

Finding Aid

Date Range: 1970-1993

Bulk Date: 1970-1980

Creator: New Jersey Historical Commission

Containers: 2 flip top boxes

Storage Location: PCHS Library and Archives

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Biographical Information: The New Jersey Historical Commission dedicates in its mission statement to enriching the lives of the public in preserving history and educating the public on New Jersey's past. The commission was established in 1967 and since that time committed itself to educating residents and tourists to the state about New Jersey's connection to the country and the world. Historical and research grants are offered through the commission as well as education materials for teachers. Publications of the agency include the New Jersey Gazette, New Jersey Studies: An Interdisciplinary Journal, and many print publications.

Scope and Content: The bulk of the documents contained in the collection are the New Jersey Historical Commission newsletters. A directory of NJ county historical organizations and a bicentennial celebration newsletter is also included. The newsletters are related to the history of New Jersey and its historical agencies and sites.

Series: This collection is organized into two flip top boxes. The collection is organized in the order of publication dates. Newsletters are typically 8pgs. First two pages of headlines listed. Additional pages include announcements about exhibits, prizes, opportunities, grants and events at museums, historical societies and other historic sites throughout the state of New Jersey.