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BIOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION

Louise Ines Doyle (15 May 1912-25 July 2007), an active philanthropist and avid traveler, was the daughter of plastics magnate Bernard Wendell Doyle (1873-26 December 1949) and Elizabeth Parsons Haley Doyle (23 February 1872-5 September 1946). Louise Doyle's lifelong residence was the family estate on Lindell Avenue in Leominster, Massachusetts, which her father purchased in 1908. Her mother, Elizabeth Haley Doyle was the daughter of David Haley (21 February 1840-22 September 1905) and Abby Custer Putnam Haley (24 April 1843-17 January 1883).

Her father, Bernard Wendell Doyle, was born in Leominster, Massachusetts to factory worker Bernard Doyle and his wife Ann Gurry Doyle (b. 1849?). He graduated from Leominster High School in 1891 and attended Eastman Commercial College in Poughkeepsie, New York. Doyle worked for The Horn and Supply Company in Leominster, where the comb industry was flourishing. At the time, combs were primarily manufactured from animal horn. By 1897, he was the company's Secretary and General Manager. During a trip to Paris, Doyle was introduced to a pioneering plastic compound, pyroxylin.

In 1901, Doyle co-founded Sterling Comb Company with Alexander Paton and Ludwig Stross in Leominster, MA. They manufactured hair combs and ornaments, replacing the traditional animal horn with plastic. The company expanded to other toiletry articles in 1910 as sales declined for hair ornaments. The company consolidated a number of smaller plastics manufactures, including the Harvard Novelty Company, and the Paton Company, under the name Viscoloid Company. In 1914, the company began marketing pyroxylin plastic toys. The toy industry quickly became the company's most profitable, and Viscoloid was soon the leading pyroxylin plastic toy manufacturer in America. In 1923, Doyle became the Chief Executive of Viscoloid Company, the largest employer in Leominster. In 1925 he sold his interest in Viscoloid Company to DuPont, remaining Vice President of the renamed DuPont Viscoloid. In 1987, Doyle was named to the Plastics Hall of Fame. He was also involved with several other enterprises, including the Merchants National Bank of Boston, the Independent Lock Company of Fitchburg, and the Boston and Main Railroad.

Doyle helped found the Merchants National Bank of Leominster in 1912, contributing to the infrastructure of Leominster, which would be incorporated as a city in 1915. In 1919 he donated 20 acres of land to construct a new hospital in the city. In 1925 Doyle was elected Mayor of Leominster, the second man to hold the post. He held the office for 2 terms of 2 years. In 1931, he donated Doyle Field to the city. When he died on December 26, 1949, he left his new wife, Rachel Butler, who he married in 1949, and two daughters, Louise Ines Doyle (15 May 1912-25 July 2007), and Marjorie Doyle Rockwell (10 April 1910-21 January 1995). Marjorie Doyle Rockwell was married to Richard C. Rockwell on 24 September 1932.

Louise Doyle was a 1934 graduate of Smith College. Thanks to her father's financial success, she was able to lend her support to numerous charities. Locally, she supported a number of groups, including the Leominster American Little League, the Fitchburg Art Museum, the Tower Hill Botanical Garden, and National Education for Assistant Dogs Services. Nationally, she donated funds for the American fine and decorative art collection at the Diplomatic Reception Rooms of the United States Department of State. Internationally she supported the Serengeti National Park in Tanzania.

She owned dogs throughout her life, adding a prefabricated building designed by the E. F. Hodgson Company to her family's property in 1936 to use as an approximately 380 square-foot kennel for her dogs. She was an active collector of international antiques; many were purchased during her worldwide travels.

Louise Doyle first gave land to The Trustees of Reservations in 1981, with additional gifts of land and financial support that led to the construction of the Doyle Center at the property in 2004. After her death in 2007, she gifted the rest of her family's property in Leominster to The Trustees, which is now a Community Park that consists of 157 acres of open space, including Pierce Meadow, part of the former Pierce Estate. For more information about the property go to www.thetrustees.org/

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DESCRIPTION OF THE PAPERS

The Louise I. Doyle Papers focus on Louise Ines Doyle, who donated her family's property in Leominster to The Trustees of Reservations; her first donation was in 1981. The bulk of the material is from 1980-2004. The Papers are organized into 11 series: Correspondence, Literary Productions, Financial Documents, Legal Documents, Diaries, Printed Material, Photographic Material, Media, Library, Maps and Plans, and Restricted Material.

Series I, Correspondence, includes business correspondence to B.W. Doyle from his representatives in Asia, an invitation to Louise Doyle's dog Gamble's birthday party, and a postcard from Louise Doyle from Yemen.

Series II, Literary Productions, includes notes possibly by B.W. Doyle about Franklin Delano Roosevelt, Louise Doyle's travel notes, and writings by Bella Strouse Rie (1877-1957), possibly a friend of the family.

Series III, Financial Documents, includes documents relating to cemetery plot purchases, Louise Doyle's donation to the Serengeti National Park, and a receipt for Louise Doyle's stay at the Crescent Hotel in Yemen.

Series IV, Legal Documents, includes a photocopy of B.W. Doyle's will.

Series V, Diaries, consists of datebooks and calendars kept by Louise Doyle that contain details of her daily life and the Memorial Book from her funeral.

Series VI, Printed Material, is organized into five subseries: Family Materials, Pet Materials, Travel Materials, Organizational Materials, and Other Materials. The first subseries, Family Materials, includes a wedding announcement of B.W. Doyle and Elizabeth Haley Doyle, information about B.W. Doyle's career, and Louise Doyle's birth record information.

The second subseries, Pet Materials, includes dog show awards and vaccination information for Louise Doyle's dogs.

