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Compiled by Jennifer Ford

This is the thirty-ninth annual compilation citing manuscript acquisitions to appear in *The Journal of Mississippi History*. The collections listed below were acquired by libraries during 2015-2016. Unless otherwise noted, all collections are open to researchers.

103rd Infantry Division Association of WWII Research Collection. Accretion. [six additions] three cubic feet of materials were added to the 103d Infantry Division Association of WWII Research Collection by various association members. These materials include documents, photographs, morning reports, general orders, narratives, books, flags, and plaques. The 103rd Infantry Division was activated in November 1942 and spent nearly two years training in Texas and Louisiana. The division was comprised of three infantry regiments along with several supporting units. The 103rd landed at Marseilles, France, in October 1944 and attacked west through southern France and through the Vosges Mountains into Germany and assaulted the outer defenses of the Siegfried Line and prior to reaching the Rhine Valley. In April 1945, it liberated the Kaufering concentration camp, a sub camp of Dachau. The division next crossed the Danube River into Austria and linked up at the Brenner Pass over the Italian/Austrian border with the 88th Infantry Division which had been advancing north from Italy. After Victory in Europe Day, the 103rd performed occupational duties and returned to the U. S. to be deactivated in September 1945. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

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Boyce Adams Collection. Accretion. c. 1900-1930. Four folders. Currently closed for processing. Primarily consists of correspondence, as well as newspaper clippings and ephemera related to this former UM student, WWI soldier, Cedar Mound Plantation, and the Mississippi Delta. Donated by Paul Grass. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Jennie and Lucia Adams Collection. Accretion. c. 1900-1930. Two folders. Currently closed for processing. Primarily consists of correspondence, as well as newspaper clippings and ephemera related to the Adams family, Cedar Mound Plantation, and the Mississippi Delta. Donated by Paul Grass. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Lee Annis Collection. Dr. Lee Annis is the author of *Big Jim Eastland: The Godfather of Mississippi* (2016), a biography of U. S. Senator James O. Eastland of Mississippi. The six boxes in the collection contains Annis's research notes, including notes of oral interviews, recordings, and manuscripts of the book. Modern Political Archive, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

John Robinson Block-MaxxSouth Broadband Collection. Sixty books. 1801-1898. This collection contains Mississippi Territorial laws and early laws of the State of Mississippi. Seven of the volumes of Mississippi Territorial laws, all published in Natchez before 1816, are the only known complete existing copies. Gift of John Robinson Block-MaxxSouth Broadband. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Mississippiana.

Blues CD Collection. Accretion. Gift of nine CD's of blues bands from Argentina. Donated by Gabriel Grätzer and Martín Sassone. Blues Archive, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Blues Poster Collection. Accretion. 1987-2014. Consists of thirty-eight Blues posters donated by Bonnie Stebbins. Blues Archive, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Congressman David R. Bowen Papers. Accretion. One cubic foot. 1974-2015. Open collection: Additional materials in process. Correspondence, photographs, speeches, and calling cards collected by Congressman Bowen during his career in the United States House of Representatives. This addition also includes editorial columns authored by Bowen for various Mississippi newspapers. Donated by David R. Bowen. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

Sr. Thea Bowman Collection. .33 cubic feet. 1963-2002. Collection contains the card catalog for Bowman's library; research notes and correspondence; news clippings, periodicals. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Herschel Brickell Collection. Accretion. Ca. 1930s-1950s. Collection currently closed for processing. Consists of original correspondence between Mississippi literary critic Herschel Brickell and author Margaret Mitchell. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Stewart "Bebe" Bridgforth Collection. Approximately three cubic feet. 1942-1959 and undated. Collection contains correspondence, two Nazi flags (one inscribed by American soldiers), photographs, periodicals. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Broadside Collection. Accretion. Bill Dunlap Limited Edition Print. Hand signed print of "Mr. Faulkner's Defunct Apple Tree" Number 52 out of 200. Donated by Dr. Ed Meek. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Louis B. Brock Collection. 1950-2016. This collection contains 2,000 fine press and autographed books. Gift of Louis B. Brock. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Mississippiana.

Carl and Dixie Butler Collection. 1803-2011. This collection contains over 1,800 books and pamphlets. Strengths of the collection are Mississippi history, southern history, and southern architecture. No restrictions. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Mississippiana.

