

Charles East Papers
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Container List

Biographical Note

Charles East is an editor, author, and collector of historical photographs. A native of Shelby, Mississippi, born December 11, 1924, East is the son of Elmo M. and Mabel (Gradolph) East, and husband of Sarah Simmons. He received a B.A. in 1948 and an M.A. in 1962 from Louisiana State University. He was an editorial assistant for *Collier's* magazine in New York, 1948-1949. He was a reporter, 1949-1952, and editor of the Sunday Magazine Section, 1952-1955, for the Baton Rouge *Morning Advocate*; and he was a reporter, 1955-1957, and assistant city editor, 1958-1962, for the *State-Times*. East was Editor, 1962-1970, and Director, 1970-1975, of the Louisiana State University Press, and he was Editor and Assistant Director of the University of Georgia Press, 1980-1983.

Books written or edited by Charles East include:

- Four Louisiana Civil War Stories*. (Baton Rouge: Louisiana Civil War Centennial Commission, 1961)
The Journalistic Career of Henry Watkins Allen. @ Thesis. (Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University, 1962)
A Walking Tour of Historic Baton Rouge. (Baton Rouge: Committee for the Preservation of the Port Hudson Battlefield, c1963)
Where the Music Was, Fifteen Stories. (New York: Harcourt, Brace & World, 1965)
The Face of Louisiana. Photos. by Elemore Morgan. Text by Charles East. (Baton Rouge: Louisiana State University Press, 1969)
Baton Rouge: A Civil War Album. (Baton Rouge: East, c1977)
The New Writers of the South: a Fiction Anthology. (Athens: University of Georgia Press, c1987)
The Civil War Diary of Sarah Morgan. (Athens: University of Georgia Press, c1991)
The Flannery O'Connor Award: Selected Stories. (Athens: University of Georgia Press, c1992)
Distant Friends and Intimate Strangers, Stories. (Urbana: University of Illinois Press, c1996)

Articles, stories, and reviews written by Charles East include:

- "The Welty Photographs." Review of Photographs, by Eudora Welty. *Southern Review* 26.2 (Spring 1990): 449-55.
"Oxford-in-Yoknapatawpha." *Virginia Quarterly Review* 74.3 (Summer 1998): 475-89.
"A Summer Story." *Virginia Quarterly Review* 30.1 (Winter 1954): 83-94.
"Stopover." *Yale Review* 41.1 (Summer 1952): 579-90.
"The Last Person." *Southern Review* 12.3 (Summer 1976): 445-53.
"Pavane for a Dead Princess." *Southern Review* 32.4 (Fall 1996): 743-52.
"The Second Summer of the War." *Sewanee Review* 104.2 (Spring 1996): 175-88.
"The Death of Huey Long: A Photographic Essay." *Southern Review* 21.2 (Spring 1985): 247-56.
"The Dream-Career of James Prewitt." *Southern Review* 29.3 (Summer 1993): 465-85.
"Discovering Eudora Welty." *Sewanee Review* 110.3 (Summer 2002): 426-37.
"My Life as an Editor." *Sewanee Review* 107.3 (Summer 1999): 384-401.

"Where the Music Was." *Antioch Review* 23.4 (Winter 1963-1964): 477-84.

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"Jules Lion's New Orleans." *Georgia Review* 40.4 (Winter 1986): 913-36.

"Fisherman's Wife." *New Mexico Quarterly* 35.2 (Summer 1965): 118-27.

"Evensong and Requiem." *Per/Se* 2.2 (Summer 1967): 57-60.

"The Search for Eudora Welty." *Mississippi Quarterly* 26.4 (Fall 1973):477-82.

"The Crossing." *Delta Review*, 3.2 (1966): 49, 66-67.

"Picture Postcards of Our Past." *Entrée*, Summer 1979, 4-8.

East wrote the chapter on Baton Rouge photographer A.D. Lytle in *Touched by Fire: A Photographic Portrait of the Civil War*, edited by William C. Davis (1985). His short stories, articles, and reviews have appeared in a number of magazines.

