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Recent Accessions and Openings of Georgia Resources

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In early January the Library opened to researchers sixteen series of the Richard B. Russell Manuscript Collection, 1920s-1971 (1708 linear feet). The collection covers Senator Russell's career from the time he was Speaker of the Georgia House of Representatives until his death in 1971, when he was Speaker Pro Tempore of the U.S. Senate. However, coverage of the years of his service in the Georgia House and as Governor is minimal (one linear foot).

The bulk of the collection is from the Senate office and is subdivided into twenty series, according to the Washington office's filing arrangement. The first sixteen series are open (but with some items restricted); four additional series are closed.

An in-house finding aid, which contains an introduction to the collection, an explanation of Washington office procedure, descriptions of the series, and container lists, is available in the Library.

CITY OF ATLANTA: Recorder's Court, Docket books, 1878-80, 2 vols.; Bicentennial Commission, Minutes, correspondence, publicity releases, brochures, examples of sales and promotional items, activities scrapbook, policy files, financial records,
project files, calendar of events, 12 cu. ft.


FULTON COUNTY: Finance Dept., Accounts payable, 1876-1933; receipts journal, 1913-15; treasurer's accounts, 1886-1957; warrant registers, 1919-48; Court of Ordinary treasurer's reports, 1854-75; Inferior Court journal (liquor licenses), 1854-81; general ledger, 1896-99; cash disbursement record, 1878-87; treasurer's report, 1913, 1915-58; journal A/P, 1934-36; war bond purchases, 1943-52; parks revenues, 1938-51; correspondence and subject files of John F. Still, Director of Finance, 1963, 2 cu. ft.; 17 vols.

MILTON COUNTY: Treasurer's receipts and disbursements ledgers, 1884-1931; cash books, 1912-29; voucher register, 1908-12; property tax register, 1905; road tax ledger, 1904-24; Superior Court receipts and record of court orders, 1859-72; Court of Ordinary financial records, 1872-1928; bonded officers, 1928; county surveyor record book, 1882-91; penitentiary records, 1918-22; audit, 1931; 27 vols.

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Records, 1858-1967: Minutes of session and registers, index of members, deacons' records, trustees' minutes, Presbyterian Ministers' Assn. minutes; 32 vols.

DAILY INTELLIGENCER, 7 Oct. 1858-31 Dec. 1864 [microfilm copy].

HUGH M. DORSEY, JR., Collection: Scrapbooks containing information on the life of Judge R. T. Dorsey; gubernatorial campaign, 1910-18; term as Governor, 1917-19; family life; political and family matters, 1917-24; 6 vols. 2.5 cu. ft.

ARTHUR C. FORD (1832-1888) Papers, 1860s-1976: Fifth president, Georgia State Dental Society; business papers, 1866-83; family correspondence, 1872-1976; Civil War physical exam results; letter describing Federal raid on Varnell's Station, Ga., 1864; .4 cu. ft.
FRANKLIN M. GARRETT Collection: Compilation of DeKalb County Inferior Court jurors, 1823-47 (99 juries) and 1848-51 (18 juries); Atlanta Bicentennial Commission correspondence file, 1975-76; .8 cu. ft.

PERRY FAMILY Letters, 1854-1897: Madison, Atlanta, and Augusta, Ga.; 111 items (.4 cu. ft.).

Special Collections
Robert W. Woodruff Library
Emory University

BETHESDA ORPHAN ASYLUM (Chatham Co., Ga.)
Records: Diaries of O. W. Burroughs, Director, Bethesda School for Boys, 1915-45; journal of the superintendent, 1871-76; scrapbook of newscuttings, 1923-30; microfilm (1 reel).

ELEONORE RAOUl GREENE Papers, ca. 1870-1940: Raoul family correspondence; materials relating to women's suffrage movement and Atlanta League of Women Voters; papers of Emily Harrison relating to Fernbank Science Center; ca. 50 ms. boxes.

WILLIAM B. HARTSFIELD Papers, addition:
Personal business and financial papers and mementos; 14 ms. boxes.

MABEL LOEB RIDENOUR Papers, 1925-1967:
Papers relating to her advertising business in Atlanta and to other professional and social activities; 4 ms. boxes.

STERNBERGER CO. (Clio, Marlboro Co., S.C.)
Records, 1889-1927: Account books, stock inventories, records of the Clio Ginnery Co., daybooks for general store, records of fertilizer sales and cotton purchases; 100 vols. + 2 ms. boxes.

MAURICE THOMPSON Papers, addition, 1882-1912:
Resident of Crawfordsville, Ind.; mainly letters from other writers and literary critics; 111 items.

ALFRED A. WEINSTEIN Papers, 1934-1963: Atlanta physician; papers relating to prison-camp experiences during World War II, and personal and professional papers; ca. 300 items.
GOODRICH COOK WHITE Papers, 1922-1972: Correspondence, reports, minutes, clippings, and other materials relating primarily to his tenure as president of Emory University; 30 ms. boxes.

Manuscript Section
Georgia Department of Archives and History

GREENE COUNTY: Board of Education minutes, 1856-67, 1874, 1876-83, 1900-1950; reports, 1895-96, 1899-1907, including teachers' reports, financial reports, and reports on teachers employed, attendance, school districts, and school censuses; teachers' licenses, 1912-33; cash books, 1899-1902, 1908-14; 11 vols. [to be microfilmed].

ATLANTA PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Minutes, 1922-1975: Minutes, financial reports, correspondence, obituaries, lists of members and baptisms; 10 vols. [to be microfilmed].

JAMES S. BALDWIN Day Books, 1889-1897, 1900-1909, 1911-1946: Floyd Co., Ga.; log of daily activities, weather conditions, financial accounts; 9 vols. [to be microfilmed].


