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**Collection Title:** Huesman Family Scrapbook

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**Date Span:** 1930s-1940s

**Size of Collection:** 2.0 linear feet.

**Number of Boxes:** 1 oversize box.

**Type of Material:** Scrapbook

**Condition of Material:** Fair, with minor fading and tears to some photographs.

**Arrangement:** Arranged by creator.

**Biographical / Historical Information:** According to the city directory of 1938 the George Huesman resided at 606 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Hilary Huesman (his son) at 814 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue in Dayton, Kentucky. George owned and operated a café at 606 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue and Hilary was employed as a watch case maker at Wadsworth Watch Case Company.

**Scope and Content:** The collection consists of a scrapbook of photographs of the Huesman family of Dayton, Kentucky during the 1930s and 1940s. The scrapbook contains images of family members, residences and events. Included amongst the photos are images of the Wadsworth Watch Case Company softball and baseball teams and the Ohio River flood of 1937 and devastating aftermath.

**Subject Headings / Descriptors:**

Huesman family.

Huesman, George Martin, 1878-1953.

Huesman, Hilary John, 1908-1975.

Dayton (Ky.) – History.

Floods – Kentucky – Dayton.

**Notes:** The identification attached to the scrapbook was a post-it note with the name Melanie Huesman Booth. Most of the information for identification was found in city directories from Dayton and Newport, Kentucky from 1930s and 1940s. The images themselves also had clues which offered more details to dates and locations.