Scope Note

East's papers include correspondence, writings, research notes (including subject files), published works, book reviews, newspaper clippings, ephemera, other printed items, and photographs. Photographs have been removed from paper files, and are filed in the Photographic materials box 8. Note of their removal has been made in the original folders. Access to some photographic and research materials is restricted.

Container list

Stack Location: Range 1: Boxes 1-9 located on 1:4-7. oversize folder located on 1:73

Box 1

Early drafts of short stories by Charles East:

The Return of Andrew Ferengold

Where the Music Was

Night Watch

Under the Blue Cup

Stopover

The Last Person (short story)

The Ears of the World

Fisherman=s Wife

Four Minutes to the Bridge

The Rarest Kind of Love

Untitled and unfinished play by Charles East

Flight and Fall (1st novel draft)

East, Charles--Personal file (contains early drafts of four short stories)

Lockett, Samuel H.--Article from *The Daily Picayune*, 1911, cited

Printed Items--*Harper=s*, *Ladies Home Journal*, *Illustrated American* (1889-1892)

Centennial edition of Baton Rouge *State-Times*

Moyer, Jeanne--Illustration, photographs (1939-1952). Descriptions by C. East. Photographs removed to photo box.

The following files contain photographs with descriptions by Charles East. Photographs have been removed to photo box:

The Cottage, after burning

Clinton, Mississippi (croquet game)

Miscellaneous photographs (1915-1921)

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Baton Rouge photographs (Post Office on 3rd Street, Confederate monument)

John Bell Hood family, by Theodore Lienthal, 1879

Two photographs by New Orleans photographer, B. Moses, of Louisiana scenes painted during the Civil War: one of Union Gunboats on the Red River at Bailey's Dam, May 9, 1864, the other of Union General N.P. Banks's Army crossing the Atchafalaya River, using steamboats lashed together as a bridge. The original paintings, probably done by Union Army or Navy artist, may no longer exist.

Oversize photographs housed in Oversize folder, Range 1:

Louisiana politicians, ca. 1908;

Davis, John W. (Presidential candidate, campaigning in West Virginia), with former Louisiana Governor, J.Y. Sanders, 1924

Box 2

Correspondence and Photographs

Ashley, Elizabeth, 1961, one ALS

Aswell, Rosalind wife of James Aswell, 1955

Carter, Hodding and Betty, 1949, 1965, 1972

East, Charles (photographs and original *Reveille*)

Kane, Harnett, 1957-1966, n.d.

Keyes, Frances Parkinson, 1945, one ALS

Leatherman, LeRoy, 1948

Lindberg, Stanley (UGA Press), 1980-1997

Research Notes and Subject Files

Allen, Henry Watkins (2 folders)

Baton Rouge: Aviation

Baton Rouge: Barracks/Arsenal

Baton Rouge: Buildings

Baton Rouge: Churches

Baton Rouge: Civil War

Baton Rouge: A Civil War Album (files and manuscript)

Baton Rouge: Early History

Baton Rouge: Lawyers

Baton Rouge: Mayors

Baton Rouge: Miscellaneous

Baton Rouge: People (2 folders)

Baton Rouge: Schools

Baton Rouge: Sheriffs

Baton Rouge: State House (2 folders)

Baton Rouge: Visitors

Carter, Howell (and book by)

Delta (LSU student literary magazine, edited by Charles East, 1947-1948, and photographs)

Houmas Grant

Loucks, John W., 1959-1979

Dear Elizabeth, account of the Loucks family and related families by John W. Loucks, vols. 1-3

