Collections of Interest to Southern Studies Researchers

1. Thomas G. Abernathy Collection

- Thomas G. Abernathy was born in 1903 in Eupora, Mississippi. He practiced law in Eupora and was mayor from 1927 to 1929. After moving to Okolona, MS, he was elected as a Democrat to the US House of Representatives in 1942 and served until 1973. While in the House of Representatives he worked in the Committee on Elections and the Agriculture Committee. He also worked on the Tennessee-Tombigbee Waterway project. He died in 1988.

- The collection contains files from Abernathy’s tenure in the House of Representatives. There are also scrapbooks, framed items, and other memorabilia.

2. Academic Council Minutes Collection

- The Academic Council is a board of administrators at the University of Mississippi who make decisions on academic issues.

- The collection is a chronologically arranged compilation of the minutes and correspondence of the University of Mississippi Academic Council from 1947-1949.

3. Allan Boyce Adams Collection

- Allan Boyce Adams was born in Claremont, Mississippi. He graduated from Mississippi College in Clinton and then served during World War I in the 42nd Rainbow Division. He was a first lieutenant under General Douglas MacArthur.

- The collection contains letters from Lieutenant Adams to his mother, written during his tour in France. Some of the letters are postcards with pictures of Europe.

4. Jennie and Lucia Adams Collection

- In 1834 Alex Kerr Boyce purchased a plantation 5 miles from Clarksdale, MS. He died without children and left his property to his niece, Mrs. Katherine Henderson Adams. She divided the property among her unmarried children, Jennie, Will and Lucia Adams.

- This collection is mainly compromised of correspondence between Jennie Adams, Lucia Adams, and their mother. There are also letters from Boyce Adams, Frank Black, and Mrs. L.E. Bobo, and antebellum correspondence from Alexander Kerr Boyce of South Carolina. In addition, there are recipes, photographs, and miscellaneous postcards.
5. Afro-American Studies Newsletter/The Vision Collection

-The African-American Studies program, originally called the Afro-American studies program, was founded at the University of Mississippi in 1970. The Vision was the newsletter for the study program.


6. Samuel Agnew Diary Photocopies Collection

-Samuel Agnew grew up in South Carolina, where he attended college and seminary. He moved to Mississippi in 1852, where he was an Associate Reformed Presbyterian minister, teacher, farmer, and prominent local citizen. He lived in Tippah and Lee counties.

-The collection is made up of a detailed diary kept by Agnew of his thoughts, experiences, and activities. He writes about neighborhood news and public events as well, which include the Civil War and Reconstruction.

7. Aldrich Collection

-King Charles II of England granted a charter to the Treadwell family to settle in North Carolina. Some family members later moved to the northeastern area of the Mississippi Territory, which was known as the Choctaw Nation.

-The collection includes four series. Series I is the personal and business correspondence between Allie Treadwell and J. Marvin Aldrich. It also contains the political commentaries, discussions of secession and other Civil War related news, correspondence about slaves, and miscellaneous letters. There are also World War I letters from Ransom Aldrich to his parents. Series II consists of the love letters written between Allie Treadwell and J. Marvin Aldrich, as well as some documents relating to the Lamar Female Academy. Series III is legal and business documents, containing deeds, account statements, receipts, Oaths of Loyalty, and other documents. Series IV contains miscellaneous items, such as a family tree, a wallet, ephemeral items, calling cards, and other pieces.

8. Alumni Association Minutes Collection

-The University of Mississippi Alumni Association was founded in 1852.

-The collection contains the minutes of meetings of the University of Mississippi Alumni Association, from 1853 to 1976.

9. American Association of University Women Collection

-The AAUW promotes education and equality for all women.

-The collection contains the correspondence, minutes, and reports of the Mississippi Division of the AAUW.
10. American Family Association Collection

-The American Family Association, founded by Donald Wildmon in Tupelo, Mississippi, is a lobbying organization devoted to a conservative Christian political and social ideology. Journals are published monthly with some gaps during the year.

-The collection includes the journals concerning homosexuality, conservative family values, the media, Bill Clinton, abortion, and other conservative religious issues. The journals in the collection date from 1990 to 2005.

11. Americans for the Preservation of the White Race Collection

-The collection includes documents and minutes from the Jackson, Mississippi Chapter of the APWR, dating from 1964 to 1966.


-The Andrew Brown & Son lumber company and its immediate successor company The R.F. Learned Lumber Company's Natchez, Mississippi sawmill facility is the oldest continuously operated enterprise of its kind in the United States.

-The collection includes the correspondence, business records, account books, journals, photographs, pamphlets related to the Andrew Brown & Son company and its successor company R.F. Learned Lumber Company. The documents date from 1837 to 1974.

13. Benny Andrews Collection

-Benny Andrews, born Georgia in 1930, was an African American visual artist. He later moved to Brooklyn, NY. He taught at Queens College from 1968-1997 and he served as the visual arts director for the N.E.A. from 1982-1984. He died in 2006.

-The collection is made up of exhibit posters, catalogs, brochures, postcards, posters, and news clippings relating to Benny Andrews.


-The Southern Railway Company was created in 1894 to serve the southeastern United States. The company was very successful and innovative. It operated until 1990 when it was acquired by the Norfolk Southern Corporation.

-The collection contains a volume with the annual report of the Southern Railway Company in Mississippi for 1918.

15. Artifacts (UM) Collection

-The collection contains artifacts originating from a variety of sources, some relating to the University of Mississippi. There are several medals, a jewelry box with clips, coins, a pocketwatch, wallets, and other miscellaneous items.
16. Woodie Assaf Collection

-Woodie Assaf joined WLBT of Jackson, Mississippi as the station’s weatherman in 1953. He worked there for almost 48 years and was named the most popular Mississippi TV personality of the millennium by the Clarion Ledger. He used his position as weatherman to run many benefits and telethons, raising millions of dollars for different causes.

-The collection is made up of photographs, mainly black and white, of Assaf.

17. Athletic Department Correspondence Collection

-The collection contains the correspondence and general files of the University of Mississippi Athletic Department, dating from 1932 to 1937.

18. Audubon Mississippi / Strawberry Plains Finley Collection

-In 1834 Mary Jane Greelee of Virginia married John Tate Finley and her sister, Martha Trimble Greelee, married Ebeneezer Nelms Davis in 1845. The Davis’ built a substantial plantation home, Strawberry Plains, and the Finley’s lived in Holly Springs. Strawberry Plains was burned during the Civil War. The “Finley Place” was built by Martha Alston Reese Jones in 1859. During the Civil War, it was occupied by the Surgeon General of Grant’s Army and his staff. In 1906 George Finley bought the home and it was passed down through his family, until it was inherited by two sisters, Ruth and Margaret Finley, in the early 1900s. Ruth stayed at the Finley Place but her sister Margaret married a Dr. Shackelford, with whom she bought Strawberry Plains. In 1983 the sisters donated Finley Place and Strawberry Fields to the National Audubon Society. The Society took residence of the homes in 1998.

-The collection includes letters, documents, photographs, and other materials collected from Strawberry Plains.

19. Edward A. Autry Periodicals Collection

-Edward A. Autry was born in 1981 in Hickory Flat, Mississippi. He attended the University of Mississippi, Mississippi College, and Blue Mountain College. Autry was a teacher and a superintendent in the Hickory Flat school system. He became a Baptist minister, like his father, in 1921. He served in several different churches around Mississippi and in 1954 was named Mississippi’s Rural Minister of the Year by Emory University and The Progressive Farmer. He wrote two books, Ghost Hound of Thunder Valley, and Don’t Look Back, Mama and numerous short stories. He died in 1981.

-The collection contains periodicals that contain writings by Autry.

20. Howard Bahr Collection

-Howard Bahr was born in Meridian, Mississippi in 1946. He developed a love for reading and writing as a young child, as well as an interest in the Civil War and the old South. He entered the United States Navy in 1964, where he served four years. He then worked on the Gulf Coast Railroad. He entered the University of Mississippi in
1973, where he received a Bachelor’s and a Master’s degree in English. Bahr served as the curator of Rowan Oak, the home of William Faulkner. After this, he became an instructor of literature at the University of Mississippi and a re-enactor of the Civil War. He began teaching in 1993 at Motlow State Community College in Tennessee, where he currently works. He published his first novel, The Black Flower: A Novel of the Civil War in 1998. He has also written The Year of Jubilo and The Judas Field: A Novel of the Civil War, as well as a short children’s book, Home for Christmas.


21. Kathleen Baldwin Collection

-Kathleen Baldwin was a student in the Class of 1915 at the University of Mississippi. She graduated with a Bachelor of Science degree and received a Master of Arts degree in 1917.

- The collection contains several poems written with an Ole Miss theme.

22. James E. (Jack) Bales Collection

-Jack Bales began work in a reference library for the University of Mary Washington in 1980. He has published works such as Willie Morris: An Exhaustive Annotated Bibliography and a Biography and he edited Shifed Interludes: Selected Essays and Conversations with Willie Morris.

- The collection has photocopies of items by and about Willie Morris as well as notes Jack Bales used in his research on Morris.

23. Bank of Mississippi Collection

-The Bank of Mississippi was founded in 1876 in Verona, Mississippi. The bank, originally named Raymond Trice and Company, moved to Tupelo in 1886 and changed its name several times before settling on Bank of Mississippi in 1966. It later merged with Bancorp South, Inc.

- The collection contains a ledger and various other items that relate to the operation of the bank from 1829 to 1834.

24. Bank of Oxford Collection

- The collection contains ledgers and cash books relating to the operations at the Bank of Oxford (Mississippi) from 1853 to 1898.

25. William Barlow Collection

- William Barlow is a professor of Radio, Television, and Film at Howard University in Washington, D.C. He has written Looking Up at Down: The Emergence of Blues Culture, Voice Over: The Making of Black Radio, and more.

26. Barnard Observatory Oral History Collection

-Barnard Observatory was built between 1857 and 1859 by University of Mississippi chancellor Frederick A.P. Barnard. Today it is where the Center for the Study of Southern Culture operates.

- The collection contains cassette tapes with recordings of an oral history of the Observatory.

27. Marge Baroni Collection

-Marjorie Rushing Baroni was born in 1924 to sharecropping parents. The family eventually moved to Natchez, Mississippi. She was an avid reader and a lifelong correspondent and friend to Dorothy Day, author of *The Long Loneliness* and activist. Baroni became the first editor of the women’s page employed full time at the *Natchez Democrat*. She eventually left the *Natchez Democrat* because she did not agree with its racist views. During the Civil Rights movement Baroni helped distribute supplies to schools, integrate the public library, and she joined the Mississippi Council on Human Relations. The white society of Natchez began to ostracize her family due to her actions and the KKK often mentioned her in their bulletins. In 1969, Baroni began working for Charles Evers, the first black mayor of a biracial Mississippi town since Reconstruction. In the late 1970s, Baroni decided to finish her education, attending Copiah-Lincoln Junior College and the University of Southern Mississippi. She graduated with a Bachelor's Degree in 1982. She died in 1986 of colon cancer.

- The collection includes Baroni’s correspondence, newspaper clippings, book manuscripts, spiral notebooks with her writings, and other miscellaneous papers.

28. Russell H. Barrett Collection

-Russell H. Barret was born in Kansas in 1919. He served in the air force from 1942 to 1945 and then got his Bachelor’s Degree in 1946 and Master’s Degree in 1947, both from the University of Kansas. He got his Ph.D. in political science from the University of Melbourne in 1952. He joined the University of Mississippi as a political science professor from 1954 to 1976. His best-known work is *Integration at Ole Miss*, an account of the struggles of integration at the University of Mississippi. He was an advisor to James Meredith. He is also the author of *Promises and Performances in Australian Politics, 1928 to 1959*.

- The collection documents the integration of The University of Mississippi in 1962 and race relations and academic freedom at the university in the 1970s. The collection also includes his academic papers and rough drafts of his manuscript for *Integration at Ole Miss*. There is also his correspondence from 1950 to 1974.
29. Lionel F. Baxter Collection

-Lionel F. Baxter was a North Carolinian who became a broadcasting media executive for Storer Communications Company.

-The collection contains wartime and postwar correspondence from various Confederate officers and soldiers. There are also engravings, muster rolls, maps, and a large selection of books, and materials relating to the life of Hermann Baxter.

30. Beckwith/Yerger Collection

-The Yerger family was part of the upper socio-economic class of Mississippi Delta whites who owned slaves and plantations prior to the Civil War. Byron De La Beckwith III, who descended from the Yerger family, was found guilty in 1994 of assassinating Medgar Evers in 1963.

-The collection contains many documents that help to understand the family background and early childhood of Byron De La Beckwith III. There is a large amount of correspondence between members of the Beckwith family as well as the business correspondence of the Yerger family.

31. Charles G. Bell Collection

-Charles G. Bell was born in Greenville, MS in 1916. He attended the University of Virginia and studies physics and the humanities. He later became an educator and a writer. His biggest work were his multimedia Symbolic History shows, which traced Western Civilization.

-The collection includes slides depicting works of art from the Symbolic history shows. There are also cassette tapes of the shows.

32. Henry and Katherine Bellamann Collection

-Henry Bellamann, a native of Missouri, and his wife Katherine Bellamann, were both writers. Henry wrote several novels including Kings Row (1940) and The Gray Man Walks (1936). Katherine’s works included My Husband’s Friends (1931) and A Poet Passed Away (1958). Katherine was also a poet.

-The collection contains annotated manuscripts of many of their works, as well as correspondence and various other materials.

33. Dr. Frederick Robert Bernard

-Dr. Frederick Robert Bernard, originally from Louisiana, attended the University of Mississippi in 1873. After graduating he practiced medicine in Louisiana.

-The collection contains Bernard correspondence from his time as a student at the University of Mississippi as well as various miscellaneous materials.
34. T.A. Bickerstaff Collection

-T.A. Bickerstaff was the chairman of the Department of Mathematics at Ole Miss from 1947 to 1971 as well as a member of the University Athletic Committee.

-The collection contains miscellaneous documents relating to athletic events at Ole Miss.

35. Marvin Black PR Collection

-The collection includes various articles and publications relating to the University of Mississippi, dating from 1955 to 1961.

36. Blanton-Smith Collection

-The John and Martha Blanton family established a plantation, Blantonia, in Red Lick, MS in the early 1800s. A second plantation, also called Blantonia, was built by John and Martha’s son near Greenville, MS.

-The collection has several letters written by Martha Smith, wife of Dr. Orville Blanton. There are also photocopies and transcriptions of other Blanton-Smith correspondences.

37. Blues Clothing Collection

-The collection includes clothing, t-shirts, hats, and jackets that are blues-themed.

38. Blues Unpublished Manuscripts and Theses Collection

-The collection has several manuscripts and theses on subjects relating to the blues and jazz.

39. Blues Videos Collection

-The collection contains mostly non-commercial videocassettes that document blues festivals and other music events, as well as interviews with different musicians.

40. Board of Trustees Reports and Minutes Collection

-The collection contains the minutes of the University of Mississippi Board of Trustees meetings from 1845 to 1991.

41. Marina Bokelman Collection

-Marina Bokelman is an author and teacher who travelled around America and Europe collecting folklore and folksongs.

-The collection has audio tapes, films, and photographic negatives made by Marina Bokelman in 1967 and 1968.
42. Sherwood Bonner (Katherine S. McDowell Collection)

-Katherine S. McDowell was a nineteenth century author, known as the author of Sherwood Bonner, from Mississippi.

-The collection contains correspondence and ephemera relating to the life of Katherine McDowell.

43. Sherwood Bonner / Hubert McAlexander Collection

-Katherine Bonner was born in 1849 in Holly Springs, MS, where she grew up during the Civil War. She later moved to Boston where her writing career blossomed. She died in 1883.

-The collection contains the research of Dr. Hubert H. McAlexander about Katherine Bonner.

44. Book of Gold Collection

-Eric A. Dawson, a Mississippi native, served with the YMCA in its Soldiers Club and joined the Army in 1918, where he became a sergeant.

-The collection has Dawson’s autograph album and scrapbook. Many important writers, political and military figures, composers, and figures from the arts have contributed to this book.

45. Jerry Boone Collection

-Jerry Boone was appointed to assist in carrying out the Supreme Court’s ruling following the Ayers v Fordice case regarding remnants of de jure segregation in Mississippi. He helped to review Mississippi policies and procedures and assisted in reforming university admissions processes.

-The collection contains correspondence, newspaper clippings, report drafts, and data used in the Supreme Court case.

46. George W. Boswell Collection

-George W. Boswell was a professor of English at the University of Mississippi in the 1970s. His research included county folklore, folk customs, and folk music of Mississippi. He founded the Oxford Madrigal Society.

-The collection contains stories, historical sketches, manuscript, sheet music, and other materials relating to Boswell’s folklore research.

47. Bouchard Collection

-The collection includes posters, lobby cards, press books, and other memorabilia of movies related to Mississippi dating from 1937 to 2000.
48. Louis E. Bourgeois Collection

-Louis E. Bourgeois is an author from New Orleans, LA. His memoir is *The Gar Diaries*. He was the first person to receive the Master of Fine Arts degree from the University of Mississippi. He founded the independent literary magazine VOX Press, Inc., in 2004 and serves as its executive director.

-The collection includes published works of Bourgeois’, as well as a VOX Press DVD titled “Lady in the Boxcar.”