CUNNINGHAM-BEAVERS FAMILY Papers, 1826-1895: Fayette and Fulton Cos., Ga.; correspondence, accounts, receipts, misc. documents; 311 items [to be microfilmed].

DOVES CREEK BAPTIST CHURCH (Elbert Co., Ga.) Minutes, 1902-1962: Minutes and Memorials; 2 vols. [to be microfilmed].

GOSHEN BAPTIST CHURCH (Dawson Co., Ga.) Minutes, 1896-1927, 1930-1974: Data on members and church government; 3 vols. [to be microfilmed].


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HEPHZIBAH (Richmond Co., Ga.) AGRICULTURE CLUB Records, 1913-1928, 1944-1964, 1975: Also known as Hephzibah Farmers' Club and Hephzibah Agricultural and Agricultural Club; minutes, membership lists, constitution, by-laws; 3 vols. [to be microfilmed].

JOHN M. B. NORWOOD Medical Recipe Book, 1854, 1861: Whitesville, Harris Co., Ga.; doctor's handwritten book of remedies; includes accounts and annotated list of members of Co. E, 20th Georgia Regiment; 1 vol. [to be microfilmed].

Jones Co., Ga. Store Account Book, 1816: Unidentified store; lists customers, purchases, and amounts; 1 vol. [to be microfilmed].

RAILBOW PARK BAPTIST CHURCH (Decatur, Ga.) Minutes, 1970-1975: Minutes, financial reports, by-laws, correspondence, and lists of committees, church officers, new members, and baptisms; 4 vols. [to be microfilmed].


Southern Labor Archives
Georgia State University

ATLANTA PRINTING PRESSMEN AND ASSISTANTS, LOCAL 8, Records, (1911) 1940-1973: Primarily correspondence concerning underwriting contracts, jurisdictional matters, union elections, and training programs; some correspondence with several companies about contract negotiations, job classifications, and grievances; 7865 leaves.

JOSEPH JACOBS Records, 1936-1974: Primarily correspondence and legal documents describing his work for the United Hatters, Cap & Millinery Workers International Union as both legal counsel and public relations consultant; principally concerns the organization of local unions in Tennessee, Texas, Virginia, and Georgia; material relating to his legal work for the International Ladies Garment Workers Union, mostly in Florida; 4678 leaves.

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CARMEN LUCIA Papers, 1929-1974: Newsclopping and leaflets about her career as an organizer for the United Hatters, Cap & Millinery Workers International Union in California, Texas, Tennessee, Massachusetts, Virginia, Alabama, Illinois, Connecticut, and Georgia; 1014 leaves. [The Archives also has a recorded interview with Ms. Lucia.]

UNITED STEELWORKERS OF AMERICA, DISTRICT 35, Records, 1941-1974: Correspondence with international headquarters, field representatives, local unions, and companies, principally concerning organizing campaigns, contract negotiations, and strikes; audits, wax recordings of speeches from 1952 convention, films made by USA educational dept.; 3300 leaves.

Note: Inventories to these collections are available in the Archives.

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Archives
West Georgia College

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION OF UNIVERSITY PROFESSORS, WEST GEORGIA COLLEGE CHAPTER, Records, 1965-date: Minutes, correspondence, membership data; 518 items.

EDITH LAFAYE COBB Papers, 1971-1975: Material relating to co-editorship and compilation of Georgia Library Resources (Georgia Library Assn., 1975), including surveys, correspondence, computer cards, notes; 907 items.


W. BENJAMIN KENNEDY Papers, 1969-1974: Draft, manuscripts, notes, maps, and other materials used to prepare Muskets, Cannon Balls, and Bombs (Beehive Press, 1974); 1455 items + 1 reel of microfilm.
NEW HOPE PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Minutes, 1829-1869: Minutes, membership lists, financial data; 1 vol. (200 pp.)

WARD PAFFORD Scrapbooks, 1971: Clippings about his inauguration as president of West Georgia College, letters from friends; 2 vols.

WEST GEORGIA COLLEGE Records: Latin American Studies Program (defunct), Course schedules, correspondence, faculty data, 1966-75, 128 items; Cooperative Program in Elementary Education, Reports, conference data, publications, 1955-58, 23 items; Sand Hill Story Program, Filmstrip (The Sand Hill Story, 1958), testimonials, reports, pictures, projects, outcomes, 1948-60, 8 folders + 1 filmstrip; Office of the Registrar, Student rosters, schedule changes, reports to the Chancellor and the Southern Assn., student geographical and religious data, statistics, charts, correspondence, 1933-76, 2000 items; Library Committee (defunct), Minutes and reports, 1957-73, 92 items.

WHOPPING CREEK PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH (Carroll Co., Ga.) Records, 1852-1915: Xerox copies of minutes, cemetery plat, membership roll; 186 pp.

OUT-OF-STATE REPOSITORIES

North Carolina

Southern Historical Collection
University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

SOUTHERN ORAL HISTORY PROGRAM COLLECTION (#4007), Series A, Bass-DeVries: Interviews with political, business, labor and social leaders, political scientists, and elected officials, conducted by Jack Bass and Walter DeVries in preparation for their book, The Transformation of Southern Politics; tapes and transcripts of interviews with Jimmy Bentley, Norman Bishop, Benjamin Brown, George Busbee, Jimmy Carter, Mike Egan, George Esser, Grace Hamilton, Roy Harris, Booy Hill, Charles Kirbo, John Lewis, Herb Mabry, Edward McIntyre, Reg Murphy, Rita Jackson Samuels, Carl Sanders, Robert Shaw, Andrew Young; tapes only, Julian Bond, Newt Gingrich, Hal Gulliver;