

**COLLECTION SUMMARY**

**Collection title:** Blanche Krey Collection

**Dates:** Various

**Size:** 1 box

**Shelf location:**

**Creator/Collector:** Various

**Acquisition info.:** Unknown

**Accruals**: None

**Custodial history:** Unknown

**Language(s):** English

**Repository:** Vespasian Warner Public Library District

**Processed by:** Trisha Benedict, 2022

**Conservation notes:** None



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**Access restrictions**

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**Physical access restrictions**

None

**Technical access restrictions**

None

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**INFORMATION FOR RESEARCHERS**

**Preferred citation**

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**Related collections**

None

**Separated material**

None

**Published descriptions**

Not applicable

**Location of originals**

Not applicable

**Location of copies**

Not applicable

**Publication note**

Not applicable

**Subject headings**

Chicago (Ill.) – Biography

Clinton (Ill.) -- Biography

World War, 1939-1945 – Biography

World War, 1939-1945 – Correspondence

United States. Navy – Correspondence



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**SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE**

Letters, photographs, and other documents related to Chester and Blanche Krey.

**BIOGRAPHY**

Blanche G., Krey (April 1, 1925-May 10, 2011) was born in Chicago and lived there through the 1950s. Her husband Chester Krey served in the United States Navy during World War II. Blanche died in Bedford, Texas and is buried at Woodlawn Cemetery in Clinton, Illinois.



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| **COLLECTION INVENTORY** |  |  |
| \*all dated 1945 unless otherwise stated | **Box** | **Folder** |
| **Folder Title** | **Number** | **Number** |
| 10 Photographs: \* 5 photographs of Blanche and Chester Krey’s wedding\* Blanche by a lake \* Chester Krey outside in winter\* Princess the dog, 1973\*Jo-in a hula girl outfit\* “Jasyln” in winter, 1947 | 1 | 1 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –February | 1 | 2 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –March | 1 | 3 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –May | 1 | 4 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –June | 1 | 5 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –July | 1 | 6 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –August | 1 | 7 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –September | 1 | 8 |
| Letters from Chester Krey to Blanche Krey –October | 1 | 9 |
| Navy Department-Field Branch (Family allowances division) | 1 | 10 |
| Hand written list “Places they’ve been in port” & magazine cut out of kitten | 1 | 11 |
| Three pages with poems | 1 | 12 |