49. M. W. Boyd Collection

-Montgomery Withers Boyd was a surgeon in the Confederate Army and Captain in the 20th Regiment, Company F.

-The collection contains Civil War and Reconstruction Era materials, such as correspondence, receipts, and licenses.

50. Boynton Collection

-Edward Carlisle Boynton was a professor of Chemistry, Mineralogy, and Geology at the University of Mississippi from 1856 to 1861. He was also a photographer.

-The collection contains negatives of antebellum scenes of the University of Mississippi campus made by Boynton as well as family photographs and self-portraits.

51. Louis Daniel Brodsky Collection

-Louis Daniel Brodsky was born in Missouri and became a poet and William Faulkner scholar.

-The collection is a compilation of manuscripts of Brodsky’s “Mississippi Vistas” and “Mistress Mississippi,” as well as some of his correspondence.

52. Jonathan Henderson Brooks Collection

-Jonathan Henderson Brooks was a Baptist minister and poet born in Mississippi in 1905. During the last years of his life he worked at the post office of Corinth, Mississippi. He wrote and published many poems and many of his works were printed in numerous journals.

-The collection contains poems and correspondence related to the life and work of Brooks.

53. Calvin S. Brown Collection

-Calvin S. Brown was an early twentieth century archaeologist who specialized in Mississippi archaeology. His book *Archaeology of Mississippi* is the product of more than a decade of research. He was also a professor of romance languages at the University of Mississippi.
The collection contains the correspondence and documents related to the work of Brown.

54. Juanita Brown Collection

-J.H. Buford was a member of the 4th Tennessee regiment and later of the 32nd Mississippi Infantry Regiment during the Civil War.

-The collection consists of Civil War period correspondence, mainly that of J.H. Buford. There is also business correspondence and currency.

55. Larry Brown Collection


-The collection includes original manuscripts, galleys, and promotional materials relating to the work of Brown.

56. Larry Brown Small Manuscripts Collection

-The collection consists of documents relating to the life and work of Larry Brown.

57. Browning Club Collection

-The Browning Club is a women’s club founded in Oxford, Mississippi in 1895. Its purpose is to expand women’s knowledge of literature and culture. The club is also involved in community and political affairs.

-The collection contains information about the history of the club, minutes from the meetings, lists of the programs, and many yearbooks. There is also a list of all known members.

58. Hallie Buie Collection

-Hallie Buie was born in Caseyville, Mississippi and was a Methodist missionary in Korea for 30 years. In Korea, she worked as the head of a girls’ school. She died in 1949.

-The collection includes Buie’s correspondence, an unpublished manuscript of Buie’s experiences in Korea, and various other materials.

59. Buildings and Grounds Collection

-The collection contains dedication programs and invitations, correspondence, speeches, and postcards relating to various buildings on the Ole Miss campus.
60. Jack Butler Collection

-Jack Butler, the son of a Baptist minister, grew up in Mississippi. He has published eight books, four of them novels. Many of his poems have appeared in different journals, included The New Yorker. He has won many prizes and awards and was nominated for both a Pulitzer Prize and a PEN/Faulkner Award.

-The collection includes correspondence, reviews, speeches, honors, manuscripts, exams, photographs, and other materials relating to Jack Butler.

61. Roane Fleming Byrnes Collection

- Roane Fleming and Charles Ferriday Byrnes were members of Natchez, MS families that were prominent citizens in the business and civic world of Natchez. Fleming became an author and published mainly children’s stories. She was a charter member of the Natchez Garden Club and participated in the city’s first Pilgrimage. She ran a 1600 acre plantation that she inherited from her father in Beverly, MS. She wrote many essays and speeches on the topic of racial harmony. Fleming also contributed much effort towards establishing the Natchez Trace Parkway and was named “Queen of the Parkway.” Byrnes graduated from the University of Mississippi School of Law and was a practicing attorney in Natchez. Byrnes died in 1956 and Fleming in 1970.

-The collection contains correspondence, magazines, and other ephemera from the life of Roane Fleming Byrnes.

62. Allen Cabaniss Collection

-Dr. James Allen Cabaniss, a graduate of Louisville Presbyterian Theological Seminary, is a historian and a minister. He is the author of A History of the University of Mississippi.

-The collection contains manuscripts and correspondence related to Cabaniss’ research. There are also Cabaniss photographs and manuscripts from other historians.

63. Lydy Becker Caldwell Collection

-Lydy Becker Caldwell was a student at Ole Miss during the Centennial celebration.

-The collection documents the Centennial celebrations and student life through photographs, correspondence, and other memorabilia. The collection dates from 1948 to 1949.

64. Eugene Craven Callaway Collection

-Reverend James Render Callaway settled in Pontotoc, MS with his wife and children in the 1830s. J.R. Callaway helped to establish Methodist churches in both Georgia and Mississippi, and owned a substantial amount of land in North Mississippi. Six of his sons served for the Confederate army, only three of them surviving.

-The collection mainly contains correspondence between members of the Callaway family.
65. Virginia B. Callon Collection

-Virginia Boatright Callon lived in Shelby, MS. After her husband died, she became Hostess of the Student Union at Ole Miss, where she worked for 17 years until her death in 1973.

-The collection contains documents related to the life of Virginia Callon. Much of it is legal and financial documents. There is also some correspondence and a few WWI military records pertaining to Callon’s husband.

66. Camp Chase Gazette Collection

-This magazine, based in Morristown, TN, is the only magazine devoted exclusively to Civil War reenacting.

-The collection contains issues of the magazine dating from 1973 to 1982.

67. Camp Dick Garnett Letterbook

-Camp Dick Garnett was a confederate headquarters in South West Mississippi during the Civil War.

-The collection contains letters from Confederate Army Lieutenant and Assistant Adjutant General Joseph C. Robert and Colonel Edward Dillon that were written from Camp Dick Garnett.

68. Camp Shelby Collection

-The collection includes books, framed items, and postcards related to Camp Shelby.

69. Will Campbell Collection

-Will Campbell was born in 1924 in Liberty, MS. He attended Wake Forest and Yale. He became the director of religious life at the University of Mississippi in 1954, and then in 1956 he began working for the National Council of Churches. He was always actively involved in the Civil Rights movement. Some of his publications are Failure and Hope: Essays of Southern Churchmen, Brother to a Dragonfly, and Forty Acres and a Goat.

-The collection consists of manuscripts and various documents related to Will Campbell.

70. Will Campbell Small Manuscripts Collection

-This collection contains a proof of And Also With You: Duncan Gray and the American Dilemma by Will D. Campbell.

71. Robert Canzoneri Collection

-Robert Canzoneri was born in Texas in 1924, shortly after which his family moved to Clinton, MS. Canzoneri served in WWII, and then received his Bachelor’s Degree at Mississippi College, his M.A. at the University of Mississippi, and his Ph.D. at
Stanford. He taught English and began to publish in magazines. His memoir, published in 1965, was called *I Do So Politely*. He directed the creative writing program at Ohio State University, where he is now emeritus. Other books of his are *Men with Little Hammers, Barbed Wire, And Other Stories*, and *A Highly Ramified Tree*.

-The collection contains manuscripts and correspondences relating to the life of Robert Canzoneri.

72. Hodding Carter Collection

-Hodding Carter, born in Hammond, LA in 1907, became a southern progressive journalist and author. He attended Bowdoin College, and after graduation worked for several southern newspapers. He founded the Hammon Daily Courier, a democratic southern newspaper. Carter won the Pulitzer Prize in 1946 and was called “Spokesman of the New South” for his editorials on social and economic intolerance in the South.

-The collection contains periodicals with articles written by or about Carter.

73. Cassette Tape and Reel Tape Collection

-This collection has nine boxes of tapes relating to a variety of different topics.

74. Grover H. Catt Collection

-Grover Catt was born in Monticello, MS. He joined the military and was in the 509th Bomb Wing of the United States Air Force (the unit that dropped the first atomic bomb on Hiroshima, Japan). He then attended the University of Mississippi School of Pharmacy and operated a drugstore in Pascagoula, MS.

-The collection contains correspondence between Catt and his future wife. There are also photographs from various times in Catt’s life.

75. Lyda Russell Caughman Collection

-Lyda Russell Caughman was born in Daniel, MS. After her marriage, she and her husband, Carl Caughman, moved to India as Lutheran missionaries.

-The collection is mainly correspondence and journal entries from the early period of Lyda's marriage, written by Lyda, and correspondence written by her husband. There are also some family papers.

76. Chancellors Biographical Collection

-This collection contains the correspondence, press releases, newsletters, and miscellaneous documents related to the chancellors of the University of Mississippi. There are also individual sub-collections for many of the chancellors.

77. Chilton Collection

-The Chilton family lived in several different Mississippi counties as well as Texas. Asahel R. Chilton and Reizon R. Chilton were involved with the Mississippi Supreme
Court case Comstock et al. v. Rayford et al. (it cannot be verified that these are the same men as listed in this collection).

- The collection includes legal documents, receipts, tax records, and other business papers of the Chilton family’s.

78. Citizens’ Council Collection

- The Citizens’ Council, also known as the White Citizens’ Council, was formed after the U.S. Supreme Court’s 1954 Brown v Board of Education ruling. The council was formed to stop the ruling from desegregating public schools. By 1956, the group had eighty thousand members. The council published a magazine, *The Citizen*, and had a weekly telecast on WLBT-TV in Jackson. It began to lose much of its influence by the late 1960s.

- The collection documents the activities of the Citizens’ Council from 1954 to 1979. There are correspondence, speeches, flyers, newsletters, and other ephemera.

79. Civil Rights Commemoration Initiative Collection

- This collection has several boxes of material related to the planning of a civil rights monument on the University of Mississippi campus.

80. Civil War Centennial Collection

- The collection consists of press releases and pamphlets related to the centennial of the Civil War.

81. Clark Family Letters Collection

- Margery B. Rogers Clark was born near the Cumberland River in Tennessee in 1822. After her marriage to Thomas Goode Clark, the couple lived near Serapta, MS. Thomas G. Clark and his two sons fought in Company F of the 42nd Mississippi Infantry. All three died at the Battle of Gettysburg.

- The collection includes the correspondence to Margery Clark by her husband and sons while they were in the Army. There are also a few business papers concerning Thomas G. Clark.

82. Class Reports Collection

- The collection contains reports for various instructors and classes at the University of Mississippi, dating from 1909 to 1916.

83. University of Mississippi Classbooks

- Much of the Class of 1861 left the University of Mississippi to fight in the Civil War, most of the joining a company called the “University Greys.” Many of them lost their lives during the war. The university closed until 1865. In 1866 the university awarded diplomas to the class of 1861, though only one member of the University Greys was able to be at the ceremony.
-The collection contains yearbooks with information on the Class of 1861-1862.

84. Cleveland/Wilson Collection

-Dr. Thomas Cleveland was the president of the University of Mississippi Associated Student Body in 1963-64. This was during James Meredith’s time as a student at the university.

-The collection includes the correspondence Cleveland and his predecessor, Richard Wilson, received during the early 1960s regarding James Meredith and the integration of Ole Miss. There are also manuscripts and other ephemera dealing with Meredith’s admission to the university.

85. Louis Cochran Collection

-Louis Cochran, who lived in Jackson, MS during the Great Depression, wrote a series of articles on Theodore G. Bilbo, Huey Long, Pat Harrison, and other politicians. He became an agent for the F.B.I. in 1934 and served in the Army Air Corps and Air Force during WWII. He published a number of novels and a memoir, FBI Man: A Personal History.

-The collection contains Cochran’s correspondence between 1931-1932 and 1962-1965, which primarily concern William Faulkner, Bilbo, and FBI agent Drane Lester. In addition, there are newspaper clippings concerning Faulkner.

86. Cofield Albums Collection

-Jack Cofield was a fourth-generation photographer who made a number of images of William Faulkner.

-The collection contains two albums with photographs of William Faulkner, as well as other Faulkner related materials.

87. David L. Cohn Collection

-David L. Cohn, from Greenville, MS, was the President and General Manager of Feibleman-Sears Roebuck before he became a writer. He returned to Greenville and wrote several works based on his own life, including God Shakes Creation and Where I was Born and Raised.

-The collection includes typescripts of Cohn’s autobiography as well as Combustion on Wheels, Love in America, and The Life and Times of King Cotton. There are also correspondence items, short stories, and clippings.

88. David Cohn Periodicals Collection

-The collection contains selected issues of The Saturday Review published from 1937 to 1959.
89. Coit Collection

-The collection includes primarily Reconstruction era materials relating to Helen Harry Coit of Jackson, MS. There is also one Civil War letter from Col. John F. Harry.

90. Dick “Cane” Cole Collection

-Dick “Cane” Cole was a disc jockey for WLOK in Memphis, TN.

-The collection contains photographs of Cole and other WLOK staff members as well as promotional photographs of blues, soul, funk, and gospel performers.

91. J.P. Coleman Collection

-J.P. Coleman was born in Choctaw County, MS in 1914. After graduating from high school, he attended the University of Mississippi and then moved to Washington, DC. He opened a law practice in Ackerman, MS in 1939 and was elected District Attorney for a seven-county Fifth Circuit of Mississippi and became a circuit judge in 1946. In 1950 he became the youngest member of the Mississippi Supreme Court. Later that year, he became the state attorney general and then won the gubernatorial race in 1955. After not being reelected in 1963, President Lyndon B. Johnson nominated Coleman to the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals in 1965, where he served for 19 years, serving five of them as Chief Judge. He died in 1991.

-The collection consists mainly of case files from Coleman’s time on the U.S. Fifth Circuit Court of Appeals.

92. Colin Crawford Collection

-Colin Crawford is the author of the 1996 non-fiction book *Uproar at Dancing Rabbit Creek: Battling Over Race, Class and the Environment*.

-The collection consists of ephemera and correspondence relating to the life of Colin Crawford, most of them dealing with his work on *Uproar at Dancing Rabbit Creek*.

93. Ross A. Collins Collection

-Ross A. Collins was born in Collinsville, MS in 1880. He attended the University of Kentucky at Lexington and the law program at the University of Mississippi, after which he practiced law in Meridian. He became the state’s attorney general in 1912, and was elected to the U.S. House of Representatives in 1921. He served there until 1950. He died in 1968.

94. Thelma T. Collums Collection

-Thelma T. Collums was born in Yalobusha County, MS. She taught in Houlka, MS and Jackson, MS and published short stories for children.

-The collection contains manuscripts of several of Collum’s short stories, as well as her Ole Miss diploma and two scrapbooks.
95. Commencement Collection
- The collection contains programs, invitations, articles, and speeches related to commencements of the University of Mississippi dating from 1854 to 2004.

96. Confederate Currency Collection
- The collection consists of Confederate States of America currency, State of Mississippi currency, Mississippi Railroad bills and a State of North Carolina bill.

97. Confederate Documents Collection
- The collection consists of documents from the Confederate Government, notably the office of Jefferson Davis.

98. Conferences Collection
- The collection contains pamphlets and miscellaneous materials relating to conferences held at or sponsored by the University of Mississippi.

- The collection contains three images of the exterior of Rowan Oak, home of William Faulkner.

100. Photography Collection of William Wert Cooper, Jr.
- William Wert Cooper graduated from the University of Mississippi in 1963. He was studying at the university when James Meredith enrolled.

- The collection consists of 20 photographs including images showing damages done to the University of Mississippi by the riots that took place because of James Meredith’s enrollment. There are also images of Federal Troops that were sent to the campus.

101. Copiah County Field Notes Collection
- The collection contains a journal of a surveyor's notes on Copiah County, MS. The journal was written in 1881-1882.

102. Craft/Fort Family Letters Collection
- The collection consists of transcribed correspondence related to the life of the Mississippi Craft family, written from 1840 to 1878.

103. John Crews Collection
- The collection contains various materials related to black students at the University of Mississippi, including papers from the Faculty Committee on Black Student Affairs of which Crews was chairman.
104. Dorothy Crosby Scrapbooks Collection

- Dorothy H. Crosby was born in 1908 in Emerado, ND. After her marriage to L.O. Crosby, Jr., the couple moved to Mississippi. Their donations allowed the restoration of Rowan Oak, the home of William Faulkner.

- The collection has two scrapbooks detailing the Dorothy Crosby Appreciation Day in 1980. Photographs depict Rowan Oak, the Crosby family, and other events related to the day.

105. Cultural Events Collection

- The collection contains programs and schedules related to cultural events at the University of Mississippi from 1907 to 2006.

106. Martin J. Dain Collection

- Martin J. Dain was born in Boston, MA in 1924. After serving in WWII, he became a photographer in New York, working for many major firms. He took photographs of William Faulkner between 1961 and 1963.

- The collection contains almost 9,000 photographs of Faulkner, Lafayette County, and Rowan Oak.

107. Henry Dalton Collection

- Henry Conn Dalton was born in Rienzi, MS in 1909. He became a teacher at Alcorn County high schools in 1930 and in 1939 began working as a clerk at the Corinth post office. He published a book of poems in 1954 called Hill Born.

- The collection consists of correspondence, manuscripts, and ephemera related to the life of Henry Dalton.

108. John L. Daniel Collection

- John Daniel was born in Iuka, MS. During WWII, he served in the Philippines and Japan.

