

**STAN HYWET HALL & GARDENS ARCHIVES**

**COLLECTION:** Gertrude Harrison Brown Collection

**ACCESSION #:** A 2018.14.15-.21 & A 2022.48

**SOURCE:** Ms. Carla Brown

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**ABSTRACT:** Gertrude Harrison Brown (1928-2017) was the daughter of Irene and Milton Harrison. Part of the collection (2018.14) was gifted to Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens in 2018 by Carla Brown but there are no other known details. The other part of the collection (2022.48) were shipped to Stan Hywet Hall & Gardens via FedEx by Carla Brown. The materials were jumbled in a box with no order. The contents include modern materials (1970-1990) written to or from Irene Seiberling Harrison. Letters could be divided into political correspondence, correspondence with friends and Seiberling family members and correspondence related to Stan Hywet Hall and Gardens operations. In addition, there were three objects in the box – an oval framed image of Gertrude ca. 1900, a cameo broach set in cooper, and a monogrammed pin.

**Series Descriptions****Series A: 2018.14 materials**

Books and journals given in 2018

**Series B: 2022.48 materials**

Correspondence and other miscellaneous materials given in 2022

**NOTES:**

-Finding aid created April 2025

**SERIES A: 2018.14 materials****BOX 1:**

- Folder 1 A Line A Day Journal – Five-year journal. Sporadically filled out between 1911 and 1913 (SHH 2018.14.15)
- Folder 2 “Fragments” by Cave inscribed to Irene Seiberling by her Aunt Glendora Hough – Irene’s handwritten notes throughout book (SHH 2018.14.17)
- Folder 3 1888 journal of James W. Penfield, leather bound book (SHH 2018.14.16)
- Folder 4 “Mixed Pickles” by Mrs. Fields 1885 (SHH 2018.14.18)
- Folder 5 “Child’s Christ Tales” by Andrea Hofer Proudfoot (SHH 2018.14.19)

**SERIES B: 2022.48 materials****BOX 1:**

- Folder 6 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison and John F. Seiberling, Jr. 1981-1995
- Folder 7 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison and Frank and Nancy Seiberling, 1973-1993
- Folder 8 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison and her siblings
- Folder 9 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison and nieces and nephews
- Folder 10 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison and Robert Pflueger 1976, 1987
- Folder 11 Correspondence between Gertrude Harrison Brown and Irene Seiberling Harrison, 1951-1994
- Folder 12 Sealed envelope dated November 1, 1930, Lock of Gertrude Harrison’s hair
- Folder 13 Correspondence F.A. Seiberling to Gertrude Harrison April 3, 1945

- Folder 14 Correspondence to Gertrude Harrison from Harrison & Seiberling Family members
- Folder 15 Correspondence from Irene Seiberling Harrison to Gertrude Harrison Brown and family
- Folder 16 Correspondence Misc. to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison 1956-1995
- Folder 17 Correspondence Irene Seiberling Harrison to Sally Harrison Cochran
- Folder 18 Correspondence related to oral histories with Irene Seiberling Harrison 1980, 1984
- Folder 19 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison, SHH related 1965, 1979
- Folder 20 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison, SHH related, 1982-1989
- Folder 21 Correspondence to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison, SHH related, 1990-1995
- Folder 22 Correspondence – Christmas, Irene Seiberling Harrison to SHH
- Folder 23 Misc. Notes & Speeches, SHH Related, Irene Seiberling Harrison
- Folder 24 SHH Trustee minutes and proposed resolutions
- Folder 25 SHH Assorted speeches and articles
- Folder 26 SHH Printed Materials – Newsletters, Postcards, etc.
- Folder 27 Correspondence, Political, to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison 1954-1956
- Folder 28 Correspondence, Political, to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison, 1975-1979
- Folder 29 Correspondence, Political, to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison 1980-1989
- Folder 30 Correspondence, Political, to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison, 1990-1995
- Folder 31 Correspondence, Political, to/from Irene Seiberling Harrison, no date
- Folder 32 Correspondence, Fluoridation Related
- Folder 33 Misc. Notes/Remainders used by Irene Seiberling Harrison

- Folder 34      Holiday Related Notes and Writings
- Folder 35      Misc. Handwritten Notes by Irene Seiberling Harrison related to book reviews
- Folder 36      Book “Mr. Kris Kringle” inscribed to Gertrude Seiberling, 1895
- Loose          Book “Great American Mansions and Their Stories” by Merrill Folsom, inscribed  
to Gertrude Faith Harrison Easter 1964 by her mother (Irene Seiberling Harrison)