

## Guide to the Mabel Fickett Correspondence to Nettie Webster, 1898-1947

### Administrative Information

**Title and Dates:**

Mabel Fickett Correspondence to Nettie Webster, 1898-1947

**Repository:**

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**Collection Number:**

2021.083

**Author of Finding Aid:**

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**Creator:**

Fickett, Mabel Hortense, 1875-1961

**Language:**

The materials in this collection are in English.

**Extent:**

1 box ; 0.33 linear feet

**Abstract:**

Nettie Louisa (Davis) Webster was a resident of Canaan, NH, and the wife of a farmer. Mabel Hortense (Mason) Fickett was a resident of Concord, NH, and the wife of a jeweler. This collection consists of one-sided correspondence that Mabel Fickett wrote to Nettie Webster from 1898 to 1947.

## Access and Use

### **Acquisition Information and Provenance:**

The Mabel Fickett Correspondence to Nettie Webster was a gift of Pamela and David Webster in 2021.

### **Processing Information:**

This collection was processed by Mylynda Gill in August 2022. The finding aid was written by Mylynda Gill in September 2022. This finding aid follows the standards set-forth by *Describing Archives: A Content Standard*.

### **Access Restrictions:**

Available for research.

### **Location:**

The collection is housed at the New Hampshire Historical Society in Concord, New Hampshire.

### **Physical Characteristics and Technical Requirements:**

The materials in this collection are paper based and has no special technical requirements for use.

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### **Preferred Citation:**

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## Collection Overview

### **Biographical Information:**

Nettie Louisa (Davis) Webster, was born on July 31, 1872 in Canaan, NH, to George W. and Emeline L. (Kilton) Davis. She married Frank Henry Webster on October 25, 1898 in Enfield, NH. Her husband was born on October 18, 1863, and passed away on April 10, 1923. He worked as a farmer. They had three children together: Lester Kilton born on October 1, 1899; Willis Davis born on December 24, 1909; and Nettie Emeline born on December 16, 1908. Nettie passed away on September 14, 1952.

Mabel Hortense (Mason) Fickett was born on May 1, 1875 in Loudon, NH, to Charles and Phoebe Mason. She married Weston Lemuel Fickett on May 18, 1905 in Pembroke, NH. Her husband was born on July 17, 1869 and passed away on March 30, 1946. He worked as a jeweler and owned W. L. Jewelers in Concord, NH. Mabel passed away on August 19, 1961.

### **Collection Scope and Content Note:**

The correspondence from Mabel Fickett to Nettie Webster consists of letters, postcards, greeting

cards, and a wedding invitation sent from Mabel Fickett of Concord, NH, to Nettie Webster of Canaan, NH. The bulk of the material within this collection are handwritten letters. While the correspondence dates from 1898 to 1947 the majority of the letters date from 1913 to 1934.

Items of note include a wedding invitation to Nettie Webster for the wedding of Mabel Mason to Weston Fickett (Folder 1). Another item of note is Mabel's letter to Nettie postmarked November 13, 1918, which contains her reaction to the end of World War I and the celebrations occurring in Concord (Folder 5).

**Arrangement:**

This collection is arranged in chronological order.

**Contents List**

**Box 1**

Folder 1	Correspondence, 1898-1905
Folder 2	Correspondence, 1913-1914
Folder 3	Correspondence, 1915-1916
Folder 4	Correspondence, 1917
Folder 5	Correspondence, 1918-1919
Folder 6	Correspondence, 1920-1921
Folder 7	Correspondence, 1922-1923
Folder 8	Correspondence, 1924
Folder 9	Correspondence, 1925
Folder 10	Correspondence, 1926
Folder 11	Correspondence, 1927
Folder 12	Correspondence, 1928-1929
Folder 13	Correspondence, 1930-1932
Folder 14	Correspondence, 1933-1934
Folder 15	Correspondence, 1946-1947
Folder 16	Correspondence, undated

**Subject Terms**

**People:**

Fickett, Mabel Hortense, 1875-1961

Webster, Nettie Louisa, 1872-1952

**Organizations:**

W. L. Fickett Jewelers

**Subjects:**

Correspondence

Friendship

Greeting cards

Postcards

Weddings

World War, 1914-1918

**Locations:**

Canaan, NH  
Concord, NH