# **Guide to the Francis William Crandall Papers**

MS 1772



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CALL NUMBER: MS 1772

CREATOR: Crandall, Francis William, 1889-1959

TITLE: Francis William Crandall papers

**DATES:** 1911-2002

**BULK DATES:** 1911-1912

PHYSICAL DESCRIPTION: 0.25 linear feet

LANGUAGE: English

**SUMMARY:** The papers consist of typed letters written by Francis William Crandall to

his parents while making the "grand tour" of Europe, Africa, and Asia. An edited version with notes and illustrations is also included. Highlights include a description of a safari in East Africa and attendance at a durbar in India.

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## **Administrative Information**

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Gift of F. William Crandall, 2000, 2002.

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# Biographical / Historical

Francis William Crandall was born on January 13, 1889, in Westfield, New York. He graduated from Yale University in 1911. After working in the lumber industry in the state of Washington, he relocated to Pittsburgh during the Depression. Crandall was a banker until his retirement in 1952. He died in 1959.

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b. 1, f. 1 - 6	Correspondence	1911-1912
b. 1, f. 7	"Letters of Francis Crandall to His Parents Written from September 11, 1912 to May 10, 1912 During His Trip Around the World" [edited letters with explanatory notes and illustrations, compiled by F. William Crandall] English	[2002?]
b. 1, f. 8	Newspaper clipping	1912 May 13

## **Selected Search Terms**

The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the Library's online catalog. They are grouped by name of person or organization, by subject or location, and by occupation and listed alphabetically therein.

#### **Names**

Crandall, Francis William, 1889-1959

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