note:

Edith DeForest compiled this information about her DeForest family line over the course of many years. She currently (1999) resides in Chester, Connecticut.

Scope and content note:

The collection consists of copies of birth, marriage and death certificates obtained or hand copied from records in town clerks offices in Connecticut, along with copies of obituaries, military records, newspaper articles, and original photographs of headstones related to the families of George W., William Clark and Sylvester DeForest of Ridgefield, Conn. Most of the materials are arranged in a set of four three-ring binders. The original sheet protectors and black paper backings were removed and replaced with archival sheet protectors. The military records are organized in five folders, namely records of Sylvester, Henry, Daniel DeForest and Isaac Bragdon; and one each for Samuel C. DeForest, Samuel E. DeForest, William H. DeForest, and Daniel R. P. Gilbert.

DEFOREST FAMILY
Genealogy

- Volume 1. George W. DeForest family
- Volume 2. George W. DeForest family
- Volume 3. William Clark DeForest family
- Volume 4. Sylvester DeForest family
- Folder 1. Military records of Sylvester, Daniel B. and Henry W. DeForest
- Folder 2. Military records of Samuel E. DeForest
- Folder 3. Military records of Samuel C. DeForest
- Folder 4. Military records of William H. DeForest
- Folder 5. Military records of Daniel R. P. Gilbert

Subject headings

Ridgefield (Conn.)--genealogy

DeForest, George W., 1812-1885

DeForest, Sylvester, 1840-1928

DeForest, William Clark, 1813-1865