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Title: Wing family papers

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Biographical or Historical Note

The family of Jehu Bartow Wing was prominent in the city of Roswell, Georgia. They resided in Bulloch Hall from 1907 until 1971.

Hattie Virginia Wing (nee Suddath, 1875 – 1971) was born in Roswell, GA to E. Belle Suddath. She married Jehu Bartow Wing in 1904 and moved into Bulloch Hall in 1905. Two years later J.B. Wing purchased the house, and Hattie had two children, Virginia Wing and J.B. Wing, Jr, both born at Bulloch Hall. Hattie's sister was Katherine (Kite) L. Suddath, and her niece was Marion, who married S.Y. Stribling.

J.B. "Toney" Wing, Jr. (1908 - 1990) was the son of Hattie Virginia Wing and J.B. Wing of Roswell. He married Francis Chambers in 1928 in Florida and lived in Bulloch Hall with his wife and mother. He later served in World War II.

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Francis Ethel Wing (nee Chambers, 1906 - 1971) was born to Mr. Aldine Chambers and Hattie Chambers of Atlanta. She married J.B. Wing, Jr. in 1928 and the couple had one daughter, Harriett Frances Wing, born in 1929. A Frances Chambers Wing memorial scholarship fund was established at Roswell High School after her death.

Virginia Power (nee Wing, 1906 - 1997) was the daughter of Hattie Virginia Wing. She married George Power in 1928 at Bulloch Hall, then moved to Chattanooga. She is the author of *Ginny's Chairs*, published in 1998 after her death. The couple had no children.

Helen M. Winters (1847 - 1919) married Rev. Julius T. Curtiss in 1879. She was the sister of E. Belle Suddath and the aunt of Hattie Virginia Wing.

Scope and Content

This collection consists of correspondence between Wing family members, primarily Hattie Virginia Wing (Suddath) and papers passed to her. Included are some early literary writings and correspondence of Helen M. Winters and World War II correspondence between her son J.B. "Toney" Wing, Jr. and his wife Francis. Also included are two oil paintings attributed to Hattie Virginia.

Organization Note

Organized in five series:

- (1) Hattie Virginia Wing letters and correspondence
- (2) J.B. "Toney" Wing and Francis Wing letters and correspondence
- (3) Helen M. Winters papers and correspondence
- (4) Wing family related materials
- (5) Oil paintings of Hattie Virginia Suddath

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Selected Search Terms

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