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*Descriptive Inventory*

**MSS 463    DEVINE, Lillian K., 1895-1990**

1 box. 24 folders. 32 items. 1943-1981. Originals

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***BIOGRAPHICAL NOTE***

Lillian K. Devine was born 18 November 1895 in Grass Township, Spencer County, Indiana. She was the only child of William Hooper Devine (1865-1947) and Olive Dorcas (Jones) Devine (1873-1946). Lillian was a well-educated single woman who took over the running of her father's farm between 1943 and his death in 1947. Her agricultural record keeping was meticulous, which is indicated by the farm journals. She continued to run the farm on a diminishing scale after her father's death. Her daily personal journals are filled with descriptions of the weather, visits to and from friends, and events such as deaths and births. Lillian K. Devine died 13 November 1990 at the age of 94 and was buried in the Pleasant Valley Cemetery in Spencer County.

***COLLECTION NOTE***

This collection consists chiefly of farm ledgers that include income and expenses for farm vehicles, animals, and various crops. The ledgers also include a breakdown of wages and required taxes for the hired hands from 1943-1970. The personal journals begin in 1960 and continue until 1981. The personal journal for 1976 is missing. Miscellaneous materials include postcards, receipts for wheat and grain allotments, as well as accident and traffic violation paperwork.

***SHELF LIST***

<b>BOX 1</b>	<b>Lillian K. Devine</b>	<b>1943-1981</b>	<b>32 items</b>
Folder 1	Inventory		
Folder 2	Farm ledgers	1943-1970	2 items

Folder 3	Daily journal	1960	1 item
Folder 4	Daily journal	1961	1 item
Folder 5	Daily journal	1962	1 item
Folder 6	Daily journal	1963	1 item
Folder 7	Daily journal	1964	1 item
Folder 8	Daily journal	1965	1 item
Folder 9	Daily journal	1966	1 item
Folder 10	Daily journal	1967	1 item
Folder 11	Daily journal	1968	1 item
Folder 12	Daily journal	1969	1 item
Folder 13	Daily journal	1970	1 item
Folder 14	Daily journal	1971	1 item
Folder 15	Daily journal	1972	1 item
Folder 16	Daily journal	1973	1 item
Folder 17	Daily journal	1974	1 item
Folder 18	Daily journal	1975	1 item
Folder 19	Daily journal	1977	1 item
Folder 20	Daily journal	1978	1 item
Folder 21	Daily journal	1979	1 item
Folder 22	Daily journal	1980	1 item
Folder 23	Daily journal	1981	1 item
Folder 24	Miscellaneous	1952-1977	9 items

**BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD**

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Farm ledgers for the Devine family farm in Grass Township, Spencer County, Indiana, as well as personal daily dairies of Lillian K. Devine, 1960-1981.

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**SUBJECT ANALYTICS**

Account books – Farm B1,F2  
Agriculture – Relating to  
Baker, Dorothy, 1927-1987 – Postcards from B1,F24  
Diaries, 1960-1982 – Devine, Lillian K., 1895-1990  
Floods – Spencer County, Indiana – Relating to, 1961 B1,F4  
Parker, Paul R., 1901-1981 – Mentioned  
Spencer County, Indiana – Relating to  
Wilkinson, Donald Gene, 1931-2012 – Relating to B1,F24  
Winchell, Rex Lee, 1926-2002 – Relating to B1,F24

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