The third subseries, Travel Materials, includes travel mementos, African menus, travel itineraries, and Louise Doyle's passports.

The fourth subseries, Organizational Materials, includes information about B.W. Doyle's philanthropy in Leominster, certificates recognizing Louise Doyle's donation to the Collections in the Diplomatic Reception Rooms of the United States State Department, and other materials relating to Louise Doyle's philanthropy.

The fifth subseries, Other Materials, includes alternative medicine materials collected by Louise Doyle, and a tree and shrub spreadsheet.

Series VII, Photographic Material, is organized into 15 subseries: Family Photographs, Historic Property Photographs, Louise I. Doyle Photographs, Identified People Photographs, Pet Photographs, Garden Photographs, Property Photographs, Holiday Photographs, Art Photographs, Trustees Work at the Doyle Estate, Travel Photographs, Glass Plate Negatives, Tintypes, Boxed Slides, and CD-ROMs of Photographs. The first subseries, Family Photographs, consists of photographs of Louise Doyle's parents, aunts, sister, and childhood photographs of Louise.

The second subseries, Historic Property Photographs, includes photographs of the Doyle Estate during B.W. Doyle's ownership of the property, before ownership passed to Louise Doyle.

The third subseries, Louise I. Doyle Photographs, includes headshots of Louise Doyle used for her passport, and photographs of Louise Doyle used in an exhibit.

The fourth subseries, Identified People Photographs, includes photographs that are identified either on the back of the photograph, or by Louise Doyle. The photographs include photographs of Louise Doyle with Mrs. Adele Rogers (wife of then Secretary of State William P. Rogers), and photographs of Louise Doyle with The Trustees of Reservations staff members.

The fifth subseries, Pet Photographs, consists of photographs of pets owned by either Louise Doyle or her family. The photographs include pictures taken at birthday parties held for dogs.

The sixth subseries, Garden Photographs, includes photographs of rhododendrons in front of the main house, photographs of garden tours, and slides of lily pads and flowers.

The seventh subseries, Property Photographs, consists of photographs of the Doyle Estate taken by Louise Doyle or her employees. Louise Doyle annotated a large percentage of the photographs, and many of the titles were taken from her writing on the envelopes.

The eighth subseries, Holiday Photographs, consists of photographs of Christmas decorations at the Doyle Estate, Christmas parties, and winter holiday events at the Doyle Estate.

The ninth subseries, Art Photographs, include photographs of artwork Louise Doyle gave to her alma mater Smith College.

The tenth subseries, Trustees Work at the Doyle Estate, includes photographs of construction of the Doyle Conservation Center, work on Pierce Meadow, and photographs of visits to potential properties.

The eleventh subseries, Travel Photographs, includes photographs taken during Louise Doyle trips around the world. The photographs include photographs of Doyle's Drift, a bridge made possible by her donation to wildlife organizations in East Africa, and photographs from The Trustees 1990 trip to England.

The twelfth subseries, Glass Plate Negatives, consists of a glass plate negative of B.W. Doyle's mother Anne Gurry Doyle.

The thirteenth subseries, Tintypes, includes tintypes of B.W. Doyle, Elizabeth Haley Doyle; some of these tintypes include their family and friends. Louise Doyle identified many of the tintypes in writing.

The fourteenth subseries, Boxed Slides, consists of slides in boxes that were labeled by Louise Doyle. These slides are primarily of the property with some slides of pets. These slides are stored with the Media Series.

The fifteenth subseries, CD-ROMs of Photographs, consists of deer photographs by Scott LaPrade.

Series VIII, Media, is organized into three subseries: Cassette Tapes, Videotapes, and Film Strips. The first subseries, Cassette Tapes, includes psychic readings and mantras.

The second subseries, Videotapes, includes recordings about Leominster history and Doyle Estate wildlife.

The third subseries, Film Strips, consists of two unlabeled filmstrips.

Series IX, Library, is organized into two subseries: Books and Booklets, and Travel Brochures. The first subseries, Books and Booklets, includes Louise Doyle's Smith College Yearbook, librettos and playbills from stage productions, and programs from Castle Hill Festival Events.

The second subseries, Travel Brochures, consists of travel brochures used by Louise Doyle during her worldwide travels. The brochures are grouped by region.

Series X, Maps and Plans, includes copies of plans for the Estate of Harry L. Pierce in Leominster, MA and National Geographic maps.

Series XI, Restricted Material, consists of materials limited to the use of The Trustees staff members or by permission of the head archivist.

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
Series I. Correspondence			
0.4' (1 box)			
Dates: 1913-2009, n.d.			
Series I, Correspondence, is organized chronologically.			
CORRESPONDENCE			
1	1	Business correspondence to B.W. Doyle from Asia	1913-1914
1	1	Letter from Bella Strouse Rie (1877-1957) to Unknown	1930 Oct 17
1	2	Invitation to Barnstable Tercentenary event	1939
Includes a printed historical sketch of Barnstable.			
1	3	Letter to B.W. Doyle about his attitude toward Louise	1942
1	4	Postcards from Russ Hemphill while Vienna/Austria trip	1963
1	4	Postcard from Swaziland	1963
1	5	Postcard written by Louise Doyle in Yemen	1965
1	6	Envelopes with Johnny Appleseed stamp	1966
1	7	Dog Breeding correspondence	1970
1	8	Correspondence regarding Department of State Diplomatic rooms	1971, 1978, 2000
1	9	Trustees of Reservations annual meeting invite	1983
Meeting held at her property			
1	10	Dog Gamble birthday party invite	1986 Jul 5
1	11	Correspondence removed from Plastics Hall of Fame materials	1987

