

**Guide to the
Gladys Kennedy
World War II Letters**



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MS – 077: Gladys Kennedy World War II Letters

(4 Boxes, 1.08 Cubic Foot)

Inclusive Dates: 1942-1945

Bulk Date: 1945

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Biography

Gladys Kennedy worked in the United States Naval Supply Depot in Mechanicsburg, Pennsylvania during World War II. When she sent out packages she would include her name and address which is how these numerous correspondences began.

Scope and Content Notes

This collection of correspondence contains letters from all fronts and from many of Gladys' "sweethearts." It appears that she shipped her address out in the parts she made at the Depot and would get responses from some of the soldiers and sailors. Some of the letters are from soldiers and sailors abroad from her hometown of York Springs, Pennsylvania. Collection includes paperwork from a raise received by Kennedy in 1944.

Box 1

- 1-1 Finding Aid and Biographical Materials
- 1-2 Employment papers
- 1-3 Correspondence "June" July, 1945
- 1-4 Correspondence "Merve" January, 1945
- 1-5 Correspondence "Nelson" October, 1943
- 1-6 Correspondence Joe Berry May, 1945
- 1-7 Correspondence Harold Bream March-July, 1945
- 1-8 Correspondence Maurice E. Bream March-May, 1944
- 1-9 Correspondence Maurice E. Bream July, 1944
- 1-10 Correspondence Maurice E. Bream August, 1944
- 1-11 Correspondence Maurice E. Bream September, 1944
- 1-12 Correspondence Maurice E. Bream October, 1944
- 1-13 Correspondence Maurice E. Bream February, 1945
- 1-14 Correspondence Maurice E. Bream June-August, 1945
- 1-15 Correspondence Elden C. Bull August, 1945
- 1-16 Correspondence Dale E. Cline July-August, 1945
- 1-17 Correspondence Dale E. Cline September-October, 1945

- 1-18 Correspondence Dale E. Cline November, 1945
- 1-19 Correspondence Dale E. Cline January-February, 1946
- 1-20 Correspondence Dale E. Cline Undated
- 1-21 Correspondence C.W. Fetter March-April, 1945
- 1-22 Correspondence Charles Flamma June-July, 1944

Box 2

- 2-1 Correspondence Joseph Brundel July-August, 1944
- 2-2 Correspondence Joseph Brundel September-October, 1944
- 2-3 Correspondence Joseph Brundel November-December, 1944
- 2-4 Correspondence Joseph Brundel January, 1945
- 2-5 Correspondence Joseph Brundel February, 1945
- 2-6 Correspondence Joseph Brundel March, 1945
- 2-7 Correspondence Joseph Brundel April, 1945
- 2-8 Correspondence Joseph Brundel May, 1945
- 2-9 Correspondence Joseph Brundel June, 1945
- 2-10 Correspondence Joseph Brundel July, 1945
- 2-11 Correspondence Joseph Brundel August, 1945
- 2-12 Correspondence Joseph Brundel September, 1945
- 2-13 Correspondence Joseph Brundel October-December, 1945

Box 3

- 3-1 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden November, 1944
- 3-2 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden July, September, 1944
- 3-3 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden December, 1944
- 3-4 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden January, 1945
- 3-5 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden February, 1945
- 3-6 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden April, 1945
- 3-7 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden March, 1945
- 3-8 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden May, 1945
- 3-9 Correspondence Tony M. Ganaden June-September, 1945
- 3-10 Correspondence Richard Gelbaugh June, 1945
- 3-11 Correspondence Richard Gelbaugh July, 1945
- 3-12 Correspondence Richard Gelbaugh August, 1945
- 3-13 Correspondence Richard Gelbaugh September, 1945
- 3-14 Correspondence Richard Gelbaugh October, 1945
- 3-15 Correspondence Richard Gelbaugh November, 1945
- 3-16 Correspondence John J. Hudock
- 3-17 Correspondence Sam Johnson April, 1945
- 3-18 Correspondence Sam Johnson July, 1945
- 3-19 Correspondence Sam Johnson August, 1945
- 3-20 Correspondence Sam Johnson October, 1945
- 3-21 Correspondence Sam Johnson November, 1945
- 3-22 Correspondence Walter L. McLaughlin June, 1945

- 3-23 Correspondence Walter L. McLaughlin July, 1945
- 3-24 Correspondence Lee Roy Morehort April, 1945
- 3-25 Correspondence Joe Morgan (to Ruth Nicholson) March, 1945
- 3-26 Correspondence Joe Morgan April, 1945
- 3-27 Correspondence George E. Nicholson December, 1945
- 3-28 Correspondence George Pertrucci March, 1945
- 3-29 Correspondence Carl Shirley March, 1945
- 3-30 Correspondence Carl Shirley April, 1945
- 3-31 Correspondence Robert James Stone January, 1945
- 3-32 Correspondence Robert James Stone July, 1945
- 3-33 Correspondence Robert James Stone August, 1945
- 3-34 Correspondence Robert James Stone September, 1945
- 3-35 Correspondence Pat A. Turner June, 1945
- 3-36 Correspondence Lee Roy Morehort May, 1945
- 3-37 Correspondence Pat A. Turner August-October, 1945
- 3-38 Correspondence Pat A. Turner November-December, 1945
- 3-39 Correspondence Pat A. Turner January, 1946

Box 4

- 4-1 Correspondence Herb Shearer July, 1942
- 4-2 Correspondence Herb Shearer April, 1945
- 4-3 Correspondence Herb Shearer May, 1945
- 4-4 Correspondence Herb Shearer June, 1945
- 4-5 Correspondence Herb Shearer July, 1945
- 4-6 Correspondence Herb Shearer August, 1945
- 4-7 Correspondence Herb Shearer September, 1945
- 4-8 Correspondence Herb Shearer October, 1945