Louisiana Legislators

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Muster Roll, Second Regiment, Louisiana Volunteers (Moore Guards), C.S.A.
Railroads
Steamboat APrincess@ (article East wrote for the *State-Times*, 1959)
Taylor, Zachary
Turner Murder
Yellow Fever
Audubon, John James
Jones, Casey
Parker, Bonnie
Southern Review Conference (1985)
Stagecoach travel
Baton Rouge: River Capital
Book Reviews (by Charles East)
Davis, William C.
Encyclopedia of Southern Culture
Ford, Jesse Hill
Garrett, George
Hildegarde
Hoover, Herbert, one TLS
Lion, Jules (2 folders)
Dr. Sara Tew Mayo
LSU Press
Mickey Case
Newman, Paul, includes one TLS
Port Hudson
Reed, Rex
Eliza McHatton Ripley, Louisiana author
Time-Life Books
Tucker, Sophie, includes 3 ALS
Williams, T. Harry (interview)
Williams, Wirt

Box 3

Subject and publication files

Blackman, M.C. (Description of lynching in Little Rock)--Manuscript--PERMISSION
PUBLISH FROM HEIRS MANDATORY
Genealogists inventory--Old Jackson (La.) Cemetery, 1950s
Hammond, Louisiana--Photographs (photos removed to photo box)
Ives, Marian, East=s first agent--Letters, 1949-1950
Long, Earl K., 1948. Inaugural Parade Photograph (Photo removed to photo box)
Louisiana Companies Project
Louisiana writers
Moviemaking in Louisiana:
Alvarez Kelly
Band of Angels, 1957
Desire in the Dust, 1960

TO

Drango, 1956

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The Long Hot Summer, 1957

Moviemaking in Mississippi:

Raintree County, 1956

Percy, William Alexander

Percy, Walker, including two TLS and one holograph note, 1963-1988

Roosevelt, Franklin D.

Santayana, George

Warren, Robert Penn, 1981-1988, Memorial program, Nov. 30, 1989. Photographs of his home off Old Hammond Highway and on Hyacinth Avenue, Baton Rouge. Photographs removed to photo box.

Welty, Eudora (2 folders)

Wentworth, Richard

Wickenden, Dan, Harcourt Brace editor (3 folders)

The New Writers of the South (2 folders)

Original manuscript of the introduction, and photocopies of other parts of the work. Letters from authors with works published in the anthology, including 8 written by Richard Ford (1985-1986, one ALS, 7 TLS, in folder 2). Original manuscripts of articles, newspaper clippings, galley proofs, and other items from the book, *Where the Music Was*.

Diary of Charles East and his grandmother, Mrs. Rachel Theresa Steadman East. Diary transcriptions, 1936-1940, 28 typed pages.

Where the Music Was (misc.)

Reviews

Czech translation

(The following related materials are in Box 4: Manuscript, page proof, galley proof, publisher=s original book design, original book jacket design by artist Ellen Raskin)

Allen, O.K., with Texas officials (Long related)--Photo removed to photo box

Brooks, Cleanth, letters, 1972-1985, and photograph--Photo removed to photo box

Casey, Powell, 1980-1982

The Face of Louisiana (2 folders)

Fremaux Memoir, 1987

LeVert, Octavia Walton

Long, Huey, 1929, 1935, 1984-1987

McCants, Sister Dorothea Olga, inscribed copy of her book, *We Six*

ALongwood, @ Napoleon=s home on St. Helena, 1898--Photograph, removed to photo box

Newspaper (photographs), 1950s-1960s, removed to photo box

Porter, Katherine Anne (2 folders) East states that items are from the LSU English Department files and copies were given him by Lewis Simpson. Photographs of Porter removed to photo box.

Price, Reynolds, letters, 1975, with explanation by East

Rivers, William, 1956-1987, n.d.

Russell, Irwin, facsimile printed edition of his poem AChristmas Night in the Quarters@; the original is in the Mississippi Department of Archives and History.

St. Francisville (Bayou Sara)--Photograph of Old Meyer=s Hotel, removed to photo box

St. Michel (West Baton Rouge), 1982, with map showing location

Wolfe, Thomas--Photograph, removed to photo box

Corrington, John William, 1932-1988, 1963-1964, 1971, 1988

Louisiana Legislature Roster, 1922

Automobiles, ca. 1906-1928. 20 photographs, removed to photo box.

