

Collection Number:

Collection Title: C. K. Cumming Ministerial Collection 1870-1934

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Collection Overview

Size: 16 boxes

Abstract: This collection from 1870-1934 contains sermons, letters, notes, papers, articles, publications, journals, postcards and photos.

Creator: C. K. Cumming

Language: English

Information for Users

Restrictions to Access

No restrictions. Open for research.

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Acquisitions Information

Gift of Whom: Richard Cumming

Additional Descriptive Resources

A copy of the original finding aid for this collection is filed in each box.

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Biographical Information

Missionary to Japan beginning in 1888

Subject Headings for Collection

Presbyterian Church in the United States

C. K. Cumming collection

Japan Missionaries

Scope and Content

1870-1934

Content List

- Box 1 Sermons & Notes 1884-1925 (to be processed)
- Box 2 Journals 1889-1926
- Box 3 Letters-1888-1931 photos postcards
- Box 4 Letters-1914-1919
- Box 5 Letters-1920-1921
- Box 6 Letters-1921-1922
- Box 7 Letters-1922-1923
- Box 8 Letters-1923-1925
- Box 9 News articles, banking records, stock, insurance, taxes, personal writings
Letters-1932-1934
- Box 10 Publications-news articles
- Box 11 Notes on Christian Texts II
- Box 12 Notes for sermons on Bible texts & Japanese translations ,
Japan 1889-1926
- Box 13 Journals-Feb-Apr 1889 (trip to Japan), 1898-1900, 1914-1924, 1925-1935,
Financial accts 1922-1929
- Box 14 Journals-Aug 1890-Feb 1872, Mar 1872-Dec 1874, Jan 1875-Oct 1886, May
1887-June 1889, June 1889-Dec 1892, Jan 1893-Dec 1895
B & W photo of Cumming family
Journals:
 - #1 1889-1925 Notes on Japan, Japanese, roll of Christianity & Mission
 - #2 1892 Clippings about Bible & theology, family, Japan, trivia & poetry
 - #3 1892 Notes of the Nagoya Literary Society
 - #4 Diary 1896-1904 Notes on Japan 1895-1906
 - #5 1906 Talks on Japan
 - #6 1907 Japan It's condition and needs, 4 important events
 - #7 1908-1909 Talks on Japan, it's role in the Far East
 - #8 1909 Japan's needs, the mission of Japan in the East and relations to (?)

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- #9 1916 Review of Christian mission work in Japan
- #10 1917 Methods of Mission work in Japan
- #11 1917 -1919 Talks on Japan and mission in VA & NC
- #12 1919-1922 (?) World History, change
- #13 1919-1926 Notes on Japan
- #14 1926(?) Mission talks, Japan's condition and needs, steps in bringing the Gospel to Japan
- #15 1926 Mission talks, condition of Japan, Japan's challenge to Christianity
- #16 Japan-Her Past Condition and Present needs
- #17 Analysis of Texts Subjects

Booklets:

- #18 1919 "Far From Japan" description of Toyohashi mission work
- #19 1920 "Far From Japan" Women's work in Mission

Box 15

Postcards

Box 16

1889-1920's

Notes for talks on Japan 1909, 1925(?)

Notes on Japan 1897-1898

Paper & notes on misc. subjects (see outside of folder)

Booklets on Japan

Notes on mission work, education, policy, mission talks