- The collection has World War II letters, mainly written by John Daniel to his wife.

109. Dardanelle Collection

- Dardanelle Hadley was born in Avalon, MS in 1917. She studied music at Louisiana State University, and had a successful career with various jazz ensembles in Chicago and New York.

- The collection contains several recordings of Dardanelle Hadley, as well as concert programs and other miscellaneous items.
110. Daughters of the American Revolution Collection (David Reese Chapter, Oxford, MS)

- The collection contains correspondence, yearbooks, and documents related to the Daughters of the American Revolution.

111. Joseph E. Davis Collection

- Joseph E. Davis was the older brother of Jefferson Davis, who would become president of the Confederate States of America. He founded Davis Bend, MS as a model plantation slave community. He had other large plantations south of Vicksburg, MS.

- The collection consists of correspondence and other legal documents pertaining to the life of Joseph E. Davis.

112. Borden Deal Collection

- Borden Deal was born in Pontotoc, MS in 1922. He began writing full time in 1956. He wrote many short stories that appeared in national publications. Some of his novels include *Walk Through the Valley* and *The Tobacco Men*. He died in 1985.

- The collection contains magazines in which Borden Deal’s stories were published.

113. Charles Dean Collection

- The collection consists of material related to the Dean family of Mississippi. There are legal documents, letters, photographs, and other ephemera. The collection is dated from 1837 to 1930.

114. Department of Human Resources Budget Collection

- This collection contains budgets, reports, and administrative documents created by the University of Mississippi’s Department of Human Resources.

115. Ann Rogers Dillard Collection

- James Meredith enrolled at the University of Mississippi in September of 1962. Federal troops were sent to end the violence that broke out in Oxford, MS upon Meredith’s arrival. Ann Rogers Dillard was a student at the time who graduated from the university in 1963. In 2002-2003, the Open Doors events commemorated the integration of Ole Miss and there was a drive to solicit historic materials related to the events surrounding the integration.

- The collection contains publications concerning Civil Rights, particularly the integration of the University of Mississippi.

116. Diploma and Certificate Collection

- The collection contains various diplomas and certifications conferred by and conferred on the University of Mississippi.
117. Louis Dollarhide Collection

-Louis Dollarhide grew up in Kosciusko, MS. He served for a short time in the U.S. Army Air Corps before earning degrees at Harvard and the University of North Carolina. He joined the Ole Miss faculty in 1967, teaching English. He wrote scholarly works, fiction, and non-fiction. Dollarhide also served as president of the Mississippi Poetry Society. He died in 2004.

-The collection contains correspondence and various miscellaneous items related to Louis Dollarhide.

118. Ellen Douglas Collection

-Ellen Douglas was the pen name of Josephine Ayres Haxton. She was born in 1921 in Natchez, MS. She has written eleven books and has taught at several institutions of higher learning, including Tulane, Ole Miss, and Millsaps College.

-The collection contains drafts of nine of Douglas’ books. In addition, there are notes, book reviews, and other writings by Douglas.

119. Ellen Douglas Small Manuscripts Collection

-This collection contains photographs and various documents related to the life of Ellen Douglas.

120. Doxey-Tate Collection

-Sarah Doxey-Tate of Tupelo, MS, is a retired teacher and librarian.

-The collection has newspaper articles, an invitation to an Event on the History of Women in America, an application for the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution, and other materials dealing with the history of American women.

121. William Doyle Collection


-The collection contains research notes and files for Doyle’s book on the integration of Ole Miss. There is also some information on the University Greys.

122. Wylene Dunbar Collection

-Wylene Dunbar was born in Sterling, Kansas in the mid-twentieth century. She earned her M.A. and Ph.D. at Vanderbilt University. In 1977 she went to the University of Mississippi to teach philosophy. At Ole Miss, she earned her law degree and joined the Holcomb Dunbar law firm. She also wrote a short story, “My Life with Corpses.” Her first novel was Margaret Cape.
The collection contains drafts, correspondence, and other materials relating to the writing, editing, and publishing of Margaret Cape.

123. Duvall Family Collection

- The collection has an 18 page William Faulkner play written while he was an undergraduate.

124. James O. Eastland Collection

- James Eastland was born in 1904 in Doddsville, MS. He attended the University of Mississippi, Vanderbilt University, and the University of Alabama. He began practicing law in Forest, MS in 1927. He was elected as a twenty-four-year-old Democrat to the Mississippi House of Representatives. He did not run for reelection in 1932, and married Elizabeth Coleman. In 1941 Governor Paul B. Johnson appointed Eastland to a U.S. Senate seat upon the death of Pat Harrison, who died in office. He officially ran for the seat in 1942 and won the election. In 1953, Eastland entered the race for his senate seat as an incumbent and won again, entering the national consciousness as a leading Senate defender of segregation and white supremacy. He became chairman of the Judiciary Committee in 1956. In 1972, the Senate elected Eastland as president pro tempore after the death of Allen J. Ellender. He retained this title until his retirement in December 1978. He was known in Mississippi as “the godfather of Mississippi politics” and “Big Jim. He died in 1986.

- The collection contains correspondence, documents, photographs, scrapbooks and other materials from the office and personal life of James O. Eastland.

125. James E. Edmonds Collection

- James O. Edmonds was born in Rosedale Mississippi in the late-nineteenth century. He attended the University of Mississippi. He began working as a newspaper correspondent/artist in New Orleans in 1902 with his wife, Rosa Warfield. He became affiliated with the United States Army, though whether he was an enlisted man or in some other position is unknown.

- Much of the collection is Edmonds correspondence while he was a student at the University of Mississippi. There are also letters from later in his life.

126. Edmonds/Bray/Williams/Stidham Collection

- Isabelle Buchanan Edmondson was born in Pontotoc, MS in 1840. During the Civil War, Isabelle worked as a spy for the confederacy and smuggled goods across Union picket lines. She died by her own hand in 1873.

- The collection consists of the correspondence and documents related to Isabella Edmondson.

127. John Egerton Collection

- John Egerton was born in Atlanta, GA in 1935. He became the Director of Public Information for the University of South Florida, where he wrote for the Southern
Education Report and Race Relations Reporter. He became a free-lance reporter in 1971. He has written or edited eleven non-fiction books and contributed over two hundred articles to periodicals.

- The collection contains recipes, articles focusing on southern food, and information on southern restaurants. There is also basic information for Egerton’s novel *Southern Food*.

128. Engravings Collection

- This collection contains engravings related to the University of Mississippi.

129. Ethridge Collection

- Thomas Ethridge was a journalist for several Mississippi newsletters during the mid-twentieth century.

- The collection contains the personal correspondence, newspaper articles, and scrapbooks of Thomas Ethridge.

130. Thomas R. Ethridge Letters Collection

- Thomas R. Ethridge was born in 1918 in West Point, MS. He attended the University of Mississippi and served in the United States Marine Corps and bought in World War II. He retired as a Major. He then became a Mississippi State Senator from 1948 to 1954 and was the first full-time United States Attorney for the Northern District of Mississippi. He died in 2010.

- The collection has letters sent from Thomas Ethridge to members of his family during his service in WWII.

131. Evans Collection

- The collection consists of transcriptions of correspondence and legal documents concerning the Evans family, dating from 1806 to 1832.

132. Frank E. Everett Collection

- Frank E. Everett received his bachelor’s degree (1932) and law degree (1934) from the University of Mississippi. He practiced law in Vicksburg, MS. He also wrote a book about Brierfield, the home of Confederate President Jefferson Davis. He died in 1986.

- The collection consists of the correspondence and manuscripts related to Frank E. Everett.

133. Exhibition Publications Collection

- The collection contains catalogs, posters, and postcards from exhibitions in the Department of Archives and Special Collections at Ole Miss.
134. Faculty Club Minutes Collection

- The collection has the records and minutes of the Faculty Club at the University of Mississippi.

135. Faculty Minutes and Committees Collection

- The collection has the minutes from faculty meetings at the University of Mississippi, dated from 1848 to 1984.

136. Kinlock Falconer Collection

- The collection contains the wartime correspondence, field dispatches, orders, and circulars between Confederate generals in the Army of Tennessee.

137. Falkner Family Collection

- Colonel W.C. Falkner was born in Knox County, Tennessee in 1826. He later settled in Ripley, MS, marrying Holland Pearce. He served in the Mexican War and the Civil War, and formed the Kentucky Railroad Company during Reconstruction. Falkner died in 1889. He was the great-grandfather of William Faulkner.

- The collection contains W.C. Falkner's railroad documents from the late nineteenth century.

138. Fant Collection

- The collection consists of a diary, letters, a bill of sale for slaves, photographs, and other documents from the Anderson, Fant, and McNeill families, who were most likely from Marshall County, MS.

139. Farm Security Administration Collection

- The Farm Security Administration was founded in 1935 as the Resettlement Administration under the New Deal. It became known for its photographic documentation of America’s rural poor.

- The collection contains copies of Mississippi related Farm Security Administration photographs.

140. Henry Minor Faser, Jr. Collection

- Born in 1910 in Oxford, MS, Henry Minor Faser, Jr. attended the University of Mississippi and the University of Pennsylvania. He became an insurance agent and in 1965 was one of the founders and served on the board of the State Street Life Insurance Company; later he became the vice-chairman of the Board of New Jersey Life.

- The collection consists of portraits and various items related to the life of Henry Minor Faser, Jr.
141. Faulkner – Bacher Collection

-In 1943, William Faulkner discussed a possible screenplay about the return of Christ with producer William Bacher and director Henry Hathaway. He published it as a novel, *A Fable*, in 1954, and won the Pulitzer Prize and National Book Award for it. There was continued discussion on its potential for a movie until Faulkner’s death in 1962.

-The collection contains the correspondence between Faulkner and Bacher. There is also a contract between Bacher and Jill Faulkner Summers for the movie rights to *A Fable*.

142. Faulkner Conferences Collection

-The Faulkner Centennial Conferences were conferences celebrating the centennial anniversary of Faulkner’s birth. There are also annual Faulkner and Yoknapatawpha Conferences.

-The collection contains materials from the centennial conferences and the annual conferences, as well as some audio and video materials.

143. Faulkner Foundation Collection

-The collection consists of correspondence, clippings, and miscellaneous items regarding scholarship at the University of Mississippi Faulkner collection.

144. Faulkner Miscellaneous Images Collection

-The collection consists of photographs of William Faulkner at different times throughout his life.

145. Faulkner Periodicals Collection

-The collection has different materials and documents from publications such as yearbooks and newspapers that are related to William Faulkner, and sometimes by Faulkner.

146. Faulkner Postmaster Letters Collection

-The collection consists of Faulkner correspondence from his three year tenure as the Postmaster at the University of Mississippi Post Office.

147. Faulkner Small Manuscripts Collection

-William Faulkner was born in 1897 in Oxford, MS. He served in WWI and then studied at the University of Mississippi. Working at his Oxford home, Rowan Oak, Faulkner wrote several novels about the fictional Yoknapatawpha county and the decadence and decay of the Old South. He won numerous awards for his writing, including the Pulitzer Prize for *A Fable* and the 1949 Nobel Prize in Literature. He died in 1969.
-The collection contains manuscripts, clippings, and other ephemeral material that relate to the life and work of William Faulkner.

148. Jimmy Faulkner Periodicals Collection

-Born in 1923 in Oxford, MS, Jimmy Faulkner was the nephew of William Faulkner. He served as a Marine fighter pilot in WWII. He often gave talks about the Faulkner family and participated in the Faulkner and Yoknapatawpha Conference at the University of Mississippi.

-The collection contains periodicals that include writings by Jimmy Faulkner.

149. John Faulkner Periodicals Collection

-John Faulkner, born in 1901 in Ripley, MS, was the brother of William Faulkner. He wrote nine novels, and a memoir about William Faulkner, My Brother Bill.

-The collection contains periodicals about and by John Faulkner.

150. Featherston Collection

-Winfield Scott Featherston was born in 1820 in Tennessee. He studied law and joined the bar in Houston, MS in 1840. He won the congressional seat of his district in 1847 and served until 1851. Featherston became a helped to raise the Seventeenth Mississippi Regiment during the Civil War and later became a brigadier general. In 1875, he won a seat in the state legislature. He also served as a state circuit court judge and served as a delegate to the 1890 state constitutional convention. He died in 1891.

-The collection contains legal and financial documents, newspapers, Civil War and post-civil war correspondence, speeches, and notes, most of it relating to or hailing from Featherston. There is also Confederate currency as well as other scrip.

151. Martin Feldmann Photograph Collection

-The collection contains photographs of blues musicians and performances in Europe and the United States.

152. Eugene B. Ferris Collection

-Born in Alabama in 1873, Eugene B. Ferris was an early experiment-station superintendent in Mississippi. He attended the Mississippi Agricultural and Mechanical College, where he worked as a chemist after graduation. At the South Mississippi Experiment Station, Ferris studied soils. He died in 1954.

-The collection consists of genealogies, memoirs, correspondence, and other ephemera relating to Eugene B. Ferris.

153. Field School for Cultural Documentation – North Mississippi Music Project Collection

-The American Music Archive at the University of Mississippi sponsored the Field School for Cultural Documentation project of the Library of Congress. It taught participants how to collect oral histories, interview, and use other researching
techniques. The major focus of the field school was on the music in and around Oxford, MS.

-The collection contains oral histories that document a sampling of Mississippi musicians.

154. First Presbyterian Church of Oxford Photograph Collection

-The First Presbyterian Church of Oxford was founded in 1837 by settlers of Scottish descent. The church was set on fire during the Civil War, but was put out by one of the congregation women. It was torn down in 1880 due to damage and rebuilt in 1881.

-The collection has many photographs, four of which are framed.

155. Elijah Fleming Collection

-The University Greys was a group of students from the University of Mississippi Class of 1861 who enlisted into the 11th Mississippi Regiment during the Civil War.

-The collection, created by University of Mississippi student Elijah Fleming, has twenty-one tintypes of University of Mississippi faculty and students, some of whom later enlisted in the University Greys during the Civil War.

156. Paul Flowers Collection

-Paul Flowers was a journalist for the Commercial Appeal in Memphis, TN.

-The collection includes the correspondence from Flowers’ time as a columnist; included are letters from William Faulkner. There are also clippings, periodicals, and photographs relating to Faulkner.

157. Football Program Collection

-The collection has programs related to various football games at the University of Mississippi held from 1929 to 1997.

158. Shelby Foote Small Manuscripts Collection

-Shelby Foote was an American historian and novelist who wrote the definitive history of the Civil War. He was born in Greenville, MS in 1916. He attended the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill. He joined the Mississippi National Guard and served during WWII. His first novel, Tournament, was published in 1949. He published the three-volume history of the Civil War when each was completed, in 1958, 1963, and 1974 respectively. He died in 2005.

-The collection consists of programs, broadsheets, and articles related to the life of Shelby Foote.

159. Tim Ford Collection

-Tim Ford was born in Florida in 1951 and grew up in Mississippi. He graduated from the University of Mississippi Law School in 1977. He was elected to the Mississippi
House of Representatives in 1980, where he served for twenty four years, and for sixteen of those years was Speaker of the House. He is a partner at the firm of Balch & Bingham in Jackson, MS.

-The collection consists mainly of Ford’s correspondence from 1987 to 1996.

160. Fortieth Anniversary Symposium and Observance of the Integration of UM Collection

-The collection includes items from the exhibit The Kennedy Justice Years 1961-1963, as well as items from the symposium honoring the marshals who were in Oxford, MS during the integration of Ole Miss.

161. Percy E. Foxworth/Chambers/Roberts Collection

-Percy E. Foxworth was born in 1906 in Mississippi. He joined the FBI in 1932 and served as Administrative Assistant to J. Edgar Hoover, Director of the FBI from 1935 to 1939, and Special Agent in Charge of the New York Field Division. He was killed in the line of duty in 1943 in a plane crash. He was awarded the Medal of Honor posthumously in 1991.

-The collection contains the correspondence of Foxworth, including letters to him from J. Edgar Hoover.

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-The collection contains Foxworth’s Medal of Honor, his correspondence, photographs, and diaries.

163. Framed Items Collection

-The collection has framed items such as photographs, correspondence, paintings, diplomas, etc. related to various collections at the University of Mississippi.

164. Winne Freyer Collection

-Winnie Freyer writes about black musicians and the blues and has ongoing projects titled The VIP’s of Black Music and the Bluz Encyclopedia.

-The collection contains photocopied typescripts of Freyer’s works.

165. Friends of the Library Collection

-The collection consists of the minutes, clippings, and correspondence related to the Friends of the Library for the library at the University of Mississippi.
166. R.B. Fulton Tests Collection

- R.B. Fulton was a professor of astronomy and physics at the University of Mississippi in the 1880s and was later elected the chancellor of the university.

- The collection contains tests used in the classes of Fulton.

167. Gage Family Collection

- The Gage Family lived in Holmes County, MS during the Civil War.

- The collection includes materials documenting life during the Civil War as well as information on the social conditions of the University Greys during the Civil War.

168. Henry T. Gallagher Collection

- Second Lieutenant Henry Gallagher was a platoon leader for the 716th Military Police Battalion during the integration of the University of Mississippi. He served as the principal military security officer for James Meredith from October 1, 1962 to late November.

- The collection contains correspondence, photographs, notes, film, and other materials gathered by Lieutenant Gallagher during his time in Oxford.

