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**Introduction**

Approximately 4 cubic feet

The Medlock-Luecke Family papers contain correspondence, photographs, yearbooks, family histories, and a yearbook pertaining to the Jim, Kay, Joey, and AJ Medlock; the Luecke family, primarily Robert Clarence and Louise Meers Luecke; and other branches of the family, including the Eakers and the Hodges. Materials of interest include correspondence from Ruby Pearl Medlock to Remus Benson Medlock in 1979 when the latter was recovering from Tuberculosis in the Missouri State Chest Hospital. The materials in this collection date from 1873 to 2021.

**Donor Information**

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   Cognitive testing results and preschool diploma, 1990-1991
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   English assignments, September 13, 2000-December 14, 2003
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   Individualized Education Program, April 23, 2002-October 28, 2003
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   Mr. Warren, letter of recommendation, January 15, 2003
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   HIS 115 U.S. History form 1945 to Present, study guide,
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