



THE ALLIANCE FOR
AMERICAN QUILTS

The Boxes Under the Bed Quilt History Documentation Project

Inventory of Contents

Please print or type for legibility. This is a permanent document.

Documentor

Name _____ Documentation Date _____

Address/City/State/Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____ Fax _____

Participating Quilt Guild _____

Your estimate of date of box contents:

Your comments on the estimated date

1875-1900

1900-1930

1930-1950

1950-1970

1970-Present

Present location of the Box (please be specific)

Owner

Name _____

Address/City/State/Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____ Fax _____

Who Collected the Contents?

Last name _____ First _____ Maiden _____

Birth Date _____ Death Date _____ Relation to owner _____

Place where contents were compiled: City/State _____

Number of Boxes _____ Approx. Size _____ Type of Boxes _____

In the space below, if known write the story of the box(es) and the person who collected the materials:

Check off the items you have found in the box(es).
Write additional detail as desired beside items. Use the
back of this sheet for additional titles, dates, etc.

Newspaper Clippings

- Quilt Columns
- Alice Brooks
- Nancy Cabot
- Home Art Studios
- Kansas City Star
- Ruby McKim
- Nancy Page
- Laura Wheeler
- Others _____

News and Feature Articles:

Provide name of newspaper(s), dates & subject
content:

Quilt Kits, Pre-cut or stamped Cloth blocks and/or
Advertising: Provide pattern name and/or number:

- BOAG
- Bucilla
- W.L.M Clark (Grandmother Clark's)
- Robert Frank Needlework Supply (kalamazoo)
- Gold-Art
- Hersschners
- Home Art Studios(Des Moines, IA)
- Home Needlecraft Creations
- Lee Wards (Elgin, IL)
- John C. Michael (Mickey Patches)
- Needlecraft (Augusta, Maine)
- Paragon
- Progress
- Rainbow Block Co. (Ohio)
- St. Louis Fancy Work
- Wurzburg's (Grand Rapids, MI)
- Other _____

Newsletters:

- Aunt Kate's Quilting Bee
- Blanket Statements (AQSG)
- Dutch Girl Scrapbook
- Nimble Needle Treasures
- Patchwords (Canadian)
- Quilting Quaterly (NQA)
- Quilters' Journal
- The Quilt Journal: An International Review
- Tumbling Alley
- Other _____

Quilt Guild Newsletters:

Give Title, Guild Name and Inclusive Dates:

Pattern Indexes:

- Kansas City Star
- Nancy Cabot
- Wilma Smith
- Barbara Brackman
- Yvonne Khin
- Judy Rehmel

Rare Quilt Books:

- Dr. Wm. Rush Dunton - Old Quilts (146)
- Ruth Finley - Old Patchwork Quilts (1929)
- Hall and Kretsinger - Romance of Patchwork Quilt (1935)
- Orlofsky - America's Quilts (1980)
- Florence Peto - American Quilts & Coverlets (1949)
- Marie Webster - Quilts: Their Story and How to Make Them (1926)

Other Quilt Books:

(Please list titles, authors, and publication dates. If there are
many books, please use the back of this sheet or attach a
separate list.)

Booklets of Quilt Patterns:

- Colonial Quilts (Iowa)
- Mrs. Danner's Quilts (Kansas)
- Mary McElwain (Walworth, WI)
- Ruby McKim (Independence, MO)
- Anne Orr (Nashville, TN)
- Quilt Fair Comes to You
- Sears Centruy of Quiltmaking
- Carlie Sexton (Wheaton, IL)
- Clara Stone (Boston)
- Marie Webster (Indiana)

Women's Magazines:
(Pages or whole magazine)

- Antiques Magazine
- Better Homes & Gardens
- Family Circle
- Godey's Ladies Book
- Good Housekeeping
- Hobbies
- Household Magazine
- Ladies Home Journal
- McCall Magazine
- Modern Priscilla
- Needcraft-Home Arts
- Peterson's
- Woman's Day
- Woman's World
- Others _____

Farm Magazines:
(Pages or whole magazine)

- American Woman
- Capper's
- Comfort
- Country Gentleman
- Farm & Fireside

- Farm Journal
- Farmer's Wife
- Grit
- Hearth and Home
- Indiana Farmer's Guide
- Ohio Farmer
- Progressive Farmer
- Rural New Yorker
- Vickery's Fireside
- Others _____

Other Quilt-Related Publications:

- Postcards, notecards, wrapping paper
- Calendars (attach list of titles, years & publishers)
- Photos - color prints, B/W prints, or slides (attach list of subjects, dates, etc.)

Quilt Magazines:

- AQS American Quilter
 - Ladies Circle Patchwork Quilts
 - Quilt
 - Quilting Today
 - Quiltmaker
 - Quilter's Newsletter Magazine
 - Quilts... A World of Beauty
 - Journal of the International Quilt Association
 - Others (list)
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Exhibition Publications: attach additional sheets as needed.

- Catalogs - (Exhibit title, place & dates)

- Posters - (Exhibit title, place & dates)

- Exhibit Publicity Fliers - (Exhibit title, place & dates)

- Gallery Guide or Brochure - (Exhibit title, place & dates)

Needlework Company Booklets:

- Coats & Clark
- Ladies Art Co.
- Eleanor Martin
- Needlecraft Supply Co. (Chicago)
- Virginia Snow (Elgin, IL)
- Spool Cotton Com
- Other _____

Batting Wrappers, Booklets and Advertising:

- Lockport Cotton Co. (Lockport, NY)
- Mountain Mist (Cincinnati, OH)
- Rock River Cotton Co. Janesville, WI)
- Taylor Batting Co. (Taylor, TX)
- Other _____

Contest & Competition Publications:

- Application & Rules (Place & Date)

- List of Winners (Place & Date)

- News Clippings or Photos (Place & Date)

- Contest Ribbons & Trophies (Describe)

Other Items in the Boxes: (Attach descriptions on separate sheet of paper, if necessary.)

- Cloth Blocks (describe)
- Templates (describe)
- Quilting Stencils & Powder
- Tools (describe)
- Fabric (describe)
- Thread (describe)
- Swatch Cards (describe)
- Trade Cards (describe)
- Letters (give writers, dates, subjects)
- Diaries (give writers, dates, subjects)
- Scrapbook (describe contents)
- Other (describe)

To speak with someone at the Alliance for American Quilts about your discoveries, please email us via our website: <http://www.allianceforamericanquilts.org/contact.php> or phone us at (828) 251-7073.

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