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Biographical History: C. Kay Larson, a native mid-westerner, has been engrossed in Civil War history since her childhood. Larson has conducted research on Anna Ella Carroll and non-traditional women’s roles in the Civil War, ultimately producing several published articles and books. In addition to her work on the Civil War, Larson has also written on the women’s role in military work during World War II. Larson received a Bachelor of Arts in political science from the University of Wisconsin-Madison and her MBA from Baruch College, City University of New York. Ms. Larson has held executive staff positions and consulting positions for New York City and state governments as well as serving on four presidential campaigns.

Scope and Content Note: The papers of C. Kay Larson document her extensive research into the life and writings of Anna Ella Carroll and other important figures from the Civil War era including Maryland Governor Thomas H. Hicks from 2000-2003. Documenting materials include photocopies of articles and correspondence written by Carroll, as well as images and references to her family’s home, Kingston Hall, located in Somerset County, Maryland.

Arrangement Statement: Folders are listed by their location in each box; any given subject may be dispersed throughout the entirety of the collection.
Subject Terms:

General Terms
   Carroll Family
   Civil War

Corporate Names
   Confederacy
   Kingston Hall
   Native American Party
   Whig Party

Personal Names
   Bates, Edward
   Breckinridge, John C.
   Calhoun, John C.
   Carroll, Anna Ella
   Carroll, Thomas King
   Hicks, Thomas H.
   Larson, C. Kay
Box 1

1. Article, Photocopy, “The Relation of the Revolted Citizens to the United States,” Anna Ella Carroll, 1862
2. Article, Photocopy, “Which? Fillmore or Buchanan,” Anna Ella Carroll, 1856
4. Pamphlet, Photocopy, “Reply to Breckinridge,” Anna Ella Carroll, circa 1891
5. Editorial, Photocopy, From Anna Ella Carroll to Governor Thomas H. Hicks, 1861
6. Article, Photocopy, “The Constitutional Power of the President,” Anna Ella Carroll, 1861
7. Article, Photocopy, “Approval of Presidential Action,” J.C. Breckinridge, 1861
11. Congressional Case for Compensation, Anna Ella Carroll, Photocopy, 1874-1885
12. Correspondence, Regarding Anna Ella Carroll’s Compensation, Photocopy, 1856-1870
13. Correspondence, From Anna Ella Carroll to Various People, Photocopies, 1848-1872
14. Correspondence, From Melvin and Martha Root to Francis Rockwell, Photocopy 1890 June 9
15. Commissioning, Thomas King Carroll, Photocopy, 1850August 27
16. Financial Records, Thomas King Carroll, Photocopy, 1866-1867
17. Report, Secretary of the Navy, Photocopy, 1856
18. Photographic copies, Carroll Family, undated
20. Photographic copies, Kingston Hall, undated
21. Photographic copies, Prominent Civil War Politicians, undated
22. Newspaper Clippings, 1858-1863
23. Transcription, New York Evening Express, “Hancock Articles,” undated
24. Maps, Tennessee River Campaign of 1862, undated

Library Materials

1. Great Necessities: the Life, Times, and Writings of Anna Ella Carroll, 1815-1894, C. Kay Larson, 2004