Register of the Sharon Christensen Collection

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**Descriptive Summary**

**Call Number:** MSSI 99

**Title:** Sharon Christensen Collection

**Creator:** Christensen, Sharon

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**Extent:**

**Biographical History Abstract:** On April 11, 1901, Annie Taylor Hyde, daughter of John Taylor, invited 46 women to her home, all of whom were descendants of the 1847 pioneers. The Daughters of the Pioneers were organized with 50 members on that day. Their purpose was to perpetuate the names and achievements of the men and women who sacrificed their all and turned their faces to the west to seek homes in the valleys and the mountains.

**Scope Abstract:** This register contains scrapbooks of the Sarah Ann Barnes Camp and the Veleska Camp. The scrapbooks contain pictures, minutes and different activities that the camps participated in.

**Provenance**

Gift to BYU-Idaho.

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**Biographical History**

On the fiftieth anniversary of the pioneers entering the Salt Lake Valley, some of the pioneer daughters wanted to organize a patriotic society to keep alive the history and achievements of the pioneers. On April 11, 1901, Annie Taylor Hyde, daughter of John Taylor, invited 46 women to her home, all of whom were descendants of the 1847 pioneers. The Daughters of the Pioneers were organized with 50 members on that day. Their purpose was to perpetuate the names and achievements of the men and women who sacrificed their all and turned their faces to the west to seek homes in the valleys and the mountains.

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