



## **Troy Farmer's Club Records**

1897-1917

.5 linear feet (1 MB)

### **COLLECTION SUMMARY**

**Creator:** Members of the Troy Farmer's Club

**Language:** English

**Repository:** Troy Historic Village, Troy, Michigan

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**Location:** 1BB

**Related Material:** Additional information about this organization is located in the Vertical Files.

### **ORGANIZATIONAL HISTORY**

The Troy Farmer's Club was a social organization that would meet one Saturday a month. Their meetings consisted of organizational business, a program about literature, and discussions about on a topic ranging from farming, community, home life, and education. The main goal of the club was self-improvement and education of the farming community which is displayed in one of their mottos in their 1914 program, "The skillful hand with cultured mind is the farmer's most valuable asset".

### **SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE**

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Troy Farmers Club Records Finding Aid

The materials in this collection date from 1897 to 1917 and are primarily programs and hand-written organizational records. There is also a copy of a poem written about the club by John J. Snook.

**Arrangement:** This collection is arranged alphabetically.

### COLLECTION INVENTORY

<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Container Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Poem by John J. Snook, 1915	27	2
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