

Ada N. Bedell Papers, 1864-1915

Special Collections Department/Long Island Studies Institute

Contact Information:
Special Collections Department
Axinn Library, Room 032
123 Hofstra University
Hempstead, NY 11549

Phone: (516) 463-6411, or 463-6404 Fax: (516) 463-6442

E-mail: LISI@hofstra.edu

http://www.hofstra.edu/Libraries/SpecialCollections

Compiled by:	[M. O'Connor]
Date Completed:	[Aug. 13, 2008]

Ada N. Bedell Papers, 1864-1915 0.20 cubic ft.

Ada N. Bedell resided in Hempstead, New York. She was the daughter of Coles Bedell, also of Hempstead. She had at least one other sister, Hattie N. (Newell), who lived in Brooklyn, New York, and who was married to Charles L. Burchard.

The Ada N. Bedell Papers, which span the years 1864-1915, include compositions, news clippings, notes, personal and collected poetry, word puzzles, and letters to and from Ada N. Bedell. Correspondents include Ada's sister, Hattie N. Burchard; a cousin, Helen A. Loper; another cousin, "Eddie"; and a friend, Johnnie. Topics discussed in the letters include social news, religion, church activities, and Hattie's honeymoon trip.

SUBJECTS

Names:

Bedell, Ada N.

Burchard, Hattie N. (Bedell).

Subjects:

Hempstead (N.Y.)--History.

Long Island--History.

Places:

Hempstead (N.Y.).

Form and Genre Terms:

Letters.

News clippings.

Notes.

Poetry.

Puzzles.

Ada N. Bedell Papers, 1864-1915 0.20 cubic ft.

Box and folder listings

<u>Box 1</u>		
<u>Folder</u>	<u>Inclusive dates</u>	<u>Title</u>
8	1864, n.d.	Compositions
9	1877-1915, n.d.	Letters and invitations to Ada N. Bedell from
		various correspondents
10	1871, n.d.	Letters from Ada N. Bedell to various correspondents
		(with enclosures)
11	Oct. 1884	Letter from Hattie N. (Bedell) Burchard to
		M[illegible] 'Merrell'
12	1869-1875, n.d.	News clippings
13	1872-1876, n.d.	Notes, personal
14	1866, n.d.	Poetry, personal
15	n.d.	Poetry, collected
16	1871, n.d.	Printed materials
17	pre-1900s	Word puzzles and an algebra problem