169. Gamma Sigma Epsilon Science Honor Fraternity Collection

- Gamma Sigma Epsilon was a fraternity active at the University of Mississippi from 1937 to 1957.

- The collection contains correspondence and miscellaneous notes and documents related to the fraternity.

170. Carroll Gartin Collection

- Carroll Gartin, born in 1913 in Mississippi, served three terms as lieutenant governor of the state. He served with governors Hugh L. White, James P. Coleman, and Paul B. Johnson, Jr.

- The collection has campaign records, correspondence, scrapbooks, calendars, and other ephemera related to Gartin’s life.

171. Roxana Chapin Geridine Collection

- Roxana Chapin Geridine lived in West Point, MS with her husband William Louis Crawford Geridine.

- The collection has the letters and papers of Roxana Geridine.
172. Sanford C. Gladden Collection

-Sanford C. Gladden was a University of Mississippi professor of physics and astronomy.

-The collection includes correspondence, reports, and historical studies authored by Gladden.

173. Ivey Gladin Photographs Collection

-Ivey Gladin was born in Milledgeville, GA in 1920 and became interested in photography as a young boy after moving to Arkansas. In 1941 he was drafted into the Navy. Now in Helene, AR there is a Gladin Photography Studio.

-The collection includes many photographs and negatives.

174. Kenneth Godfrey Collection

-Kenneth Godfrey corresponded with Harrison Smith and Sydney S. Alberts, the William Faulkner bibliographer.

-The collection contains Kenneth Godfrey’s correspondence during the time that Sydney S. Alberts was building his Faulkner collection.

175. Emmett H. Goodman Collection

-This collection has many 78 rpm discs of blues music owned by Emmet H. Goodman.

176. Gordon Hall Time Capsule Contents Collection

-Gordon Hal was a University of Mississippi building that was destroyed by a fire in 1934.

-The collection contains a bible, a manuscript, and various magazine removed from Gordon Hall after the fire.

177. Dr. Anne Gowdy / Sherwood Bonner Collection

-Katherine Sherwood Bonner was born in 1849 in Holly Springs, MS. She began a writing career under the pseudonym Sherwood Bonner. One of her novels was Like Unto Like. She died in 1883.

-The collection consists of Bonner’s published non-fiction and her poetry, as well as many primary sources related to Bonner. There are also copies of and notes on Bonner’s fiction.

178. Graduate School / Office of Research Update Collection

-The collection contains issues of the Update, the newsletter of the University of Mississippi Graduate School and Office of Research.
179. Graduate Student Conference on Southern History Collection

- The collection contains the correspondence, planning materials, and other miscellaneous documents related to the Graduate Conference on Southern History held in 1996.

180. Graduating / Senior Theses Collection

- The collection contains the theses of seniors and graduates of the University of Mississippi, dating from 1858 to 1937.

181. Edwin Granberry Collection

- Edwin Granberry was born in Meridian, MS in 1897. He entered the University of Florida, but left the university early to serve with the U.S. Marines during WWI. After his tour, he graduated from Columbia University. He married Mabel Leflar in 1924. After he had great success with his short story “A Trip to Czardis,” for which he won the O. Henry Memorial Award, he became the writer in residence at Rollins College in Florida for 28 years. He also wrote the novels *The Ancient Hunger, Strangers and Lovers*, and others. He died in 1988.

- The collection is mainly comprised of Granberry’s correspondence. There are also manuscripts and newspaper clippings.

182. Dr. John T. Grantham Collection

- This collection contains materials relating to the Mississippi Chiropractic Association as well as political materials relating to various gubernatorial campaigns and civil rights.

183. Sidney Graves Collection

- Sidney Graves founded the Delta Blues Museum in Clarksdale, MS. Born in 1946, he graduated from Millsaps College and received a Master of Arts degree from the University of Mississippi and a Master of Library Science degree from Peabody College.

- The collection includes Graves’ personal and business correspondence, and other materials related to Clarksdale and the museum.

184. Roy Greenberg Collection

- The collection contains interviews with seven blues musicians, as well as articles from *The Aquarian*.

185. John Grisham Small Manuscripts Collection

- John Grisham, born in 1955 in Arkansas, became a highly famous author known for his legal thrillers. He attended Mississippi State University and the University of Mississippi Law School. He served for a short period of time in the Mississippi House
of Representatives. His first novel was *A Time to Kill* (1989) and his first best seller was *The Firm* (1991). Many of his books have been adapted into films.

-The collection includes a broadside, correspondence, and a Grisham event invitation.

186. R. Malcolm Guess Collection

-R. Malcolm Guess attended the University of Mississippi from 1908 to 1913. He served as the General Secretary at the university YMCA and also served as the Dean of Men.

-The collection includes Guess’ papers, which consist of correspondence clippings and other printed ephemera.

187. Gunter Photograph Collection

-The collection contains photographs of various buildings on the University of Mississippi campus and photographs of Ole Miss athletic groups.

188. Carolyn Haines Collection

-Carolyn Haines was born in Hattiesburg, MS in 1953. She attended the University of Mississippi undergraduate college and received her M.A. from the University of Southern Mississippi. Her first novel was *Summer of Fear*, published in 1993. She writes a popular detective series which features detective Sarah Beth Delaney.

-The collection has a large quantity of manuscript material, correspondence, and photograph negatives.

189. Lela Karen Smith Hale Collection

-The collection contains oral histories about school integration and civil rights in Mississippi.

190. Theora Hamblett Collection

-Theora Hamblett was born in Paris, MS in 1895. After moving to Oxford, MS in the 1930s, she began her career as a painter.

-The collection contains exhibition announcements, correspondence, photographs, and other ephemera related to the life of Theora Hamblett.

191. Fannie Lou Hamer Collection

-Fannie Lou Hamer was born in 1917 in Montgomery County, MS to a sharecropping family. She was a founding member of the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party and was a major figure in the civil rights movement. Her most ambitious project was the Freedom Farm Cooperative, which attempted to provide work, food, and money to needy black and white families. She died in 1977.

-The collection has business records from organizations and projects with which Hamer was involved. There is also biographical information on Hamer.
192. Barry Hannah Collection

- Barry Hannah, born in 1942, was a novelist and short story writer from Mississippi. His first novel was *Geronimo Rex*, published in 1972. *Airships* is a collection of short stories about different wars and the South. His many awards included the William Faulkner Prize and a Guggenheim Fellowship. He died in 2010.

- The collection includes correspondence and typescript related to Hannah’s life.

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- The collection consists of manuscripts related to the work of Barry Hannah.

194. Margaret Countiss Harbison Collection

- Margaret Countiss Harbison was a student at the University of Mississippi and graduated in 1963.

- The collection consists of an exploded tear gas canister from the integration of Ole Miss. There are also newspapers concerning the Civil Rights Movement, as well as some football memorabilia.

195. Harmonica Project Collection

- The Harmonica Project Collection was begun in 1989 and attempted to analyze the playing styles, influences, and future of the harmonica in blues music.

- The collection consists of correspondence between the Blues Archive and harmonica players, as well as cassette recordings of harmonica players. There are also several harmonicas.

196. Evans Burnham Harrington Collection

- Evans Harrington was born in Birmingham, AL in 1925. He joined the Navy in 1943. He received his M.A. from the University of Mississippi in 1951. After graduation, Harrington worked for about 40 years as an English instructor at Ole Miss. During the integration of the university, Harrington was an active and public supporter of Civil Rights. In addition to teaching, Harrington also wrote. His first published short story was “Souvenir.” His novels include *The Prisoners*, and *Willa and Missy*. He was the first director of the annual Faulkner Conference. He died in 1997.

- The collection consists of correspondence, published items, and ephemera.
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- The collection contains miscellaneous items related to the work of Evans Harrington.

198. Charlaine Harris Collection

- Charlain Harris has written several book series featuring Southern women. The series include the Shakespeare's Series and the Sookie Stackhouse Series.

- The collection contains an annotated manuscript of Living Dead in Dallas and a header for Club Dead, both from the Sookie Stackhouse series.

199. Sheldon Harris Collection

- This collection contains 78 rpm records as well as photographs, clippings, and ephemera dealing with blues and jazz music.

200. Pat Harrison Collection

- Byron Patton Harrison was born in 1881 in Crystal Springs, MS. He attended Ole Miss and LSU. He left school to study law and won a seat in the U.S. House of Representatives as a Democrat in 1910. In 1918 he won a seat in the U.S. Senate. He helped to move much of the New Deal legislation through Congress during the Great Depression. Harrison died in 1941.

- The collection includes personal and congressional records. There are also speeches, scrapbooks, and other printed materials.

201. Armis Hawkins Collection

- Armis Hawkins was born in Natchez, MS in 1920. He joined the Civilian Conservation Corps after graduating from high school. He went to college at the University of Mississippi and joined the U.S. Marines in 1942, fighting in WWII. He obtained his law degree in 1947. He was elected to the Mississippi Supreme Court in 1980 and became Chief Justice in 1993. He died in 2006. His novel The Grand Leader was published posthumously.

- The collection includes court records, correspondence, and personal files.
202. J. Watson Henderson Collection

- J. Watson Henderson was a Private in the 30th Regiment of Mississippi Volunteers during the Civil War. He owned a small plantation in Panola County, MS.

- The collection consists mainly of correspondence between Henderson and his wife during the war.

203. James Boyce Henderson Collection

- James Henderson was born in Chiwapa, MS in 1893. He served during WWI. He attended Seminary after going to college at the University of Mississippi. He then worked as a teacher in Alaska, but moved back to Mississippi in the 1950s.

- The collection contains photographs, correspondence, and manuscripts related to Henderson's life.

204. Reverend Jesse L. Henderson Civil War Diary Collection

- The collection contains a transcription of Reverend Jesse L. Henderson’s diary, written during the Civil War.

205. Beth Henley Collection

- Beth Henley was born in 1952 in Jackson, MS and attended Southern Methodist University. She is an award winning actress, playwright, and screenwriter.

- The collection contains correspondence of Henley’s.

206. Beth Henley Small Manuscripts Collection

- Beth Henley was born in 1952 in Jackson, MS and attended Southern Methodist University. She is an award winning actress, playwright, and screenwriter.

- The collection contains promotional materials and articles related to Beth Henley.

207. Hermean/Phi Sigma Societies Collection

- The collection contains pins, medallions, speeches, and other miscellaneous items related to the Phi Sigma and Hermean Society of the University of Mississippi.

208. Nollie Hickman Collection

- Nollie Hickman wrote about agricultural issues in the southern United States.

- The collection contains a manuscript of Hickman’s *Mississippi Harvest: Lumbering in the Longleaf Pine Belt, 1940-1915*. There are also photographs and other materials.

209. David Hinckley 78s Collection

- The collection contains 78 rpm records of blues music.
210. Rev. Graham R. Hodges Collection

-Graham R. Hodges was born in 1915 in Wessen, MS. He attended the University of Mississippi, where he earned his bachelor’s degree, and then earned a Bachelor of Divinity Degree at Yale University. He became a pastor in New York State in 1949 and served at different churches for more than twenty five years.

-The collection contains a biography, manuscripts, correspondence, and other miscellaneous items related to the life and work of Reverend Hodges.

211. Verner S. Holmes Collection

-Verner S. Holmes, born in Mississippi, earned his medical degree at Tulane University. He served in a hospital near Utah Beach during WWII. He then returned to Mississippi and served for 24 years on the Board of Trustees of State Institutions of Higher Learning.

-The collection includes a set of minutes of the Board of Trustees meetings and several interviews of the trustees concerning civil rights and other issues.

212. Honors Day Collection

-The collection contains programs and certificates related to Honors Day at the University of Mississippi.

213. Hopson Collection

-The Nicholas Thompson home in Leasburg, N.C. was the home of Jacob Thompson, who represented Mississippi in the U.S. House of Representatives from 1839 to 1850 and later and served as the Secretary of the Interior.

-The collection includes photographs and architectural plans for the Thompson home and information about various members of the Thompson family.

214. William Decatur Howell Collection

-William Decatur Howell of Oxford, MS fought in the Confederate Army during the Civil War. He was seventeen when he enlisted. He was killed in July of 1864 after being mortally wounded near Atlanta.

-The collection contains the diaries and correspondence of Howell.

215. Beckett Howorth Collection

-Beckett Howorth grew up in West Point, MS. He attended the University of Mississippi and earned his M.D. at Washington University. He moved to Jackson, MS in 1981 where he served as Clinical Professor at the University of Mississippi Medical Center.

-The collection contains writings by Beckett Howorth; some are biographical and some are medical articles.
216. Joseph Howorth Collection of James O. Eastland Correspondence

- Joseph M. Howorth practiced law in Greenville, MS. He established a law practice with his wife in Cleveland, MS in the 1950s. He died in 1980.

- The collection includes letters from James O. Eastland, who was a U.S. Senator and Representative, to Joseph Howorth.

217. Howry Family Collection

- James M. Howry was one of the original trustees of the University of Mississippi. His son Charles B. Howry also served as a trustee. Charles Howry’s son, Lucien, attended the University of Mississippi and his daughters, Elizabeth Butler and Mary Harris, were civically and socially active in Washington, D.C.

- The collection contains correspondence between family members, as well as essays, articles, and diaries. There are also letters from James Polk, Jefferson Davis, and Varina Davis to J.M. Howry.

218. Alex W. Hulett Collection

- The collection consists of 78 rpm records of blues music.

219. Ichauway Plantation Documentary Project

- Ichauway Plantation, located in Georgia, was an early twentieth century hunting preserve founded by Robert W. Woodruff, the chairman of the Coca-Cola Company. In 1991 it became the Joseph W. Jones Ecological Research Center.

- The collection contains letters, interviews, papers, photographs, and other items collected by Center for the Study of Southern Culture students sent to gather information about the preserve.

220. Inside Ole Miss Collection

- The collection contains issues of Inside Ole Miss, a monthly newsletter of faculty and staff news at the University of Mississippi. They date from 2000-2003.

221. Intra-University Bulletin Collection

- The collection contains issues of The Intra-University Bulletin, a daily bulletin of news items pertaining to the University of Mississippi. They date from 1974 to 1980.

222. Fred Jackson Collection

- Fred Jackson was a member of the Manhattan Blues Alliance and filmed many blues performances in and around New York City.

- The collection contains video tapes of blues performances and related files.
223. Jiggitts Collection

- Louis M. Jiggitts was a University of Mississippi graduate who was named as a Rhodes Scholar. He also served in the U.S. Army during WWI, and was stationed in Ohio.

- The collection contains Jiggitts' correspondence while he was studying at Oxford University and his correspondence during WWI. There are also copies of The Mississippian and soldiers' handbooks.

224. A. Johnston Books Collection

- The collection consists of two books from the home of A. Johnston, which was burned in a fire in 1942. They are William Faulkner’s The Hamlet and Algernon Charles Swinburne’s Laus Veneris and other Poems.

225. Daniel Rupert Johnson Collection

- Daniel Rupert Johnson was a student at the University of Mississippi in the early twentieth century.

- The collection contains clippings, handbooks, correspondence, and other miscellaneous documents.

226. Felton M. Johnston Collection

- Felton M. Johnston was born in Tallulah, LA in 1909 and he grew up in Clarksdale, MS. During WWII, he served as a congressional liaison officer for the U.S. State Department before enlisting in the army. After the war, he became the Democratic Party secretary. In 1955, he became Secretary of the Senate and later worked with the American Battle Monuments Commission. Johnston died in 1973.

- The collection includes Johnson’s correspondence with congressmen and other national figures. There are also photographs, Johnson’s minutes of the meetings of the Democratic policy committee, diaries, and other miscellaneous documents.

227. John F. Johnson Collection

- John F. Johnson was born in 1825 in Greensboro, MS. He was a farmer, tax assessor, and postmaster and kept highly detailed journals for much of his life.

- The collection includes the journals, correspondence and legal documents of Johnson. The journals are said to document the history of Greensboro through their description of everyday life, dating from 1857 to 1912.

228. John Wesley Johnson Collection

- The collection contains correspondence, invitations, diaries, and miscellaneous documents related to the life of John W. Johnson. The items date between 1853-1930. Many of the documents deal with the University of Mississippi.
229. Jones County Assessment Collection
   - The collection contains a ledger, which has not been written in, from Jones County, MS. Columns are labeled by preprinted headings listing assets.

230. James T. Jones Collection
   - James T. Jones was a member of the 12th Mississippi Infantry Regiment, also known as the “Sardis Blues,” during the Civil war.
   - The collection contains Civil War-era letters.

231. Robert T. Jordan Collection of Rowan Oak Photographs
   - The collection includes several black-and-white photographs of William Faulkner’s Rowan Oak.

232. Winthrop D. Jordan Collection
   - Winthrop D. Jordan was born in Massachusetts in 1931. In 1982 he became the F.A.P. Barnard Distinguished Professor and a Professor of Afro-American History at the University of Mississippi. He wrote White Over Black: American Attitudes toward the Negro, 1550-1812 received the National Book Award and the Bancroft Prize, among others. He won the Bancroft Prize again for Tumult and Silence at Second Creek: An Inquiry Into a Civil War Slave Conspiracy. He died in 2007.
   - The collection consists of the personal and professional files of Dr. Winthrop Jordan.

