

# Barnard, Judith Fenner, Collection

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1914-1974



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## Descriptive Summary

### Unit ID

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### Unit Date

1914-1974

### Language

Materials in this collection are in English.

### Abstract

This collection includes a memobook and journal owned by Judith Fenner Barnard (1896-1984), a teacher in Roadsville, Virginia, and Prince George County, Virginia. The memobook, dated July 1964, contains recipes, addresses, hospital records, and a seating arrangement for a dinner party. The journal, 1914-1972 includes journal entries about the Barnard family's lives and handwritten recipes.

### Creator

Barnard, Judith Roane Fenner, 1896-1984

### Extent

0.2 Cubic Feet 1 box

### Repository

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## Source of Acquisition

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## Processing Information

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# Biographical Note

Judith Roane Fenner Barnard (1896-1984) was born on June 14, 1896, to Benjamin Fenner and Elizabeth Winfree. She married Edgar Calhoun Barnard in June 1917 in Prince George County, Virginia, and the couple had a daughter named Elizabeth around 1919. According to the journal in this collection, the couple resided in Roadsville, Orange County, Virginia, and Edgar worked for the Virginia State Highway Department. Also according to the journal, Judith moved back to Prince George County in February 1929, where she worked as a teacher. In the 1930 U.S. census, Judith is listed as divorced. Judith died on April 27, 1984, and is buried in Blandford Cemetery in Petersburg, Virginia.

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# Scope and Content

This collection includes a memobook and journal owned by Judith Fenner Barnard. The memobook, dated July 1964, contains recipes, addresses, hospital records, and a seating arrangement for a dinner party. The recipes include breakfast foods, desserts, casseroles, and bread. The journal contains handwritten recipes for candies, breakfast foods, desserts, ice cream, sauces, bread, stew, pickles, and preserves.

The journal, 1914-1972, includes entries about the Barnard family's life as well as handwritten recipes and updated notes. For example, on page 37 for "Julius Andrews Sea Foam," the recipe is written in blue pen,

with black pen adding new information, pencil at the bottom with a warning, and then another pencil note dated February 19, 1950, with a message saying to heed the above warning. Some pages were ripped out from the journal, including the first 26 pages. The first page of the journal includes information on the first owner of the book, Judith's husband Edgar C. Barnard. It goes on to explain where the Barnards resided in Roadsville, Virginia, and when the book is given to Judith, she sometimes writes about living in Prince George, Virginia.

## Keywords

Cookbooks

Diaries

History of Food and Drink

Virginia

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### **Judith Fenner Barnard Collection**

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