

Anna Spencer diaries, 1855-1905
MC.975.01.075

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Summary Information

Repository	Haverford College Quaker & Special Collections
Creator	Spencer, Anna, 1832-1905
Title	Anna Spencer diaries
Date [inclusive]	1855-1905
Extent	2.75 Linear feet
Language	English

Preferred Citation

Anna Spencer diaries (MC.975.01.075), Quaker & Special Collections, Haverford College, Haverford, PA

Biographical note

Anna Spencer (1832-1905) belonged to Gwynedd Monthly Meeting. Her parents were Mary and Jesse Spencer. She also was a member of Abington Monthly and Horsham Particular Meetings. She died at her home in Germantown, Philadelphia, PA.

Scope and Content note

This collection is composed of 50 handwritten volumes of Anna Spencer's diaries. Entries describe weather, social calls, domestic duties, family news, attendance at meetings, births, deaths, and marriages within the Quaker community, and the health of herself and family members.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Haverford College Quaker & Special Collections August 2015

Use Restrictions

Standard Federal Copyright Law Applies (U.S. Title 17).

Acquisition

The Anna Spencer diaries were donated to Special Collections, Haverford College, in 1965 by Nancy Morris Wood.

Processing Information

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Related Materials

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MC 963 Spencer family papers

Controlled Access Headings

Genre(s)

- Diaries.
- Quakers -- Diaries

Subject(s)

- Quaker women -- United States
- Quakers--History

Collection Inventory

Vol. 1 1855

Vol. 2 1856

Vol. 3 1857

Vol. 4 1858

Vol. 5 1859

Vol. 6 1860

Vol. 7 1861

Vol. 8 1862

Vol. 9 1863

Vol. 10 1864

Vol. 11 1865

Vol. 12 1866

Vol. 13 1867

Vol. 14 1868

Vol. 15 1869

Vol. 16 1870

Vol. 17 1871

Vol. 18 1872

Vol. 19 1873

Vol. 20 1874

Vol. 21 1875

Vol. 22 1877

Vol. 23 1878

Vol. 24 1879

Vol. 25 1880

Vol. 26 1881

Vol. 27 1882

Vol. 28 1883

Vol. 29 1884

Vol. 30 1885

Vol. 31 1886

Vol. 32 1887

Vol. 33 1888

Vol. 34 1889

Vol. 35 1890

Vol. 36 1891

Vol. 37 1892

Vol. 38 1893

Vol. 39 1894

Vol. 40 1895

Vol. 41 1896

Vol. 42 1897

Vol. 43 1898

Vol. 44 1899

Scope and Content note

This volume includes a description of the Westtown Centennial.

Vol. 45 1900

Vol. 46 1901

Vol. 47 1902

Vol. 48 1903

Vol. 49 1904

Vol. 50 1905

Scope and Content note

This volume includes a list of family heirlooms.