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
CORRESPONDENCE			
1	12	Thank you letter from Guide Dog Foundation for the Blind, Inc.	1988 Jun 8
1	12	Metropolitan Opera Association thank you letter	1993 Jan 7
1	13	Thank you cards from Worcester Horticultural Society	1996, n.d.
1	14	Fitchburg Art Museum invitation	1999
1	15	Postcards	2000, n.d.
		Includes postcards of Doyle House.	
1	16	Correspondence from Rocky Mountain Shambhala Center	2001 May
		Includes printed materials	
1	17	Invitation to The Trustees 1891 Society event	2001
1	17	Doyle Center open house invitation	2002
1	17	Doyle CC groundbreaking invitation	2003
1	18	From Gordon D. Lankton, president of the Doyle Plastics Museum	2005 Apr 7
		Asking for endowment	
1	19	Postcard from Moscow Gordon D. Lankton	2007
1	20	Invitation to Louise Doyle's memorial service	2007
1	21	Leominster Historical Commission thank you to Dick O'Brien	2009
1	22	Cards	n.d.
		Including some cards from her dogs	

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
CORRESPONDENCE			
1	23	Card with dog photographs	n.d.
1	23	Note to “Alan” from Louise Doyle	n.d.

Series II. Literary Productions

0.3' (2 boxes)

Dates: 1940-2006, n.d.

Series II, Literary Productions, is organized chronologically with a significant amount of undated material.

LITERARY PRODUCTIONS

1	24	Typed writings about Franklin Delano Roosevelt presidency	[1940s]
1	25	Handwritten and typed recipes	1946, n.d.
1	26	“With love” by Bella Strouse Rie (1877-1957)	1953
1	27	Notes taken while traveling	1963, n.d.
1	28	Christmas party notes	1988, n.d.
1	29	Pet health notes	1985-1994, n.d.
1	30	Transcript of remarks by Secretary of State Colin L. Powell at reception for donors to Diplomatic Reception Rooms	2001 Mar 30
1	31	Travel notes	2001, n.d.
1	32	List of sent Christmas cards	2005-2006
2	1	Printed poems written during trips	n.d.
2	2	Handwritten notes	n.d.

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
LITERARY PRODUCTIONS			
2	3	Typed speech honoring John Wheaton Trexler of Worcester Horticultural Society	n.d.
2	4	Typed notes for travel courses	n.d.
2	5	Travel notes and drafts of letters	n.d.
2	6	Telephone lists	n.d.
2	7	Name tags	n.d.
2	8	Italian language notes	n.d.

Series III. Financial Documents

0.5' (1 box)

Dates: 1908-2005, n.d.

Series III, Financial Documents, is organized chronologically.

FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS

2	9	Cemetery plot purchase	1908
2	10	Cemetery plot purchase	1925, 1935
2	11	Serengeti National Park donation	1963-1967
2	12	Purchase of prospector share in the Seychelles Islands	1963
2	12	Fallon Animal Clinic receipt	1990 Oct 18
2	13	Bartlett Tree Experts bills	2005
2	14	Jackson and Perkins gift lists	n.d.

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
FINANCIAL DOCUMENTS			
2	15	Bose Radio purchase information	n.d.
2	16	Crescent Hotel Yemen receipt	n.d.
2	16	Travel receipts	n.d.
2	17	Harry and David gift list	n.d.

Series IV. Legal Documents

0.2' (1 box)
Dates: 1925, 1956

Series IV, Legal Documents, is organized chronologically.

LEGAL DOCUMENTS

2	18	Ludwig Stross will	1925
2	18	Photocopy of B.W. Doyle will	1956

Series V. Diaries

1.5' (3 boxes)
Dates: 1969-2007

Series V, Diaries, is organized chronologically.

DIARIES

3		Datebook	1969
3		Datebook	1970
3		Datebook	1971
3		Datebook	1972

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
		DIARIES	
3		Datebook	1973
3		Datebook	1974
3		Datebook	1975
3		Datebook	1976
3		Datebook	1977
3		Datebook	1978
3		Datebook	1979
3		Datebook	1980
3		Datebook	1981
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3		Datebook	1985
3		Datebook	1986
4		Datebook	1987
4		Datebook	1988
4		Datebook	1989
4		Datebook	1990
4		Datebook	1991
4		Calendar	1991

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
DIARIES			
4		Datebook	1992
4		Datebook	1993
4		Address book	1993-2003
4		Weekly Minder	1994
4		Weekly Minder	1995
4		Week at a Glance	1996
5		Weekly Glance	1997
5		Weekly Glance	1998
5		Weekly Glance	1999
5	1	Materials removed from Weekly Glance	1999
5		Address book	1999-2004
5	2	Materials removed From Address book	n.d.
5		Weekly Glance	2000
5		Weekly Glance	2001
5	3	Materials Removed from Weekly Glance 2001	2001
5		Weekly Glance	2002
5	4	Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States calendar	2007
Annotated			
5	5	Memorial book from funeral	2007

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
Series VI. Printed Material			
0.2' (1 box)			
Dates: 1909-2009, n.d.			
Series VI, Printed Material, is organized into five subseries: Family Materials, Pet Materials, Travel Materials, Organizational Materials, and Other Materials. Each subseries is arranged chronologically.			
FAMILY MATERIALS			
6	1	Wedding announcement for Bernard Wendell Doyle and Elizabeth Parsons Haley	1909 Feb 22
6	2	B.W. Doyle newspaper clippings Includes articles about his wedding and death	1909-1949
6	3	Bernard W. Doyle political campaign materials	[1920s]
6	4	Printed copies of Hon. B. W. Doyle's inaugural addresses Newspaper clippings about B.W. Doyle donations Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 3	1926-1929 1927-1931
6	5	Photocopy of <i>Leominster Daily Enterprise</i> Includes information about B.W. Doyle's company and the town of Leominster	1935 Dec 5
6	5	Certificate copy of birth record information Louise Doyle	1947
6	5	<i>Congressional Record</i> Page A 193 includes remarks about B.W. Doyle	1950 Jan 12
6	6	Calling cards Louise Doyle	n.d.

