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Summary Information

Repository	Arkansas State Archives
Creator	Robbins, Oscar B., 1886-1946
Title	Oscar B. Robbins collection
Date [inclusive]	1912-1943
Extent	1.0 Cubic feet 2 boxes
Language	English
Language of Materials	Materials entirely in English.

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Biographical/Historical Note

Oscar B. Robbins was born in Rose Bud (White County), Arkansas, on December 26, 1885. He married Minnie Lee Jones of Mt. Vernon (Faulkner County) on Christmas day, 1917, at the Marion Hotel in Little Rock. The couple had no children. Robbins graduated from Ouachita College in Arkadelphia, where he had participated in football and track. He was principal at schools in Rose Bud and Floyd and helped organize Woodmen of the World insurance benefits for Arkansas. He was also a representative in the Arkansas legislature prior to his service in World War I. Robbins began his successful business career by purchasing a Ford dealership in Heber Springs in 1919. Among his other professional endeavors, he was president of the Cleburne County Bank. Oscar Robbins died July 23, 1946 and is buried in the Robbins family plot in the Heber Springs Cemetery.

Scope and Contents

This collection focuses on the World War I era, describing some aspects of Oscar Robbins' life as a college student, educator, representative, and soldier.

Administrative Information

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Mary E. Robbins (Mrs. J.S.) Gifford, Rose Bud, Arkansas, 1971.

Related Materials

Separated Materials

Photographs transferred to General Photograph File #5100.

Controlled Access Headings

Personal Name(s)

- Robbins, Oscar B., 1886-1946

Collection Inventory

Personal	Box
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1. Correspondence, 1912-1919	
Financial	
2. Bank and tax records, 1913-1942	
3. Retirement and insurance records, 1918-1943	
4. John Robbins, 1938-1939	
Ouachita Baptist University	
5. Official records	
6. Class notes, papers, exams	
7. Miscellaneous	

Educator, high school

Educator, high school**8. Miscellaneous, 1914****House of Representatives****Box****2****9. Petitions, elections, miscellaneous****10. Miscellaneous newspaper clippings****Service in World War I****11. Service records****12. Final rosters, passenger lists, 1919****13. Miscellaneous****Woodmen of the World****14. Miscellaneous, 1915-1919****Miscellaneous**

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