

DeKalb History Center

Sutton Collection

Scope and content: This is a collection of books and other items that belonged to the Sutton family of Clarkston, Georgia. Some of the other items include pins and buttons collected at trade shows and conventions and some records of the Clarkston Women's Club.

Provenance: Gift of DeKalb Parks and Recreation ACC #1991.26, 1994.34, 1994.43

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Size: 1 manuscript box

Description: The Sutton Collection is comprised of many books published in the late 1800's and the early 1900's, such as *In Memoriam*, *The Teachings of Jesus*, *Lalla Rookh*, and *Gano's Commercial Law*. Also included are handwritten minutes from the Clarkston Women's Club (1955-1963) and the 1977-78 Women's Club handbook. There is also a collection of buttons, pins and medals collected from trade shows from the late 1800's. The materials came from the DeKalb Parks Department when the house was torn down. The books were part of Forty Oaks' library. The Suttons lived in Forty Oaks and E.L. Sutton was a mayor of Clarkston, councilman and chairman of the board of education.

Contents

Gano's Commercial Law (revised), 1921

Lalla Rookh: An Oriental Romance, 1888

Hot Shots (by Sam Jones), 1895 ACC#1991.26

In Memoriam (by Alfred Tennyson), 1898

The Sketch Book of Geoffrey Crayon, Gent. (belonged to Marie Sutton)

Risen From the Ranks, Horatio Alger, 1907

The Teachings of Jesus (belonged to Hazel Sutton), 1929

Kappa Sigma Quarterly: November Vol.V No.1, Nov 1889-Nov 1890
(Ed Sutton was editor in chief)

Clarkston Women's Club Yearbook and member list, 1977-1978

Book of Minutes: Clarkston Women's Club, 1955-1958

Tech High School yearbook, with inscription to Ed L Sutton, 1930

Clarkston High School yearbook, 1928

Account book, handwritten, 1917-1920, for various institutions; Atlanta Board of Education, Central Night School, Commercial High, Boys High,

Large black and white photograph, Third Presbyterian Sabbath School, 1887.
(No. 16 is Ed Sutton)

Removed to museum storage:medals and pins