233. Katallagete / James Y. Holloway Collection
   - Katallagete was the journal of the Committee of Southern Churchmen that was published from the 1960s to 1991. It was edited by James Y. Holloway.

234. Robert F. Kennedy Speech Collection
   - When Robert F. Kennedy was the U.S. Attorney General, he ordered the U.S. Marshals to accompany James Meredith on the University of Mississippi campus during the university’s 1962 integration. In 1966, as a U.S. Senator, Kennedy addressed the University of Mississippi Law School students.

235. King and Anderson Plantation Collection
   - King and Anderson plantation was a 17,000-acre plantation near Clarksdale, MS.
   - The collection includes seventeen ledgers detailing the expenses of the plantation.
236. Ed King Collection

- Reverend Edwin King was a key figure in the Mississippi civil rights movement and a leader of the Mississippi Freedom Democratic Party.

- The collection has newspaper clippings, programs, and other printed materials document race relations and civil rights in Mississippi.

237. Morton King Collection

- Morton King was a professor of sociology at the University of Mississippi. He resigned in 1955 in protest of Chancellor J.D. William’s cancellation of an invitation to Reverend Alvin Kershaw, a pro-NAACP Episcopal priest, to speak on campus.

- The collection contains correspondence, papers, and newspaper clippings that document the dispute between King and Kershaw.

238. Robert and Nancy Klima 78s Collection

- The collection consists of 78 rpm records of blues music.

239. Kraus / Overstreet Collection

- Guy Kraus is the author of Mississippi Obsolete Bank Notes, Post Notes, Scrip, and Government Issues.

- The collection contains promissory notes from the Mississippi Territory, Civil war era bank drafts, Mississippi financial documents, and other materials of a financial nature.

240. Ku Klux Klan Collection

- The Ku Klux Klan was one of the largest secret societies formed after the Civil War by ex-Confederates and Democrats opposed to Reconstruction. It became notorious for threatening, assaulting, and murdering former slaves, black politicians, and whites who supported Reconstruction. It began to decrease in membership and influence in the 1880s. It re-emerged in the early twentieth century, reflecting the widespread nativist sentiment seen in the South. The Klan continued to support white supremacy and was responsible for many of the lynchings that took place across the South. The White Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, located in Mississippi, was the most prominent order active after WWII.

- The collection documents the Klan’s revival after WWII. There is printed material related to the organization, including member correspondence, membership applications, and pamphlets.

241. Saralyn and Ellen Lackey 78s Collection

- The collection contains 78 rpm records of blues music.

242. Lafayette County Records

- The collection contains various county records related to Lafayette County, MS.
243. Lagniappe Collection

-Lagniappe: a Journal of the Old South was a literary journal published in Oxford, MS between 1974 and 1975. Franklin N. Walker, Jr. and Howard L. Bahr were the Associate Editors.

-The collection includes original artwork from the journal, as well as financial documents, correspondence, and other printed materials.

244. Lomax Lamb Collection

-Lomax B. Lamb was an attorney from Marks, MS. He worked for Malcolm Franklin, the step-son of William Faulkner.

-The collection contains correspondence between Lamb and Faulkner concerning a gun that Faulkner gave Malcolm, which Faulkner wanted returned since Malcolm was getting a divorce.

245. Mary Ellen Wilcox Larche Collection

-The collection contains loose materials and a scrapbook of memorabilia from Central High School in Jackson, MS, which was kept by Mary Ellen Wilcox Larche. There are also entries in the scrapbook of notes by Eudora Welty. It dates between 1919 and 1925.

246. Laurel, MS Scrapbook Collection

-The collection has a scrapbook from a Laurel, MS newspaper concerning births, deaths, marriages, and events of note. It dates between 1961 and 1963.

247. League of Women Voters of Mississippi Collection

-The Leagues of Women Voters of Mississippi formed when the Nineteenth Amendment was ratified in 1920. Women were encouraged to vote and were urged to participate in the political process. The Mississippi League also supported civil rights in the 1960s and worked to enroll African-Americans in integrated public schools.

-The collection contains records of the chapters of the Mississippi League. These records include correspondence, meeting minutes, and other printed materials. There are also photographs, framed items, and scrapbooks.

248. Leavell Family Collection

-This collection has correspondence, photographs, clippings, and scrapbooks related to the 19th century Leavell Family of Mississippi.

249. Lemuria Collection

-Lemuria Bookstore is an independent bookstore that was founded in Jackson, MS in 1975.
The collection contains issues of *Literary Type*, a newsletter made by Lemuria Bookstore.

250. William and Marjorie Lewis Collection

-Jacob Thompson was born in Leasburg, NC in 1810. He attended the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, and then moved to Mississippi in the 1830s, where he became a successful attorney and landowner. Thompson helped establish the University of Mississippi in Oxford and served on the Board of Trustees. He served as a Democratic congressman for twelve years and as Buchanan’s Secretary of the Interior. Once the Civil War broke out, he served in the Confederate military. During the war he was in charge of coordinating covert activities based out of Canada. He died in 1885.

-The collection contains correspondence, clippings, photographs, and other documents related to the life of Jacob Thompson.

251. Walter Lewisohn 78s Collection

-The collection has 78 rpm records of blues music.

252. Library Ledgers Collection

-The collection consists of receipt books, statistics, ledgers, and other records related to the University of Mississippi library.

253. *Library Letter* Collection

-*Library Letter* was a newsletter written by the University of Mississippi library. It was first issued in 1983.

-The collection contains materials related to the production of *Library Letter*, as well as copies of the newsletter.

254. Sandra Lieb Collection


255. Ligon Collection

-Wydell and Herschel Ligon married in 1941, right before Herschel entered the military during WWI. They had twins while Herschel was still in the service, in 1943. Herschel died shortly after their birth, and Wydell appears to have died in childbirth.

-The collection has 82 letters written to Herschel by Wydell and others. There is also a WWI era photograph album.
256. J.J. Little Collection  
- Jefferson J. Little was a doctor in the 10th Mississippi Infantry, Company H during the Civil War.  
- The collection contains the correspondence of Little to his father and mother.

257. Litty Collection  
- H.H. Litty was the mayor of Memphis, TN from 1917 to 1918.  
- The collection contains the correspondence of Litty, as well as postcards, pamphlets, and other miscellaneous documents.

258. Lockwood Collection  
- The collection contains correspondence and miscellaneous material related to the Lockwood family of Mississippi. Items are dated from 1875 to 1958.

259. Locust Grove Plantation Slave Ledger Collection  
- Locust Grove Plantation was founded in 1777 and was located in Jefferson, MS.  
- The collection comprises of a ledger containing the names and other information about the slaves of Locust Grove plantation.

260. John Guy Lofton Collection  
- John Guy Lofton served in the Army of Northern Virginia during the Civil War. He was mortally wounded at the Battle of Seven Pines on May 31, 1862.  
- The collection contains letters written by Lofton to his wife and family.

261. Longstreet - Hinton Collection  
- This collection has correspondence mainly between members of the Longstreet family. There are also some books and photographs.

262. Dean L.L. Love Collection  
- Dean L.L. Love was the Dean of Students during the 1962 integration of the university.  
- The collection consists of correspondence and other printed materials sent to Dean Love during the integration of Ole Miss.
263. Beverly Lowry Collection

-Beverly Lowry was born in Memphis, TN in 1938. She grew up in Greenville, MS and attended Ole Miss and Memphis State University. She became an associate professor in Texas in 1976, and at that time published her first novel, *Com Back, Lolly Rae*. She published several more novels, many dealing with the South. Awards that she has received include the Guggenheim Foundation award and an award from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

-The collection contains manuscripts and correspondence related to Beverly Lowry.

264. Beverly Lowry Periodicals Collection

-Beverly Lowry was born in Memphis, TN in 1938. She grew up in Greenville, MS and attended Ole Miss and Memphis State University. She became an associate professor in Texas in 1976, and at that time published her first novel, *Com Back, Lolly Rae*. She published several more novels, many dealing with the South. Awards that she has received include the Guggenheim Foundation award and an award from the National Endowment for the Humanities.

-The collection contains several periodicals that talk about the life and work of Beverly Lowry.

265. Luster – Faulkner Collection

-The collection has receipts and deposit slips signed by William Faulkner.

266. E. Wilson Lyon Collection

-E. Wilson Lyon was born in 1904 in Heidelberg, MS. He attended the University of Mississippi and earned his Bachelor of Arts degree. In 1924 he was selected as a Rhodes Scholar and attended Oxford University in England. He then taught in the history department of Colgate University for twelve years before becoming the president of Pomona College in California. He died in 1989.

-The collection contains correspondence written by Wilson, as well as copies of *The Mississippian*, of which Wilson was the editor during his time at Ole Miss.

267. “M” Books Collection

-The collection contains “M” Books, which are the handbooks issued to University of Mississippi students that contain information on policies, offices, activities, and the community.

268. Maps Collection

-The collection contains various maps, most of which are of Mississippi. They date from 1687 to 1998.
269. Stefano Marise Collection

- The collection contains photographs of blues festivals and musicians, which were collected by Stefano Marise, also a blues musician.

270. C.L. Marquette Collection

- Clare Leslie Marquette was born in Kendall, WI in 1904. He received his Master’s Degree and a Ph.D. from the University of Wisconsin and began a career in teaching. In 1946, he and his wife moved to Mississippi where he taught in the University of Mississippi Department of History. He was often the target of harsh criticism due to his liberal political views. Marquette’s American history course was the first class that James Meredith attended when the university was integrated in 1962. Marquette retired in 1972. He died in 2004.

- The collection consists of letters, newspaper clippings, and other miscellaneous items. Marquette’s daily journals, which date from 1942 to 2004, are also in the collection.

271. D. Martin 78s

- The collection has 78 rpm records of blues music.

272. Gordon A. Martin Collection


- The collection contains court documents related to civil rights cases and excerpts from interviews that Martin conducted with African-American witnesses in U.S. v Lynd.

273. Lealon E. Martin Collection

- Lealon E. Martin was born in Natchez, MS in 1910. He graduated from Millsaps College, and became an assistant editor at the State Tribune newspaper in Jackson, MS. He continued on to work at several other newspapers and at the Associated Press. In 1943 he served as Assistant Chief of Venereal Disease Technical Services and Education in Washington, D.C. He worked in several capacities for the National Heart Institute and the National Institutes of Health until he retired in 1973. He published several health and environmental conservation related articles and two books, Conquest of Disease and Mental Health/Mental Illness: Revolution in Progress.

- The collection contains Lealon Martin’s writings and other items. There are also clippings from newspapers of which Martin was editor.
274. Christopher Maurer Research Collection on Walter Anderson and Shearwater Pottery

- Walter Inglis Anderson, born in 1903 in New Orleans, LA, was a painter, potter, naturalist, and writer. Anderson studied at the New York School of Fine and Applied Art and at the Pennsylvania Academy of the Fine Arts. He worked as a pottery decorator at his family’s business, Shearwater Pottery. He was hospitalized in a series of medical and mental institutions from 1937-1940 due to illness, economic hardship, frustration, and a series of family deaths. After his recovery, he became extremely prolific, doing a large number of watercolors, tempera paintings, drawings, and illustrations. He would often go to Horn Island, where he would live in primitive conditions and work. He died in 1965.

-The collection contains records from Shearwater pottery, family records, materials relating to Anderson’s mental health, and art and writing by Anderson.

275. Percy Mayfield Collection

- Percy Mayfield was a songwriter and singer. He wrote many songs for blues artist, including Ray Charles’ “Hit the Road Jack.” Mayfield also wrote the ever-popular “Please Send Me Someone to Love.”

-The collection consists of correspondence and articles about Mayfield, as well as photographs and personal ephemera.

276. Tina Mayfield Collection

- Tina Mayfield, wife of lyrics writer Percy Mayfield, ran a music agency called Mayfield Productions. She managed a number of artists, including blues musician Lowell Fulson.

-The collection contains photographs, correspondence, lyrics and other documents related to the lives of Tina Mayfield, Percy Mayfield and Lowell Fulson.

277. McAlexander / Marshall County Collection

- Dr. Hubert H. Alexander was born in Holly Springs, MS in 1939. He attended the University of Mississippi and has been a professor of English at the University of Georgia since 1974. He wrote The Prodigal Daughter: A Biography of Sherwood Bonner, Southern Tapestry: Marshall County, MS, 1835-2000, and others.

-The collection contains a variety of materials related to Holly Springs, MS. Subjects include the Civil War, American Indian tribes, and structures.

278. John McCrady Collection

- John McCrady was a southern artist who studied and worked in New Orleans, LA. He was born in Canton, MS in 1911. McCrady studied at the University of Mississippi, the New Orleans School of Art, and the Art Students League of New York. Returning to New Orleans to work, he often depicted religious and rural scenes and became a critically praised artist. He received a Guggenheim fellowship in 1939. During WWII,
McCready designed a series of propaganda posters for the War Services Office. He continued working until his death in 1968.

-The collection contains correspondence, periodicals, and exhibit programs related to John McCready.

279. Annie McGehee Collection

-Annie McGehee, from Como, MS was either a student or teacher at Huntsville Female College in Alabama in the nineteenth and early twentieth century.

-The collection mainly contains McGehee’s correspondence with her friends, her fiancé, and other acquaintances.

280. Jim McGrath Collection

-Jim McGrath, who worked at the City Sounds radio program in Rochester, NY, compiled play lists of blues music for the Living Blues magazine.

-The collection contains permission forms from various musicians who performed on McGrath’s radio show, as well as other miscellaneous items.

281. Louis Lowry McInnis Collection

-Louis L. McInnis was a student at the University of Mississippi from 1872 to 1875, where he was a fraternity brother in the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity. After graduation he became a professor in Texas.

-The collection contains correspondence and other materials related to Louis Lowry McInnis. Much of the correspondence comes from his fraternity brothers while he was a student at Ole Miss, and discusses in detail the students, faculty, and administration at Ole Miss, as well as campus and town life.

282. George McLean Collection

-George McLean, born in Winona, MS in 1904, attended undergraduate school Davidson College and the University of Mississippi and then earned his Master’s Degree of Divinity at Boston Theological Seminary. He bought and ran the Tupelo journal from 1934 until his death, where he played an integral role in the transformation and development in Tupelo through his pushes for economic progress; during the Civil Rights Movement, McLean was credited as a voice of reason and progress. He died in 1983.

-The collection contains religious materials, notes, speeches, and tapes related to the life of Geogre McLean.

283. Meek Scrapbook

-The collection contains newspaper clippings, photographs, and ephemera related to the annual pilgrimage tour of antebellum homes in Columbus, MS.
284. Memories of Mississippi Essay Collection

- The “Memories of Mississippi” essay contest, held in 1994, accepted essays from North Mississippians older than 60. The essays were written on a variety of topics, all related to Mississippi.

- The collection contains almost 200 essays received as entries in the “Memories of Mississippi” contest.

285. Men’s Basketball Programs Collection

- The collection consists of programs from various basketball games at the University of Mississippi, dating from 1978 to 1990.

286. James H. Meredith Collection

- James Meredith was born in Kosciusko, MS in 1933, where he grew up on his family’s farm. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1951 to 1960 and had a three-year tour in Japan. He returned to Mississippi and was determined to become the first African American to attend the University of Mississippi; he applied for admission in 1961. The state tried to prohibit his acceptance, but Meredith filed a suit and in 1962 the Supreme Court ruled that Meredith was to be admitted. Riots broke out in Oxford, MS on September 30, 1962, attacking U.S. Marshals who were at the campus to protect Meredith. Federal troops were sent to stop the violence. Meredith registered for courses in October. He graduated with a bachelor's degree in 1963. Meredith has dedicated his life to supporting individual rights.

- The collection documents the family, educational, and personal life of James Meredith. The focus of the collection is on 1960 through 1990.

287. James H. Meredith Small Manuscripts Collection

- James Meredith was born in Kosciusko, MS in 1933, where he grew up on his family’s farm. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1951 to 1960 and had a three-year tour in Japan. He returned to Mississippi and was determined to become the first African American to attend the University of Mississippi; he applied for admission in 1961. The state tried to prohibit his acceptance, but Meredith filed a suit and in 1962 the Supreme Court ruled that Meredith was to be admitted. Riots broke out in Oxford, MS on September 30, 1962, attacking U.S. Marshals who were at the campus to protect Meredith. Federal troops were sent to stop the violence. Meredith registered for courses in October. He graduated with a bachelor’s degree in 1963. Meredith has dedicated his life to supporting individual rights.

- The collection contains video cassettes, speeches, scrapbooks, and other materials related to James Meredith’s admittance to the University of Mississippi.

288. James B. Meriwether Collection

- James B. Meriwether received his BA from the University of South Carolina and his MA and Ph.D. from Princeton University. His work includes *The Literary Career of*
William Faulkner: A Bibliographical Study, as well as numerous other articles related to Faulkner.


289. Miller-Avent Papers Collection

- Colonel Hugh R. Miller and his sons George and Edwin Miller, all of Pontotoc, MS, served in the 42nd Mississippi Infantry Regiment during the Civil War.

- The collection contains the correspondence of the Miller Family. Some of the letters were written by Colonel Hugh R. Miller and his son Edwin while they were serving in Virginia.

290. Miller Family Collection

- Colonel Hugh R. Miller and his sons George and Edwin Miller, all of Pontotoc, MS, served in the 42nd Mississippi Infantry Regiment during the Civil War.

