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## OVERVIEW OF PAPERS

**Title:** Henrietta Lovejoy Skinner Wiley papers

**Date:** 1825-1991

**Extent:** 6 boxes (4.67 linear feet)

**Creator:** Wiley, Henrietta Lovejoy "Joy" Skinner, 1937-2014

**Language:** English

**Repository:** Zach S. Henderson Library Special Collections, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA. [specolle@georgiasouthern.edu](mailto:specolle@georgiasouthern.edu), 912-478-7819, [library.georgiasouthern.edu](http://library.georgiasouthern.edu).

**Processing Note:** Collection processed by Ifeoma Odogwu, Graduate Assistant, under the supervision of Autumn M. Johnson, Special Collections Librarian, 2020.

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## INFORMATION FOR USE OF COLLECTION

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**Preferred Citation:** [Item Identification], Henrietta Lovejoy Skinner Wiley Papers, Zach S. Henderson Library Special Collections, Georgia Southern University, Statesboro, GA

**Separated Materials:** Some oversized materials are housed in the Special Collections Processing Room in Map Case B9 as noted in the container list.

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## ABOUT THE COLLECTION

**Biographical History:** Henrietta Lovejoy Skinner Wiley, "Joy" was born December 11, 1937 to Charles W. Jr., and Henrietta Boyer Skinner in Waynesboro, Burke County, Georgia. She graduated from Waynesboro High School and then proceeded to Brenau College where she earned a BA in English History. Joy spent most of her years in New York, where she raised a family with her husband Spencer L. Wiley. She died on June 1, 2014, at the age of 76, in her Sea Island Home, Glynn County, Georgia. She was a member of the Junior League of New York and Alpha Delta Pi. She also served on the Board of St. Simmons Library, alongside other charitable acts and clubs in Brunswick and New York.

**Scope and Content:** This collection consists of personal and family papers of Henrietta Lovejoy "Joy" Skinner Wiley. Materials in the collection span 1825-1991 and consist of photographs, letters, greeting cards, invitations, scrapbooks, college yearbooks, and various other documents.

**System of Arrangement:** This collection is arranged by material type in 4 series: 1. Correspondence, 1850-1991. 2. Photographs. 1909-1991. 3. Family Scrapbooks and Memorabilia, 1825-1989. 4. Oversized Materials, 1893-1988..

**Box 1:** 0200106673417

**Box 2:** 0200106673425

**Box 3:** 0200106673433

**Box 4:** 0200106673441

**Box 5:** 0200106673458

**Box 6:** 0200106673466

**Acquisitions Info:** Gift of Henrietta "Rhetta" L. Wiley, 2017 July 27.

### Access Points:

Henrietta Lovejoy Skinner Wiley,  
1937-2014

Albums (Books)

Personal correspondence

Photographs

Records (Documents)

Waynesboro Highschool

Burke County

Brenau College

Sprinkler System grouping

**CONTAINER LISTING****Series 1: Correspondence, 1850-1991****Box 1: 0200106673417**

<b><u>Items</u></b>	<b><u>Box Number</u></b>	<b><u>Folder Number</u></b>
Letters to C.W. Skinner AKA Henrietta Boyer Skinner- 1931-1969	1	1
Letters to C.W. Skinner AKA Henrietta Boyer Skinner- 1952-1968	1	2
Letters to C.W. Skinner AKA Henrietta Boyer Skinner- 1937-1967	1	3
Letters to C.W. Skinner AKA Henrietta Boyer Skinner- 1933-1956	1	4
Letters to C.W. Skinner AKA Henrietta Boyer Skinner (mama)- 1958-1966	1	5
Letters to C.W. Skinner AKA Henrietta Boyer Skinner- 1952-1966	1	6
Letters to C.W. Skinner AKA Henrietta Boyer Skinner- 1952-1959	1	7
Letters to Bank of Waynesboro, friends, family and others- 1900-1986	1	8
Group of correspondence- Europe Trip- August 1966-1967	1	9
Written postcards and letters- 1956-1982	1	10
Greeting cards and envelopes (I)- 1954-1991	1	11
Greeting cards and envelopes (II)- 1966-1969	1	12
Greeting cards and envelopes (III)- 1930-1990	1	13
Greeting cards and envelopes (IV)- 1966-1996	1	14
Multiple letters, envelopes and newspaper clippings- 1892-1973	1	15
Multiple letters to multiple addresses and invitations- 1850-1972	1	16
Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley and newspaper clippings- 1949-1979	1	17

Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley- 1946-1986	1	18
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**Box 2:** 0200106673425

Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley and Newspapers clippings- 1961-1967	2	1
Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley- 1959-1966	2	2
Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley and Newspaper clippings- 1910-1960	2	3
Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley- 1954-1967	2	4
Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley- 1962-1966	2	5
Letters to Lovejoy Skinner Wiley and Newspaper clippings- 1960-1967	2	6
Typescripts and Telegraphs- 1937-1972	2	7
Typescripts and Telegraphs- 1937-1968	2	8
Correspondence, Telegraphs and Transcripts- 1930-1967	2	9

**Series 2: Photographs, 1909-1991**

<b><u>Items</u></b>	<b><u>Box Number</u></b>	<b><u>Folder Number</u></b>
Headshot photography- 1909-1935	2	10
Social gathering circa with note and Georgia military college march- 1990	2	11
Pose shots/ full body photos, scenic landscape and photo negatives- 1938-1968	2	12
Photos of people with animals- mainly horses and dogs- 1939-1987	2	13
Group/ family photographs- 1909-1991	2	14
Group/ Family photos, Brenau college graduation- 1909-1990	2	15
Photo album- July 9, 1909	2	16
Snapshots from tot to teens- 1934-1943	2	17