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
FAMILY MATERIALS			
		Leominster Historical Society sign about Doyle Family	n.d.
		Stored in: Broadside Cabinet 4, Folder F, Broadside Folder 1	
PET MATERIALS			
6	7	Ethiopian veterinary certificate	1963
6	7	Dog certificates	1969-1982
6	8	Dog show awards	1982-1983
6	9	Rabies certificates for dogs	1984-1986, n.d.
		Includes notes on vaccinations	
TRAVEL MATERIALS			
6	10	Passport	1953-1995
		6 passports	
6	11	Travel newspaper clippings	1962-1980
6	12	Austrian menu 1963	
6	13	Travel itinerary for African safari	1963
6	13	Zambesi certificate	1963
6	14	Clippings about trip to Yemen	1965
6	15	Oriental Institute materials	1982
		Includes travel itineraries for Egypt, Greece and Crete	

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
TRAVEL MATERIALS			
6	16	Opera travel course materials	2001
6	17	Seychelles clipping	n.d.
6	18	Travel itineraries	n.d.
6	19	Travel mementos	n.d.
6	20	Menus for meals during trips to Africa	n.d.
ORGANIZATIONAL MATERIALS			
7	1	Leominster Hospital brochure	[1930s]
7	2	B.W. Doyle Stadium clippings	1931
7	3	B.W. Doyle Stadium dedication pamphlet	1931 Oct 10
7	4	1934 class Smith Supper name badge	1954
7	5	Joseph Wright of Derby Exhibit	1960
		Durlacher Bros.	
7	6	Trustees of Reservations booklets	1968, n.d.
		Charles W. Ward Reservation	
		Naumkeag	
		Pine Hollow Interpretive Trail	
28	2	<i>Americana in the Diplomatic Rooms</i> booklet	1970
Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 2			

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
ORGANIZATIONAL MATERIALS			
		Mind Control Institute Inc. diploma	1971 Jun 20
		Completion of course in Psychic Operation Lardo, Texas	
		Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 11	
7	7	Certificate signed by Secretary of State William Rogers	1970 Dec 31
		Recognizing Louise Doyle as a Patron of the Collections in the Diplomatic Reception Rooms of the Department of State	
7	7	Certificate signed by Secretary of State Cyrus Vance	1978 Oct 10
		Recognizing Louise Doyle as a Major Benefactor of the Collections in the Diplomatic Reception Rooms of the Department of State	
7	7	Certificate signed by Secretary of State Warren Christopher	1994 Apr 29
		Recognizing Louise Doyle as a Major Philanthropist of the Collections in the Diplomatic Reception Rooms of the Department of State	
7	8	State Department Reception Room information	1974
7	9	Ethics Booklet American Association of Museums	1978
7	9	Fitchburg Art Museum clippings	1978
ORGANIZATIONAL MATERIALS			
		American Antiquarian Society certificate	1979 Oct
		Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 11	
7	10	Diplomatic Rooms information	[1980s]

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
ORGANIZATIONAL MATERIALS			
7	11	National Plastics Museum Information Includes biographical information on B. W. Doyle	1982-1992, n.d.
7	12	Landscape inventory Department of Environmental Management	1982
7	13	Museum of Fine Arts materials	1982, 1984
7	14	The Trustees of Reservations spring newsletter Includes article about Dick O'Brien	1985
7	15	Leominster Town History materials	1984, 1990, n.d.
7	16	Dick O'Brien clipping	1984
7	17	Architecture clippings	1984
7	18	Leominster clippings Includes reprints of 19 th -Century articles Collected by Robert C. Laserte, Public Relations for Leominster Historical Commission and Society	1986-1995
8	1	Brochure for Worcester County Museums	[1990s]

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
ORGANIZATIONAL MATERIALS			
8	2	MSPCA President's Award materials Photograph removed	1990-1995
8	3	Boston Globe clipping about 100 th Anniversary of The Trustees	1991
8	4	National Plastics Museum newsletters	1991- 2000
8	5	The Trustees of Reservations 100 th Anniversary booklets	1991
8	6	Plastics Museum clipping and brochures	1992-1994
8	7	Fitchburg Art Museum clippings	1994-1998
8	8	Nashua River canoe guide	1994
8	9	Fitchburg Art Museum clippings	1994-1998
8	10	Plastics Museum information	1993-1999
8	11	The Trustees newsletters	1995-1996
8	12	Article about Chinese lotus slippers Given to Fitchburg Art Museum in 2001.	1995
8	13	The Trustees of Reservations "Special Places" magazine	1995-2002
8	14	Tower Hill Botanic Garden newsletter and publications	1995-1997
8	15	Doyle Estate event information	1996
8	16	Worcester County Horticultural Society newsletters	1996-2002
8	17	The Trustees of Reservations Property Guide	1996

