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Title: Anne K. (Mrs. James Stephen) Martin Scrapbook

Overview of the Collection

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Notes on the Collection

Historical Note

Anne K. (Mrs. James Stephen) Martin was a locally celebrated vocal instructor, choral arranger, and a noted program director for many concerts given in Pittsburgh in the 1920s - 1940s. She was the soprano soloist, then the Choir Master of the East Liberty Presbyterian Church, taking over the position from her husband after his death in 1918. In the early 1900s, the Martins hosted many musical programs in their home, performed by world famous musicians and attended by the Pittsburgh elite. Mrs. Martin was the director and founder of Pittsburgh Madrigal Singers in the 1930s, and the director of the Community Chorus at Carnegie Hall.

Scope and Content Note

• Scrapbook: The Art and Psychology of Program Building

Container List

1. Scrapbook

- a. Notes on how to develop interesting music programs developed around different themes, using actual concert programs as examples.
- b. Programs of concerts in Pittsburgh, 1901-1946.

See Also

- Baynham, Edward Gladstone. <u>A History of Pittsburgh Music, 1758-1958</u>
- <u>The Musical Forecast</u>