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SCRAPBOOKS OF LYNCHBURG DAR CHAPTERS

The collection includes two scrapbooks of the Lynchburg, Virginia, DAR Chapters, kept by Ida Lynham McWANE from 1952 until 1959. Also included are some personal papers of Mrs. McWANE, newspaper clippings, and miscellaneous pamphlets, articles, and photographs. [A number of the newspaper clippings and pamphlets were added to the collection by other individuals.]

- BOX 1**
- 1-1** Personal Papers
 - 1-2** Newspaper Clippings
 - 1-3** Misc. Pamphlets, Articles, Photographs
 - 1-4** Scrapbook, 1952-1957
 - 1-5** Scrapbook, 1958-1959

IDA LYNHAM McWANE (1889-1964)

Ida LYNHAM, daughter of William Clifford LYNHAM and Minnie SNYDER, was born 16 October 1889, in Richmond, Virginia. She was educated in the schools of Richmond. She married 24 September 1913 Frederick William McWANE, son of Henry Edward McWANE and Blanche ROBERTS, of Lynchburg, Virginia. They moved to Anniston, Alabama, where McWANE was supervisor of the construction of a cast iron pipe plant.

The McWANE family returned to Lynchburg in 1915 when Fred W. McWANE was made general manager of the Lynchburg Foundry Company. Ida (LYNHAM) McWANE was active in the civic and cultural affairs of Lynchburg, serving as president of the Fort Hill Woman's Club, president of the Old Fort Garden Club, board member for the Young Women's Christian Association, and board member of the Florence Crittenton Home. She was also a member of the Woman's Club and the Old Dominion Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy. She was regent of the Lynchburg Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and was a founding member of the Lynchburg Chapter of the Children of the American Revolution.

Ida (LYNHAM) McWANE died 23 February 1964, and was buried in the Spring Hill Cemetery.

[Obituary, *Lynchburg News*, 24 February 1964, p. 9 col. 1; Burial record, Diuguid Funeral Home, Lynchburg, VA, Book 53, p. 217, Microfilmed records, Jones Memorial Library, Lynchburg, VA; "Fred W. McWane," *Virginia: Rebirth of the Old Dominion*, Vol. IV (Chicago: Lewis Publishing, 1929), pp. 119-120.]