
Guide to the

MARY KATHRYN CLYATT/MARTHA ANN TRATE IRVING HIGH SCHOOL SCRAPBOOK 1937-1940

.2 linear ft.

Collection Number 34

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CITATION: Mary Kathryn Clyatt/Martha Ann Trate Irving High School Scrapbook, Collection 34, Irving Archives, Irving Public Library.

Scope and Content Note

The collection consists of a scrapbook relating to Irving High School during the years 1937-1940. Mary Kathryn (Lively) Clyatt and Martha Ann Trate attended Irving High School and are members of the graduating class of 1940. The scrapbook was put together by Mrs. Clyatt, who gave it to Martha Trate.

The scrapbook is primarily made up of issues of the Irving High School newspaper the *Tiger Rag* from the years 1937 to 1940. There are three issues from the fall of 1937; the entire run from the spring and fall of 1938; one issue from February of 1939; and most of the issues from the spring of 1940. Also included in the scrapbook is a publication entitled "Who's Who in Irving High School, 1939-1940," a senior class play program from the 1940 senior play "The Campbells are Coming," a commencement program, 1940; and newspaper clippings about the senior play and graduation activities. An obituary for Kenneth Warren, a 1940 graduate, who was struck by and car in the fall of 1940, is also included in the scrapbook.

For preservation purposes, the newspapers have been removed from the scrapbook and placed in an oversize acid-free folder. Acid-free paper has been interleaved between the issues.

Provenance Statement

The Mary Kathryn Clyatt/Martha Ann Trate Irving High School Scrapbook, accession number 0001-182, was donated to the Archives by Martha Ann Trate and Mary Kathryn Clyatt in September 2001. The scrapbook was put together by Mrs. Clyatt and given to Ms. Trate. Prior to its donation to the Archives, the scrapbook was in Ms. Trate's possession.

Literary Rights Statement

Permission to publish from the Mary Kathryn Clyatt/Martha Ann Trate Irving High School Scrapbook must be obtained from the Irving Archives, Irving Public Library.

Note to Researcher

The Archives holds various issues of the Tiger Rag from the 1930s through the 2000s. The Archives also has an extensive collection of documents and artifacts related to student life at Irving High School during the 1920s, 1940s, and early 1950s. Ask the Archivist for assistance.

Container List

Series I. Scrapbook, 1937-1940

Box 1

Irving High School Scrapbook, 1937-1940.

The scrapbook contains issues of the Irving High School newspaper, the *Tiger Rag*, dating from 1937 to 1940. The bulk is from 1938 and 1940. The scrapbook also contains a booklet entitled "Who's Who in Irving High School, 1939-1940," senior play programs, a commencement exercise program for the senior class of 1940, newspaper clippings about senior class activities, and an article about and obituaries for fellow 1940 graduate Kenneth Warren.

List of the dates of the *Tiger Rag* issues in the scrapbook:

12/6/1937
12/22/1937
1/10/1938
1/24/1938
2/7/1938
2/21/1938
3/7/1938
3/21/1938
4/4/1938
4/25/1938
5/2/1938
5/16/1938
5/27/1938
9/30/1938
10/7/1938
10/14/1938
10/28/1938 (2 copies)
11/4/1938
11/11/1938
11/18/1938

12/4/1938
12/10/1938
2/25/1939
1/19/1940
2/2/1940
2/16/1940
3/1/1940
4/5/1940
4/19/1940
5/3/1940
5/31/1940