Capote, Truman, ca. 1948-1989, includes two original Capote letters, play programs,

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newspaper clippings, photographs, and biographical information. Photographs in photo box and oversize folder

Missions in Texas, n.d., 13 photographs, removed to photo box.

Woolley, A. E., New York City Photographs, [1953]. 9 photographs removed to photo box.

Baton Rouge, Capitol Lake (note: 3 copy negatives to be added later)

Images of the Past Workshop Certificate, 1989. Also, oversize item housed in OS folder.

McKee, Elizabeth, 1951-1985, (3 folders of correspondence with East=s literary agent)

Gaines, Ernest, 1972-1977, includes 3 Gaines ALS and one card, 9 items

Wall, Bennett, 1987-1990

Cemetery Records, primarily East Feliciana Parish, and Grace Church Cemetery, St.

Francisville

New Orleans: Photographers, research notes and correspondence (2 folders)

Williams, T. Harry, interview of William by East, published in *Entree*, Winter 1969.

Box 4

Charles East, publications, galleys, page proofs, manuscripts:

The New Writers of the South, page proofs, galley proof

A Four Minutes to the Bridge, @ page proof

Where the Music Was, original manuscript, proof with author=s corrections, 1965 (3 folders), book jacket design by Ellen Raskin in oversize folder

A Under the Blue Cup, @ proofs

Distant Friends and Intimate Strangers, proofs with author=s revisions

Distant Friends and Intimate Strangers (1)

Distant Friends and Intimate Strangers (2)

Distant Friends and Intimate Strangers (reviews)

Box 5

The Civil War Diary of Sarah Morgan files

Research notes for *The Civil War Diary of Sarah Morgan*, 18 legal pads

Typescripts of *The Civil War Diary of Sarah Morgan* (7 folders)

Page proofs of *The Civil War Diary of Sarah Morgan* (3 folders)

Items relating the the diary

Reviews of *The Civil War Diary of Sarah Morgan*

Box 6

Subject files

Sarah Morgan (7 folders)

Sarah Morgan Dawson

Morgan, Cecil

Bayou Manchac

Edwards, J.D.

Camp Moore, Louisiana

Postcards (East article, 1979)

Sherman, William T.

Lockett, Samuel H.

Stafford, Jean

Heilman, Robert

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Allen, Henry Watkins
Woolley, A.E.--Photographs
Core, George
Engle, Paul
Cowley, Malcolm, (TLS)
Craven, Avery
Aiken, Clarissa, second wife and widow of Conrad Aiken
Oates, Joyce Carol (2 folders, 1 TLS)
Dubus, Andre, (TLS)
Mailer, Norman (TLS)
The Shah of Iran
Baton Rouge: Arsenal
Baton Rouge: St. James Episcopal Church
Dearmond Family genealogy
Norwood Family genealogy
Taylor, Zachary
Cannon, Crouse, McIntosh Families genealogies
Caldwell Family genealogy, compiled by Mrs. Loraine Anderson (3 folders)
Huey Family genealogy (photographs placed in photo box)
Hutchinson Family genealogy
Mayo Family genealogy
Movie stars (photographs placed in photo box)
Baton Rouge: People
Donadio, Candida
Woodward, Eben letters
Steadman, George letter, 1853, to Mary Woodward
Thompson, John Burton
Tatum, Margaret
Baton Rouge: State House
Annie Reily White, letters, etc.
Masonic Lodge Document: Death of T. P. East, 1895
Essay on James Prewitt, revised draft to *Southern Review*
Zimmer, Paul
Grau, Shirley Ann
AEvensong and Requiem@ (1995 revision)
Afton Villa, near St. Francisville, La.
LSU History: Co-ed Handbook, 1930-31
ADying Mary@ (family memorabilia)
Gould, Philip
Vanderbilt, Gloria
Linstrom, Annie East, letters
East, Charles, freelancing--correspondence with authors and publishers (7 folders)
Fay, Edwin Hege, obituary, 1898

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Subject files
Paine, Halbert E., Manu Scripta Minora

Paine, Halbert E.

