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**Series 1:      Aitken family history**

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| 1. | History of the Aitken Family Trunk  | 1896 |
| 2. | Autobiography of John Astor Aitken<br>(Photocopy)   | 1959 |
| 3. | Autobiography of John Astor Aitken<br>(Typed transcript)  | 1959 |
| 4. | Autobiography of John Astor Aitken<br>(Original)  | 1959 |
| 5. | Comments on Autobiography of John<br>Astor Aitken by Ruth Aitken Bristol                                      | 1969 |
| 6. | Genealogical notes on William A. Townsend,<br>Thomas Cowan, and John A. Aitken.                               | n.d. |
| 7. | “Colourful career recalled by Historical Portrait:<br>The Career of George Townsend,” by<br>Richard Pearsall. | n.d. |
| 8. | Fortune Bay Aitken family genealogy   | n.d. |

**Series 2:      Obituary notices**

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|----|-------------------------------|------|
| 1. | Agnes Bell Irving             | 1889 |
| 2. | John Townsend                 | 1908 |
| 3. | Florence Norton               | 1915 |
| 4. | W.H. Aitken                   | 1928 |
| 5. | Charles H. Townsend           | 1931 |
| 6. | Mrs. Elizabeth Cowan Townsend | 1932 |

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7. David D. Aitken 1941

**Series 3: Photographs**

1. Wedding Photograph of John Astor Aitken  
and Harriet Varley Aitken  
(Married 21 September 1897) 1897
2. Charles Aitken Homestead  
(Front View) 1929
3. John A. Aitken and the maintenance group at the  
Peter Brent Brigham Hospital, Boston  
Mass.  
(Two photographs) 1936
4. Grave marker from the grave of Agnes E.  
Aitken in Forest Lawn Memorial Park,  
Glendale, California. 1960
5. Lt. Col. George B. Larmer at the grave of  
Agnes E. Aitken 1960
6. 95<sup>th</sup> Birthday Photograph of John Astor Aitken  
(Taken in the living room at 1808 Barracks Rd.,  
Charlottesville, Virginia) 20 November 1962
7. Tombstone of Charles Aitken Stone, John A.  
and Harriet Aitken.  
(Bay Fortune Church Cemetery) August 1967
8. Tombstone of John A. and Harriet V. Aitken in  
Charles Aitken's plot.  
(Bay Fortune Church Cemetery) August 1967
9. John Astor Aitken's homestead at Fortune Bay 1967

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| 10. | Agnes E. Aitken (1870-1960)<br>Daughter of Charles and Helen (Wiggins)<br>Aitken, sister of John A. Aitken | n.d. |
| 11. | John Aitken  | n.d. |

**Series 4:      Miscellaneous historical documents:**

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| 1. | Eliza A. McInnis to Miss Aitken<br>(Correspondence)                | 24 February 1949 |
| 2. | One hundred and fifteenth anniversary Bay<br>Fortune United Church | 1956             |