

LMH Archive selected Subject Index

This list highlights some of our key collections for research. It is not exhaustive so please do contact the Archivist for information about further materials which may be of interest.

EARLY COLLEGE HISTORY & WOMEN'S EDUCATION

Cuttings Album 3:

Selected newspaper cuttings and articles, including:

'Lady Margaret Hall, Oxford' by Eleanor E. Helme *'Ladies Pictorial'* c. 1923

'Women's Education in Oxford' *The Observer* c. 1928

'Lady Margaret Hall 1878-1920' *Time & Tide* c. 1928

Photograph of the Principals of the women's Hall's gaining their Honorary Degrees (c. 1920),
Cutting; ' Dress of Women members of the University' c. 1920

Booklet: 'The Four Oxford Women's Colleges' (Appeal Fund, 1923)

Cuttings Album relating to the university debate about the quota of women students c. 1927

Annual Reports; outlines developments in college, finances.

The Fritillary [housed in Library]; Produced by students of the Oxford Women's Halls, contains news from the Halls and articles

The Daisy [housed in Library]; LMH Student Magazine: No. 1, February 8, 1890 to No. 9, December 7, 1891 includes notes from the editors, Reports from various committees, review of that season's debates and poems, riddles, jokes, travel logs, campus events, and Chapel events.



The first nine students c. October 1879

SUFFRAGE:

Dame Kathleen Courtney letters: 11 Bundles.

Dame Kathleen Courtney (1878-1974) suffragist and peace campaigner.

Includes letters from her friends and college contemporaries; suffragist and preacher Maude Royden (1876 – 1956), LMH 1896 – 1899 History and Evelyn Gunter (1875 – 1954)

Helena Deneke Memoir (Vol.III) : Description of 1913 suffrage march through Oxford [Deposit 1]

CO-EDUCATION

2016. 002: Student recollections from late 1970's

Sound Archive: Apple of Discord (BBC Radio Oxford, 1978), audio recording about LMH centenary, discussing college's decision to go co-educational.

SPORT:

The Brown Books (the annual journal of news for former students) mentions sporting news and achievements from 1893 onwards

Annual Reports: team lists

Album 15: compiled by former student S. Bryan Brown (LMH 1912-1915) contains photographs of **hockey teams** and also detailed reports about the Inter-University Oxford vs Cambridge match held at Lords c.1914 and again at Richmond c.1915. These cuttings are taken from *'The Ladies Field'*

JCR/5/1: JCR Hockey fixture book (1922-1947)

JCR/5/3: Minutes of the LMH Boat Club (1899-1957)

Album 5: Rowing: cutting about LMH Women's Eights c. 1969

Photographs of teams



LMH Tennis Team c. 1913

STUDENT LIFE & LEISURE

Deposit 27: Letter (c. 1988) of reminiscences of Margaret Erskine Clark about her undergraduate years at LMH (1921-1924): cycling, rowing.

2016.002: Student Reminiscences (forms sent out by College) 1922-1993

Photographs: E. O. Hoppe scans: Photographs by photographer Emil. O Hoppe of LMH in the early 1930s, showing students relaxing, in tutorials, and playing sports

The Brown Book:

'100 Years of Hall Gossip' (1978)

JCR publications; 'Loo News', alternative prospectuses

2016.002: Letters from Jean Gardiner (LMH 1917) discussing degrees for women, Eights week (rowing) and preparations for a dance at LMH (May 1920)



Picnic by the river Cherwell c. 1918

THEATRICAL PRODUCTIONS:

Annual Reports

Elizabeth Wordsworth papers: various play scripts by the first Principal including c.1892 'Apple of Discord' annotated play booklet.

2016.002: Letter from Jean Gardiner (LMH, 1917) describing the staging of 'Twelfth Night' (November 1919)

JCR/5/5: Play booklets c. 1906-1909; mainly 2nd year plays, cuttings booklet c. 1906.

Sound Archive: 2016.003: 'Apple of Discord' BBC Radio programme c. 1978, extracts from student production during centenary celebrations.

