



## **Jennie Ellis Postcard Collection (SP0075)**

**Collection Number:** SP0075

**Collection Title:** Jennie Ellis Postcard Collection

**Dates:** 1905-1917

**Creator:** Ellis, Jennie Raymond, 1889-1969

**Abstract:** The Jennie Ellis Postcard Collection contains postcards sent to Jennie (Raymond) Ellis and her family between 1905 and 1917. The postcards include images of various cities and landmarks throughout Missouri and the United States.

**Collection Size:** .2 cubic foot  
(2 folders, 62 postcards)

**Language:** Collection materials are in English.

**Repository:** The State Historical Society of Missouri

**Restrictions on Access:** Collection is open for research. This collection is available at [The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Springfield](#). If you would like more information, please contact us at [springfield@shsmo.org](mailto:springfield@shsmo.org). Collections may be viewed at any research center.

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**Preferred Citation:** [Specific item; box number; folder number] *Jennie Ellis Postcard Collection* (SP0075); The State Historical Society of Missouri Research Center-Springfield [after first mention may be abbreviated to SHSMO-Springfield].

**Donor Information:** The postcards were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Marla Davis on April 11, 2022 (Accession No. SPA0099).

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### **Biographical Note:**

Jennie (Raymond) Ellis was born in 1889 to Theodore D. Raymond and Ira E. (Curtis) Raymond. Jennie had three siblings, including Frank, Effie, and Eliza. The family lived in Mountain View, Missouri, where Theodore Raymond was a representative in the Missouri legislature from 1906

to 1909. Theodore and Ira lived the rest of their lives in St. Louis, Missouri. Ira died in 1929 and Theodore died in 1930.

Jennie married Frank Ellis on July 5, 1911, in Howell County, Missouri. The couple had one daughter, Colette Ellis, born April 8, 1912, in Bunker, Missouri. Colette married Charles Hawkins of Springfield, Missouri, on July 16, 1938. The Ellis-Hawkins family moved to Bethesda, Maryland, where Jennie died on February 6, 1969.

### Arrangement:

This collection has been arranged chronologically into two folders.

### Scope and Content Note:

The postcards are addressed to members of the Raymond and Ellis families between 1905 and 1917, with the majority addressed to Jennie (Raymond) Ellis. The postcards include images of various cities and landmarks throughout Missouri and the United States. Of note are five postcards from the Anheuser-Busch Brewery in St. Louis, Missouri, located in folder one.

### Container List:

Box 001	f. 1	Postcards, 1905-1909
	f. 2	Postcards, 1910-1917, no date

### Index:

Index Term	Folder	Image
Anheuser-Busch Plant, St. Louis (Mo.)	1	Yes
Arkansas City (Kan.)	2	Yes
Avalon (Calif.)	1	Yes
Bennett's Mill (Mo.)	1	Yes
Bunker (Mo.)	2	Yes
Cape Girardeau (Mo.)	2	Yes
Colorado Springs (Colo.)	1-2	Yes
Coronado Islands (Mexico)	2	Yes
Crystal City (Mo.)	1	Yes
Crystal Springs (Miss.)	1	Yes
Davenport (Iowa)	1	Yes
Denver (Colo.)	1	Yes
Ellis, Jennie Raymond, 1889-1969	1-2	
Evansville (Ind.)	1	Yes
Hannibal (Mo.)	2	Yes
Hawkins, Colette Ellis, 1912-1998	2	
High Park (Toronto, Ont.)	1	Yes
Hillsboro (Ill.)	2	Yes

Index Term	Folder	Image
Huntington (Ind.)	1-2	Yes
Jackson (Mo.)	2	Yes
Jefferson City (Mo.)	2	Yes
Kansas City (Mo.)	1	Yes
Los Angeles (Calif.)	1	Yes
Meramec River (Mo.)	2	Yes
Miller, Effie Raymond, 1878-1964	1	
Mountain View (Mo.)	1-2	Yes
New Haven (Mo.)	2	Yes
New York (N.Y.)	2	Yes
Overton Park (Memphis, Tenn.)	2	Yes
Pueblo (Colo.)	2	Yes
Raymond, Ira Curtis, 1856-1929	1	
Raymond, Theodore D., 1845-1930	1	
Saint Charles (Mo.)	1	Yes
Saint Louis (Mo.)	1-2	Yes
State Normal School (Springfield, Mo.)	1	Yes
Taft (Mont.)	1	Yes
Topeka (Kan.)	1	Yes
Trumann (Ark.)	2	Yes
West Plains (Mo.)	1	Yes
Williams Canyon (Colo.)	2	Yes
Winfield (Kan.)	2	Yes