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FRANK DEPAUW HESTER DIARIES, 1890-1912

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

These are diaries kept by Frank DePauw Hester. Born in New Albany, Indiana on February 25, 1872. Hester began keeping a diary on his 18th birthday, following the example of his father. Hester died on March 18, 1915 due to cancer of the stomach. Hester was married to Marie Gwynne (October 20, 1897 in Marion, Indiana) and had 3 children: Mary, William, and Helen.

Sources:

Ancestry, Library Edition, Accessed August 2, 2016.

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This collection includes two diaries of Frank Hester. One was kept from 1890, on the day of Hester's 18th birthday, to the end of December 1891. The other began in January of 1894 and ended February 1912. Each includes daily entries about the weather and errands around town. The second diary tells of getting married and of his eventual sickness.

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