Dr. D. J. Canale Civil War Monograph Collection. Accretion. Gift of first edition of Edward P. Alexander's *Military Memoirs of a Confederate*. Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Dr. D. J. Canale Yellow Fever Collection. Accretion. Gift of an 1839 imprint of Pierre Louis' *Anatomical, Pathological and Therapeutic Researches on the Yellow Fever of Gibraltar of 1828* and an 1892 first edition of Benjamin Rush's *Old Family Letters Relating to the Yellow Fever, Series B*. Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Kalar Coody Memorabilia Collection. <1 linear foot. 1935-1980. Collection contains memorabilia, photographs, and clippings from Ms. Coody's college years at The W and Alumni Association material from subsequent years. Donated by Kent Jultz with no restrictions. Mississippi University for Women.

Demonstration School Record Group. Five linear feet. c. 1970s-2002. Collection contains office records, photographs, and memos from the Demonstration School, which was run by the Industrial Institute and College/Mississippi State College for Women/Mississippi University for Women from 1907-2005. Transferred from vacant Demonstration School Building with no restrictions. Mississippi University for Women.

Dixie Darlings Alumnae Association Historical Collection. Accretion. 2.25 cubic feet of materials that document the University of Southern Mississippi's Dixie Darlings from their inception in 1954 through their 2014 reunion. Two former Dixie Darlings, Anne S. Larman and Gwen Vanderfin, started this collection. They donated photographs, newspaper clippings and magazine articles, posters, display boards, and various memorabilia items that chronicle their participation in games, nationally televised events, the formation of the Dixie Darlings Alumnae Association, their trip to New York for the Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade, and their trip to London to perform in the New Year's Day Parade. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Duncan and Blackwell Family Papers. Approx. Five cubic feet. 1803 - early 20th century (bulk mid-to-late 19th century). Consists of correspondence, wills, slave receipts, Bible, photographs, and other family papers. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Farrell Family Papers. Approximately one cubic foot. 1906-1943. Consists of correspondence, clippings, periodicals, photographs, postcards. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Gregory E. Favre Collection. Accretion. Twenty cubic feet of various materials, including newspapers, political campaign buttons, scrapbooks, and photographs, from Favre's career as journalist and media executive c. 1944-2015. Donated by Greg and Bea Favre. Favre grew up working on his family newspaper in Mississippi, *The Sea Coast Echo*. His first daily newspaper job was in the sports department of the *Jackson (MS) State Times*. His extensive career would eventually include positions as: assistant sports editor of the *Jacksonville Journal*, assistant sports editor of the *Atlanta Journal*, managing editor of the *Dayton Daily News*, editor of the *Palm Beach Post*, news director of WPLG-TV in Miami, editor of the *Corpus Christi Caller-Times*, managing editor of the *Chicago Daily News*, managing editor of the *Chicago Sun Times*, and executive editor of *The Sacramento Bee*. He was vice president/

news for McClatchy Newspapers from January 1990 until his retirement in 2001. Mr. Favre is a past president and director of the American Society of Newspaper Editors, past president of the California Society of Newspaper Editors, and a distinguished fellow at The Poynter Institute. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Bettye Forbes Collection. .33 cubic feet. 1788-1927. Contains sheet music, fashion periodicals, two printed legal books in Italian. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Harriet Bynum Fourniquet Collection. .33 cubic feet. 1825-1879. Contains correspondence, photographs, clippings, artifacts. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Judge John J. Fraiser Papers. Fifty-six cubic feet. 1942-2010. Closed collection: in process. This collection is comprised of seven cubic feet of Judge Fraiser's papers, which include personal information related to his education, his service in WWII, and his career as an attorney and judge in the state of Mississippi. There are two boxes of photographs spanning Judge Fraiser's years in WWII to his retirement from the Mississippi State Court of Appeals. Finally, there are more than forty boxes of books, primarily law and code books. In addition, the MSU Libraries conducted three oral histories with Judge Fraiser which are being transcribed. Donated by John J. Fraiser. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

The Tom Goode Collection (A2016-16). Twenty-nine cubic feet. 1958-2014. This collection contains plaques, photographs, playbooks, film, monographs, footballs, trophies, diplomas, uniform jerseys, and newspaper clippings of Goode's distinguished career as a professional football player that began after his graduation from Mississippi State University. In addition to honors as the Miami Dolphins' Most Valuable Player in 1967, the Most Outstanding Offensive Lineman in 1966 and 1969, and a Pro Bowler in 1969,

Goode became the first player from Mississippi State to win a Super Bowl—with the Baltimore Colts in Super Bowl V. Following his retirement from the National Football League, Goode served in a number of positions from offensive coach to head coach and athletic director for various athletic organizations until his retirement in 2003: Mississippi State University, the Calgary Stampeders of the Canadian Football League, Vanderbilt University, the University of Alabama, Ole Miss, and the East Mississippi Community College. Donated by Tom Goode. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Mississippi State University Archives.

