

Locust Grove Archives

Finding Aid

Series: **Young Collection**
Suberies: **Hasbrouck Innis**

Finding Aid Completed by Jennifer Plick
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Volume: 7 cubic feet
14 boxes

Acquisition: Bequest of Annette Innis Young.

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Biographical Sketch

Hasbrouck Innis (1859-1932) born in Poughkeepsie, New York was the only son of George Innis and Anne Bevier Hasbrouck Innis. He was educated at the Riverview Academy and Bishop's Select School, both located in Poughkeepsie. He later attended Columbia University. For several years, he was involved with Innis & Company, which specialized in the manufacture of dye woods and dye stuffs. Hasbrouck Innis was also a member of the Society of Colonial Wars, the Huguenot Society, and the Sons of the Revolution. He resided at 40 Main Street in Poughkeepsie.

Collection Description

The papers of Hasbrouck Innis (1859-1932) while relatively few, present an interesting view of his life and relationship with his family. The correspondence between Hasbrouck and his sister Martha Innis Young is considerable. As is the correspondence between himself and his niece and nephew, Annette and Innis Young. Their letters are almost always addressed "Dear Unckey." In later years, Hasbrouck Innis appears to have played a large role in the life of his aunt, Mrs. Laura Varick. He became chiefly responsible for handling her estate matters during the latter years of her life.

The papers are separated into two series: 1.) Correspondence 1879-1931; 2.) Personal Papers. The papers are arranged in chronological order when possible and primarily follow their original organization. See the Series Descriptions for further details on contents.

The general condition of the collection is quite good. Most of the handwritten documents are clear and legible with a few exceptions. Bound items such as diaries and account books are also in fairly stable condition. As with previous collections, many of the documents have an ingrained layer of dirt.

Series Descriptions

Series 1: Correspondence (1879-1931)

This series consists of three categories: 1.) Correspondence-Dated, 2.) Correspondence-Undated, 3.) Empty Envelopes. All correspondence is organized in chronological order when possible. Correspondence is both to and from Hasbrouck Innis. Material that does not appear to be dated follows. Correspondents include: Laura Varick, Martha Innis Young, Annette Innis Young, Innis Young.

Series 2: Personal Papers

This series consists of six categories: 1.) Business, 2.) Diaries 1886-1922, 3.) Estate, 4.) Finance, 5.) Miscellaneous, 6.) School. The Business category deals primarily with the interests of Innis & Company. The Diaries in the collection were written by Hasbrouck Innis between 1886-1922. Estate includes documents relating to the estate of Mr. Innis (Last Will and Testament, estate taxes, etc.). All stock information, bills, bank statements, cancelled checks, and account books can be found in the Finance category. Miscellaneous consists of items that could not fit into the more specific categories. Documents from the Riverview Academy and Bishop's Select School for Boys are arranged in the School section.

Box and Folder Lists

Box 1

Series 1: Correspondence 1879-1900

- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1879
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1880
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1880
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1881
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1882
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1884
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1885
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1886
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- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1894
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1895
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1896
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1896
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1898
-] *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1899
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1900
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1900

Box 2

Series 1: Correspondence 1901-1910

- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1901
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1902
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1903
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1904
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1904
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1905
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1906
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1907
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1908
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1909
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1909
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1910

Box 3

Series 1: Correspondence 1911-1923

- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1911
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1912
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1912
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1913
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1914
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1916
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1917
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1918
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1919
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1920
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1921
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1921
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1922
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1923

Box 4

Series 1: Correspondence 1924-1931, Undated, Empty Envelopes

- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1924
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1925
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1926
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1926
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1927
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-1927
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1928
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1929
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-1931
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-Undated
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-Undated
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-Undated
- *Correspondence to Hasbrouck Innis-Undated
- *Correspondence from Hasbrouck Innis-Undated
- *Correspondence-Empty Envelopes

Box 5

Series 2: Personal Papers Business

- *Business-Innis & Company (Copy)
- *Business-Innis & Company-Papers
- *Business-Innis & Company-Fabric Samples

Box 6

Series 2: Personal Papers Diaries-1886-1922

- *Diary-1886
- *Diary-1887
- *Diary-1896
- *Diary-1896
- *Diary-1897
- *Diary-1899
- *Diary-1899-1903
- *Diary-1900
- *Diary-1901
- *Diary-1902
- *Diary-1903
- *Diary-1904
- *Diary-1906
- *Diary-1909
- *Diary-1921
- *Diary-1922

Box 7

Series 2: Personal Papers Estate

- *Estate-Last Will and Testament of Hasbrouck Innis
- *Obituary of Hasbrouck Innis
- *Estate-Hasbrouck Innis (Legal and Tax Documents)
- *Estate-Laura Varick

Box 8

Series 2: Personal Papers Finance

- *Finance-Account Book(Stocks)
- *Finance-Order/Expense Book
- *Finance-Check Book

Box 9

Series 2: Personal Papers Finance-Bills-1895-1931,Undated

- *Bills-1895
- *Bills-1900
- *Bills-1901
- *Bills-1911
- *Bills-1918
- *Bills-1924-1925
- *Bills-1926
- *Bills-1927
- *Bills-1928
- *Bills-1929
- *Bills-1930
- *Bills-1931
- *Bills-Undated

Box 10

Series 2: Personal Papers Finance-Investments/Stocks

- *Investment/Stock Information
- *Investment/Stock Information
- *Investment/Stock Information

Box 11

Series 2: Personal Papers Finance

- *Statements of Assets/Liabilities for Hasbrouck Innis
- *Bank Statements/Cancelled Checks
- *Tax Information
- *Miscellaneous

Box 12

Series 2: Personal Papers Miscellaneous

- *Magazines
- *Newspaper Articles
- *Newspaper Articles
- *Newspaper Articles
- *Catalogs

Box 13

Series 2:

Personal Papers Miscellaneous

- *Deeds
- *Innis Family Genealogy
- *Letters to Mr. George W. Polk from C.M. Houghton
(Uncertain as to why these letters were originally placed with the effects of Hasbrouck Innis.)
- *Medical Records
- *New York Genealogical and Biographical Record (1932)
- *Notes/Catalogs
- *Notes
- *Notes
- *Papers Relating to Indentures/Agreements(18th -19th Century)
(Uncertain as to why these items were originally placed with the effects of Hasbrouck Innis.)
- *Power of Attorney from William H. Young
- *Property owned in Indiana
- *Property owned in Kentucky
- *Railroad Tickets

Box 14

Series 2:

Personal Papers School

- *Riverview Military Academy
- *Bishop's Select School for Boys
- *Miscellaneous