- The collection includes the letters of the Miller family, some of which are from a signer of Mississippi’s Declaration of Secession.

291. Dr. Jerry “Jake” Leath Mills Collection

- Dr. Jerry Leath Mills, who was an English professor at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill, wrote a review of Larry Brown’s first book Facing the Music. Brown then wrote to Mills and they formed a close friendship.

- The collection contains letters written by Larry Brown to Dr. Jerry Leath Mills, as well as photographs and three manuscripts of Brown’s work.

292. Miscellaneous 78s Collection

- The collection contains 78 rpm records of blues, jazz and pop music from the 1920s through the 1940s.

293. Mississippi Authors Small Manuscripts Collection

- The collection consists of correspondence, pamphlets and manuscripts related to the work of several Mississippi authors.

294. Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians Small Manuscripts Collection

- The collection contains brochures related to the Mississippi Band of Choctaw Indians.

295. Mississippi Churches Collection

- The collection consists of programs, minutes, and pamphlets related to several churches in Mississippi.
296. Mississippi Cities and Counties Collection

- The collection contains postcards from several cities and counties in Mississippi.

297. Mississippi Colleges and Universities Collection

- The collection contains pamphlets, bulletins, and newspapers from several colleges and universities in Mississippi.

298. Mississippi Conservation and Recreation Collection

- The collection contains magazines and articles related to conservation and recreation in Mississippi.

299. Mississippi Economic Council Collection

- The collection consists of bulletins and articles related to the Mississippi Economic Council.

300. Mississippi Education Collection

- The collection contains articles, newsletters, and miscellaneous documents related to education in Mississippi.

301. Mississippi Fine Arts Collection

- The collection contains programs, broadsheets, and magazines related to fine arts in Mississippi.

302. Mississippi Forestry Collection

- The collection contains articles, magazines, and miscellaneous documents related to forestry in Mississippi.

303. Mississippi Health Care Collection

- The collection contains news sheets, articles, magazines, and miscellaneous documents related to health care in Mississippi.

304. Mississippi Highway Patrol Collection

- James Meredith was born in Kosciusko, MS in 1933, where he grew up on his family’s farm. He served in the U.S. Air Force from 1951 to 1960 and had a three-year tour in Japan. He returned to Mississippi and was determined to become the first African American to attend the University of Mississippi; he applied for admission in 1961. The state tried to prohibit his acceptance, but Meredith filed a suit and in 1962 the Supreme Court ruled that Meredith was to be admitted. Riots broke out in Oxford, MS on September 30, 1962, attacking U.S. Marshals who were at the campus to protect Meredith. Federal troops were sent to stop the violence. Meredith registered for courses in October. He graduated with a bachelor’s degree in 1963. Meredith has dedicated his life to supporting individual rights.
- The collection contains photographs taken by an anonymous photographer working for the Mississippi Highway Patrol. The photographs document the events surrounding the enrollment of James Meredith at Ole Miss.

305. Mississippi Industries Collection

- The collection contains articles, magazines, and annual reports related to various industries in Mississippi.

306. Mississippi Landmarks Collection

- The collection contains pamphlets, essays, photographs, and other materials related to landmarks in Mississippi.

307. Mississippi Law Collection

- The collection contains articles, publications, and pamphlets related to law in Mississippi.

308. Mississippi Libraries Collection

- The collection contains newsletters, articles, and publications related to libraries in Mississippi.

309. Mississippi Mental Health Collection

- The collection contains notes, publications, and other documents produced by various groups in Mississippi dedicated to mental health services.

310. Mississippi Organizations Collection

- The collection contains newsletters, yearbooks, programs, and reports related to various organizations throughout Mississippi.

311. Mississippi Periodicals Collection

- The collection consists of various periodicals published throughout Mississippi.

312. Mississippi Politics Collection

- The collection contains information on individual Mississippi politicians and the state’s politics in general.

313. Mississippi State Textbook Purchasing Board Minutes Collection

- Governor Paul B. Johnson supported free textbooks for school children. The Mississippi Legislature passed a bill creating the Mississippi State Textbook Purchasing Board for elementary grades. A similar board was established for high schools. The boards’ responsibilities were later assumed by the Mississippi State Department of Education.
The collection consists of copies of the typed minutes of the Mississippi State Textbook Rating and Purchasing Board (1940-1946), the Mississippi State Textbook Purchasing Board (1946-1981) and the Mississippi State Textbook Procurement Commission (1981-1987). There are also some letters and miscellaneous documents.

314. Mississippi Telephone Directories Collection
- The collection contains telephone directories of various cities in Mississippi.

315. Mississippian / Daily Mississippian Collection
- The University of Mississippi student newspaper *The Mississippian* was founded in 1911 and later renamed *The Daily Mississippian*.
- The collection contains various volumes of *The Mississippian* and *The Daily Mississippian*, dating from 1920 to 2008.

316. Sidna Brower Mitchell Collection
- Sidna Brower became the editor of the University of Mississippi student newspaper *The Mississippian* in 1962. During her time as editor, James Meredith enrolled in Ole Miss as the first African-American student. Brower wrote several editorials condemning the violence surrounding the integration of Ole Miss. As a result, Brower received hundreds of letters, multiple awards, and even a nomination for a Pulitzer Prize.
- The collection documents the reaction around the world to the integration of Ole Miss and to Sidna Brower's editorials.

317. Mitchell Family – Marshall County Collection
- The Mitchell family was a Marshall County, MS family that was present during the early 1800s through the late 1900s.
- The collection includes photographs, calendars, books, war claims, an Oath of Allegiance, and many other miscellaneous materials and ephemera related to the Mitchell family and Mississippi.

318. Franklin E. Moak Collection
- Dr. Franklin E. Moak was born in Sweetwater, MS in 1925. He served as the Dean of the Division of Student Personnel at the University of Mississippi from 1964 to 1981.
- The collection consists of correspondence, newspaper clippings, speeches, and other documents and materials related to Dr. Franklin Moak, higher education, and other subjects.

319. William Morris 78s Collection
- The collection contains 78 rpm records of blues music.
320. Willie Morris Collection

-Willie Morris was born in Jackson, MS in 1934 and grew up in Yazoo City, MS. He graduated from the University of Texas and went to Oxford University as a Rhodes Scholar. From 1963 to 1967 he was an associate editor at Harper's magazine, and was editor-in-chief from 1967 to 1971. In 1980 Morris became the Writer in Residence at the University of Mississippi. His works include *The Courting of Marcus Dupree*, *New York Days*, *My Dog Skip*, and several others.

-The collection contains manuscripts, correspondence, contracts, and other ephemera relating to the life of Willie Morris.

321. Willie Morris Small Manuscripts Collection

-Willie Morris was born in Jackson, MS in 1934 and grew up in Yazoo City, MS. He graduated from the University of Texas and went to Oxford University as a Rhodes Scholar. From 1963 to 1967 he was an associate editor at Harper’s magazine, and was editor-in-chief from 1967 to 1971. In 1980 Morris became the Writer in Residence at the University of Mississippi. His works include *The Courting of Marcus Dupree*, *New York Days*, *My Dog Skip*, and several others.

-The collection contains newspaper clippings, broadsides, correspondence, and other printed materials related to Willie Morris.

322. Ed Movitz Integration Collection

-Ed Movitz was a health and safety officer at the University of Mississippi who purchased the images in this collection. They were all originally printed in newspapers in 1962 and deal with the integration of the University of Mississippi.

-The collection contains assorted photographs documenting the integration of the University of Mississippi in 1962.

323. Phil Mullen Collection

-William Faulkner was born in 1897 in Oxford, MS. He served in WWI and then studied at the University of Mississippi. Working at his Oxford home, Rowan Oak, Faulkner wrote several novels about the fictional Yoknapatawpha county and the decadence and decay of the Old South. He won numerous awards for his writing, including the Pulitzer Prize for *A Fable* and the 1949 Nobel Prize in Literature. He died in 1969.

-The collection consists of photographs document William Faulkner's life and the town of Oxford, MS.

324. William Murphy Collection

-The collection contains articles, correspondence, and clippings related to the life of William Murphy.
325. Nash and Taggert Collection

-Jere Nash has worked on the campaigns for many Democratic candidates running for a variety of positions in Mississippi. Andy Taggart is a conservative and practices law in Madison County, MS. Together they wrote a contemporary political history of Mississippi, *Mississippi Politics: The Struggle for Power, 1976-2006*, which chronicles events and major transformations in the power structure of the state.

-The collection contains recordings and transcripts of interviews Nash and Taggart conducted while researching their book.

326. Ellis and Mamie Nassour Arts and Entertainment Collection

-Ellis Nassour, a journalist, author, and playwright, gave a large art and entertainment collection to Ole Miss. The Vicksburg, MS native graduated from the University of Mississippi with the Class of 1964. Nassour is the author of *Patsy Cline* and *Honky tonk Angel: The Intimate Story of Patsy Cline*, as well as the coauthor of *Rock Opera: the Creation of Jesus Christ Superstar*.

-The collection consists of film and theatre memorabilia. There are posters, playbills, videotapes, and other materials pertaining to mid-to-late twentieth century theatre productions.

327. Natchez Bank Ledger

-The collection contains a ledger, dated 1829-1830, from a bank in Natchez, MS.

328. William Cowper Nelson Collection

-William Cowper Nelson, a former University of Mississippi student, served in the Army of Northern Virginia during the Civil War and was present for many of the most famous battles in the war, including the Battle of Sharpsburg, the Battle of Fredericksburg, and the Battle of Gettysburg. He survived the war and married Mary Lou Armistead in 1867. He passed away in 1904.

-The collection includes over one hundred letters written by William Cowper Nelson during the years 1857-1865.

329. Chris Neuhoff Collection

-The collection contains 78 rpm records of blues music.

330. Ida Newsom Collection

-Ida Newsom attended the University of Mississippi in the 1920s and was a member of the Delta Zeta sorority.

-The collection contains publications, correspondence, and a scrapbook related to Ida Newsom and her time at Ole Miss.
331. Newspapers (Bound)
- The collection contains bound newspapers from around the state of Mississippi.

332. Newspapers (Boxed)
- The collection contains boxed newspapers from around the state of Mississippi.

333. Lewis Nordan Small Manuscripts
- Lewis Nordan, a Mississippi native, told stories set in the Delta. Some of his story collections include “Welcome to the Arrow-Catcher Club,” “The All-Girl Football Team,” and “Sugar Among the Freaks.”
- The collection contains a fan club newsletter, a reading guide, and a galley related to the work of Lewis Nordan.

- Cora Norman grew up in Texarkana, Arkansas. She attended the University of Texas and the University of Mississippi. In 1972, Norman was appointed as the executive director for the Mississippi Humanities Council. In 1991 she ran for State Auditor, however, she lost the race.
- The collection contains notations by Cora Norman, as well as campaign ephemera documenting her run for Mississippi State Auditor in 1991.

335. Northeast Mississippi Traditional Music Project Collection
- The Center for the Study of Southern Culture at the University of Mississippi cosponsored a survey of traditional music performers and venues in the northeastern corner of the state in 2002. The genres covered tended to be gospel and bluegrass.
- The collection consists of manuscripts of field notes and transcribed audio recordings. There are also photographs and audio cassettes of interviews.

336. Perti Nurmi Photograph Collection
- The collection contains photographs documenting the blues.

337. Flannery O'Connor Small Manuscripts
- Flannery O'Connor was born in Savannah, GA in 1925. She attended Georgia State College for Women and then was accepted into the Iowa Writer’s Workshop. She wrote two novels, Wise Blood and The Violent Bear it Away. Her collections of short stories are A Good Man is Hard to Find and Everything that Rises Must Converge. She was diagnosed with lupus in 1951 and passed away in 1864.
- The collection consists of a Christmas Card, newspaper clippings, and an invitation, all related to the life of Flannery O'Connor.
338. Jas Obrecht Collection

-Jas Obrecht worked in various positions, including Senior Editor, at Guitar Player magazine from 1978 to 1998.

-The collection includes audio cassettes of interviews Obrecht conducted with blues musicians as well as the subsequent articles.

339. Ken Oilschlager – Juliette Derricotte Collection

-Juliette Derricotte was born in Athens, GA in 1897. She was the first woman trustee of Talladega College and travelled the country in support of black colleges and education. While traveling in 1931 she and three other students were severely injured in an automobile accident. They were denied treatment in a hospital that did not treat blacks and she died the next day, creating a national outrage and becoming a focus of Civil Rights activists.

-The collection includes paper and letters relating to Juliette Derricotte. Some are her personal correspondence and others were written posthumously.

340. Victoria Oldham Sheet Music Collection

-The collection contains southern sheet music, mainly dating from the late nineteenth and early twentieth centuries.

341. Open Doors Collection

-Open Doors was a University of Mississippi event held in 2002 to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the integration of Ole Miss.

-The collection contains manuscripts, letters, newspapers, and other materials document the experiences of individuals during the integration of the University of Mississippi.

342. Oxford American Collection

-The Oxford American began publication in 1992 in Oxford, MS. The magazine publishes fiction, essays, interviews, poetry, and art, among other things. It is currently produced in Fayetteville, AK.

-The collection contains typed and holograph manuscripts, correspondence, and ephemera related to The Oxford American.

343. Oxford Music Club

-The collection documents the Oxford Music Club, an affiliate of the National Federation of Music Clubs. It contains ledgers, scrapbooks, multiple issues of Music Clubs Magazine, and other items.
344. Barry Lee Pearson Collection

-The collection comprises of a typescript, written by Barry Lea Pearson, with the working title The Road is Rough and Rocky: The Lives of Two Virginia Bluesmen, which was later published as Virginia Piedmont Blues: The Lives and Art of Two Virginia Bluesmen.

345. Walker Percy Small Manuscripts Collection

-Walker Percy, born in Birmingham, AL in 1916. Following the death of his parents, he and his siblings moved to Greenville, MS, where they were adopted by William Alexander Percy. He attended undergraduate school at the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill and received his medical degree from Columbia University in 1941. He published his first novel, The Moviegoer, in 1961. He went on to write many books, including Love in the Ruins and Lancelot, as well as some non-fiction works.

-The collection includes correspondence and an article related to Walker Percy.

346. William Alexander Percy Small Manuscripts Collection

-William Alexander Percy was born in Greenville, MS in 1885. He attended Harvard University, where he earned his law degree. Percy served in Belgium as a delegate for the Commission for Relief in Belgium during WWI, and then served in the U.S. Army during the war. After the war, he published four volumes of poetry. He also wrote a best-selling autobiography, Lanterns on the Levee: Recollections of a Planter’s Son. He died in 1942.

-The collection contains correspondence, sheet music, and a screen play related to the life of William Alexander Percy.

347. Ed Perry Collection

-Ed Perry was born in San Diego, CA and attended the University of Mississippi, where he earned his law degree. Perry, a powerful orator, represented the Oxford, MS district in the Mississippi House of Representatives from 1968 to 1999.

-The collection includes DVD recordings and a program from the Capitol Centennial Celebration in 2003, where Perry recited the famous “Whiskey Speech.” There are also pieces of correspondence about Perry.

348. Carl Peterson Collection

-The collection contains information on the significant Faulkner collection that Carl Peterson acquired. There are also manuscript items pertaining to Carl Peterson’s various works.

349. Charles J. Pettibone Collection

-The collection contains correspondence, a manuscript, and miscellaneous documents related to the life of Charles J. Pettibone.
350. John E. Phay Collection

-Dr. John Elon Phay, a professor of educational administration at the University of Mississippi, photographically recorded the pre-integration days at selected public elementary and secondary schools in Mississippi in the 1940s.

-The collection contains thousands of Kodachrome slides and photographs documenting many segregated Mississippi schools.

351. Clarence Pierce Collection

-Clarence Pierce was born in Thornton, MS and received his B.A. in Education from the University of Mississippi in 1950. He represented Carroll County in the Mississippi Legislature from 1952 to 1984. After leaving the legislature, he served as a Clerk of the U.S. District Court in the Southern District of Mississippi.

-The collection consists mainly of letters, along with a few speeches, clippings, and photographs.

352. Pilgrimage Collection

-The collection contains articles about various pilgrimages throughout Mississippi, dating from 1934 to 2000. The pilgrimages are often walks through antebellum homes in the state.

353. Piney Woods Country Life Collection

-The collection contains invitations, pamphlets, articles, and other printed materials about the Piney Woods School in Mississippi.

354. Sterling Plumpp Collection

-Sterling Plumpp was born in Clinton, MS in 1940. He joined the Army after school and served for two years. He was a professor of English and African-American Studies at the University of Illinois at Chicago. Plumpp has written poetry and numerous books, including Hornman, Ornate with Smoke, and Harriet Tubman.

-The collection includes typed and handwritten manuscripts, poems, correspondence, and other miscellaneous documents related to the life of Sterling Plumpp.

355. Presidential Debate Collection

-The University of Mississippi was chosen to host the first presidential debate for the Presidential Election in 2008. Special academic courses and programming were developed to help the university and community be involved with the event. The debate was held between Democrat Barack Obama and Republican John McCain. The topic of the debate was foreign policy and national security. The debate was moderated by Jim Lehrer.