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Corrections to Menn, *Large Slaveholders of Louisiana*
Southern Review (history)
Prehistoric bones found in Louisiana, 1825
Civil War, 1st Louisiana Cavalry
Baton Rouge: Hospitals
Baton Rouge: Pentagon Barracks (2 folders)
A Tour Guide of Baton Rouge and Its Vicinity, 1964
Clinton, Louisiana
The Cottage, River Road
Wilson, La.
LSU Band
LSU and LSU Football
LSU Journalism School (2 folders)
LSU Press (history)
Flannery O'Conner Award Collection (1991)
The Flannery O'Conner Award: Selected Stories, reviews (2 folders)
Louisiana: A History, Second edition (1990)
Louisiana: A History, Second edition, illustrations
Louisiana Genealogical and Historical Society (history)
Movies filmed in Louisiana
A Memories of Baton Rouge (article by Charles East)
A The Delta: A Memoir, (by Charles East)
A The Faulkner Photographs, (by Charles East)
Aragon Ballroom, Chicago
J. St. Clair Favrot, *Tales of Our Town*
General Troy Middleton
Ulysses S. Grant
W.E. Groves
Middleton, Harry (Joe)
Philemon Thomas
Long, Huey P., speeches of, compiled by Christenberry
Long, Huey P.
Long, Huey, P., photographs removed to photo box
Long, Huey P., Memorabilia
Simpson, Lewis P. (3 folders)
Williams, Tennessee
Foote, Shelby
Mouton, Colonel (General), portrait in CSA uniform, photograph moved to photo folder
Bakewell, Rev. A. Gordon, Confederate Chaplain
Morgan, Elemore (2 folders)
Morgan, Elemore, photographs removed to photo box
Oil wells, photographs removed to photo box
Tangipahoa Parish, photograph removed to photo box
Flood of 1927, photographs removed to photo box
Veterinary infirmary, old arsenal building, photographs removed to photo box
Snapshots of LSU campus and Mardi Gras, 1920s, photographs removed to photo box
Lytle, A.D. (3 folders). Photographs RESTRICTED.
Baton Rouge: Masons

Brooks-Warren letters, 1932-1941. RESTRICTED.

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King, Carrie May
Morrow Family genealogy
Nesom Family genealogy
AThe Dream-Career of James Prewitt, @ by Charles East (2 folders)
Small Family genealogy, including James East line
Thompson Family genealogy

Box 8

Subject Files
Wilkerson, Marcus
Longstreet, Helen Dortch
Baton Rouge: Civil War Contraband Camp, photo removed to photo box
O=Donnell, George Marion
Bible Records: Bell, Orr, Tilghman, Moore, Brannan, etc.
Hope, Bob and Dolores Christmas Card
Ford, Richard
Gardner, Dave
Hammond, LA.
Baton Rouge: WWI, photo removed to photo box
Hood, Mary (1)
Hood, Mary (2)
Stone, Emily (Mrs. Phil Stone)
Wood, John
Caulfield Family
Drehr (Dreher) Family
Maxwell Family
Nix Family
Reily Family
Seay Family
Tyler Family
A.D. Lytle photographs (cabinet cards), photos removed to photo box
ASail and Steam in Louisiana Waters, @ exhibition catalog, 1971

Box 9

Photographs (Note: photographs have been removed from paper files and are filed in photo folders in box 8. Note of their removal has been made in the original files)
Clinton, Mississippi, croquet game
The Cottage, after burning
Miscellaneous photographs, early 1900s, ca. 1915-1920
Moyer, Jeanne (2 folders), 1939-1947-1952
Baton Rouge photographs
Bailey=s Dam, photograph by B. Moses, 1864
B. Moses photographs, copy prints
John Bell Hood family, photograph by Theodore Lilienthal, 1879
Charles East
Delta (5 photographs)