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
ORGANIZATIONAL MATERIALS			
8	18	Clipping about property gift to The Trustees of Reservations	1996 Jun 27
9	1	Clippings about The Trustees Focus on Central Region	1997
9	2	Fitchburg Art Museum clippings	1998
9	3	Museum Loan Network Magazine	1998-1999
9	4	The Trustees of Reservations Annual Report	1998
9	5	Leominster history clippings	1999
9	6	Johnny Appleseed materials	1999
9	7	Land of Commonwealth order form	2000
9	8	Flora Danica service clipping	2000
9	9	Smith College Club of Fitchburg newsletter	2001 May
9	10	Plastic Museum clippings	2001
9	11	The Trustees clippings	2001
9	12	Alzheimer's clippings	2001
9	13	Clipping about State Department Diplomatic Reception Rooms	2001
9	14	Tufts University School Veterinary School of Medicine	2001
9	15	The Royal Oak newsletter	2001
9	16	Leominster Planning Board clipping	2002

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
ORGANIZATIONAL MATERIALS			
9	17	Printed card with information about Hearing Dog Louise, named after Louise Doyle	2009 Jun
9	18	A Guide to the Sedgwick Gardens at Long Hill	n.d.
9	19	Address labels and business cards	n.d.
9	20	Tufts University School of Vet Medicine “Panda” Certificate	n.d.
9	20	Boomer examination room at MSCPA	n.d.
9	21	World Wildlife Fund Certificate	n.d.
9	21	“Melody in C Minor” for Louise I. Doyle by Jim Reynolds	n.d.
9	21	Fitchburg Art Museum Painting donation clipping	n.d.
OTHER MATERIALS			
9	22	Alternative Medicine Information	1999, n.d.
9	23	Organic Food Clippings	n.d.
9	24	Tree and Shrub Spreadsheet	n.d.

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Series VII. Photographs

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Dates: 1914-2007, n.d.

Series VII, Photographs, is organized into 15 subseries: Family Photographs, Historic Property Photographs, Louise I. Doyle Photographs, Identified People Photographs, Pet Photographs, Garden Photographs, Property Photographs, Holiday Photographs, Art Photographs, Trustees Work at the Doyle Estate, Travel Photographs, Glass Plate Negatives, Tintypes, Boxed Slides, and CD-ROMs of Photographs. Many of the folder titles were taken from annotations by Louise Doyle.

FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS

10	1	Photograph of Elizabeth Haley Doyle as child	n.d.
10	1	Maude Haley as child	n.d.
10	2	Elizabeth Haley Doyle	n.d.
10	2	Maude Haley	n.d.
10	2	B.W. Doyle as young man	n.d.
10	3	Elizabeth Haley Doyle	n.d.
10	3	Maude Haley	n.d.
10	3	B.W. Doyle as young man	n.d.
10	4	Elizabeth Doyle as secretary	n.d.
10	4	Elizabeth Doyle portrait	n.d.
10	5	Louise Doyle	1915-1949
10	6	Identified family photographs	1914-1969, n.d.
10	7	Unidentified family photographs	n.d.
10	8	Dog "Leeka"	n.d.

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
FAMILY PHOTOGRAPHS			
10	8	Boy in front of Christmas tree Possibly B.W. Doyle.	n.d.
10	9	Printouts of photographs Includes some photographs of property	n.d.
10	10	Annotated family photographs Some from Exhibit	n.d.
		Marjorie Doyle Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 5	n.d.
		Woman in wedding dress Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 5	n.d.
		Doyle family Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 6	1919
		Marjorie Doyle Rockwell and Richard Rockwell wedding Photographs annotated by Louise Doyle Photos by Savoy Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 7	1932 Sep 24
		Elizabeth Haley Doyle Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 8	n.d.

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
HISTORIC PROPERTY PHOTOGRAPHS			
10	11-12	Historic photographs of the property Some from exhibit	n.d.
10	13	Photographs removed from Property Album	
LOUISE I. DOYLE PHOTOGRAPHS			
		Louise Doyle Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 1	1917
10	14	Photographs of Louise Doyle Many labeled for exhibit use. Includes childhood photographs	n.d.
10	15	Headshots Louise Doyle Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 6	n.d. 1922
IDENTIFIED PEOPLE PHOTOGRAPHS			
11	1	Louise Doyle with identified people Most Photos and captions from Exhibit	n.d.
11	1	With Mrs. Rogers Wife of the Secretary of State	1971 Jun 21
11	1	Louise with Betty and Ralph Miller	1989 Aug
11	1	Photographs of Midge's birthday	1990
11	1	Norton Sloane and Louise I. Doyle	

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
IDENTIFIED PEOPLE PHOTOGRAPHS			
		Conservationist of Year	1996 Sep 18
11	1	Petterson Family	1999 Jan 29
11	1	With The Trustees staff	2000 May 15
11	1	Sears Family	n.d.
11	1	Identified family members	n.d.
11	1	Induction ceremony to Plastics Hall of Fame B.W. Doyle	1987
11	1	Louise Doyle and John Trexler	
		Dick O'Brien, L. Doyle, and John Trexler of Tower Hill Botanical Garden at Ashintully in Tyringham, Massachusetts	1999 May 14
		Removed from mount, annotated by L. Doyle	
		Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 10	
PET PHOTOGRAPHS			
11	2	Identified dogs from exhibit	1949-1983
11	3	Dogs outside	[1950s-1960s]
11	3	Jimmie and Sheba	1966
11	3	Photographs removed from dog breeding correspondence	1970, n.d.
11	4	Annotated dog photographs	1972-1999, n.d.
11	5	Identified photographs of dogs	1977-1982
11	6	Identified photographs of dogs	1982, 1985
11	7	Gamble's 15 th birthday party	1986

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PET PHOTOGRAPHS			
11	8	Pet photographs Some annotated	1986-2001
11	9	Panda and Jason	1989
11	10	Puppies	1989
11	11	Boomer's birthday party	1989
11	11	Dogs	1990-1991
11	11	Dogs with Santa	1990
11	12	Panda and Jason	1990, 1991
11	12	Snowy, Panda, Jason	1991 Dec
11	13	Photographs removed from MSPCA materials Includes photograph of dogs in ambulance	1990-1995
11	14	Dog Rescue Room dedication	2000
11	15	Colorized photograph of Coco	n.d.
11	16	Dog and cats inside and outside Includes slides.	n.d.
11	17	MSPCA tour	n.d.
11	18	Coco photographs	n.d.
GARDEN PHOTOGRAPHS			
12	1	Garden photographs	1988
12	2	Garden slides	n.d.