PHOTOGRAPHS and cuttings: **Albums 13 & 14, Jean Gardiner photograph album**

JCR papers: Drama posters



Student play c. 1917 (Album 14)

ARCHITECTURE & GROUNDS

Plans:

Architectural drawings and plans by Architects: Basil Champneys (New Old Hall) Sir Reginald Blomfield (Talbot, Toynbee, Wordsworth Buildings), Sir Giles Gilbert Scott (Deneke & Chapel), Raymond Erith (Library and Wolfson North) and Christophe Grillet (Lea & Sutherland Buildings).

Alongside plans, Key records include:

Annual Reports

Album 3:

Cutting: 'A New block at Lady Margaret Hall' by C. Campbell Crowther [The Architects Journal, August 25th 1926]

Album 4:

Photographs of construction of Deneke Building and Chapel, architect **Sir Giles Gilbert Scott**

Newspaper cuttings, magazine articles c. 1933

Helena Deneke memoir (Vol. III) Details the construction of the buildings, memories of working with Giles Gilbert Scott.

Album 5:

Appeal booklet for construction of the Library (c. 1959), photographs of construction (1959), official opening by the Queen.



Lady Margaret Hall c. 1935

MUSIC

Helena Deneke memoir: Chapter on music at LMH Chapel, detailing visits to LMH by composer Ernest Walker as well as Albert Einstein and Albert Schweitzer.

Music Society papers; recital posters and programmes

INDUSTRIAL RELATIONS

Lynda Grier papers: Economist Lynda Grier (1880-1967) was LMH's third Principal from 1921-1945. Her letters with Sir Michael Sadler, Master of University College, Oxford discuss attitudes and government policy towards the 1926 general strike.



Miss Grier in her room, 1942

Lynda Grier

WORLD WARS

The Brown Books 1914-1918; Life in College, dispatches from students and staff undertaking war work. Subjects covered include nursing in Malta, teaching Belgian refugees and the workings of the Oxford Women's Suffrage Canteens on the Western Front.

Deposit 15: Recollections of

Cuttings Album 3: Letter about JCR War Work c. 1917

Deposit 18: Recollections of LMH by F.M Swann (LMH 1912-1916): TS memoir 'Four-Score Years & More'

Cuttings Album 4: Photographs of vegetable gardens in College grounds c. 1940-1941 pp. 36-37

A.R.P details of practice to test precautions (letter by Principal c. June 1940)

War-time Record 1939-1941 (booklet), newspaper cuttings, regulations (June 1943), Lucy Sutherland Ration Book

Mary Coate papers [deposit 59]: Mary Coate was History Fellow 1922-1946. Letters with the de Gaulle family [Elisabeth de Gaulle was a student at LMH 1942-1944], letters with the Amis des Volontaires Francais [A.V.F] and with Lucie Aubrac, tutor and prominent member of the French Resistance, regarding Coate's donation to aid the running of Children's Centres across France.

Deposit 64: Typed extracts of letters home by Pamela Creek LMH 1942-1945, Includes references to war work.



DOMESTIC

Deposit 108 : ' One of Emily's Girls' Recollections of Mary Cripps, maid at LMH 1926-1928 c. 1971; detailing domestic working routines, characteristics of staff and students, recollections about the Housekeeper Emily Sherlock, and memories of the 1928 LMH Jubilee celebrations.

Helena Deneke Memoir 'What I Remember' (Vol. III), chapter on retirement of Emily Sherlock (Housekeeper) in 1940 [deposit 1]



LMH Maids with Housekeeper Emily Sherlock c.1938

CHARITY WORK AND LADY MARGARET HALL SETTLEMENT

Eglantyne Jebb papers: Eglantyne Jebb [LMH 1895] founder the Save the Children Fund; '*A Journey to the Balkans*' (on behalf of the Macedonian Relief Fund, February/March 1913) manuscript by Jebb.

Lady Margaret Hall Settlement (Lambeth):

'Some thoughts on the LMH Settlement' c. 1941 by M.J Roxburgh (LMH, 1919-1922)

'The work and traditions of L.M.H.S in its early days' by K. Thicknesse (LMH, 1895)

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