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Abstract

Hope College class of 1929; professor of biology at Hope College, 1956-1969. Collection contains biographical information, correspondence, postcards, photographs and personnel file (**RESTRICTED**). A photograph of the Dorian Society and an outline of the history of biology are also included. Major correspondent was Laura Boyd.

Accession No.: H88-0177
Provenance: Eva Van Schaack
Donor: Unknown
Photographs: 8 images
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Biography

Eva Van Schaack graduated from Hope College, where she focused on botany, in 1929. From 1931 to 1937, she attended the School of Higher Studies at the Faculty of Philosophy of the Johns Hopkins University. While there, Van Schaack taught and worked as a laboratory assistant. Van Schaack taught at many different schools: assistant professor of botany at Kalamazoo College, 1946-1947; assistant professor of plant science at Mount Holyoke College, 1948-1955; associate professor of biology at Wheaton College, 1953-1956; professor at Hope College, 1956-1969. She was a member of Sigma Xi.

Dr. Eva Van Schaack passed away on October 1, 1981, in Holland, Michigan.

Scope and Content

The collection includes mainly correspondence from her father, friends, and especially Laura Boyd (another professor at Hope College). Many of the letters relate to her position at Hope College. The collection also includes photographs of Van Schaack. The collection is arranged alphabetically by topical heading.

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