Southern Review Conference, 1985, Robert Penn Warren, Cleanth Brooks

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Taylor, Zachary
Hildegard, 1945
LSU Press
Mickey Case
Newman, Paul
Port Hudson
Tucker, Sophie
Williams, Wirt
Genealogists inventory, Jackson, La. Cemetery, 1950s
Hammond, Louisiana
Long, Earl K., inaugural parade
Moviemaking in Louisiana:
Band of Angels, 1957
Desire in the Dust, 1960
Drango, 1956
The Long Hot Summer, 1957
Moviemaking in Mississippi, Raintree County, 1956
Percy, William Alexander
Percy, Walker
Roosevelt, Franklin D.
Warren, Robert Penn
Where the Music Was
Allen, O.K., with Texas officials (Long related)
Brooks, Cleanth
ALongwood, @ Napoleon=s home on St. Helena, 1898
Newspaper photographs, Charles East
St. Francisville, Bayou Sara, Old Meyer=s Hotel
Wolfe, Thomas, 1919
Automobiles, ca. 1906-1928, 20 photographs
Capote, Truman
Missions in Texas
Woolley, A.E., New York City photographs, 1953, 9 photographs
Woolley, A.E. photographs
Edwards, J.D.
Camp Moore, Louisiana
Allen, Henry Watkins (restricted, use copy at 1:4-7, box 9)
Norwood family
Taylor, Zachary
Baton Rouge: Pentagon Barracks
Clinton, Louisiana (including photos of The Long Hot Summer)
Wilson, La.
LSU Band
LSU and LSU Football
LSU Journalism School (2 folders)
Louisiana: A History, Second edition (1990)
Louisiana: A History, Second edition, illustrations
General Troy Middleton
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Middleton, Harry (Joe)

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Long, Huey P.
Simpson, Lewis P.
Mouton, Colonel (General)
Morgan, Elemore photographs
Oil wells
Tangipahoa Parish
Flood of 1927
Veterinary Infirmary (Old Arsenal building)
Snapshots of LSU Campus, Mardi Gras, 1920s (scrapbook pages)
Baton Rouge, original and copy photo prints and negatives, Confederate Monument and Post Office on Third Street Old
Baton Rouge, copy negative of panoramic photograph
Railroads--Gulf Mobile & Northwestern train, engines
Baton Rouge: Buildings, Tessier Building
Baton Rouge: Buildings, Old Governor=s Mansion
Louisiana sugar cane workers
Huey Family, James and Ada Huey
Movie stars
Katherine Anne Porter
Thompson, John Burton
Simpson, Lewis P.
Tatum, Margaret
Baton Rouge: State House (Old Capitol)
Annie Reily White, White family home, Clinton, La.
Grau, Shirley Ann
NASA=a Space Shuttle, Michoud in New Orleans
Lytle, Andrew D. (3 folders) RESTRICTED
Brooks-Warren letters, photographs of bison, RESTRICTED
Baton Rouge: WWI
Old State Library building being demolished
A.D. Lytle photographs (cabinet cards) (3 folders)
Baton Rouge: Downtown and Third St., Late 1930s (2- 8x10 b/w photographs by Charles Cushing, New York)
Baton Rouge: Baton Rouge Chamber of Commerce
Baton Rouge Symphony, 1949-1959 Season
Listening to the Voices

Box 10

Ambrose, Stephen E., author
Anderson, Robert, author
Baton Rouge: Airplanes, Balloons and related
Baton Rouge: Buildings
Baton Rouge: City Park
Baton Rouge: Civil War
Baton Rouge: Civil War Album. Moran's halftones, pictures (removed to photo box)
Baton Rouge: Civil War Album photographs (removed to photo box)
Baton Rouge: Civil War case of Mary E. Kirby

