

Roswell Burial Association records
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Biographical or Historical Note

Burial associations mirrored modern-day life insurance. Members of burial associations paid monthly dues to the organization, and in the event that the paying member died, the association would provide monetary benefits for the member's burial and funeral expenses. Upon admission into the Roswell Burial Association, members were required to be a "white person in good health" and be at least six months of age. In addition, all members were required to submit a membership application and an admission fee of fifty cents. Officer positions in the Roswell Burial Association included the president, vice president, secretary, treasurer, chaplain, and five directors.

Scope and Content

This collection contains one ledger of the Roswell Burial Association spanning from 1918-1923. The ledger contains a general meeting schedule, lists of officers, Association rules and a constitution, by-laws, and meeting minutes.

Organization Note

Items in this collection are contained in one ledger. Lists of officers, Association rules, a constitution, and by-laws appear respectively. Meeting minutes are organized chronologically from 1918-1923.

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