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GARDEN PHOTOGRAPHS			
12	3	Garden photographs	1989
12	3	Sam in garden 1989	
12	4	Garden Tour day	1996
12	5	Rhododendrons in front of house	1991
12	6	Rhododendrons	1998
12	7	Yard	2000 Spr
12	8	Lily pads and flowers	2005
PROPERTY PHOTOGRAPHS			
12	9	Care car? accident and tree	1977
12	9	Property photographs	1986, 1989
12	10	Property photographs	1987
12	11	Sunrise and sunset	1989, 2000
12	11	Flowers and deer	1990
12	12	Snow scenes	1990
12	12	Enlargement of Field Pond	1990
12	13	Cake	1991 Aug
12	13	Photographs taken by Ruthie	1991-1992
12	14	Geese	1991 Dec
12	15	Snow scenes	1992-1993
12	16	1992 photographs	1992

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PROPERTY PHOTOGRAPHS			
12	17	Bridge	1993-1994
12	18	August and winter	1993
12	19	Owl rescue photographs	1994
12	20	Snow photographs	1996, 2000
12	21	Goose and goslings	1999
12	21	Sunset and garden	2001
12	22	June 2001	2001 Jun
12	23	Doyle Estate	n.d.
		Black and white photographs of Doyle property	n.d.
		Likely removed from album Annotated by Louise Doyle	
		Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 10	
HOLIDAY PHOTOGRAPHS			
12	24	Christmas Party decorations	1985, n.d.
12	25	Christmas	1991
12	26	Holiday party	1991
		Some individuals identified	
12	26	Sing, Sing event at Doyle House	1999 Dec 16
12	27	Holiday gathering	2000
		Some individuals identified	

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
ART PHOTOGRAPHS			
12	28	Photographs of artwork	2003, n.d.
		Includes photograph of painting given to Smith College	
		Includes photograph titled "Autumn"	
		Includes David A. Kourtz photographs of waterfall	
TRUSTEES WORK AT THE DOYLE ESTATE			
13	1	Exterior construction	1990-2001
		Includes construction of Pierce Meadow	
13	2	Construction	1993
13	3	Construction	1995, n.d.
13	4-6	Construction	[1990s]
		Unknown property	
13	7	Land work album	[1990s]
13	8	Doyle construction slides	1996
13	9-11	Construction	1996-1997
13	12	Tree takedown	[1990s]
13	12	Pierce Meadow event	[2000s]
13	12	Monoosnoc Brook	1996
14	1	Sholan Farms tour	1999

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TRUSTEES WORK AT THE DOYLE ESTATE			
14	2	Crane work	1999
14	3	Doyle groundbreaking	2003 May 15
14	4	Doyle Center Charles Eliot Society event	2004 Jun 26
14	5	Pierce Meadow event	[2000s]
14	6	Dexter Drumlin photographs	2001
14	7-8	Doyle Community Center event	[2000s]
14	9	95 th birthday party with The Trustees staff	2007 May 15
14	9	Land work album	n.d.
TRAVEL PHOTOGRAPHS			
15	1	Travel photographs	1959, n.d.
15	2	Travel photographs	1963-1989, n.d.
Some from exhibit			
15	3	Yemen photographs	1965
15	4	Doyle's Drift	1967
15	5	Travel slides	1969, 1971
15	6	China slides	1985
15	7	Germany, Russia, Cambodia	1986-1991
15	8	Travel photographs	1988-1991
15	9-12	The Trustees' trip to England	1990 Sep

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TRAVEL PHOTOGRAPHS			
15	13	Venice slides	1991
15	14	Travel photograph	1999 Jun
15	15	Gordon Lankton photos of Moscow	2005
15	16	Asia postcards	n.d.
15	17	Ansel Adams postcards	n.d.
15	18	U.S. and Canada postcards	n.d.
15	19	Europe postcards	n.d.
15	20	Museum postcards	n.d.
15	21	Opera postcards	n.d.
GLASS PLATE NEGATIVES			
16	1	Ann Gurry Doyle glass plate negative	n.d.
		Stored in: Glass Plate Negative Storage, Small Box 2	
TINTYPES			
16	2	Elizabeth Hadley and Maude Tisdale	n.d.
		Possibly the sister of Elizabeth Hadley Doyle	
16	3	Elizabeth Hadley toddler	n.d.
16	4	B.W. Doyle and friends	n.d.
16	5	B.W. Doyle and parents	n.d.
16	6	2 unidentified girls	n.d.

