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## **Abstract**

One bound scrapbook documenting Nancy Jane Henry's time as a student at Madison College from 1944 to 1945. The scrapbook contains ephemera, photographs, cards, telegrams, newspaper clippings, tickets, overnight trip slips, and handwritten annotations.

## **Creator**

Dameron, Nancy Jane Henry, 1926-2018

## **source**

Dameron, Rebecca

## **Extent**

0.32 cubic feet One bound volume in one flat box

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Donated by Rebecca Dameron, daughter of Nancy Jane Henry Dameron.

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# **Biographical / Historical**

Nancy Jane Henry (1926-2018), of Richmond, Virginia, attended Madison College from 1944 to 1945. While a student, Henry was involved in multiple organizations and clubs including the Cotillion Club, Porpoise Club, and YWCA. Henry transferred to Duke University after one year and received a bachelor's degree in psychology. In 1949, she married Thomas Barker Dameron, whom she met while he was attending Duke Medical School.

# **Scope and Contents**

One bound scrapbook documenting Nancy Jane Henry's time as a student at Madison College from 1944 to 1945. The scrapbook contains ephemera, photographs, cards, telegrams, newspaper clippings, tickets, overnight trip slips, handwritten annotations, and locks of hair.

Numerous Madison College-issued receipts, grade reports, notices, and sign-out slips document Henry's overnight trips to Richmond and Roanoke, requests for dates, class absences, and disciplinary call downs. Multiple letters and cards from clubs invite Henry to become a member. Tipped-in correspondence confirms that Henry was a patron of the Miles Music Company (35 Court Square) and had her radio serviced there. Several pages contain ephemera related to sorority rush activities.

Photographs, ephemera, and annotations reference a presumed boyfriend named Joe Ward who was a student at Duke University.

# **Keywords**

Scrapbooks

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Student activities -- Virginia -- Harrisonburg

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James Madison University -- Students -- History  
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## **Description of Subordinate Components**

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