

# HUGGINS BIRTHDAY BOOK

## OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

- Repository:** Crandall Public Library.  
Center for Folklife, History, and Cultural Programs,  
Glens Falls, NY.
- Creator:** Nannie Huggins
- Title:** Huggins Birthday Book
- Dates:** 1894
- Abstract:** This collection is made up of one "Moore Birthday Book" that was owned by Nannie W. Huggins in 1894. This book was made for the purpose of recording birthdays. The owner recorded the birthdays of various people, some of which have local family names. The book seems to relate to Washington County, NY.
- Quantity:** 1 vol.
- Identification:** Archives & Manuscripts: Personal and Family Collections

## SCOPE AND CONTENT OF THE RECORDS

The book is 4.25"x3.5"x1". The cover is green and decorated with shamrocks. Cover title: The Moore Birthday Book. The binding is loose. On the inside of the front cover was written "Nannie W. Huggins Xmas 1894". On the back of each page are excerpts from Thomas Moore's (1779-1852) works. This book was printed in 1891. The dates run from January 1 to December 31, with three dates per page.

The names were written in a fountain-style pen, as well as a ballpoint pen later on. Some names have both birth and death dates, some only births. There is an index of names in the back of the book. Some of these include Black, Copeland, Cuthbert, Granger, Huggins, Hunt, McDougall, and McWhorter. The names suggest a relation to Washington County, NY. Argyle, NY is mentioned in a newspaper clipping found in the book. The dates listed span from 1824-1964.

## INDEX TERMS

- Places:** Argyle, NY  
Washington County, NY

**Important People:** Black  
Copeland  
Cuthbert  
Granger  
Huggins  
Hunt  
McDougall  
McWhorter

**Form/Genre:** Birthday Book

## **ADMINISTRATIVE INFORMATION**

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