

Day and hour engagement diary

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Summary Information

Repository:	Friends of Wood Memorial Library and Museum
Creator:	Unknown woman
Title:	Day and hour engagement diary
ID:	2023.02
ID [aspace_uri]:	/repositories/21/resources/1116
Date:	1911
Physical Description:	0.1 Cubic Feet
Language of the Material:	English .
Abstract:	Diary describing a woman's daily life in the Hartford area (possibly South Windsor) in 1911. The author is unknown.

Preferred Citation

Day and hour engagement diary (1911) (2023.02), Wood Memorial Library and Museum, South Windsor, CT.

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Scope and Contents

Diary describing a woman's daily life in the Hartford area (possibly South Windsor, although some of the people referenced are from nearby towns, e.g. Hartford and Manchester). The author is an unknown, presumably middle-aged woman. She married on April 11, 1886, and her husband's name was George. George passed away in 1905. The diary contains daily entries for 1911. Entries describe the author's daily activities, people encountered, the weather, and more. The back matter contains a lists of church dues paid, memoranda, books read during the year, entertainment and plays attended, automobile excursions, and contact information for new people that the author met. South Windsor local historian Doris Burgdorf compiled a list of people and significant events referenced in the diary, which is included in the folder. The diary was found in the attic of a house in South Windsor and purchased by the donor's family in 1958.

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Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances
Day and hour engagement diary, 1911	box Collins folder 16 2 (shared box)