FINDING AID FOR:

The William Dunn Sturrock Collection

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Collection Description

Collection #: P014

Collection Title: The William Dunn Sturrock Collection

Creator: Sturrock, William D.--1891-1931--Superintendent of Gardens.

Location:

Inclusive Dates: 1917-1921

Bulk Dates:

Extent: 171 digital images

Restrictions:

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Hist/Bio Note: William Dunn Sturrock was a Scottish immigrant who was the first superintendent of the

Vizcaya estate. He was also one of the first landscape architects to work on the gardens. Sturrock worked at Vizcaya from 1914 to 1917. He was the first to live in the Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village and was very involved in the design and building process of that structure; he was also responsible for much of the work in

planning the gardens, paths, and farm buildings on the estate.

David Sturrock was William's brother, who also worked at Vizcaya and went on to become a noted horticulturalist. A copy of his memoir, The Opus, is in Vizcaya's

archives.

Scope: The William Dunn Sturrock Photograph Collection includes some of the earliest images

of Vizcaya as it was being constructed and after James Deering moved into the estate. It also includes images of Vizcaya staff at leisure, with each other or with their families,

and so gives us one of our clearest looks into the daily life of early Miami.

Notes: Works made by William Dunn Sturrock entered the public domain in 2001. Works by

Mattie Edwards Hewitt will enter the public domain in 2026. Works by Richard B. Hoit will enter the public domain in 2043. The copyright status of the Mooney print and David

Sturrock's manuscript remain unclear as of April 2020.

Topic: Farming--lcsh --Leisure time--lcsh --Gardening--lcsh --Horseback riding--lcsh --

Postcards--lcsh --Landscape architecture--lcsh --Nursery farmers--lcsh

Geographic: Vizcaya Museum and Gardens (Miami, Fla.)--lcsh --Florida--Miami--Coconut Grove--

Icsh --Florida--Miami--Icsh

Personal: Sturrock, William D.--1891-1931--Superintendent of Gardens. --Wolfe, Barbara --Hewitt,

Mattie Edwards--1869-1956 --Hoit, Richard B.--1887-1973 --Mooney

Corporate:

Arrangement:

Container List

Item Nbr: Note

Title: Note to May Sturrock

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS000a

Title: Lower East Terrace looking South

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS000b

Title: Tea House, East Facade, and Barge

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS001

Title: Five men at leisure

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS002

Title: Mangroves at Cape Florida

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS003

Title: Mangroves at Cape Florida

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: Cape Florida leisure time

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS005 Title: Mangroves Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS006 Title: Mangroves Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS007 Title: Mangroves Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS008

Title: Gathering coconuts at Cape Florida

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS009

Title: Main House East Facade, seen from the water, looking West

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS010

Title: Cape Florida cottage

Dates: 3/11/1915

Title: Cape Florida cottage

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS012

Title: Cape Florida cottage **Dates:** Circa 3/11/1917

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS013

Title: Cape Florida Lighthouse

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS014

Title: Cape Florida Lighthouse

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS015

Title: Iron door and grille at top of Cape Florida Lighthouse

Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS016
Title: Cape Florida
Dates: 3/11/1915

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS017Title: ConstructionDates: 1917-1921

Title: Construction of Lower East Terrace, looking South; South Sea Arm and Tea House

in view **Dates:** 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS019

Title: Clearing, edged by trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS020
Title: untitled
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS021
Title: Construction
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS022

Title: Trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS023

Title: East Terrace construction, looking South; Tea House and South Sea Arm in view

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS024

Title: Entrance Cascade, looking East

Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDS025 Title: Beach scene Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS026

Title: untitled Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS027

Title: Transplanting a large tree

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS028

Title: Transplanting a large tree

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS029

Title: Transplanting a large tree

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS030

Title: Transplanting a large tree

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS031
Title: Street scene
Dates: 1917-1921

Title: Street scene, featuring the closing-out sale of the Cozy Corner shop

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS033Title: Vizcaya VillageDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS034
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS035Title: Vizcaya VillageDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS036
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS037
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS038
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDS039
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS040

Title: Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS041

Title: Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS042

Title: Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS043

Title: Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS044

Title: Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS045

Title: Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village

Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDS046
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS047

Title: untitled Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS048
Title: untitled
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS049
Title: untitled
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS050
Title: untitled
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS051
Title: untitled
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS052
Title: untitled
Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDS053
Title: untitled
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS054

Title: untitled Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS055

Title: Tree being transported on back of a truck; sign on truck: The Exotic Gardens

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS056

Title: Transporting mature trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS057

Title: Transporting mature trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS058

Title: Transporting mature trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS059

Title: Transporting and transplanting mature trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: Transporting supplies