William C. Grizzle Collection. 1861-1863. Currently closed for processing. Collection contains seven letters written between 1861-1863 by William C. Grizzle, a Calhoun County, Mississippi soldier serving in the 4th Mississippi Infantry Regiment, Company F. Donated by Mrs. Dorothy Grizzle Hodges. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

John Hailman Papers. Twenty cubic feet. 1970-2015. Closed collection: in process. Correspondence, speeches, legal testimony, and subject files related to the political, legal, and writing career of former United States Senator John C. Stennis staff member John Hailman. The collection also includes the research files for Hailman's numerous books on the history of wine-making at Thomas Jefferson's Monticello and his memoirs related to his work as a prosecutor in North Mississippi. Donated by John Hailman. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

Harper's Weekly Print Collection. 1.5 cubic feet. 1863-1968. A collection of complete issues and individual political cartoons from *Harper's Weekly* magazine from 1863 to 1868. Donated By Dr. George Rable, University of Alabama. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Ulysses S. Grant Presidential Library.

Evans Harrington Collection. Accretion. c. 1950s-1990s. Currently closed for processing. Collection consists of correspondence, original

manuscript drafts, and ephemera related to this Mississippi author and University of Mississippi English professor. Donated by Donna Vinson. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Hattiesburg Historical Collection. Accretion. Four items were added to this eclectic collection by various donors. The accretion includes a leather coaster with the seal of the City of Hattiesburg, undated; show poster for Blair High School's presentation of "Annie Get Your Gun" in the Blair Center Auditorium, with artwork by Brian Blair, undated; land abstract prepared and continued for Lots 2 & 3 in Block 156 of Kemper and Whinery survey, extension and addition to the City of Hattiesburg, Mississippi, c. 1926-1956; and a photograph of three Hattiesburg citizens who attend Temple Baptist Church at a conference in Atlanta, Georgia, c. 1992. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Berch Henry Collection. .5 cubic feet. 1946-1974. This collection consists of correspondence, memos, telegrams, clippings, pamphlets, publications, and photographs from Forester, Berch Henry and United States Senator John C. Stennis regarding the Forestry Research Center in Mississippi, from 1946 to 1974. Donated by Bill Henry. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

Henry Emil Hoffmeister Research Collection. One linear foot. 2016. Personal notes and research about Henry Emil Hoffmeister, Professor of Photography and first head of Photography Department from 1901-1908. Donated by Emilie White with no restrictions. Mississippi University for Women.

Dr. A. B. Holder Collection. Approximately eight cubic feet. 1877-1894. Collection contains medical casebook, research files, photographs from Montana Crow reservation, diaries, artifacts. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Captain Joel Hughes Collection. c. 1859-1862. One linear ft. Currently closed for processing. Collection contains correspondence, as well as images of Joel Hughes and his family. Hughes was a member of the 3rd Mississippi Battalion and would die during the battle of Shiloh. The correspondence is primarily between Hughes and his wife Elizabeth Hughes. Gift of Byrle Sims Murry, Lisa S. Sims, and Edgar Earl Sims. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Paul B. Johnson Family Papers M191. Accretion. One DVD user copy was made of a reel-to-reel audio tape that had been previously closed to researchers. The content is the Jack White Interview made in Baton Rouge, Louisiana, on March 26, 1964. It was previously thought to be a parole hearing for Jack White. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Charles McKeithen Collection. Accretion. Six items were donated by Mr. Charles McKeithen. Five of those are reprinted photographs of the operations of the W. M. McKeithen and Son Sawmill c. 1920s and 1940s. There is also a brief history of House, Mississippi, written in 1936 by Mrs. Sidney B. Schamber. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Arthur McKinstry Civil War Correspondence. .5 cubic feet. 1861-1988. This collection consists of thirty-seven pieces of correspondence from Arthur McKinstry, a private in the New York State Volunteers 72nd Regiment, Co. D during the American Civil War, to various family members. The other thirteen pieces consist of correspondence surrounding the death and burial of Arthur McKinstry. The bulk of the material spans 1861-1862, with additional correspondence from 1900 and 1988, respectively, concerning McKinstry's burial at Yorktown. Donated by Frances Oakley. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Ulysses S. Grant Presidential Library.

