

Frances H. Ellis Collection (MC 193)

Biographical Note

According to her obituary, Frances Huguenin Ellis was born in Macon, Georgia on August 11, 1926, the daughter of Marshall Johnston Ellis and Martha Plant Ellis Ross. She died in Columbus, Georgia on April 12, 2003. She was a graduate of St. Catherine's School in Richmond, Virginia and Duke University. She received her MA in English Literature from Columbia University in New York City. After moving to Columbus in 1963, she taught at the Fort Benning Branch of American University. She was a founder and co-owner of The Vintner on Wynnton Road. She was a member of the Trinity Episcopal Church, the Colonial Dames of America and the Columbus Junior League. She established the Frances H. Ellis Art Endowment at Columbus State University.

Scope and Content

These materials include food and wine information, cookbooks, art material, books, newspaper clippings, Ellis family information, and photographs of vacations as well as family snap shots.

1970s-2000s 5 boxes (5 l.f.)

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Box and Folder List

Series 1 - Monographs

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- Folder 1. **A Southern Collection of Tested Recipes**, published by the Junior League of Columbus, Georgia. Columbus Productions, 1979
- Folder 2. Goodwin, John. **First Shot: A Step-By-Step Guide for Beginning Golfers**. Colorado: Circle G Publications. 1992.
- Folder 3. 1979 Shell Desk Diary. Shell Oil Company, 1978.
- Folder 4. The Sierra Club. *Wilderness 1971: The Sierra Club Engagement Calendar*. New York: Ballantine Books, 1970.
- Folder 5. The Sierra Club. *Wilderness 1977: Sierra Club Engagement Calendar*. New York: Case-Hoyt Color Printers, 1976.
- Folder 6. The Sierra Club. *Wilderness 1978: Sierra Club Engagement Calendar*. Maryland: Fawcett Printing Corporation, 1977.
- Folder 7. *The Impressionists Diary 1990*. No Publisher and No Date.
- Folder 8. The Museum of Modern Art. *Colors: The Museum of Modern Art Appointment Calendar 1991*. Italy: A. Mondadori, 1990.
- Folder 9. *Paintings by the Fauves: 1904- 1908: Brilliant Days, an Art Book and Engagement Book for 1992*. Metropolitan Museum of Art. Italy. 1991.

- Folder 10. *Interiors: The Museum of Modern Art Appointment Calendar 1993*. No Publisher and No Date.
- Folder 11. Museum of Fine Arts. *Masterpieces of American Watercolors 1994*. New York: Universe Publishing, 1993.
- Folder 12. *Food: The Museum of Modern Art Appointment Calendar 1995*. No Publisher and No Date.
- Folder 13. The British Library. *Medieval Flowers and Plants Engagement Diary 1996*. No Publisher and No Date.
- Folder 14. *The Art of Pleasure 1997*. No Publisher and No Date.
- Folder 15. The Metropolitan Museum of Art, New York. *An Art Book and Engagement Book for 1998*. Italy. 1997.
- Folder 16. *The Museum of Modern Art Appointment Calendar 1999*.
- Folder 17. Radio & Television Commercials 1974 - 1975.
- Folder 18. *The New Yorker 2000 Desk Diary*.
- Folder 19. *The New Yorker 2001 Desk Diary*.
- Folder 20. *Cat Cartoons 2003* appointment book
- Folder 21. The Metropolitan Museum of Art: *The Language of Flowers. An Art Book and Engagement Book 2002*.

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- Folder 1. **The Groaning Board Cookbook**. Georgia: Westville Historic Handicrafts, Inc, 1993.
- Folder 2. Miscellaneous Cookbook
- Folder 3. **Buick Southern Open 25th Anniversary**. Georgia: The Buick Southern Open. 1993.
- Folder 4. Mathewson, R. Duncan. **Archaeological Treasure: The Search for Nuewstra Senior de Atocha**. Florida: Southeastern Printing Co, 1983.
- Folder 5. Mckee, Alexander. **How We Found The Mary Rose**. London: Souvenir Press Ltd, 1982.
- Folder 6. Marx, Robert F. **Spanish Treasure in Florida Waters A Billion Dollar Graveyard**. Massachusetts: The Mariners Press, 1979.
- Folder 7. Burgess, Robert F. and Carl J. Clausen. **Florida's Golden Galleons: The Search for the 175th Spanish Treasure Fleet**. Florida: Florida Classics Library, 1982.
- Folder 8. Daley, Robert. **Treasure: The Story of the most successful and most tragic treasure hunt of modern times**. New York: Random House. 1977.
- Folder 9. Sherry, Frank. **Raiders & Rebels: The Golden Age of Piracy**. New York: Hearst Marine Books. 1986.
- Folder 10. Mathewson, R. Duncan. **Treasure of the Atocha: A Four Hundred Million Dollar**. New York: E.P. Dutton. 1986.
- Folder 11. Capote, Truman. **A Christmas Memory**. New York: Random House. 1956.
- Folder 12. Wignall, Sydney. **In Search of Spanish Treasure: A Diver's Story**. Vermont: David & Charles Inc. 1982.
- Folder 13. Robinson, Barbara. **The Best Christmas Pageant Ever**. New York: The Hearst Corporation. 1972.
- Folder 14. Robinson, Barbara. **The Best Christmas Pageant Ever**. New York: HarperCollins. 1988.
- Folder 15. Robinson, Barbara. **The Best Christmas Pageant Ever**. Twenty-Fifth Anniversary Edition. New York: HarperCollins. 1988.
- Folder 16. The Officers' Wives Club of Fort Benning. **Golden Heritage Cookbook, Fiftieth Anniversary**. Georgia: Diversified Printing Services. 1973.
- Folder 17. Mary Eddins Signature book 1859
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