Title: Quade, Edith Papers

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Historical Note: Edith H. Quade was born in Milwaukee, Wisconsin in October 1911 to Herman A. and Mrs. Quade. Edith graduated from Milwaukee State Teachers College in 1933. She began working at the Milwaukee Public Museum in June 1941 as an Assistant in Education. In 1945 she was promoted to Assistant Curator in Education. The bulk of her work included giving tours and lectures to grade school children, as well as being involved in various demonstrations. Some of her more memorable presentations included the films and lectures titled, "Wisconsin Folkways and Byways" and "Old World Wisconsin Today." She was also involved in the Museum's Saturday television show, "The Parade of Nations." Edith eventually became the Director of the Milwaukee Public Museum.

Scope and Content: The records in this collection consist mainly of correspondence, research and lecture notes, monthly reports, newspaper clippings, and general information regarding various Museum programs. Also includes material related to her activities with Altrusa.

Administrative Note: The collection was processed on January 29, 2000 by Stephanie Ferguson. Material was added to the collection on March 9, 2000 and was processed by Kevin Abing.

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