Andrews (Alfred P.) Sylvester Magee Research Collection. Accretion. One DVD user copy was made of four audio interviews, each approximately two hours long, titled "The Sylvester Magee

Story” recorded in May of 1965 by A. P. Andrews. Topics include Sylvester Magee’s age, being born a slave, being Union soldier during the Civil War, controversy concerning his age, his 1965 124th birthday celebration, and his trip to New York. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Sylvester Magee Images. Eighteen digital images were donated in the name of Mrs. Sallie Mae Corley by her son, Mr. John Corley. These photographs were taken by the Corley family and friends when Sylvester Magee lived across the street from them, c. 1965-67. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Patricia Marton Collection. Accretion. One cubic foot of materials were donated by Patricia Marton including a student directory, yearbooks, *Tammy Howl* news magazines, photographs, scrapbook, correspondence, and memorabilia from her time as a student at Gulf Park College, c. 1953-54. Also includes correspondence between all four 1953-54 suite mates from Gulf Park College c. 1990-2015. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

The Ed Meek and Meek School of Journalism and New Media Collection. Accretion. c. 1960s-1970s. Currently closed for processing. Collection consists of photographs taken by Dr. Ed Meek. Many of the images are original photographs of William Faulkner, First Monday in Ripley, Mississippi, as well as other Mississippi scenes. Donated by Dr. Ed Meek. Visual Collections, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Dr. Ed Meek Exchange Club Collection. Three linear feet. c. 1967. Collection currently closed for processing. Contains photographs, ephemera, and correspondence related to a 1967 Exchange Club trip. Gift of Dr. Ed Meek. General Manuscripts, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Mississippi Association of Educational Office Personnel Higher Education Division Records. Accretion. Three cubic feet plus thirty-

three items were donated by Jewel Adams. These were photographs in print, negative and CD form, notebooks, publications and files from various meetings and conventions, c. 1998 – 2014. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Dr. Dennis Mitchell Collection. Two cubic feet. 2004-2006 and undated. Consists of correspondence and research files related to Junior Colleges in Mississippi, 1976-1997, and A/V materials related to renovations of the Grand Opera House. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Bobby Moak Collection. A Democrat, Bobby Moak represented District 93 and District 53 in the Mississippi House of Representatives from 1984 to 2016. He chaired the Investigative State Offices Committee in 2000-2003 and the Gaming Committee from 2004 to 2011. Moak served as Democratic Minority Leader from 2012 to 2016. The thirty-three boxes in the collection contains files from his service in public office and his political campaigns. The collection is open to the public. Modern Political Archive, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

State Senator C. R. "Bob" Montgomery Papers. Accretion. Nine cubic feet. 1979-2015. Open Collection, Additional materials in process. Correspondence, news clippings, photographs, and other documents related to the political career of Mississippi legislator Bob Montgomery. This is an addition to the existing Bob Montgomery papers. Donated by Bob Montgomery. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

Kent Moorhead Collection. Accretion. Collection consists of photographs, slides, and research materials from photographer Kent Moorhead. Gift of Kent Moorhead. Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Willie Morris Small Manuscript Collection. Accretion. Two items. 1994. An original copy of a reading list and check created by

Mississippi author Willie Morris for Elizabeth Ogden Janke. Gift of Elizabeth Ogden Janke. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Hank Moseley Papers. Twenty-eight cubic feet. 1967-2015. Closed collection: in process. This collection consists of correspondence, news clippings, books, memorabilia, military regalia, and photographs related to the military and political career of Hank Moseley, congressional staffer to Congressmen G. V. "Sonny" Montgomery, Chip Pickering, and Gregg Harper. Donated by Hewett and Allen Moseley. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

Museum Collection. Accretion. Undated. Materials consist of swords and daggers from Brian Primack's African artifacts collection. The collection includes three full-size Tuareg Swords, Twelve daggers and knives, and one spear. Margaret Walker Center, Jackson State University.