Photo of C.W. Skinner Jr. and Bachrach preview picture selection- 1939	2	18
Photo album- 1969-1970	2	19

**Box 3:** 0200106673433

Pictures of friends, pets, homes and Ten souvenir prints in natural color- January 19, 1951	3	1
Landscape, family photographs and invitations	3	2
Vacation to europe- Circa 1960's- 1966	3	3
Photos and negatives of plays (1)	3	4
Photos and negatives of plays (2)	3	5
Photos and negatives of plays and forums (3)- December 1981	3	6
Photos and negatives of plays and forums (4)- 1983	3	7
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Photo Negatives and blank postcards</li> <li>- Safe Deposit box key and Engraving (name written backwards)</li> <li>- Photos of friends, family, and life in Waynesboro, 50's and After school Waynesboro friends</li> <li>- Photos of Georgia Military college</li> <li>- Photos of cars</li> <li>- Headshot photos- 1989</li> <li>- Group, friends and family photos</li> <li>- Greeting cards and invitations</li> <li>- Grandma's VIP book</li> <li>- Photos of friends, pets, homes and souvenir</li> </ul>	3	<i>Loose</i>

**Box 4:** 0200106673441

Photographs of children including C.W. Skinner	4	1
Pictures, photo negatives and invitation cards- 1950-1955	4	2

**Series 3: Family Scrapbooks and Memorabilia, 1825-1989**

Loose Scrapbook- 1959-1960	4	3
Scrapbook and Newspaper clippings- 1949-1951	4	4

Baby book of Joy Skinner- "baby days"- 1937-1941	4	5
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Baby records by Maud Humphrey- May 15, 1901</li> <li>- Mom's (Joy Skinner) hospital records- "Happy Birthday!"- December 4, 1968</li> <li>- The book of the bride- April 23, 1935</li> <li>- Henrietta Lovejoy Skinner's personal bible- Scofield Reference Edition (contains names and date of birth of family members- 1937-1962</li> <li>- 1936 Yearbook</li> <li>- Joy Skinner's diary- December 11, 1952</li> <li>- Memorandum book "A live a day"- May 1927 journal</li> <li>- New testament psalms- 1911</li> <li>- Scrapbook containing newspaper clippings, announcements, letters and pictures.</li> </ul>	4	<i>Loose</i>

**Box 5:** 0200106673458

School related (UGA, waynesboro High, Brenau College and others) documents- May 29, 1954-1955	5	1
School day autobiography and school related documents- 1959-1960	5	2
Notes, scraps, paper and cloth cutouts- August 1957-December 1961	5	3
Greek life invitations and events- 1956	5	4
Legal documents (includes leases and rental agreements) and Insurance documents- 1937-1974	5	5
Financial documents- August 22, 1952-1967	5	6
Sea island directories and booklet neighbourhood and property focus- 1977-1987	5	7
Contests and drawings	5	8
Songs and poems- 1845-1895	5	9
Sprinkler system grouping from Mr. Spencer Wiley- 1988	5	10
Religion- Hymns, anniversary, certificate of christianity recognition- 1825-1981	5	11
Recipes, cooking, diaries and journals- 1919-1940	5	12
Skinner family history/genealogy (includes news articles) (1)-	5	13

1935		
Skinner family genealogy (includes Boyers and related families) (2)- 1903-1989	5	14
Land documents- 1954-1964	5	15
Newspaper clippings and magazine- 1940-1967	5	16
Newspapers and clippings- 1943-1974	5	17
The little rebel (draft and book bound), book club, Georgia military academy review and Gone with the Wind- 1938-1961	5	18
Hypnosis Tape, home by Rhetta Wiley and Rhetta's First day- First grade (cassette tapes)	5	19
Rhetta- Fall 1973, and Forum 1903 and Business card (cassette tapes)	5	20
Vinyl records (2), Misty and unnamed.	5	Loose

**Series 4: Oversized Materials, 1893-1988**

**Box 6:** 0200106673466

<b><u>Items</u></b>	<b><u>Box Number</u></b>	<b><u>Folder Number</u></b>
White House photo- woody Sims tours (Savannah)	6	Loose
Registered Labor day shoot hill gun club, Augusta, GA.- September 6, 1926	6	Loose
Picture of early field trials- 1908	6	Loose
Group photograph of friends	6	Loose
A photography reproduction of pencil drawings- Skinner 1950	6	Loose
A photography reproduction of pencil drawings- Skinner 1950	6	Loose
Additional oversized family photographs	6	Loose
University of Georgia- Photos of Frederick J. Ball	6	Loose
Georgia Military College Milledgeville, Georgia- 1893	6	Loose



**Oversized Folder 1**

Lovejoy originally "sprinkler system" manuscripts- 1959	Map Case	B9
Maps of Burke County, Georgia (2)- February 10, 1974	Map Case	B9
Map of 12 miles south of Wiboro- December 14, 1938	Map Case	B9
General Highway map, Burke County, Georgia- April 1970	Map Case	B9
Irrigation system for Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Wiley Cottage #167, Sea Island, Georgia (2)- August 17, 1988	Map Case	B9