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Blaisdell family letters, 1879-1947

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Summary Information

Repository:	Maine Women Writers Collection
Creator:	Blaisdell family
Creator:	Dolan, Edwin
Creator:	Belknap, Mary Blaisdell
Creator:	Belknap, Arthur
Title:	Blaisdell family letters
ID:	0027
Date [inclusive]:	1879-1947
Physical Description:	.75 linear feet 36 folders
Language of the Material:	English

Preferred Citation

Blaisdell family letters, Maine Women Writers Collection, University of New England, Portland, Maine

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Biographical/Historical Note

Elizabeth Blaisdell Dolan and her sister Mary Blaisdell Belknap were graduates of Colby College. Elizabeth taught at Shaw University in North Carolina and at Alfred and Waterboro High Schools. She married Edwin Dolan in either 1937 or 1938 and they lived in Melrose Highlands, Massachusetts. Elizabeth died at the age of 74 in a Melrose, Massachusetts nursing home.

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Collection Scope and Content

A collection of 123 letters, most of which are addressed to either Mrs. F. W. (Lucy) Blaisdell or to her daughter Elizabeth Pierce Blaisdell Dolan. The collection also contains Elizabeth's 1942 diary.

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Arrangement

This collection is organized as a single series. Arranged chronologically.

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Administrative Information

Publication Statement

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Related Materials

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Elizabeth Blaisdell Dolan file, Colby College Archives

Blaisdell Family papers, Raymond H. Fogler Library, University of Maine

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Controlled Access Headings

- Correspondence
- Diaries
- Blaisdell family
- Dolan, Elizabeth Blaisdell
- Belknap, Mary Blaisdell
- Blaisdell family
- Dolan, Edwin
- Belknap, Mary Blaisdell
- Belknap, Arthur
- Belknap, Arthur
- Dolan, Edwin
- Blaisdell, F. W. (Lucy), Mrs.

Collection Inventory

Title/Description	Instances	
H.S. Burrage to My Dear Deacon, 1892 March 1	Box 3	Folder 001
Dodson D. Peirce to Mother; Lizzie Peirce to Mother, 1879 September 23 1892 March 28	Box 3	Folder 002
3 ALS to Elizabeth/wedding invitation	Box 3	Folder 003
Elizabeth to Mrs. F. W. Blaisdell, 1903 February	Box 3	Folder 004
1 TLS; 2 DLS to Mrs. F. W. Blaisdell, 1909 December 6 1909 September 29	Box 3	Folder 005
ALS; TLS to Elizabeth Peirce Blaisdell, 1905 1909	Box 3	Folder 006

11 ALS Elizabeth to Mother, 1912	Box 3	Folder 007
3 ALS to Mother/Father; fragment	Box 3	Folder 007a
5 ALS; 1 TLS Arthur to Mother/Father, 1912	Box 3	Folder 008
3 ALS Mary Belknap to Mother (Mrs. Blaisdell), 1912	Box 3	Folder 009
6 ALS to Lucy (Mrs. Blaisdell), 1912	Box 3	Folder 010
ALS Elizabeth to Papa / Mother, 1911-1912	Box 3	Folder 011
ALS Lizzie to Dear Folks, 1912	Box 3	Folder 011a
Arthur to Mother / Father, 1913-1915	Box 3	Folder 012
Mary Belknap to Mrs. Blaisdell; to grandfather, 1913-1915	Box 3	Folder 013
4 ALS from Elizabeth to Mrs. Blaisdell, 1913	Box 3	Folder 014
8 ALS Elizabeth to Mother / Folks, 1915-1916	Box 3	Folder 015
Elizabeth to Parents, 1916	Box 3	Folder 015a
Arthur to Mother, 1916	Box 3	Folder 016
3 ALS Elizabeth (Arthur's daughter) to Grandmother (Mrs. Blaisdell), 1916	Box 3	Folder 017
ALS Mary Belknap to Mother (Mrs. Blaisdell), 1917	Box 3	Folder 018
ALS Arthur to Elizabeth, 1918	Box 3	Folder 019
4 ALS Mary Belknap to Mother, Janet and Connie Belknap, 1921-1926	Box 3	Folder 020
3 ALS to Mrs Blaisdell, 1921-1927	Box 3	Folder 021
ALS Arthur to Mother, 1923	Box 3	Folder 022
ALS from Father, 1934	Box 3	Folder 023
ALS Arthur to Elizabeth, 1937	Box 3	Folder 023a
Edwin Dolan to Elizabeth, 1937-1938	Box 3	Folder 024
Janet Randel to Elizabeth, 1938-1939	Box 3	Folder 025
Edwin Dolan to Elizabeth, 1939 July-August	Box 3	Folder 026
Edwin Dolan to Elizabeth, 1939 August-November	Box 3	Folder 027
Edwin Dolan to Elizabeth, 1940	Box 3	Folder 028
Henrietta Folsom to Elizabeth, 1940	Box 3	Folder 028a
Mary Belknap to Elizabeth, 1940-1947	Box 3	Folder 029
Edwin to Elizabeth, 1945	Box 3	Folder 030
Diary of Elizabeth Blaisdell Dolan, 1942	Box 3	Folder 031