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		73 on label on back	
16	7	Ann Gurry Doyle	n.d.
		TINTYPES	
16	8	Elizabeth Haley and friends- 4 people	n.d.
16	9	B.W. Doyle (baby) and his mother Ann Gurry	n.d.
16	10	Elizabeth Haley and friends- 3 people	n.d.
16	11	Elizabeth Hadley toddler	n.d.
16	12	B.W. Doyle and friends - 4 people	n.d.
16	13	Baby photo of B.W. Doyle on chair	n.d.
16	14	Baby photo of B.W. Doyle in dress	n.d.
		BOXED SLIDES	
17		Darling House	1977-1979
		640 Main Lunenburg 6 slides in box	
17		Home snow scenes	1969
		34 slides in box	
17		See house here & solar winter	1979
		37 slides in box	
17		Winter, snow, puppy	1982
		37 slides in box	
17		Unlabeled	1976

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
		11 x 5 1.2 cm. slide box 36 slides in box	
		BOXED SLIDES	
17		Home & digging pond me – Sam 9 slides in box	1978
17		Salt box 7 slides in box	1976
17		Snow scenes home 30 slides in box	1972
17		Home snow scenes 36 slides in box	1969
17		Loose slides in unlabeled box lid 33 slides	1972-1975
17		Sam & dogs envelope 9 slides in envelope	1981
17		New house 34 slides in red box	1973
17		Storm (snow) damage 27 slides in red box	1977 March
17		Home scenes silo & farm 37 slides in red box	1975

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17		New house – cats 36 slides in red box BOXED SLIDES	1973
17		Home – snow scenes 20 slides in red box	1979
17		New house 34 slides in red box	1973
17		Home snow scenes 36 slides in red box	1977
17		Construction cape house 32 slides in clear-top box	1973-1974
17		Construction cape house 59 slides in clear-top box CD-ROMS OF PHOTOGRAPHS	1973
17		Deer photographs By Scott LaPrade	2004 Nov

Series VIII. Media

0.2' (1 box)

Dates: 1957-2013, n.d.

Series VIII, Media, is organized into three subseries: Cassette Tapes, Videotapes, and Film Strips.

CASSETTE TAPES

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
17		American Sanskrit Institute	n.d.
		CASSETTE TAPES	
17		Astrology	1984
		2 tapes	
17		<i>Channeling</i>	[?] May 23
17		<i>The Gayatri Mantra</i>	1993
17		Clare Goodwin	2001
17		Clare Goodwin	2001 Feb 7
17		DNA therapy	n.d.
17		Jade	1998 Spr
17		Judith Michelson	1995
17		Linda Earhart	1997 Jan 30
17		Linda Reading	n.d.
17		Metéora Greece / church music	1984
17		Ramona	n.d.
17		Ramona – The Open Door – Divine Healing Light (day)	n.d.
17		The Open Door – Fear Release Cycle Reading Ramona	n.d.
17		Louise Balance by Ramona	n.d.
17		Ross Miller, Psychic Consultant	1998 July 2

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		CASSETTE TAPES	
17		Ross Miller, Psychic Consultant	1998 July 2
		2 of 2	
17		Ruth Drensten	1999
17		Sue Singleton is reading for Louise	1999 Feb 12
17		Tibetan Dream Yoga Tape 2	n.d.
17		Supertape Gold 90	n.d.
		Unlabeled	
17		Cassette box labeled Piccolo coro & Piccola orchestra – Hear my prayer	n.d.
		VIDEOTAPES	
17		Hurricane	1938
17		Happy Birthday – Doyle Wildlife	2003-2004
17		Made in Leominster	n.d.
		2 tapes	
17		Leominster Historical Society: Historical Footage from 35 mm Nitrate Original 2001	2001
		FILM STRIPS	
17		Unlabeled film strips	n.d.
		Two in red Cartier box	

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
Series IX. Library			
0.2' (1 box)			
Dates: 1957-2013, n.d.			
Series IX, Library, is organized into two subseries: Books and Booklets, and Travel Brochures.			
BOOKS AND BOOKLETS			
18		Castle Hill Festival concerts	1978
18		Smith College yearbook	1934
		Louise Ines Doyle page 59	
18		Axel Munthe's San Michele	n.d.
		A Guide for Visitors	
18		Booklets from Field School	1969 – 1985
		Leominster Historical Society	
18		Sheet from Leominster Historical Society	1991 Feb
18		Guidebook to Diplomatic Reception Rooms	1975 Jul
18		Guidebook to Diplomatic Reception Rooms	1971 Jan
18		Underground Railroad in New England booklets	1976
		Annotated on page 3	
18		Souvenir booklets of The National Bicentennial Leominster, Massachusetts	1976
18		Leominster 250 th anniversary souvenir book	1990
18		<i>My Leominster, A Children's Coloring Book</i>	1985

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BOOKS AND BOOKLETS			
18		Clipping from Worcester Telegram titled "Man on Moon"	1969
18		Souvenir program of the VIII Olympic Winter Games	1960
18		Booklet on "Lawrence of Arabia" film	1962
18		The Illustrated London News Coronation issue 2 copies	1937
18		Holiday Magazine	1963 June & Oct
18		Life Magazine	1963 Nov 29
		Librettos from Metropolitan Opera House	1893-1963
18		Red Librettos from Metropolitan Opera House & G. Schirmer Some annotated	1962, 1977
18		Librettos from Chicago Civic Opera Company Tannhaeuser includes newspaper article Some covers have 1928	n.d.
18		Playbills from the Opera Company of Boston 20 th season with 1978 newspaper clippings & poster on Stiffelio	1978
18		Stagebills from Lincoln Center Metropolitan Opera with newspaper clippings on Thais & Sherrill Milnes from Othello	1976, 1978, 1991
18		Small booklet with synopsis of Gotterdammerung James Levine	1990

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18		Sheet from Teatro alla Scala BOOKS AND BOOKLETS	1987, 1988
18		Berlioz Opera Guide	1978
18		Playbill from the New York City Ballet at Lincoln Center	1978 Spr
18		Playbill from the summer at the State Theater The Bolshoi Ballet	1979
18		The Bolshoi Ballet booklet	[1959]
18		Program from the Boston Ballet Company	[1966]
18		Program on Boston University Celebrity Series	1965-1966
18		Playbills from St. James Theatre	1965
18		Imperial Theatre	1966
18		Booklets on Soviet Theatre, including Masters of Soviet Circus, Oleg Popov & Ballet Stars	n.d.
18		NRT at Ford's Theatre with cartoon clippings	n.d.
18		The Concert Opera Orchestra	1978
18		Program from Boston Symphony Orchestra 98 th season	1978-1979
18		Program from Tanglewood	1992
		TRAVEL BROCHURES	
19	1	South Africa	n.d.
19	2-3	East Africa	n.d.
19	4	Central Africa	n.d.
19	4	Egypt	n.d.