Mystic Krewe of Zeus of Hattiesburg Records. Accretion. .25 cubic foot of memorabilia was donated by Garland Sullivan that pertains to the 2015-2016 coronation festivities of the Mystic Krewe of Zeus of Hattiesburg, Mississippi. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Mamie and Ellis Nassour Arts & Entertainment Collection. Accretion. c. 1950s-2016. The archival component of this collection contains signed Broadway posters, unsigned posters from the stage and screen, a theatrical mask, theatre publications, and collateral materials related to the entertainment industry. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Neilson's Department Store Collection. Sixty-three ledgers. c. 1870s-1990s. Currently closed for processing. The collection contains the accounting ledgers from Neilson's Department Store located in Oxford, Mississippi, since 1839. Donated by Will Lewis. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special

Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Newspaper Collection M171. Accretion. One edition of *Harper's Weekly*, September 23, 1865, Vol. IX, No. 456, pp. 593-608, was added from Jim Magglos. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Congressman Alan Nunnelee Papers. Seven cubic feet. 1984-2015. This collection is comprised of materials related to the life and political career of former Congressman Alan Nunnelee. The collection includes correspondence, news clippings, memoranda, photographs, and memorabilia accrued during his time in the Mississippi Legislature and the United States House of Representatives. This collection also includes a number of electronic documents related to constituent correspondence and issue-related materials. Donated by Tori Nunnelee. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

Oak-Ayr Farms Collection. Approximately sixty cubic feet. 1943-1999. Collection contains correspondence, photographs, artifacts, farm and family records. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Photograph Collection. Accretion. c. 1950s. Image of the first service station in Oxford, Mississippi. Donated by Barbara H. Duke. Visual Collections, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Sterling Plump Collection. Accretion. Gift consists of nine signed (some inscribed) books authored by Nadine Gordimer, manuscripts, and several additional inscribed first edition works. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Postcard Collection M36. Accretion. Fifty-nine postcards were added from various donors, most are contemporary from New Orleans, Louisiana; Denver, Colorado; and various places in

California. One is of a World War I officer standing with his horse in front of an unidentified building at Camp Shelby with caption on front "Acting Commanding General, Camp Shelby, Hattiesburg, Miss." William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

The János Radványi Collection (A2016-59). Eighteen cubic feet. 1957-2012. Consists of photographs, monographs, correspondence, business cards, awards, posters, manuscripts and newspaper clippings pertaining to Radványi's personal life and his work in the environment, diplomacy, and international security. A native of Budapest, Hungary, Radványi's distinguished career at Mississippi State University began shortly after his defection to the United States in 1967 while serving as the head of the Hungarian Embassy in Washington D.C. Founding the Center for International Security Strategic Studies and the Executive Lecture Forum at MSU in 1982, and working with environmental and diplomatic relations between many countries defined Radványi's life and efforts towards the improvement of global relations. MSU honored his lifetime achievement in 2012. Donated by the Radványi family. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Mississippi State University Archives.

John Rankin Collection. Accretion. The family of John Rankin donated photographs and memorabilia to the already held papers of this Mississippi member of the U. S. House of Representatives from 1921 to 1953 where he served on the Veterans' Affairs Committee and chaired the World War Veterans' Legislation Committee. The collection of 1,010 boxes is currently closed to researchers. However, as conditions of the original gift have been met, the archives intends to prioritize processing and open the collection to the public by the end of 2017 or early 2018. Modern Political Archive, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Recipe Collection. Accretion. .25 cubic foot of recipes from various donors, handwritten and clipped, c. 1980s and 1990s. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Reveler Social Club Collection. One linear foot plus two linear feet of oversize records. 1987-2011. Collection contains photographs, composites, ephemera, and other objects from the Reveler Social Club, one of numerous social clubs exclusive to Mississippi University for Women. Donated by Rachel Damms on behalf of the Reveler Social Club with no restrictions. Mississippi University for Women.

Lauren Rogers Museum of Art Postcard Collection. 4.6 cubic feet of an extensive collection of early twentieth century postcards from around the world was transferred from the Lauren Rogers Museum of Art. The majority of the collection is assumed to be from the collection of Mrs. Eugene V. Worth of Clinton, Iowa. A smaller portion is assumed to have been collected and arranged by Ella M. Bradley, Librarian, through donations to the Lauren Rogers Museum of Art. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Roy R. Ross Collection. One linear foot. Collection contains several items from University of Mississippi alumnus, Roy R. Ross, the first student in Mississippi to receive a BS PhC degree. Materials in this gift include Ross's University of Mississippi diplomas, campus fraternity photograph, as well as his Delta Psi certificate. Donated by Jean Moncrief, Beverly Bryant, Lamar Ross, and Barbara Ross. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

