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Collection Information

Abstract : Source materials for information on some of the Lincoln people involved in the Battle of Concord, and the events of April 19, 1775, and a critique of a pamphlet *Heroes of Battle Road*, by Frank Wilson Hersey.

Finding Aid : Finding Aid in print form is available in the Repository

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Provenance : Donated by Peg Martin, 2006.

MARC Access: Collection is catalogued in MARC under the following subject headings (lcs, aat, gmgpc, etc.)

Lincoln (Mass.) – History.
Lincoln (Mass.) – History, Military.
Massachusetts – History – Revolution, 1775-1783.
Concord, Battle of, 1775.

Heroes of the Battle Road / Frank Wilson Hersey.

Martin, Margaret Mutchler, 1925-
Boston Sunday Globe.
Boston Evening Transcript

Historical/Biographical Notes

In a pamphlet entitled *Heroes of the Battle Road*, written by Frank Wilson Hersey, there appears to be no corroboration of some of the incidents described, and the story should be considered folklore rather than factual according to local historian Peg Martin.

Scope and Content

The collection comprises a critique written by Peg Martin of the pamphlet *Heroes of the Battle Road*, with supporting documentation in the form of newspaper clippings from ca. 1900.

Series Descriptions

Series 1: Critique, 2005. (1 item)

Series 2: Articles, 1894-1900. (2 items)

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Series 1, Critique

<u>Box #</u>	<u>Folder #</u>	<u>Identification #</u>	<u>Description</u>
1		2007.01.1.1	<i>Heroes of the Battle Road, Truth or Fiction?</i> a critique of the pamphlet pointing out factual errors in the text : typescript, 2 p. / Peg Martin, 2005.

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Series 2, Articles

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1		2007.01.2.1	Stories of the fight, told by living men and women who had them from the lips of the heroes of April 19, 1775 ... : photocopy of clipping, 2 p. / Boston Sunday Globe, April 15, 1894.
1		2007.01.2.2	The British Regulars rout, Chevy Chase in Lincoln, 19 April 1775 : photocopy of clipping, 4 p. / Boston Evening Transcript, April 18, 1900.