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
19	4	Syria TRAVEL BROCHURES	n.d.
19	5	South America	n.d.
19	6	Vienna	n.d.
19	6	Croatia	n.d.
19	7	Italy	n.d.
19	7	Bavaria	n.d.
19	7	Austria	n.d.
19	7	Switzerland	n.d.
19	7	Greece	n.d.
19	8	Malta	n.d.
19	8	Turkey	n.d.
19	9	Airline Publications	n.d.

Series X. Maps and Plans

0.2' (1 box)

Dates: 1970-1990, n.d.

Series X, Maps and Plans, is consists of plans of the Pierce House and National Geographic Maps.

MAPS AND PLANS

Pierce House photographs and plans
from Leominster Historical Society

Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 4

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MAPS AND PLANS			
		Map of Magallanes Province	1977
Stored in: Oversize Box 28, Folder 12			
20	1	National Geographic Hudson River Valley Regional Travel Guide	1989
20	2	National Geographic Maps of Canadian Territories	1970-1980
20	3	National Geographic Maps of Regions in the United States	1973-1977
20	4	National Geographic <i>Making of America</i> Regional Maps	1982-1988
20	5	National Geographic <i>Making of Canada</i> Regional Maps	1993
20	6	National Geographic North American Maps	n.d.
20	7	National Geographic Animal, Bird, etc. Information	n.d.
20	8	National Geographic Anthropology, Archaeology, & History-related Maps	n.d.
20	9	National Geographic Earth's Fractured Surface Map	1995
20	10	National Geographic Endangered/Threatened Maps	n.d.
20	11	National Geographic – Great Peoples of the Past & Peoples of... Maps	[1990s]
20	12	National Geographic & Ocean Floor & Water-related	[1990s]
20	13	National Geographic Voices of the World Map	1999
20	14	National Geographic War/Conflict-related Maps	[1990s]
20	15	National Geographic Wilderness Maps	1989

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MAPS AND PLANS			
21	1	Road maps (Shell, British Tourist, Michelin, Daily Herald)	n.d.
21	2	National Geographic Africa Maps	[1990s]
21	3	National Geographic Antarctica Maps	[1990s]
21	4	National Geographic Asia & West Indies Maps	[1990s]
21	5	National Geographic Southeast Asia & New Guinea & Indonesia Maps	[1990s]
21	6	National Geographic Australia Maps & Information	[1990s]
21	7	National Geographic Europe Maps	[1990s]
21	8	National Geographic Extraterrestrial Maps	[1990s]
21	9	National Geographic Mexico & Central America Maps	[1990s]
21	10	National Geographic Middle East Maps	[1990s]
21	11	National Geographic Mount Everest Maps	[1990s]
21	12	National Geographic South America Maps & American Museum of Natural History's Amazon Voyage	[1990s]
21	13	National Geographic USSR & Russia Maps & Info	1990, n.d.
21	14	National Geographic World Maps	[1990s]

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
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Series XI. Restricted Material

2' (2 boxes)

Dates: 1952-2007, n.d.

Series VIII, Restricted Material, is limited to the use of The Trustees staff members or by permission of the head archivist.

RESTRICTED MATERIAL

22-26		Restricted Material	1952-2007
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OVERSIZED BOXES

27		The Boston Cooking School Cookbook By Fannie Merritt Farmer.	1941
28	1	Louise Doyle photograph	1917
28	2	<i>Americana in the Diplomatic Rooms</i> booklet	1970
28	3	Newspaper clippings about B.W. Doyle donations	1927-1931
28	4	Pierce House photographs and plans from Leominster Historical Society	
28	5	Marjorie Doyle photographs	n.d.
28	5	Woman in Wedding Dress	n.d.
28	6	Louise Doyle Two photographs	1922
28	6	Doyle Family photograph	1919

Box	Folder	Contents	Date
OVERSIZE BOXES			
28	7	Marjorie Doyle Rockwell wedding photos annotated by Louise to Mr. Richard Rockwell Photograph by Savoy	1932 Sep 24
28	8	Elizabeth Haley Doyle photograph	n.d.
28	10	Black and white photographs of Doyle property Likely removed from album Annotated by Louise Doyle	n.d.
28	10	Photograph of Dick O'Brien, L. Doyle and John Trexler of Tower Hill Botanical Garden at Ashintully in Tyringham, Massachusetts Removed from Mount annotated by L. Doyle	1999 May 14
28	11	Mind Control Institute Inc. diploma Completion of course in Psychic Operation Laredo, Texas	1971 Jun 20
28	11	American Antiquarian Society certificate	1979 Oct
28	12	Map of Magallanes Province	1977
28		Japan Times	
28		Showa Enthronement booklet	n.d.
28	13	Materials removed from Japan Times and Showa Enthronement	n.d.
BROADSIDE CABINET 4, DRAWER F			
BSD	1	Leominster Historical Society sign about Doyle Family	n.d.