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Vermont Hatch Mansion  
Construction Photographs

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New Windsor, NY

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**Vermont Hatch Mansion Construction Photographs**

**Date:** circa 1935

**Extent:** 1 folder, including 20 unmounted photographs and 6 mounted photographs

**Creator:** Unknown

**Abstract:** Photographs documenting the construction of the Vermont Hatch Mansion by architect Maxwell Kimball in New Windsor, NY, c.1935. In 1960, this French Normandy-inspired chateau opened as Storm King Art Center's Museum Building.

**Administrative/Biographical History:**

Vermont Hatch was born on May 14, 1893 in Heber, UT, the son of a Mormon pioneer and politician. Hatch went on to Harvard University and Columbia Law School, and then worked as an attorney for White & Case, becoming a partner at the firm in 1925. Architect Maxwell Kimball designed a French Normandy-style chateau for Hatch in New Windsor, NY, completed in 1935. Hatch became a friend of Ralph E. Ogden during visits to the mansion. Hatch passed away on April 4, 1959.

Maxwell Kimball was born on February 17, 1892 in Amherst, MA. He attended Amherst College for a year before transferring to MIT, where he graduated with a degree in Structural Engineering. He designed Navy ships before working with the architect Arthur C. Holdern in New York City from 1919 to 1928. In 1928, Kimball opened a private practice. The French Normandy-style mansion he designed for Hatch in New Windsor, with its slate-tiled hipped roof and granite stone blocks, was built with materials from the 1834 Danskammer Mansion in Newburgh, NY. It was purchased by Ralph E. Ogden after Hatch passed away in 1959. In 1960, Ogden and his business partner H. Peter Stern opened Storm King Art Center and used the mansion and its surrounding property as a museum building. Kimball passed away in 1966.

**Scope and Content:**

This collection of photographs documents the construction of the Vermont Hatch Mansion in New Windsor, NY, c.1935.

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**Languages and Scripts of the Material:**

English

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** The photographs were donated by Vermont McAllister, date of acquisition is unknown.

## Photographs:

Items 8, 9, 20, 22, 23 and 25 are mounted. The rest are on a black photo album pages.

1. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_01  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)
2. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_02  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)
3. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_03  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)
4. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_04  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)
5. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_05  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)
6. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_06  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)
7. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_07  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)
8. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_08  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)
9. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_09  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)
10. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_10  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)
11. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_11  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)
12. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_12  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)
13. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_13

Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)

14. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_14  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)

15. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_15  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)

16. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_16  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)

17. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_17  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)

18. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_18  
Photograph, b/w  
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19. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_19  
Photograph, b/w  
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20. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_20  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)

21. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_21  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)

22. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_22  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)

23. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_23  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)

24. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_24  
Photograph, b/w  
3 1/2 x 2 1/2 in. (8.9 x 6.3 cm)

25. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_25  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)

26. Vermont Hatch Building Construction\_26  
Photograph, b/w  
2 1/2 x 3 1/2 in. (6.3 x 8.9 cm)