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Summary Information

Repository	Arkansas State Archives
Title	Lion Oil News magazine
Date [inclusive]	1949-1955
Extent	0.2 Cubic feet 1 box
Language	English
Language of Materials	Materials entirely in English.

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Biographical/Historical Note

Thomas Harry Barton came to El Dorado during south Arkansas's oil boom and began investing in the industry there. In 1922, he acquired a small refinery that served as the beginning of the Lion Oil Refining Company. The company quickly became one of the state's largest oil producers and refiners. Lion Oil expanded its operations, and the company's service stations became common features along roadsides in the South. By the mid-1950s, nearly 2,000 service stations were in operation across the region.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains 26 issues of the Lion Oil News magazine, the company's newsletter.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

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Unknown.

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1949 October (two copies)	
1951 February	
1951 October	
1951 December	
1952 February	
1952 April	
1952 June (two copies)	
1952 August	
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