John Bishop Seavey Collection. Eight cubic feet and 257 rolled drawings. 1843-1989, bulk 1960s-70s. Collection contains architectural drawings and project files, architecture periodicals, one printed book. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

The Marian Seldes Actors Fund subseries. Accretion. This gift contains several Broadway posters, signed by their respective casts given by The Actors Fund. This donation is a part of the Mamie and Ellis Nassour Arts & Entertainment Collection. General

Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

William M. Shoemaker Collection. Accretion. c. 1890-1980s. Three linear feet. Collection consists of six scrapbooks containing assorted photographs of the Shoemaker family of Mississippi. Gift of Robert Hume. General Manuscripts, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

Henry and Sue [Lorenzi] Sojourner Papers M502. Accretion. Currently closed. Nineteen cubic feet of materials which document the Southern Rural Research Project during the Civil Rights Movement in Holmes County, Mississippi, c. 1960s, was added by Sue Sojourner. This collection is currently being processed so it is closed at this time. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Southern Tourism Collection M448. Accretion. .50 cubic foot of various brochures, booklets, and maps pertaining to tourism in Mississippi and/or the greater southeastern region of the United States were donated by various donors. Includes brochures from the William J. Clinton Presidential Center. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Sarah B. Holder Stewart Collection. .33 cubic feet. 1904-1927. Collection contains correspondence, UDC publications and other materials, and a photograph. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Eugenia Summer Collection. Two linear feet plus oversize. 1970-2002. New collection, no accruals expected. Collection contains correspondence, clippings, university publications, exhibit information, awards, college memorabilia, and other records relating to the collegiate, professional, and instructional life of the late Eugenia Summer, professor emerita of art at Mississippi University for Women. Donated by Beverly Joyce and Carolyn Pope with no restrictions. Mississippi University for Women.

Dr. Julius Eric Thompson Papers. Sixty-five linear feet. 1968-2007. Collection contains archival material, consisting of letters, manuscripts, personal items, newspaper clippings, books, teaching material, research material and other items that document the life and work of scholar, teacher, poet, Dr. Julius Eric Thompson. Margaret Walker Center, Jackson State University.

Neely Tucker Collection. Approximately twelve cubic feet. 1985-2016. Consists of reporter's notebooks, research files, clippings, photographs, datebooks, edited galleys, correspondence, printed books. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Sidney E .L., Jr., Ed.D. and Martha Weatherford Collection. Accretion. One cubic foot of material was donated by Dr. and Mrs. Sidney E. L. Weatherford, Jr., both retired from the University of Southern Mississippi. Dr. Weatherford donated material from his father's, S. E. L. Weatherford, Sr., time as a student at Mississippi Normal College, c. 1920s. Mrs. Martha Weatherford donated yearbooks from the Faculty Wives' Club/USM Women's Club, c. 1961-1994. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Weaver Insurance Agency Collection. Three cubic feet. 1916-1970s. Collection contains business and financial records. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Wayne Weidie Papers. Accretion. One cubic foot, 2015-2016. Closed collection: in process. A collection of political columns written by Wayne Weidie. Donated by Wayne Weidie. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Congressional and Political Research Center.

Edward J. Welty Cartoons. 1.33 cu feet. 1960s. Collection consists of 648 golf-themed editorial cartoons. Mississippi State University Libraries Special Collections, Manuscripts Division.

Andrew A. Wiest Collection M498. Accretion. Twelve topographic maps of Vietnam and Laos showing roads, railroads, bridges, ferries, built-up areas, villages, monuments, boundaries, area names, airfields, water features and vegetation were donated by Dr. Andrew Wiest. Includes part of series L8020, 1501 Air, L7014, and L7015 with information as of 1965. William D. McCain Library and Archives, University of Southern Mississippi.

Jefferson Washington Wilkinson Correspondence. One item. January 4, 1862. A letter from Jefferson Washington Wilkinson, Sr. to his wife Amelia Rivanna Toler Wilkinson, written January 4, 1862, on the Mississippi Gulf Coast. Donated by Mike Anders. Mississippi State University Libraries, Special Collections, Ulysses S. Grant Presidential Library.

Tyrone K. Yates/John F. Kennedy Collection. Accretion. This collection consists largely of John F. Kennedy campaign material and memorabilia and includes a number of items related to other presidents and political campaigns. The collection is open to researchers. Modern Political Archive, Department of Archives & Special Collections, University of Mississippi Libraries.

