

A 76

Athalinda May Fitzpatrick fonds

Original, 1.5 cm of textual records, 1912-1913

Scope and Content:

Examples of work typical of what was taught in kindergartens of the early 20th century.

Series A 76/1/1-3 - workbooks

Three workbooks containing:

- 1) samples of paper weaving (in patterns ranging from simple to complex), paper folding, sewing oncards showing outlines, circles, butterflies and other patterns some of which are coloured, and samples.
- 2) More complicated samples of the above
- 3) geometrical shapes cut from coloured paper and glued, ranging from simple to complex.

Biographical Sketch:

Athalinda May Fitzpatrick was born July 20, 1907 of Mary Margaret Irwin and Watson Henry Fitzpatrick at Meldrum Bay, Manitoulin Island but moved with her family to Fort William the same year. She attended kindergarten at Francis Street School in 1912-13 at the age of 5.

Additional Information:

Custodial History - Donated directly to museum by Ms. Fitzpatrick 2000 Westgate, Apt. 701B, Plymouth, Indiana, 46565-9114, USA.

Related Material - See also Jessie Baker fonds (A 10) for similar material created by a kindergarten teacher.