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS061

Title: Transplanting mature trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS062

Title: Transplanting mature trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS063
Title: Palm trees
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS064
Title: Palm trees
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS065

Title: Unknown building facade

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS066Title: ConstructionDates: 1917-1921

Title: Unknown facade with palms growing behind

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS068

Title: Unknown facade with palms growing behind

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS069
Title: Unknown garden
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS070
Title: Unknown garden
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS071

Title: Trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS072Title: ConstructionDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS073

Title: Sailboat, possibly unloading building supplies

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: Unknown garden wall and palms

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS075
Title: Unknown buildings

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS076

Title: Unknown buildings

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS077

Title: Unknown fields and a solo palm tree

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS078

Title: Unknown house facade

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS079

Title: Unknown house facade

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS080Title: ConstructionDates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDS081
Title: Unknown house
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS082

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS083

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS084

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS085

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS086

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS087

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS089

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS090

Title: William Sturrock and a tree being transplanted

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS091

Title: "The Exotic Gardens" truck hauling a tree

Dates: 11/20/1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS092

Title: Two women and a child seated on steps of a home

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS093
Title: A young girl
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS094

Title: Five adults and one young girl pose on a grassy yard

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: Three women pose on a grassy yard

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS096

Title: A young child sits on the floor with a doll; a person stands in the background

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS097

Title: A woman with a baby carriage

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS098

Title: A young girl sits on a grassy yard

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS099

Title: Seven people pose in a car

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS100

Title: A woman holds a baby while a man looks on

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS101

Title: A laughing child sits on the floor with a doll

Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDS102
Title: Infant portrait
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS103

Title: A house facade with a child in the extreme foreground

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS104
Title: Infant portrait
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS105
Title: House facade
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS106
Title: Infant portrait
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS107
Title: Infant portrait
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS108

Title: A young girl sits with a doll in front of a house and stone bridge

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: A girl and toddler seated in a car

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS110

Title: A woman in a patterned dress holds an infant

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS111

Title: A woman in a patterned dress holds an infant

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS112

Title: A woman in a dark jacket holds an infant

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS113

Title: A woman in a dark jacket holds an infant

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS114

Title: A woman in white holds an infant while a man looks on

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS115

Title: A woman in white holds an infant while a man looks on

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: A woman, man, and dog sit at a picnic table

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS117

Title: A woman, man, and dog sit at a picnic table

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS118

Title: A woman, man, and dog sit at a picnic table

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS119

Title: A woman poses under palm trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS120

Title: A woman poses under palm trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS121

Title: A woman and man pose in front of a house

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS122
Title: House facade
Dates: 1917-1921

Title: A man poses in front of a house

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS124

Title: A woman seated at a picnic table

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS125

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS126

Title: Three people pose on a stone wall

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS127

Title: Asian-styled homes

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDS128

Title: A man and woman pose in a grassy lawn

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN001

Title: Digitized negative

Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDSN011

Title: Digitized negative

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN013Title: Digitized negativeDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN017Title: Digitized negativeDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN171
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN172Title: Vizcaya VillageDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN173
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN174

Title: Construction on the Southeast corner of the Terrace

Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDSN175 Title: Wooded area Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN176
Title: Construction
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN177
Title: A tree in a field
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN178

Title: A tree in a field

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN179
Title: Wooded area
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN180

Title: A road in the woods

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN181

Title: Trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDSN182
Title: Wooded area
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN183

Title: Aerial view of Vizcaya, looking Southwest

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Hoit, Richard B.--1887-1973

Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN184

Title: Trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN185

Title: Trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN186

Title: Construction of Main Gardens

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN187
Title: Unknown road
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN188
Title: Unknown road
Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDSN189
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN190

Title: Superintendent's House in Vizcaya Village

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN191Title: Vizcaya VillageDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN192Title: Vizcaya VillageDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN193Title: Vizcaya VillageDates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN194
Title: Vizcaya Village
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN195
Title: A tree-lined lane
Dates: 1917-1921

Item Nbr: WDSN196 Title: Palm trees Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN197

Title: Transporting large trees

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN198

Title: Cacti
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN199 Title: Wooded area Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN200

Title: Cacti
Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN201

Title: A woman holds a small child on a dog's back

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN202

Title: A man holds a small child

Dates: 1917-1921

Title: A child and dog sit on a grassy lawn

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN204

Title: A woman and child seated on a grassy lawn in front of a car

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN205

Title: A woman and child standing in front of a car

Dates: 1917-1921

Creator: Phys Desc:

Item Nbr: WDSN206

Title: A woman and child seated in a car

Dates: 1917-1921

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