**Descriptive Summary**

**Creator:** McCandless, Frances Augusta Coleman, 1819-1889.

**Title:** Frances Augusta Coleman McCandless papers, 1845-1929 (bulk 1845-1885)

**Call Number:** Manuscript Collection No. 254

**Extent:** .25 linear ft. (1 box)

**Abstract:** Papers of Frances Augusta Coleman McCandless, teacher and writer, including notebooks containing literature and Latin assignments, poems, notes, and the partial draft of a play.

**Language:** Materials entirely in English.

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**Administrative Information**

**Restrictions on Access**

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**Source**


**Citation**

[after identification of item(s)], Frances Augusta Coleman McCandless papers, Stuart A. Rose Manuscript, Archives, and Rare Book Library, Emory University.
Collection Description

Biographical Note
Frances Augusta Coleman McCandless (1819-1899) was born in West Haven, Rutland County, Vermont, and attended Patapsco Female Institute (Ellicott City, Md.), ca. 1845. She was a teacher for over forty years in South Carolina and Georgia.

Scope and Content Note
The collection consists of the papers of Frances Augusta Coleman McCandless from 1845-1929. The papers include three notebooks containing literature and Latin assignments, poems, notes and a partial draft of a play written by Frances Augusta Coleman at Patapsco Female Institute (Ellicott City, Md.) circa 1845. The collection also includes essays, accounts, and letters, most of them written by Coleman as a student; a book regarding the history of the Pynchon family (1885), and biographical information pertaining to Frances A.C. McCandless, including McCandless family genealogy; and a copy of the Emory Phoenix (1929).

Arrangement Note
Arranged and described at the folio level by Kathy Shoemaker, 2018.
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