-The collection contains records, correspondence, articles, and ephemera associated with the debate.
356. Elvis Presley Small Manuscripts Collection

- Elvis Presley was born in 1935 in Tupelo, MS. He began his career as a musician with Sun Records and made rock and roll a popular genre. His first release, in 1956, was "Heartbreak Hotel," which became a number one hit. He made his film debut in 1956 with Love me Tender. He served in the military from 1958 to 1960, and upon his return had some of his most successful work. His first concert broadcast globally had approximately 1.5 billion viewers. He died suddenly in 1977 from prescription drug abuse problems.

-The collection contains broadsides, programs, and magazines related to the life of Elvis Presley.

357. J.M. Price Collection

-The collection contains materials related to William Faulkner, including correspondence between J.M. Price and Faulkner.

358. Mrs. R. E. Price Collection

-Mrs. R.E. Price Collection, also known as Beulah May D'Olive, was a Corinth, MS based historian.

-The collection contains correspondence, magazines, and miscellaneous documents related to the life of Mrs. R.E. Price. Topics include Corinth, MS, Mississippi history, folklore, and others. There are also various Civil War era documents.

359. Publications of the Department of Special Collections Collection

-The Department of Archives and Special Collections at the University of Mississippi is located in the J.D. Williams Library, and aims to "acquire, conserve, and make accessible rare books, manuscripts, maps, visual and audio materials, and ephemera related to the University of Mississippi, the state of Mississippi, and the Blues."

-The collection contains various publications issued by the Department of Special Collections.

360. Race Parody Sheet Music Collection

-The collection contains sheet music related to race parody and African-American stereotypes, dating from 1882 to 1945.

361. Race Relations Collection

-The collection consists of printed material and manuscripts that document race relations, civil rights, black power, white supremacist groups, and multiculturalism throughout the United States. The materials date from the late nineteenth century to the present day.
362. Dr. T.H. Rayburn Collection

- The collection consists of twentieth-century philatelic envelopes whose stamps honor Civil War and Old West images.

363. Thomas Reber Collection

- Thomas Reber was born in Sandusky, OH in 1843. He joined the Union Army in 1861 and was a First Lieutenant in the 88th Regiment of the Ohio Volunteer Infantry. Several years after the war he moved to Louisiana, where he was appointed a circuit judge. Reber later moved to Natchez, MS and became a traffic manager.

- The collection mainly contains U.S. Army Civil War documents, such as lists of requisitions and ordinance reports. There are also some U.S. Army materials from WWI.

364. James R. Redden Collection

- Catherine and H. Thomas Conseille lived in Ripley, MS during the late nineteenth century. During the Civil War, H. Thomas Conseille enlisted as a soldier in the 2nd Mississippi Regiment and later served as Captain of the Cavalry for the 7th Mississippi Infantry Regiment.

- The collection contains receipts found in the pocketbook of Catherine Conseille, including a rent receipt from Colonel W.C. Falkner.

365. Jack Reed Collection

- Jack R. Reed, Sr. of Tupelo, MS operated Reed’s Department Store and served as the Chairman of the Mississippi Economic Council and was the President of The Mississippi Retail Merchants. Reed ran for Governor of Mississippi in 1987, but was unsuccessful.

- The collection contains correspondence and clippings related to the life of Jack Reed.

366. Registrar Ledgers

- The collection consists of thirteen ledgers containing grades, statistics, and attendance records at the University of Mississippi. The ledgers date from 1848 to 1921.

367. Dr. Panthea Reid / Ellen Douglas Collection

- Josephine Ayres Haxton, born in Natchez, MS in 1921, attended the University of Mississippi. She took the pen name Ellen Douglas and became a prominent Southern author. She has written many books, including A Family’s Affairs, Black Cloud, White Cloud, and Apostles of Light.

368. Religious Emphasis Week Collection

- The collection contains programs, lists of books, and broadsides related to the Religious Emphasis Week at the University of Mississippi. Materials date from 1938 to 1964.
369. John Richbourg Collection

- John Richbourg was a radio DJ who played blues music.

- The collection contains tapes of John Richbourg’s radio programs, mainly from the 60s. There are also photographs, framed items, 45 rpm records that he used, and printed materials relating to his life and career.

370. D.G.W. Ricketts Collection

- D.G.W. Ricketts was a cartographer and surveyor. His work was often about Southern areas.

- The collection encompasses D.G.W. Rickett’s correspondence, maps, publications, and his manuscript “Solution of Land Survey Problems.” The materials date from 1917 to 1966.

371. Charles Roberts Collection

- The collection contains transcriptions of Civil War correspondence related to Charles Roberts.

372. Jimmie Rodgers Collection

- Jimmie Rodgers, also known as the Father of Country Music, was born outside Meridian, MS in 1897. He worked until the age of 28 as a brakeman or flagman on railroads, a job that allowed him to travel throughout much of the South. In 1924 he began to sing in travelling shows and performed his first radio show in 1927. Before he died of tuberculosis in 1933, he recorded more than 100 songs.

- The collection contains correspondence, photographs, and ephemera related to the life of Jimmie Rodgers.

373. Rowan Oak Advisory Committee Collection

- Rowan Oak was the family home of William Faulkner in Oxford, MS. The home was sold to the University of Mississippi in 1972 and has been preserved as a historic landmark.

- The collection contains correspondence related to Rowan Oak after its acquisition by the University of Mississippi.

374. Rowan Oak Papers

- The Rowan Oak Papers are manuscripts of William Faulkner’s books that were discovered in a broom closet at William Faulkner’s home, Rowan Oak, in Oxford, MS. The manuscript

- The collection contains several thousand sheets of autograph and typescript drafts of poems, short stories, film scripts, and novels written by Faulkner between 1925 and 1939.
375. Lamont Rowlands Collection

-Lamont Rowlands was a prominent Mississippi businessman during the 1920s through the 1940s. He was a supporter of the new tung oil industry.

-The collection contains correspondence between Rowlands and his business partners, mainly concerning the planting of tung trees in Mississippi. There are also personal and political files relating to Rowlands’ life.

376. David G. Sansing Collection

-David G. Sansing is an Emeritus Professor of History at the University of Mississippi. He has written a number of books, including A History of the Mississippi Governor’s Mansion and Making Haste Slowly: The Troubled History of Higher Education in Mississippi.

-The collection contains correspondence, notes, photographs, and other materials related to the 1999 publication of The University of Mississippi: A Sesquicentennial History.

377. Sarah Isom Center Collection

-The Sarah Isom Center for Women was established in 1981 at the University of Mississippi to address the changing roles and expectation of female students, faculty, and staff. The Founding Director of the Isom Center was Dr. Joanne Hawks. Women were admitted acceptance to the University of Mississippi beginning in 1882.

-The collection contains materials that document the activities of the Isom Center as well as the connection between the Isom Center and the founder, Dr. Joanne Hawks. There collection has correspondence, images, and ephemera related to the center.

378. John Satterfield & American Bar Association Collection

-John C. Satterfield was born in 1904 in Port Gibson, MS. He received his Bachelor of Arts degree from Millsaps College and went on to receive his law degree in 1929 from the University of Mississippi. He was elected to the Mississippi House of Representatives in 1929. After leaving the legislature in 1932, he worked for several different law firms and corporations. Satterfield was known for his support of segregation; he worked with Governor Barnett of Mississippi and the Citizens’ Council. While he was president of the Mississippi State Bar he helped to modernize court procedures and administration. He died in 1981.

-The collection consists of files Satterfield kept that related to his American Bar Association activities. There is also a portrait of Satterfield and a few of his personal files on subjects not related to the ABA.

379. Charles Sawyer Collection

-Charles Sawyer teaches blues history at the Harvard Extension School.

-The collection contains a typescript of Charles Sawyer’s The Arrival of B.B. King.
380. Science Building Cornerstone Contents Collection

- The collection contains bulletins, postcards, and programs related to the University of Mississippi Science Hall Cornerstone.

381. The Scream Collection

- *The Scream* magazine, published in the 1920s, was the official comic of the University of Mississippi student body.

- The collection contains issues of *The Scream*, dating from 1924 to 1927.

382. Sessions Collection

- In antebellum Natchez, MS, the Sessions family was quite prominent. Around 1840, Albert Sessions established Brougham Plantation. He had two sons and one daughter. The two sons, Phillip and Joseph, fought in the Civil War; Phillip was killed during the war and Joseph died a few years after the war ended due to lingering wounds.

- The collection contains a Civil War-era scrapbook and a diary with recollections of the Civil War, both made by members of the Sessions family.

383. Settle Family Collection

- Thomas and Sam Settle fought in the 32nd Mississippi Infantry Regiment during the Civil War.

- The collection contains Thomas and Sam Settle’s Civil War correspondence, much of it written to their parents who lived in Mississippi.

384. Bob Shatkin Collection

- Bob Shatkin was a blues musician who played the harmonica. He also taught about and researched the blues.

- The collection is comprised of Shatkin’s research on blues harmonica history.

385. Sheet Music (Miscellaneous) Collection

- The collection contains sheet music that is mostly related to Mississippi and dates from 1846 to 1974.

386. James W. Silver and Martin J. Dain Collection

- James Wesley Silver was born in 1907 in New York moved to North Carolina when he was twelve. He began teaching at the University of Mississippi in 1936 and was the chairman of the department of history from 1946 to 1957. He wrote many books, including *Edmond Pendleton Gaines: Frontier General, A Life for the Confederacy*, and *A Surgeon’s Recollections*. In 1963 he made a historic address before the Southern Historical Association accusing Mississippi of committing a “social felony” by failing to accept the “inevitability of change.” He died in 1988. Martin J. Dain was a photographer from Massachusetts who admired William Faulkner. He traveled in
Mississippi in 1961 and took pictures of the state. He photographed William Faulkner’s funeral in 1962 for *Life* magazine. He did some assignments for *Life* magazine, including photographing William Faulkner’s funeral and photographing James W. Silver.

-The collection contains correspondence between James W. Silver and Martin Dain.

387. James W. Silver Collection

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-The collection contains records pertaining to James Silver, including correspondence, writings, clippings, and other printed items. There are also items pertaining to race relations.

388. Calvin R. Simmons Collection

-Calvin R. Simmons, a physician, graduated from the University of Mississippi in 1942.

-The collection contains mainly letters, documents, and photographs that document several generations of the Simmons family in Pontotoc, MS.

389. Skipwith Revolutionary War Collection

-Nathanael Greene was a Major-General of the Continental Army during the Revolutionary War. Later in the war he commanded the Southern Army.

-The collection contains correspondence written to Greene from important Revolutionary figures, including George Washington and John Hancock. There are also portraits of Revolutionary figures and other miscellaneous items.

390. Small Manuscripts Collection

-The collection contains individual items and small collections. They document individual moments of history associated with Mississippi.

391. Darwin A. Smalley Letterbook Collection

-Darwin A. Smalley was a lawyer and resident of Vermont before the Civil War. During the War he fought in the Union Army and then moved to Meridian, MS. He served on the Board of Registration there which enrolled qualified voters.

-The collection contains a transcription of a letterbook as well as correspondence related to the life of Darwin Smalley.
392. Julie Smith Collection

-Julie Smith was born in 1944 in Maryland. She spent a lot of her childhood in Georgia and attended college at the University of Mississippi, where she got her B.A. in journalism. She went on to write several books, including *Jazz Funeral*, *New Orleans Beat*, and *House of Blues*.

-The collection contains correspondence, clippings, and manuscripts related to the work of Julie Smith.

393. Rev. Wofford K. Smith Collection

-Reverend Wofford K. Smith was the University of Mississippi Episcopal Chaplain during integration of the university in 1962, which he supported.

-The collection contains correspondence and clippings related to the integration of the University of Mississippi as well as the activities involved in being an Episcopal Chaplain.

394. Southern Foodways Collection

-The Southern Foodways Alliance was founded in 1999 by John Egerton. John T. Edge was the first director of the SFA. The organization is “dedicated to the documentation and celebration of the diverse food cultures of the American South.” The Center for the Study of Southern Culture at the University of Mississippi helped the SFA start.

-The collection contains pamphlets, symposium programs, newsletters, and other materials related to the Southern Foodways Alliance.

395. Southern Humor Collection

-Richard C. Wood is an Emeritus Professor of English at Rhodes College in Memphis, TN.

-The collection contains the research notes of Richard C. Wood from his studies in humor in American literature. The literature that he studied came largely from the Southeast and Southwest. There are a few other miscellaneous items.

396. Southern Women Legislators Collection

-Joanne V. Hawks served as the Dean of Women at the University of Mississippi from 1972 to 1981 and was the director of the university’s Sarah Isom Center for Women. Carolyn Ellis was a Provost of the university in 1999. Hawks and Ellis received a grant from the NEH to study the role of women in southern state legislatures. They published several articles based upon their research on the subject.

-The collection contains the biographical information of female state legislators from the South as well as clippings, political ephemera, and correspondence.
397. Speaker Ban Law Collection

-The collection contains rejected speakers, court cases, and speaker approval forms from the University of Mississippi. The items were created from 1961 to 1974.

398. Elizabeth Spencer Periodicals

-Elizabeth Spencer was born in Carrollton, MS in 1921. She attended Belhaven College and Vanderbilt University. She worked with the Nashville Tennessean newspaper before teaching English at the University of Mississippi. She was awarded a Guggenheim fellowship in 1953, and moved to Italy to pursue writing full-time. She later moved back to the United States to Chapel Hill, NC. Her novels include The Night Travelers, The Light in the Piazza, and Fire in the Morning. She has also written several short story collections, such as The Southern Woman and Marilee.

-The collection contains periodicals related to the life of Elizabeth Spencer.

399. Elizabeth Spencer Small Manuscripts

-Elizabeth Spencer was born in Carrollton, MS in 1921. She attended Belhaven College and Vanderbilt University. She worked with the Nashville Tennessean newspaper before teaching English at the University of Mississippi. She was awarded a Guggenheim fellowship in 1953, and moved to Italy to pursue writing full-time. She later moved back to the United States to Chapel Hill, NC. Her novels include The Night Travelers, The Light in the Piazza, and Fire in the Morning. She has also written several short story collections, such as The Southern Woman and Marilee.

-The collection contains a playbill, postcard, correspondence, and manuscript related to the life of Elizabeth Spencer.

400. Dr. Robert Speth Train Collection

-The collection consists of oversize train dispatch sheets for the Illinois Central Railroad from Water Valley, MS and a map of the Oxford Depot.

401. Square Books Collection

-Square Books was founded in Oxford, MS in 1979 by Richard and Lisa Howorth. There are a total of three bookstores, called Square Books, Off Square Books, and Square Books Jr. The store hosts the Thacker Mountain radio show and over 150 authors a year.

-The collection contains news articles about Square books, as well as promotional materials and newsletters issued by the bookstore.

402. State Documents Vertical Files

-The collection consists of an assortment of publications and other items generated by various state agencies and departments in Mississippi. They date from 1961 to 2009.
403. Andrew Baron Stewart Autograph Album

-Andrew Baron Steward was in the University of Mississippi Class of 1861. He fought in the Confederacy during the Civil War and became a minister after the war.

-The collection contains a transcription of an autograph album kept by Andrew Baron Stewart.

404. Stone – Gaither Collection

-Hubert Gaither was born in Tupelo, MS and served in France during WWI.

-The collection contains many letters between Ernest and Millie Gaither, who were the parents of Hubert Gaither, as well as letters between Hubert and his family.

405. Alfred H. Stone Collection

-Alfred H. Stone was born in New Orleans, LA in 1870. He attended the University of Mississippi. He worked as a lawyer and cotton planter in Mississippi and served as the President of the Mississippi Historical Society from 1912-1913. Stone wrote a history of the 13th, 14th, and 15th amendments as well as articles on race. He served in the Mississippi State Legislature from 1916 to 1923 and was later named Tax Commissioner. He died in 1955.

-The collection mainly deals with the issue of race in the southern United States. There are letters from African-Americans to Alfred Stone’s wife, articles on slavery, clippings, and other materials. There are also books and pamphlets that are on a variety of topics.

406. George M. Street Collection

-George Street spent most of his life in Mississippi. He worked at the University of Mississippi from 1949-1985, where he held several positions, including Supervisor of Student Housing and Director of Placement and Financial Aids. In 1993 he was elected to the University of Mississippi Hall of Fame.

-The collection contains papers related to George Street’s administrative duties, as well as correspondence, tapes, and other materials that document Street’s time at the University of Mississippi.

407. Stubbs Collection


408. Tackett and Dyson Family Collection

-The collection contains diplomas and certificates awarded by Mississippi institutions to the Tackett Dyson families.
409. Donna Tartt Small Manuscripts

- Donna Tartt was born in Greenwood, MS in 1963. She attended the University of Mississippi where her writing was noticed by authors such as Willie Morris and Barry Hannah. She later transferred to Bennington College in Vermont. She has written two novels, *The Secret History* and *The Little Friend* and various short stories.

- The collection contains a manuscript and articles related to the work of Donna Tartt.

410. Clark Hairston Taylor Collection

- Mrs. Clark Hairston Taylor was member of the Class of 1963 at the University of Mississippi. She served in the President of the Association of Women Students and was in the Ole Miss 1962 Hall of Fame.

- The collection contains a letter written by her brother to her after the University of Mississippi riot over integration in 1962 as well as other printed materials on the same topic.

