Archival and Manuscript Collections Finding Aid

ACCESSION No.: HRHS-42

COLLECTION TITLE: Billy and Marianne Garber Collection

DATES: 1872 - 1875

SIZE: 1 (one) folder

DONOR: Billy and Marianne Garber, 12/13/1995

PROCESSED: Processed 12/01/2012 by K. Craun and L. Adams

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE: Calligraphy is a fancy penmanship, an especially highly decorative handwriting, with a great many flourishes.

SCOPE AND CONTENT: 7 calligraphy cards each bearing a name and birthdate of family members of the Maloneys and Windles. One card is a marriage card with wedding date and reverend's name. Each card is done in decorative calligraphy and further enhanced with floral decoration also done in pen and ink.

Booklet was made by Emma Shirley for her mother, Mrs. Christian (Bettie) Shirley, New Market, VA. This is a 6 page scalloped edged paper booklet held together by two satin ribbons. Hand-lettered and decorated cover is done in gold ink. Inside is a floral painting in pinks, blues, green and gold with butterflies. Also inside is a floral drawing in gold ink on fabric and decorated with four satin bows in corners. A card accompanying reads, "Compliments of Emma".

Transferred from museum acc. # 95.8

COLLECTION INVENTORY:

Handmade Christmas booklet (museum acc. # 95.8.13)

7 (seven) 3"x5" Calligraphy cards from the Mahoney-Windle family, New Market, VA (museum acc. # 95.8.7)

ARRANGEMENT:

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