

Haverhill Cycle Club Collection, 1890-1926

Collection Summary

Reference Code:	MRQ, US.
Repository:	Special Collections, Haverhill Public Library, Haverhill, Massachusetts.
Call Number:	MSS 19
Creator:	Haverhill Public Library
Title:	Haverhill Cycle Club Collection, 1890-1926
Dates:	1890-1926
Size:	0.209 linear feet (1 box)
Language(s):	Collection materials are in English.
Abstract:	This collection provides information about the history and development of the Haverhill [Massachusetts] Cycle Club.

Organizational History

The Haverhill Cycle Club was founded on 24 September 1895, for the purpose of “promoting athletic exercises by the use of bicycles... and for social purposes.” It held races and meets and, in 1894, held a minstrel show at the Academy of Music. The club had rooms at the Daggett building and later at the Academy of Music. By 1916, the club was mostly a social one.

Scope and Content Note

This collection provides information about the history and development of the Haverhill [Massachusetts] Cycle Club. There is only one series. Series one contains ribbons that riders used and wore, two pins, an honor medal, two booklets of by-laws, a program from a minstrel show, a scrapbook of newspaper clippings that covers the years 1890-1907, and a folder of newspaper clippings that covers the years 1896-1926.

Arrangement

Series 1: By-Laws, Pins, Programs, Newspaper Clippings, 1890-1926

Administrative Information

Preferred Citation:	[Item Identification], Haverhill Cycle Club Collection, 1890-1926, MSS 19, Special Collections, Haverhill Public Library, Haverhill, Massachusetts.
Custodial History:	Found in collection.
Acquisition Information:	The newspaper clippings scrapbook was created by Joseph D. Curtis and donated by Mrs. Joseph D. Curtis. The Honor medal for J. Fred Adams was donated by Marguerite Adams. The rest of the collection is of unknown provenance.
Processing Information:	Processed by Erik R. Bauer, 2020. Updated by Tamara Gaydos, 2021.
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Related Material:	None
Separated Material:	None.
Conservation Notes:	Newspaper clippings were photocopied onto archival quality paper.
Subjects:	Clippings (informational artifacts) Haverhill (Mass.)--History Haverhill Cycle Club

Collection Inventory

Series 1: Information and Governance, 1890-1926, undated

<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Container Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
By-laws, 1898, 1907	1	1
Minstrel show program [3 copies], 1894	1	2
Pins, undated; honor medal for No. 21 J. Fred Adams, 1898	1	3

<u>Folder Title</u>	<u>Container Number</u>	<u>Folder Number</u>
Guest Ribbon, 1893	1	4
Bike Ribbon, 1895	1	5
Fourth of July Ribbon, 1895	1	6
First Annual Field Day, undated	1	7
Ribbon, undated	1	8
Clippings scrapbook, 1890-1907	1	9
Newspaper clippings, 1896-1926, undated	1	10