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**DAN KRAPF PAPERS**  
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***HISTORY***

Krapf worked as a Park Range in Yellowstone National Park, notably assigned to Tower Ranger Station. He also served as a wildland firefighter and interagency incident commander. After retirement, Krapf became an independent historian, writer, and Volunteer in Parks (VIP).

***DESCRIPTION***

Research and writings by former Yellowstone National Park Ranger Dan Krapf. Contains drafts and research for several books and articles on historical aspects of Yellowstone National Park by Dan Krapf. Topics include a history of fire, a history of soldier stations, stories of bears, and a memoir of time as a park ranger. Also includes several prints of watercolors and drawings by Krapf.

***PROVENANCE***

Gift of Dan Krapf, 2022.

***AVAILABILITY***

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