Baton Rouge: Civil War contraband camp

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Baton Rouge: Disease and death at U. S. Army barracks
Baton Rouge Little Theater
Baton Rouge: Historic marker committee
Baton Rouge: Miscellaneous
Baton Rouge: Newspapers *Morning Advocate*
Baton Rouge: Newspapers – *Advocate Sunday Magazine*
Baton Rouge: Photographers
Baton Rouge: Railroads
Baton Rouge: Saloons, Rainbow Saloon
Baton Rouge: Saloons, Sumpter House
Baton Rouge: "Tales of Our Town" by J. St. Clair Favrot
Black School in Louisiana, photograph (removed to photo box)
Camp Van Dorn, Centerville, Mississippi
Hunter Cole, Eudora Welty
Baton Rouge tour guide
Cole, George
Delta, LSU student literary magazine (1948-1949 issues)
Election Campaign of 2004
The Engineer short story of Charles East
Erskine, Albert
Gautreaux, Tim
Gimshaw, James A.
Gimshaw, James A. Jr. (in Russia, 2004)
Groves, W. E.
Hurricane Katrina, August 29, 2005
Hurricane Katrina *Advocate* clippings
Kilgo, James
Louisiana (miscellaneous)
Louisiana Book Festival
Louisiana newspapers
Lumpkin, Grace
Louisiana photographers
A. D. Lytle (*Advocate* article) "The Life of Lytle"
A. D. Lytle (draft of manuscript) by Mark Martin
Bentley Mackay III negatives of LSU trip, before 1920 (negatives removed to photo box)
Mail delivery by horse and buggy. Taft, La., 1930s? photograph (removed to photo box)
McNally, T. M., author
McPherson and Oliver, photographers
Morgan, Sarah – Louisiana Endowment
Morgan, Sarah – paperback edition of diary
Morgan, Sarah – letters from descendents
Morgan, Sarah, illustrations (removed to photo box)
Morgan, Sarah, Randy Walsh film project
Morgan, Sarah – Morgan Goldbarth
Morgan, Sarah – Giselle Roberts
Sarah Morgan Diary, corrections and revisions
Sarah Morgan Diary, promotion
The East Family, 2003 revision

The Nettles Family, 2003 revision

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Steadman Family, revised as of May 2001

Woodward Family, April 2002 revision

Box 11

Murder stories (written by Charles East)

New Orleans: small photographs on one paper of Trails End, Eugene Fields Court, Court of Two Sisters, Old Brulatour Court, St. Louis Cathedral, Little Theatre, Spanish Arms, and Pirates Alley (removed to photo box)

New Orleans *Daily Picayune*, Frog Circus Stories

Jo Anne Prichard Morris, writer, editor, publisher

New Orleans Cemeteries photographs (removed to photo box)

Place in American Fiction "The Delta" by Charles East

Port Hudson Committee letterhead

Prewitt, James (photos removed to photo box)

Ravenel, Shannon

Rubin, Louis D. Jr.

Saxon, Lyle

Simpson, Lewis P.

Simpson, Lewis P. Essay in *Southern Review*

Southern Review: Revival of Otis B. Wheeler recalls

State Library of Louisiana

Sullivan, Walter

Toole, John Kennedy

Bennett H. Wall – slides for textbook (removed to photo box)

"Memories of Warren" Essays by Charles East

Weiss, Carl Austin

Welty, Eudora – Second Series

Williams, T Harry. Sketch by John Smylie

Woodward, C. Vann

Lieutenant Howard C. Wright

The Register. "Baton Rouge: A Civil War Album"

Standard Oil, Baton Rouge, "Construction of" photo (removed to photo box)

The Register: Christmas Memories

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Box 12 --this box is restricted until April 2009
"Goat Castle" in Natchez, MS, research.