411. Peter H. Taylor Collection

- Peter Taylor was born in Trenton, TN in 1917. He attended Southwestern University, Vanderbilt University, and Kenyon College. He enrolled in the U.S. Army in 1941 and served in Georgia and England before being discharged in 1945. Taylor taught at several different colleges and universitites, including the Women’s College of the University of North Carolina at Greensboro, Indiana University, and University of Chicago. He has written many books, such as *A Long Fourth*, *Miss Leonora When Last Seen*, and *A Summons to Memphis*. *A Summons to Memphis* won the 1987 Pulitzer Prize.

- The collection includes personal correspondence between Taylor biographer Hubert H. Alexander and Eleanor Taylor, Peter Taylor’s wife. There are also research notes, photocopied materials, photographs, and other materials.

412. S.G. Thigpen Collection

- S.G. Thipgen was one of the authors of the many-volumed *An Oral History*, a University of Southern Mississippi project which recorded the history of Mississippi.

- The collection contains newspaper articles, recording tapes, a scrapbook, and photographs related to the life of S.G. Thigpen.

413. Lily Thompson Collection

- Lily Thompson was elected secretary of the Mississippi Woman Suffrage Association in 1897. She helped distribute suffrage materials all around Mississippi and was elected president in 1912.

- The collection contains Thompson’s correspondence, public relations materials, and ledgers with the minutes of meetings of the Jackson Equity League.
414. David Todd Collection
-This collection contains clippings, pamphlets, articles, photographs, and other materials related to the Civil War.

415. Renato Tonelli Photograph Collection
-Renato Tonelli was an Italian blues journalist.
-The collection contains photographs of blues musicians and blues festivals.

416. Greg Trousdale Collection
-The collection contains record dealer catalogues, newsletters, news clippings, and ephemera related to the blues.

417. Trumpet Records Collection
-Trumpet Records was founded by Lillian Shedd McMurry. The label released blues, spiritual, country, pop, and rockabilly records and was one of the first independent labels in the South. Some of the artists with Trumpet Records were Elmore James, Big Joe Williams, Willie Love, and Sonny Boy Williamson.
-The collection contains materials documenting the life of Lillian Shedd McMurry and the history of Trumpet Records.

418. Lucy Turnbull
-The collection contains pamphlets, reports, correspondence, minutes, and other printed material related to various councils and committees in Mississippi. The materials date from 1962 to 1987.

419. United Daughters of the Confederacy / Sons of Confederate Veterans Collection
-The collection contains ephemera, such as invitations and pamphlets, from the United Daughters of the Confederacy and Sons of Confederate Veterans.

420. United States v. Mississippi Interrogatory Answers
-The collection contains an excerpt of the Record of Appeal with answers by the United States to question asked by the State of Mississippi and other defendants. They illuminate the difficulties African Americans faced in Mississippi when attempting to vote between 1890 and 1963.

421. University Archive Photographs
-The collection contains photographs relating to the University of Mississippi or originating from a university department.
422. University Dames Collection

-The collection contains a constitution, amendments, and minutes of the University Dames, also known as the University of Mississippi Women’s Club.

423. University High School Collection

-The collection contains newspapers, yearbooks, photographs, a tassel, and a diploma related to University High School in Oxford, MS.

424. University of Mississippi Baseball Uniform

-The collection has a 1930s University of Mississippi baseball uniform.

425. University of Mississippi Classbooks

-The collection consists of yearbooks with information on the University of Mississippi Class of 1861-1862.

426. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Academic and Administrative Departments

-The collection contains brochures, correspondence, pamphlets, and other documents related to the Academic and Administrative Departments at the University of Mississippi.

427. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Alumni

-The collection contains speeches, invitations, programs, and other printed materials related to Alumni at the University of Mississippi.

428. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Athletics

-The collection contains a media guide, tickets, magazines, and memorabilia related to athletics at the University of Mississippi.

429. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Budget and Finance

-The collection consists of newspaper articles, brochures, reports and newsletters related to budget and finance at the University of Mississippi.

430. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Faculty and Staff

-The collection contains biographical sketches, lists of members, memoranda, and pamphlets related to faculty and staff at the University of Mississippi.

431. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Greeks

-The collection contains broadsides, memoranda, correspondence, and miscellaneous documents related to Greeks at the University of Mississippi.
432. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Miscellaneous

- The collection contains miscellaneous documents related to the University of Mississippi.

433. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Organizations and Honorary Societies

- The collection contains miscellaneous documents related to Organizations and Honorary Societies at the University of Mississippi.

434. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Publications

- The collection contains publications related to the University of Mississippi.

435. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Speakers and Speeches

- The collection contains tapes and transcriptions related to speakers and speeches given at the University of Mississippi.

436. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – Student Life

- The collection contains memorabilia, diaries, correspondence, pamphlets, and programs related to student life at the University of Mississippi.

437. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts – University Greys

- Much of the Class of 1861 left the University of Mississippi to fight in the Civil War, most of the joining a company called the “University Greys.” Many of them lost their lives during the war. The university closed until 1865. In 1866 the university awarded diplomas to the class of 1861, though only one member of the University Greys was able to be at the ceremony. Maud Morrow Brown wrote a book about the company, The University Greys: Company A, Eleventh Mississippi Regiment, Army of North Virginia, 1861-1865.


438. University of Mississippi Small Manuscripts Oversized

- The collection contains broadsides, calendars, bullets, and other oversized items related to the University of Mississippi.

439. Varsity Voice / University Record Collection

- The Varsity Voice: A Weekly Journal of College Life was established in 1907. The University Record was established in 1898 and mainly reported on athletics at the University of Mississippi.

- The collection contains a 1907 and 1910 issue of The Varsity Voice and a 1902 issue of The University Record.
440. Vertical File Folders
-The collection includes subject files created by Archives & Special Collection at the University of Mississippi on topics frequently researched.

441. Vice-Chancellor Collection
-The collection contains miscellaneous documents related to vice chancellors at the University of Mississippi.

442. VOX Press Collection
-VOX Press, Inc. was founded as a literary journal in 2004 by Louis E. Bourgeois, Max Bishop Hipp and J.E. Pitts. It has published a number of books and journals.
-The collection includes materials related to VOX Press and the VOX poetry journal. There are also copies of The Daily Mississippian and Oxford Town.

443. Hilton Waits Collection
-Dewey Hilton Waits was born in 1898 in Mantachie, MS. He attended the University of Mississippi and then began to practice law in Leland, MS. When Waits’ brother, Hobson Waits, died in office in the Mississippi House of Representatives in 1931, Dewey Waits was selected to complete his brother’s term. He continued to hold the office until 1960. He died in 1964.
-The collection includes personal files, political files, and law practice files related to Dewey Waits.

444. Elijah M. Walker Collection
-The collection contains a diary of Caroline King and five diaries of her cousin Elijah M. Walker. They date from 1848 to 1860.

445. Hub Walker Collection
-Hub Walker was a professional baseball player who played college baseball at the University of Mississippi. He played with the Nashville Volunteers, Minneapolis Millers, and Detroit Tigers. He won the 1945 World Series.
-The collection contains correspondence, programs, photographs, and miscellaneous notes about Hub Walker.

446. E.C. Walthall Collection
-Edward C. Walthall was born in Richmond, VA in 1831. He began a law practice in Coffeeville, MS ad was District Attorney of Mississippi’s tenth judicial district until he entered the Confederate Army in 1861. By 1864 he was a Major-General. He was appointed to the U.S. senate in 1885 to fill L.Q.C. Lamar’s empty seat. He served until 1894, and served again from 1895 until his death in 1898.
- The collection contains financial documents, correspondence, and clippings related to E.C. Walthall.

447. Robert Penn Warren / Bill Ferris Collection

- The collection contains correspondence between Robert Penn Warren and Bill Ferris.

448. Watson Family Collection

- John Watson was a Texas businessman whose son fought in the Civil War.

- The collection contains copies of John Watson’s correspondence, which discusses a wide range of topics, both business and personal.

449. Ralph Mitchell Weed Collection

- Ralph Mitchell was a Mississippi Native who began serving in the military as a private in 1918. He was sent to France the same year to fight in WW1. He remained in Germany until 1919 and ended the war as a Corporal.

- The collection contains correspondence, a datebook, and documents related to Ralph Mitchell Weed.

450. Miriam Weems/ Dr. Charles Noyes Collection

- Dr. Charles Noyes was born in Natchez, MS. He attended the University of Missouri and the University of Texas. He served in the U.S. Army Air Corps from 1942 to 1946. In 1953 he began teaching at the University of Mississippi and later served as Vice Chancellor. Noyes helped write speeches during the 1962 integration of the University. He died in 2008. Miriam Weems is a University of Mississippi graduate as well as a former student of Dr. Noyes. She wrote *Mostly Mississippi* in 2007.

- The collection contains correspondence, newsletters, and ephemera between Dr. Charles Noyes and student Miriam Weems.

451. Welty / Bill Ferris Correspondence Collection

- The collection consists of correspondence and an invitation between Eudora Welty and Bill Ferris.

452. Eudora Welty Moon Lake Typescript

- Eudora Welty was a native of Jackson, MS, born in 1909. She wrote many short stories and novels, and won the Pulitzer Prize in 1973 for her novel *The Optimist’s Daughter*. She also received the Presidential Medal of Freedom. Welty died in 2001.

- The collection contains a typescript of Eudora Welty’s short story “Moon Lake.”
453. Eudora Welty Spring Typescript

-Eudora Welty was a native of Jackson, MS, born in 1909. She wrote many short stories and novels, and won the Pulitzer Prize in 1973 for her novel *The Optimist’s Daughter*. She also received the Presidential Medal of Freedom. Welty died in 2001.

-The collection contains a typescript version of a short story titled “Spring,” which would later be published as “Ladies in Spring.”

454. Eudora Welty Periodicals

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-The collection consists of periodicals with articles related to Eudora Welty.

455. Eudora Welty Small Manuscripts

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-The collection contains an invitation, programs, pamphlets, and other ephemera related to the life of Eudora Welty.

456. Western Union Telegram Collection

-James Meredith applied for admission to the University of Mississippi in 1961. The state tried to prohibit his acceptance, but Meredith filed a suit and in 1962 the Supreme Court ruled that Meredith was to be admitted. Riots broke out in Oxford, MS on September 30, 1962, attacking U.S. Marshals who were at the campus to protect Meredith. Federal troops were sent to stop the violence. Meredith registered for courses in October. He graduated with a bachelor’s degree in 1963.

-The collection consists of telegrams sent to and sent out of Oxford MS during August-October 1962. Many of them relate to the integration of the University of Mississippi.

457. Weston Lumber Company / Lumber General

-The H. Weston Lumber Company, in the Pear River basin of Mississippi, was formerly a sawmill purchased by Henry Weston, Henry Carre, and W.W. Carre. Henry Weston bought his partners’ shares in 1874 and started to invest in timber. It was active in the late nineteenth century and early twentieth century.

-The collection contains letterbooks, correspondence, account and time books, financial records, and other documents related to the business of the H. Weston Lumber Company.
458. Jamie L. Whitten Collection

-Jamie L. Whitten was born in Tallahatchie County, MS in 1910. He studied law at the University of Mississippi. In 1941 Whitten won a special election for a seat in the U.S. House of Representatives, where he served until 1995. He died in 1995.

-The collection contains Jamie Whitten’s congressional papers.

459. William Madison Whittington Collection

-William Madison Whittington was born in Franklin County, MS in 1878. He graduated from Mississippi College in 1898 and the University of Mississippi Law School. He established a law practice in Greenwood, MS. He was elected a state senator in 1916 and authored Mississippi’s first Bone Dry Law, a prohibitionist bill. In 1924 he became a Congressman for the third district of Mississippi. He retired from Congress in 1951 and returned to Greenwood. He died in 1962.

-The collection contains Whittington’s speeches, congressional files, correspondence, and other materials relating to Whittington’s life.

460. Joan Williams Collection

-Joan Williams was a Mississippi native born in 1928. She had her first short story, “Rain Later,” published in 1948. She became friends with William Faulkner and continued writing. Her first novel was “The Morning and the Evening” and she received much praise for it. Most of her stories were based in rural Mississippi. Williams passed away in 2004.

-The collection consists of magazines related to Joan Williams.

461. J.D. Williams Family Collection

-Sallie Pollock lived in Kentucky, Ohio, and Pennsylvania, among other places. She often received letters from John B. Williams, who was fighting in the Civil War and would become her husband. Sallie and John were the ancestors of University of Mississippi Chancellor J.D. Williams.

-The collection contains invitations to balls and cotillions in the 1830s, correspondence, and some financial documents.

462. John Sharp Williams Collection

-John Sharp Williams represented Mississippi in the U.S. Congress for twenty-nine years, from 1893 until 1922. He died in 1932. James Vardaman was born in 1861 in Texas, but grew up in Mississippi. He was elected to the Mississippi House of Representatives in 1889 and served until 1896. He served during the Spanish-American War and was editor of the Greenwood Enterprise and founded the Greenwood Commonwealth and the Jackson newspaper The Issue. He died in 1930.

-The collection contains the research material of George Coleman Osborn who wrote biographies of John Sharp Williams and James Vardaman.
463. Tennessee Williams Periodicals

-Tennessee Williams was born in 1911 in Columbus, MS. He was awarded a $1,000 grant in 1939 after writing the play *Battle of Angels*. He lived in many different places, including New Orleans and Hollywood. He became a highly successful playwright, with his works including *The Glass Menagerie, A Streetcar Named Desire*, and *Cat on a Hot Tin Roof*. By 1959 he had already won two Pulitzer Prizes and a Tony. He died in 1983.

-The collection contains periodicals related to Tennessee Williams.

464. Tennessee Williams Small Manuscripts

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-The collection contains postcards, programs, correspondence, galleys and other materials related to Tennessee Williams.

465. Sally Kate Winters Memorial Collection

-Sally Kate Winters, a student at the University of Mississippi, died in a car accident in 1965 two months before graduation. The Sally Kate Winters Memorial Scholarship Fund was established in her honor,

-The collection consists of letters, telegrams, and cards received by the Winters family that expressed condolences for Sally Kate Winters. There are also some materials relating to the scholarship fund.

466. Woman’s Forum Collection

-The collection contains meeting minutes, correspondence, handbooks, publications, yearbooks, and scrapbooks related to the Mississippi Woman’s Forum.

467. Women of the Ku Klux Klan Collection

-The collection contains a few pieces of correspondence, publications, and notes related to women of the Ku Klux Klan.

468. Women’s Book Club of Oxford, Mississippi Collection

-The Women’s Book Club of Oxford, MS was founded in 1895,

-The collection includes yearly programs, which outlined the Book Club’s planned books, meeting minutes, member biographies, and other miscellaneous material.
469. Woodall Family Papers Collection

-Archibald Woodall moved to Yalobusha County, MS around 1840 and established his family there.

-The collection contains land deeds and other financial documents related to the Woodall Family of Mississippi. There is also some genealogical material and correspondence.

470. World War II Memories Collection

-The collection contains Christmas Cards, correspondence, newsletters and research material related to Mississippians and University of Mississippi students who fought in World War II.

471. Richard Wright Small Manuscripts

-Richard Wright, born in 1908 in Mississippi, wrote his first story at the age of fifteen. It was called “The Voodoo of Hell's Half-Acre.” He moved to Chicago in 1927 and joined the Communist Party in 1933. He began writing poetry, such as “I Have Seen Black Hands” and “We of the Streets.” His first novel was Cesspool, published as Lawd Today in 1963. He later moved to New York and continued to write short stories. He received a Guggenheim Fellowship for his “Uncle Tom’s Children” short stories. He also lived in Paris and North Carolina. He died in 1960.

-The collection includes invitations, broadsides, programs, and correspondence related to the life of Richard Wright.

472. Wynn – Faulkner Poetry Collection

-The collection consists of forty-eight pages of poetry written by William Faulkner, most likely written between 1917 and 1925.

473. Wynn Collection of Faulkner Collecting

-The collection includes correspondence, articles, and newspaper clippings about William Faulkner, collected by the Wynn family.

474. Yoknapatawpha Press Collection

-The Yoknapatawpha Press was founded in 1975 as a southern regional small press that published work by southern writers. It is named for William Faulkner’s fictional county.

-The collection contains materials, mainly promotional items and news clippings, related to Yoknapatawpha Press.
475. John Preston Young Collection

-John Preston Young was born in 1847 in Chulahoma, MS. He attended the University of Mississippi and fought in the Confederate Army. He wrote *The Seventh Tennessee Cavalry (Confederate): A History*. After the Civil war he became a judge and wrote several works about the history of Memphis, TN. He died in 1934.

-The collection includes the Civil War diary, correspondence, newspapers, and personal note of John Preston young. There are also manuscripts of his work.

476. Stark Young – John Pilkington Collection

-Stark Young, born in Mississippi in 1881, was a teacher, playwright, novelist, and critic. He worked for *Theatre Arts Magazine* and *The New Republic*. He published *So Red the Rose*, a novel, in 1934. John Pilkington wrote *Stark Young* and *Stark Young, A Life in the Arts, Letters 1900-1912*.

-The collection contains a compilation of materials accrued by Pilkington while he was working on biographies on Stark Young.

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-The collection contains correspondence, programs, newsletters, and various articles related to the life of Stark Young.