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Summary Information

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| Repository | Arkansas State Archives |
| Title | Historic downtown Little Rock (Ark.) collection |
| Date [inclusive] | 1931-1995 |
| Extent | 2.22 Cubic feet 3 boxes, 1 OV volume, 1 OV folder |
| Language | English |
| Language of Materials | Materials entirely in English. |

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Historical Note

This collection contains Little Rock history and development materials transferred to the Arkansas State Archives from the collections of the Historic Arkansas Museum in Little Rock.

Scope and Contents

This collection contains miscellaneous material related to the history of Little Rock, Arkansas. Most of the material deals with the development and historic preservation of the downtown area. There are also miscellaneous Arkansas newspapers covering Arkansas history, as well as World War II. The collection also includes a member list for the STOP Committee. This organization was formed during the "Lost Year" of 1958-1959 in which Little Rock public schools were closed in the wake of the desegregation crisis at Little Rock Central High School. The committee was formed as a counterweight to the segregationists.

Administrative Information

Publication Information

Arkansas State Archives 7/31/2020

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Immediate Source of Acquisition

Historic Arkansas Museum, Little Rock, Arkansas, 2020.

Collection Inventory

| | Box |
|---|---------------|
| An Architectural Survey of the Macarthur Park and Governor's Mansion Areas of the Quapaw Quarter, Little Rock, Arkansas 1978 | 1 |
| The Secretary of the Interior's Standards for Historic Preservation Projects undated | |
| Downtown Little Rock Development Plan, Volume 3, Implementation Preliminary 1982 August | |
| The Arkansas Traveler magazine undated | |
| Profile: Little Rock 1968 Fall | |
| STOP Committee members identification list undated | |
| | Box |
| PH.LittleRock.0001: Black and white photograph of group of people, Virginia Ledbetter pictured third from right on middle row undated | 1 |
| Abstract of Title, Lot 11 in Block 187, Little Rock undated | 2 |
| Real Estate Atlas of Pulaski County, Arkansas 1977 | 3 |
| | Volume |
| Bagley's Map of Little Rock and North Little Rock, Arkansas 1944-1972 | 1 |

Newspapers

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"New Lease on Lite," section in Arkansas Gazette 1939 March 5

"Nation Adopts Arkansas Craft," section in Arkansas Gazette 1939 December 31

"Armistice Day," section in Arkansas Gazette 1940 November 17

"War Spreads to the Balkans," section in Arkansas Gazette 1940 November 24

"Scene on the English Channel," section in Arkansas Gazette 1941 March 2

"Balkan Blitzkrieg," section in Arkansas Gazette 1941 April 20

"Invasion in Greece," section in Arkansas Gazette 1941 May 4

"New Theater of War," section in Arkansas Gazette 1941 May 18

"Arkansas Art of Today," section in Arkansas Gazette 1942 October 11

"Board of Overseers Commends Quapaw Realty for Outstanding Performance," article in The Chronicle 1995 April-May

Quapaw Realty advertisement featuring the "Hanger House," Real Estate Weekly 1994 April 7

Arkansas Gazette newspaper 1931 August 16