1 linear foot of research materials and early literary drafts compiled by Charles East for his book about the 1932 murder of Jane Merrill in Natchez, Miss. He researched the people involved and their families, with some folders devoted entirely to one individual, such as Richard Dana, Octavia Dockery, and Jane Merrill. Much of his research consists of handwritten pages about what facts to check, what research still needs to be done, and research already done. He includes a number of newspaper articles and often labels his folders not by their contents, but by where the research was done (Jackson, New York, Natchez, Delta State, New Orleans, LSU). Some of his research came from the Minor family papers and Dana family papers at LSU Libraries Special Collections. There is correspondence between East and those from whom he solicits information. There are also early typed drafts of the prologue and book chapters. Copies of photographs of people involved in the murder and investigation, as well as images of Glenwood and other Natchez homes are also included.

Oversize Folder

Photograph of Truman Capote and the Gish sisters, Lillian and Dorothy
Where the Music Was, book jacket design by Ellen Raskin
Aerial photograph of Louisiana State Capitol, 1930s
Arrival in Clarksburg of John W. Davis, Aug. 9, 1924 (2 photographs)
Louisiana politicians, at banquet, ca. 1908
East Feliciana Patriot, Clinton, March 13, 1869
East Feliciana Citizen, Clinton, March 17, 1939
Images of the Past, certificate
A Hear the >Standard@ Refinery Band, poster, n.d.
The Civil War Diary of Sarah Morgan, poster, n.d.

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Carte-de-visite collection, 1860s-1880s

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Photographs are arranged by photographer; most worked in New Orleans.

Ahrens, J. H. C.
Fanny Williamson
Dr. A. Porter Brown
Elizabeth (Lizzie) Brown
Albert, A.
unidentified, 1
Sam Hoyt, 1878
Anderson, S.
unidentified, 7
Father James Ignatius Mullon
unidentified, 6
Annie Sullivan
unidentified, 7
Anderson and Blessing
unidentified, 4
Anderson and Turner
unidentified, 2
Bethge, Julius
unidentified, 1
Bonnet, W. A.
name illegible
Burke, John J.
unidentified, 1
Casanova
unidentified, 1
Cencier, L.
unidentified, 1
Clarke, John H.
unidentified, 3
Pierson, J. F., 1875
Constant, A.
Fagot, Filecie; Mme. Lucieu Malus
unidentified, 2
Constant, A. and L. Moses
unidentified, 2
Crescent Gallery (Hinton)
unidentified, 1
George, E. E. and Brother
unidentified, 1
Guay, William
J. Bartley

Keddy, T.

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unidentified, 1
Leeson, W. H.
unidentified, 2
Lilienthal, Theodore
unidentified, 8
Lytle, A. D.
Confederate soldier
Union soldier or officer
unidentified, 5
name illegible, 1866
unidentified, 8
Bessie Robertson
C. D. Craven
Jim Head, 1878
unidentified, 2
Mollie Day
C. Daigle ?
Marmu, C.
unidentified, 2
Mealy, E. W.
unidentified, 2
Nat, Bullard, 1884
Henry Camp, 1877
Moses, B.
unidentified, 2
Moses, B. and G.
unidentified, 3
Samuel Bowdre
unidentified, 1
Herman C. Duncan, Jan 17, 1868
unidentified or illegible, 4
Aunt Adeline
unidentified, 1
Moses and Piffet
unidentified, 1
Moses, S. and Son
unidentified, 3
Petty, J. W.
unidentified, 1
Piffet
unidentified, 2
Prince, L. I.
unidentified, 1
Sheldon, J. A.
unidentified, 2
Simon, Eugene
Andres C. Noqueira
Andres Vallie Noqueira

Souby, E. J.

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Swymmer and Leeson
C. Skinner
unidentified, 1
Turner, A. A.
unidentified, 1
Turner and Cohen
Pet Lea
unidentified,
Washburn, W. W.
Emma Pike
unidentified, 5
name illegible, Apr. 15, 1849
unidentified, 15
Weiss, John
unidentified, 1